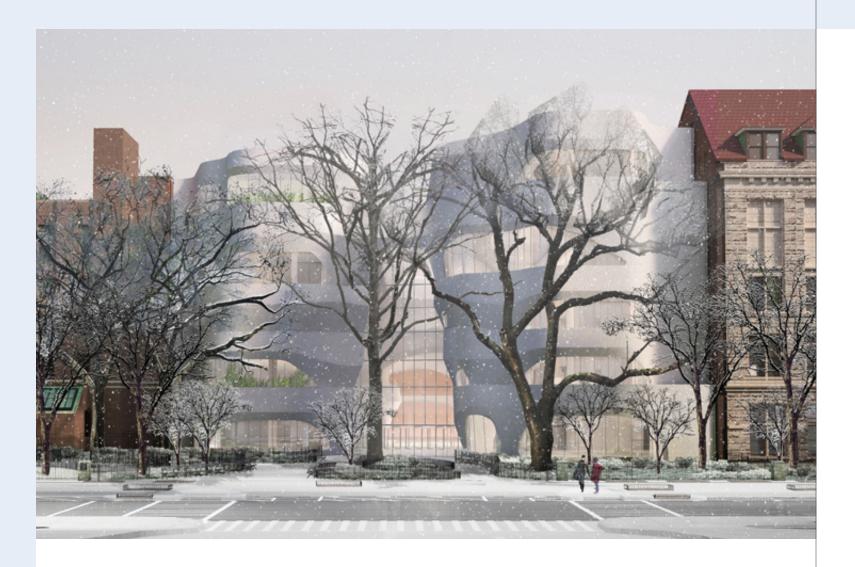


ANNUAL REPORT 2017

JULY 1, 2016-JUNE 30, 2017



FROM THE PRESIDENT AND CHAIRMAN

On January 11, 2017, the
American Museum of Natural
History unveiled preliminary
designs for the planned
Richard Gilder Center for
Science, Education, and
Innovation, a new facility to
be built on the west side of
the Museum campus.

The event was the culmination of many months of planning and development, including numerous meetings with New York

City and State representatives and agencies, community groups, and neighbors, and open meetings for public questions and feedback.

The designs were the product of substantial research and creative work by architect

Jeanne Gang of Studio Gang and exhibit designer Ralph Appelbaum, working in close association with the Museum's scientific, education, exhibition, and operations staff.

The planned Gilder Center will be a spectacular, fully modern facility, showcasing the Museum as an active, integrated place of science and education,

rooted in its collections, imbued with technology, and informed by the ways people learn, discover, and interact today, while also helping us better host and serve some five million annual onsite visitors and hundreds of thousands of schoolchildren visiting in camp and class groups.

The presentation of the Gilder Center designs was a milestone that anchored the year's ongoing work in science, education, and exhibition—work that seeks to find new, more effective ways to study the scientific issues of our time and to interpret science,

nature, and culture for a growing audience seeking trusted sources of information, education, and inspiration. In this complex time in which so many of our most pressing issues are science based, the Museum's work of advancing scientific research, preparing the next generation of scientists and science teachers, and improving the public understanding of science is essential.

The annual report that follows details the many initiatives of the year that advanced our mission. We presented major exhibitions, one of which explored the biodiversity and culture of Cuba and another that showed how the latest technology is revealing the secrets of mummies. In October, we joined colleagues and officials in Columbus, Ohio, to mark a historic partnership with COSI, the Center of Science and Industry, to create two American Museum of Natural History galleries in its facility, one a dinosaur exhibition and one dedicated to presenting our special exhibitions.

Field work took our scientists around the world, while others pursued molecular and genomic research in our laboratories, based on our world-renowned collections of specimens and artifacts. These collections now exceed 34 million items, not counting digital astrophysics and genomic data.

In the summer of 2016, the Museum signed a groundbreaking memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the National Museum of Natural History in Havana, Cuba, formalizing what has been a longstanding collaboration between scientists at the two institutions and extending our partnership to education and exhibition initiatives.

The Museum conferred Ph.D. and Master of Arts in Teaching degrees on a new class

of young scientists and science teachers, as well as honorary degrees on Cuban zoologist Gilberto Silva Taboada and former U.S.
Secretary of Education John B. King, Jr.

Education programs engaged a variety

of audiences, ranging from documentary film lovers enjoying the Margaret Mead Film Festival to families learning together in family science adventures, including in a partnership with the New York City Housing Authority; from curious adults in conversation with pioneering scientists at SciCafe to preschool naturalists and their caregivers exploring nature in the Science and Nature Program; from computer coders who stayed up in an all-night "Hack the Stacks" hackathon challenge using the Research Library's data sets to serious science lovers who took a five-part course in stem cell science. And far too much more to detail here.

As we look ahead to the Museum's 150th anniversary in 2019–20, we continue to find new ways to express the Museum's mission and to fulfill our role in this complex time.

We thank you for your interest and involvement and invite you to stay with us for what will be an exciting and transformative period for the Museum and all those who love it.

Lewis W. Bernard Chairman

Ellen V. Futter President SCIENCE

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EXPEDITIONS Adding to Scientific Knowledge and Collections Canada Peter M. Whiteley Canada Mark E. Siddall Canada Robert F. Rockwell Alaska George F. Barrowclough James M. Carpenter Arizona Jeremy Frank, Jerome G. Rozer Kaiya Provost Edward Mvers CONTINENTS Arkansas David A. Grimaldi California Alexandra Buczek Florida Denton S. Ebel Georgia David Hurst Thomas Hawaii Bermuda John S. Sparks Illinois Mary E. Blair COUNTRIES Lu Yao Mexico Kelly Speer Cuba George Amato Montana Nevada Mexico Charles S. Spencer **New Mexico** Peter M. Whiteley, Ward C. Wheeler Belize Nancy B. Simmons Spencer Galen Mark E. Siddall, Spencer Galen, Federico Lopez-Osorio Peter Capainolo Panama Estefanía Rodríguez Neil H. Landman South Dakota U.S. STATES Colombia Alejandro Grajales Neil H. Landman Kaiya Provost John J. Flynn, Z. Jack Tseng, Camille Grohe, Mark A. Norell Peru John J. Flynn Anna Ragni Peru Charles S. Spence Brazil John'S, Sparks Brazil Mark E. Siddall Tahiti Eleanor Sterling **SELECT EXPEDITIONS FROM FY2017** Argentina Felicity Arengo CENTER FOR BIODIVERSITY AND CONSERVATION PALEONTOLOGY ANTHROPOLOGY RICHARD GILDER GRADUATE SCHOOL VERTEBRATE ZOOLOGY PHYSICAL SCIENCES INVERTEBRATE ZOOLOGY + Explore21 Expedition * Constantine S. Niarchos Expeditions



COLLECTIONS

34,120,652

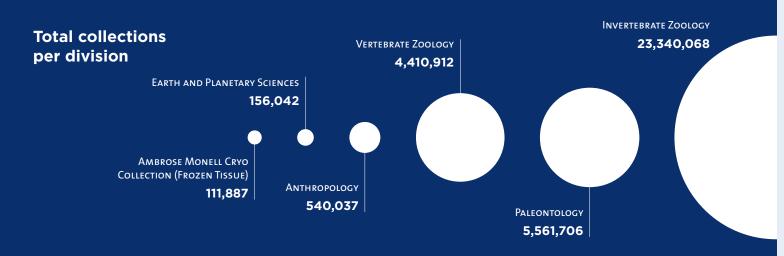
SPECIMENS AND ARTIFACTS

44,410 506

COLLECTION ITEMS ADDED

COLLECTION ITEMS LOANED

VISITING SCHOLARS HOSTED



RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS:

Select Publications Across **Five Divisions**

MORE THAN

SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

18,000

PREVIOUSLY UNREPORTED BAT SPECIES IDENTIFIED IN HAITI

BIRD SPECIES ESTIMATED WORLDWIDE

JULY 2016



Fossil Reveals Ostrich **Relatives Once Lived** in North America

STERLING NESBITT JULIA CLARKE Research Associates

AUGUST 2016

Watch for Rare **Recurrent Nova Begins**

ASHLEY PAGNOTTA

Postdoctoral Researcher

SEPTEMBER 2016

Respiration Makes Camel Spiders Potent Predators

LORENZO PRENDINI Curator

OCTOBER 2016



Detonating White Dwarfs as Supernovae

SAAVIK FORD BARRY McKernan



Common U.S. Snake Actually Three **Different Species**

FRANK T. BURBRINK Associate Curator

OCTOBER 2016



Fossil "Beardogs" Shed Light on Evolution of Dogs and Their Relatives

JACK TSENG Research Associate

Jaguar Scat Analysis Aids **Conservation Efforts**

CLAUDIA WULTSCH Research Scientist

GEORGE AMATO

Director Sackler Institute for Comparative Genomics

DECEMBER 2016



Parasitic Beetle Revealed in Amber Fossil

JOSEPH PARKER Research Associate

DECEMBER 2016

Climate Change Generated Mixed Responses in Ice Age Vertebrates

FRANK T. BURBRINK

Associate Curator

BRIAN T. SMITH Assistant Curator



DECEMBER 2016

Study Doubles Estimate of World Bird Species

JOEL L. CRACRAFT GEORGE F. BARROWCLOUGH Lamont Curator Associate Curator

A new study of morphology and genetics suggests previous research may have underestimated bird biodiversity by as much as half, not counting thousands of previously undescribed species that are hiding in plain sight.

JANUARY 2017



Island Life Drove Lemur Evolution

JAMES HERRERA

Gerstner Scholar. Postdoctoral Research Fellow

FEBRUARY 2017



River Rapids Boost Species Diversity

MELANIE L.J. STIASSNY

Herbert R. and Evelyn Axelrod Research Curator

Ancient Pueblos Traced Descent Through Maternal Line

PETER M. WHITELEY Curator

ADAM WATSON

Postdoctoral Fellow

MARCH 2017

Ant Mimicry Evolved Many Times in Beetles

JOSEPH PARKER Research Associate



Study Confirms Sharks' **Ancient Ancestors**

JOHN G. MAISEY

Herbert R. and Evelyn Axelrod Research Curator

JANUARY 2017

Dinosaur Eggs Were Slow to Develop

MARK A. NORELL

Macaulay Curator of Paleontology

Using CT scans and powerful microscopes to examine the teeth of fossilized dinosaur embryos, Museum Curator Mark A. Norell and colleagues have found that the incubation period for embryos was much longer than those of today's avian species—sometimes as long as six months. During the Cretaceous-Paleogene extinction event, this drawn-out development cycle may have put dinosaurs at a disadvantage.

MAY 2017



Salamander **Symbiosis Stresses** Green Algae

JOHN BURNS Postdoctoral Researche

EUNSOO KIM Assistant Curator



Southern California Climate Has Been Stable for 50,000 Years

Anna Holden

Ph.D.-degree Candidate, Richard Gilder Graduate School

JUNE 2017

Backyard Astronomers Discover Brown Dwarf

JACQUELINE FAHERTY

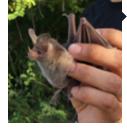
Senior Scientist

JUNE 2017



Tropical Birds Have More Genetic **Diversity Than** Temperate Species

BRIAN T. SMITH Assistant Curator



Two "Hidden" Bat Species Revealed in Haiti

ANGELO SOTO-CENTENO Research Associate

NANCY B. SIMMONS



Researchers Pin Down Ancient South American Mammal

Ross D.E. MACPHEE Curator

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Leon Hess Director of Comparative

Biology Research

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Lorenzo Prendini

Estefanía Rodríguez

Jerome G. Rozen, Jr.

Mark E. Siddall

Ward C. Wheeler



NEW CURATOR Cheryl Y. Hayashi

Cheryl Y. Hayashi, who joined the Museum as Leon Hess Director of Comparative Biology Research in January 2017, is one of the world's top experts on spider silk.

DIVISION OF PALEONTOLOGY

Mark A. Norell, Macaulay Curator, Division Chair

John J. Flynn, Frick Curator

Melanie J. Hopkins

Neil H. Landman

John G. Maisey,

Herbert R. and Evelyn Axelrod

Research Curator

Jin Meng

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DEPARTMENT OF ORNITHOLOGY

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SACKLER INSTITUTE FOR COMPARATIVE GENOMICS

George Amato, Director

SOUTHWESTERN RESEARCH STATION

Geoffrey Bender, Director

RESEARCH LIBRARY

Thomas Baione,

Harold Boeschenstein Director of Library Services

Richard Gilder Graduate School Commencement

October 4, 2016

The 2016 commencement featured two distinguished honorees, U.S. Secretary of Education John B. King, Jr., who oversaw the conferral of degrees at the first commencement ceremony in 2013 in his role as New York State Education Commissioner, and Gilberto Silva Taboada, Cuban biologist and curator *emeritus* at the Cuban National Museum of Natural History (Museo Nacional de Historia Natural de Cuba, MNHN).

(L) Museum Chairman Lewis W. Bernard, John B. King, Jr., Gilberto Silva Taboada, and Museum President Ellen V. Futter.



2016 RICHARD GILDER GRADUATE SCHOOL GRADUATES

PH.D. GRADUATES IN COMPARATIVE BIOLOGY

STEPHANIE FRANCES LORIA

"Systematics of the Scorpion Family Chaerilidae, Homology of the Lateral Eyes of Scorpions, and Biogeography of South-East Asian Scorpions"

Advisor: Lorenzo Prendini

LAUREN AMELIA OLIVER

"Continental Biogeography of the *Hylarana* Frog (Anura: Ranidae) Radiation, and In Situ Diversification in Australasia" Advisor: Christopher J. Raxworthy

AKINOBU WATANABE

"Variations on the Theme of Morphological Characterization, Development and Evolution, Featuring CT Imaging, Geometric Morphometrics, Phylogenetics and Archosauria"

Advisor: Mark A. Norell

Jonathan Foox

"Phylogenomics and Analytical Workflows to Elucidate the Parasitic Evolution of Myxozoa"

Advisor: Mark E. Siddall

BERNARDO F. SANTOS

"Systematics, Morphological Evolution and Convergence in Cryptine Wasps (Hymenoptera, Ichneumonidae, Cryptinae)" Advisor: James M. Carpenter

MASTER OF ARTS GRADUATES IN TEACHING (EARTH SCIENCE)

DEISY ACEVEDO

Dejan Nada Božović

REBECCA TERESA BROSKY

HALI KRISTINE ENGLERT

Andrea Michelle Franco

ARTHUR WILLIAM FUNK II

SEAN TIMOTHY KREPSKI

Kin Y. Tsoi

CAITLIN TULLY

MAYA REBECCA PINCUS

RAGHIDA M. SHARIF

SAMANTHA KELLY SWIFT

SUSAN BULLOCK SYLVESTER

GREGORY HARRISON SALWEN

VERNON MEIDLINGER



After six successful years, the Master of Arts in Teaching program has **70** alumni teaching approximately **8,400** students in high-needs schools across New York State.

EDUCATION

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

Exploring Cutting-Edge Science, Celebrating Cultures

192,204 127,600

ATTENDEES AT PUBLIC PROGRAMS

DROP-IN VISITORS TO THE DISCOVERY ROOM, MARKING ITS HIGHEST VISITATION YEAR ON RECORD

SEPTEMBER 12, 2016

HAYDEN SPECIAL EVENT: SAMPLING AN ASTEROID: NASA's OSIRIS-REX MISSION

Director of Astrovisualization Carter Emmart offered new visualizations highlighting how the spacecraft OSIRIS-REx's mapping of the asteroid Bennu will help scientists choose a location for sampling surface material. The samples could shed light on how our solar system formed and how life on Earth began.

OCTOBER 13-16, 2016



MARGARET MEAD FILM FESTIVAL: "RE-FRAME"

In the spirit of Margaret Mead, the 40th annual festival continued to push the boundaries of visual anthropology and documentary film. The Margaret Mead Filmmaker Award went to Aleksandra Maciuszek for Casa Blanca; honorable mention was given to Jessie Deeter for A Revolution in Four Seasons.

NOVEMBER 18-20, 2016



HACKATHON: HACK THE STACKS WITH BRIDGEUP: STEM

Teams of computer programmers worked overnight in partnership with the Museum's Research Library on a 24-hour challenge to develop new tools for mining, visualizing, and increasing access to the library's extensive collections.

DECEMBER 30, 2016



Ruben Studdard headlined the celebration, featuring Linda Humes, master drummer Sanga of the Valley, LeeAnet Noble, youth drummers William Diarra Humes and Jason

Simmons, and students from the Celia

Cruz Bronx High School of Music.

KWANZAA 2016: SONGS FOR THE SOUL



Celebrate Pacific Northwest Culture October 2016-May 2017

Eight months of programming for more than **5,000** visitors focused on the dynamic, living cultures represented in the iconic Northwest Coast Hall. Museum volunteers led storytelling and activities for young visitors to highlight the cultural traditions of Northwest Coast peoples. In addition, Sean Young of the Haida Gwaii Museum in British

Columbia guided visitors on hall tours via a telepresence robot.



13th Annual Urban Advantage **Science Expo**

June 10, 2017

In fiscal year 2017, the pioneering science enrichment program—a partnership with seven other cultural institutions and the New York City Department of Education—reached **830** teachers and **84,000** students in 289 middle schools across all five boroughs. A new pilot program extended the experience to teachers in Grades 3–5 at 22 public elementary schools.

MARCH 29, 2017



ANNUAL ISAAC ASIMOV MEMORIAL DEBATE: DE-EXTINCTION

Hosted by Frederick P. Rose Director of the Hayden Planetarium Neil deGrasse Tyson, the panel included (L to R): Hank Greely, director of the Center of Law and the Biosciences at Stanford University; Beth Shapiro, professor at University of California, Santa Cruz; Gregory Kaebnick, scholar and editor of the Hastings Center Report; George Church, professor at Harvard University and MIT; and Curator Ross D.E. MacPhee.

MAY 13, 2017



LOS SUEÑOS DEL CARIBE: PEOPLE, LAND, AND PLACE

The festival, held in conjunction with the special exhibition *¡Cuba!* and hosted by WNET's Rafael Pi Roman, celebrated the natural and cultural diversity of the Caribbean with family-friendly activities and the premiere of new music and poetry co-developed by Grammy-winning Cuban-American jazz legend Paquito D'Rivera and students from Celia Cruz Bronx High School of Music.

JUNE 30, 2017



SCICAFE SPECIAL EVENT **ZIKA: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW**

Curator Susan L. Perkins, W. Ian Lipkin of Columbia University, Catherine Spong, National Institutes of Health, and Jay K. Varma, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, discussed the plan for dealing with the threat of Zika virus.

EXHIBITION HIGHLIGHTS:

Scientific Storytelling in Three Dimensions

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EXHIBITIONS OPENED ONSITE

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TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS AT 19 VENUES ACROSS 3 COUNTRIES



Explorer App

Launched November 22, 2016

Part of an institution-wide effort to redefine the Museum experience for the digital age, the updated Explorer app, developed with support from Bloomberg Philanthropies, uses cutting-edge locationaware technology to let visitors personalize their journey through the Museum's 45 permanent exhibition halls. Featuring refined wayfinding, in-app ticket purchases, and a wealth of new content, the new Explorer lets visitors select their interests, then recommends exhibits based on a visitor's location.

CUBA!

NOVEMBER 21, 2016-AUGUST 13, 2017



Co-curated by Ana Luz Porzecanski, director of the Center for Biodiversity and Conservation, and Chris J. Raxworthy, curator in the Department of Herpetology.

This bilingual exhibition explored the extraordinary biodiversity across Cuba's remote forests, deep caves, expansive wetlands, and dazzling reefs through immersive exhibits that were developed with colleagues at the Cuban National Museum of Natural History (Museo Nacional de Historia Natural de Cuba, MNHN), as well as highlighted the Caribbean island nation's culture, its people, and its history.

SAUROPODS AT THE MUSEUM

FEBRUARY 17, 2017



 ${\it Curated by Mark A. Norell, Macaulay Curator of Paleontology.}$

This new permanent display in the Wallach Orientation Center about the Museum's history of sauropod collecting includes fossils from the Museum's Big Bone Room, including a *Camarasaurus* tail and neck vertebrae, neck and skull fossils from the juvenile sauropod in the Theodore Roosevelt Rotunda, and the pelvis of *Diplodocus longus*, which was among the Museum's first non-avian dinosaur fossils and found by legendary dinosaur hunter Barnum Brown.

MUMMIES

MARCH 20, 2017-JANUARY 7, 2018



Co-curated at the Museum by David Hurst Thomas, curator of North American Archaeology in the Division of Anthropology, and John J. Flynn, Frick Curator of Fossil Mammals in the Division of Paleontology; developed by The Field Museum, Chicago.

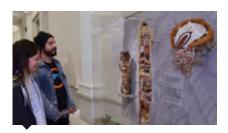
Shedding new light on ancient mummies that have been recently re-examined using 21st-century tools and technologies, this exhibition, co-curated by Curator of North American Archaeology David Hurst Thomas, and developed by The Field Museum, featured one of the largest collections of mummies housed in North America and provided an unparalleled glimpse into the lives and traditions of people from cultures of the past.



American Museum of Natural History Dinosaur Gallery at the Center of Science and Industry (COSI) in Columbus, Ohio

Announced September 2016

A unique collaboration with a leading science center, this gallery features current paleontological research from the American Museum of Natural History and spotlights the evolution of dinosaur biology. Highlights include a **40-FOOT-LONG** *T. rex* skeleton and a **700-SQUARE-FOOT** diorama of China's Liaoning Forest, one of the largest life-sized recreations of a prehistoric environment ever built. The American Museum of Natural History Dinosaur Gallery opened in November 2017. The adjacent American Museum of Natural History Special Exhibition Gallery, featuring special exhibitions on a rotating basis, opened in March 2018 with *Traveling the Silk Road*.



MALAGAN CEREMONIES OF NEW IRELAND JUNE 2, 2017–May 7, 2018

Curated by a team led by Anthropology Research Associate Sergio Jarillo de la Torre and Columbia University's Museum Anthropology students.

In June 2017, a new display featured items from the Museum's remarkable *malagan* collection, focusing on the ongoing ritual practices in New Ireland Province, Papua New Guinea, and the carved figures associated with them.



DIGITAL TOTEM, NORTHWEST COAST HALL INSTALLED JULY 27, 2016

 ${\it Curated by Peter M. Whiteley, curator, Division of Anthropology.}$

The Museum worked closely with Northwest Coast communities to create an interactive installation that brings contemporary voices and new interpretation into this historic hall via a touch-screen portal to the peoples, places, and sounds of the Pacific Northwest.

THREE MASKS OF BALL: A LIVING ARTISTIC TRADITION OCTOBER 13, 2016—May 7, 2017

Curated by Laurel Kendall, curator of Asian ethnology, Division of Anthropology.

Three recently acquired Balinese masks were displayed in conjunction with the 2016 Margaret Mead Film Festival, highlighting contemporary work from the South Pacific.



Inside You Opened June 24, 2017

Co-curated by Susan L. Perkins and Robert DeSalle, curators in the Museum's Division of Invertebrate Zoology and the Sackler Institute for Comparative Genomics.

Inspired by the popular Museum exhibition *The Secret World Inside You*, this exhibition introduces visitors to the world of microbes and how they affect our health and well-being.



THE BUTTERFLY CONSERVATORY: TROPICAL BUTTERFLIES ALIVE IN WINTER
OCTOBER 7, 2017–MAY 28, 2018

This annual live exhibit invited visitors to mingle with up to 500 fluttering, iridescent butterflies among blooming tropical flowers and lush green vegetation in 80-degree temperatures.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Fiscal year 2017 marked another year of solid financial performance and growth in the Museum's net assets.

Due to continued strength in fundraising and attendance as well as ongoing financial discipline, the Museum generated positive net unrestricted operating revenues of \$113,312 in fiscal year 2017. This positive outcome was the net result after transfers of designated contributions and other revenues to plant and long-term investments.

The Museum's net assets increased by \$141.0 million, from \$896.8 million to \$1,037.8 million, during fiscal year 2017. Over the last five fiscal years, the Museum's net assets increased by \$355.4 million, or 52 percent, due to consistently strong Museum operations, continued strength in fundraising, endowment appreciation, restructuring of the Museum's long-term debt and reductions in the Museum's liabilities for postretirement health care.

UNRESTRICTED OPERATING RESULTS

During fiscal year 2017, the Museum's annual unrestricted operating revenues and support increased by \$5.8 million, from \$186.3 million to \$192.1 million. Annual unrestricted operating expenses, together with transfers, also increased by \$5.8 million, from \$186.2 million to \$192.0 million for the same period, resulting in net unrestricted operating revenue and support of \$113,312 during fiscal year 2017.

The Museum continued to receive substantial operating and programmatic support from Trustees, other individuals, foundations, and corporations, as well as the City of New York, the State of New York, and the federal government. During fiscal year 2017, contributions and grants used to fund Museum operations, including a portion of net assets released from restrictions, totaled \$48.1 million. Additionally, the Museum received unrestricted operating support from the City of New York, including funding for certain energy and pension costs, totaling \$17.2 million. The City of New York also provided capital support to the Museum (see "Capital Expenditures").

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

In fiscal year 2017, the Museum invested \$28.6 million to fund priority capital improvement projects to meet infrastructure and security needs as well as permanent exhibition hall renovations and new

Unrestricted Operating Revenues And Expenses REVENUES 25% VISITOR CONTRIBUTIONS AND ADMISSIONS CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS* ENDOWMENT AND RELATED FUNDS* THE CITY OF NEW YORK MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE AND OTHER FEES **EXPENSES** SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXHIBITION GUARDIANSHIP, MAINTENANCE, AND OPERATING COSTS COST OF GOODS SOLD AND OTHER EXPENSES OF AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFERS TO FUND PAYMENT OF DEBT SERVICE FUNDRAISING AND MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICATIONS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY * INCLUDES A PORTION OF NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTIONS



scientific facilities. As in the past, the Museum funded its capital improvements from a variety of sources, including the City of New York, State of New York, private donations, and the Museum's endowment.

The Museum recognized a non-cash depreciation expense of \$30.6 million during fiscal year 2017, which exceeded the Museum's \$28.6 million investment and resulted in a decrease of the value of the Museum's physical plant of \$2.0 million, from \$408.3 million to \$406.3 million.

DEBT AND OTHER LIABILITIES

The Museum's liabilities decreased by \$6.6 million during fiscal year 2017 from \$406.6 million to \$400.0 million. The decrease in liabilities was largely attributable to a \$10.7 million decrease in the valuation of the Museum's interest rate exchange liabilities related to its debt, reflecting higher interest rates used to value these liabilities. During fiscal year 2017, the Museum made principal payments of \$3.2 million on its long-term

debt, and borrowings on its lines of credit remained at zero.

ENDOWMENT FUNDS

The return on the Museum's endowment was +13.5 percent in fiscal year 2017, reflective of strong worldwide equity markets. Net of planned withdrawals from the endowment to provide funding for Museum operations and capital expenditures, as well as gifts and pledge payments to the endowment, the market value of the endowment increased by \$67.5 million in fiscal year 2017, from \$607.8 million to \$675.3 million.

The Museum's endowment asset allocation is intended both to drive investment return and to provide protection in volatile markets. The Museum's endowment funds are invested by independent investment managers in diversified equity and fixed income securities and are overseen by the Museum's Investment Committee. As of June 30, 2017, the Museum's endowment was invested as follows:

TOTAL	100%
CASH EQUIVALENTS	4%
PRIVATE INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS	14%
MARKETABLE REAL ASSETS	1%
MARKETABLE FIXED INCOME	3%
Absolute return/hedged equity funds	34%
Marketable Equities	44%

THE IMPORTANCE OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS

The Museum continued to benefit greatly from the extraordinary generosity of its private and public supporters. During fiscal year 2017, the Museum raised a total of \$165.7 million in support of its operations, programs, capital improvements, and endowment—a major endorsement of the importance and social impact of the Museum's work in science, education, and exhibition. As a result, the Museum continued to balance its operating budget, enhance its programmatic offerings, and make improvements to its infrastructure and facilities.



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CONDENSED SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

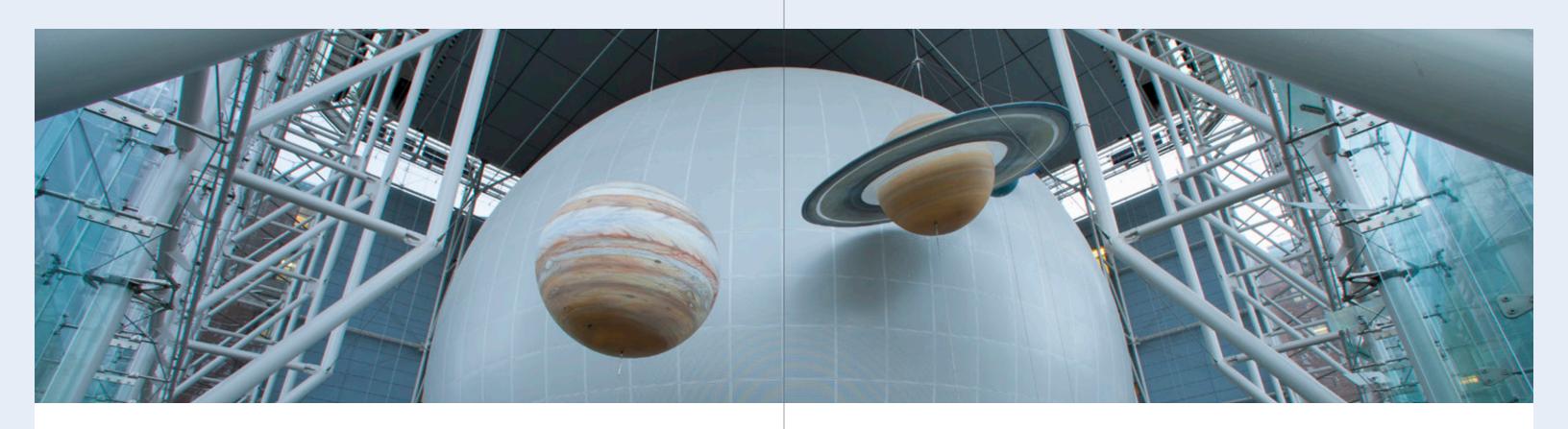
These statements are summarized for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2017, and June 30, 2016, and excerpted from the audited financial statements. A complete set of the audited financial statements is available on amnh.org.

ASSETS	FY 2017	FY 2016	
Cash and other operating assets	\$ 174,097,093	\$ 138,182,843	
Contributions and grants receivable, net	172,744,177	140,755,918	
Long-term investments	684,690,104	616,135,884	
Plant and equipment, net	406,313,589	408,317,384	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,437,844,963	\$ 1,303,392,029	
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable and other liabilities	\$ 125,356,183	\$ 128,795,865	
Bonds and loans payable	274,685,723	277,842,710	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 400,041,906	\$ 406,638,575	
NET ASSETS			
Unrestricted	\$ 290,252,438	\$ 274,516,865	
Temporarily restricted	514,297,865	419,914,942	
Permanently restricted	233,252,754	202,321,647	
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$ 1,037,803,057	\$ 896,753,454	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 1,437,844,963	\$ 1,303,392,029	

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES—UNRESTRICTED

These statements are summarized for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2017, and June 30, 2016, and excerpted from the audited financial statements. A complete set of the audited financial statements is available on amnh.org.

OPERATING REVENUE AND SUPPORT	FY 2017	FY 2016
Investment return designated for operations	\$ 20,076,659	\$ 19,844,004
Contributions and grants	29,297,376	30,568,006
Operating support from the City of New York	17,223,267	16,296,675
Visitors' contributions and admissions	52,774,018	49,423,737
Membership fees	6,654,130	6,617,511
Auxiliary activities	29,873,157	27,305,113
Miscellaneous fees and other revenue	6,721,430	6,654,225
Net assets released from restrictions	29,464,998	29,635,855
Total operating revenue and support	\$ 192,085,035	\$ 186,345,126
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Scientific research	\$ 36,476,319	\$ 35,728,689
Education	25,590,664	25,108,950
Exhibitions	9,682,347	7,470,584
Membership	2,325,340	2,324,771
Visitor services	8,840,958	8,709,788
Auxiliary activities	17,535,047	13,892,601
General and administrative	17,215,542	16,040,166
Fundraising	6,927,026	6,308,614
Communications and digital media	8,220,921	9,170,041
Information technology	7,782,268	7,180,344
Guardianship, maintenance, and operating costs	34,538,901	32,962,798
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 175,135,333	\$ 164,897,346
Designated contributions and transfers to plant and long-term investments	16,836,390	21,333,506
OPERATING REVENUE AND SUPPORT IN EXCESS OF OPERATING EXPENSES,		
DESIGNATED CONTRIBUTIONS, AND TRANSFERS	\$ 113,312	\$ 114,274
NON-OPERATING REVENUE, SUPPORT, AND EXPENSES		
REVENUE AND SUPPORT FOR PLANT		
Contributions, grants, and miscellaneous revenue	\$ 3,253,415	\$ 249,047
Capital support from the City of New York	5,623,559	5,360,346
Net assets released from restrictions	4,931,025	2,970,460
Transfer from long-term investments and operations to plant	21,562,757	18,788,597
PLANT EXPENSES		
Interest and related expenses	\$ 10,110,796	\$ 9,745,314
Change in value of interest rate exchange and cap agreements	(10,660,151)	12,641,987
Depreciation and amortization	30,758,464	31,416,247
Plant expenses not capitalized	760,689	401,987
LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS AND OTHER		
Contributions and bequests	\$ 1,131,648	\$ 2,161,930
Investment return in excess of amounts designated for operations and plant	8,457,035	(28,816,907)
Net assets released from restrictions	11,168,527	10,771,513
Transfers from plant and operations to long-term investments and other, net	(4,726,367)	2,544,908
Pension-related activities and other	(4,809,540)	(3,070,894)
CHANGE IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS	\$ 15,735,573	\$ (43,132,261)



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