

Posament: An Overview of my Trip to the Historiska Museet

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Tips for Museum Trips

Plan ahead!

If there is something that you would like a closer look at contact the museum several months in advance to set up an appointment. Double check the days and times that the museum is open and verify that exhibits are available to view during the dates of your trip.

Bring a list of the pieces that you are looking for

You may feel like you are well prepared and know what you want to see but when face to face with something you've been researching or a museum full of amazing artifacts your mind may just go blank. Make a list of questions that you want to ask and pieces that you want to see. Mark them off as you go and write down some notes about the answers given to your questions.

Bring multiple cameras

Your camera may not work as well as anticipated so bring multiple way to take pictures like your camera and your phone. Also don't forget to have extra batteries and plenty of space on them.

Pick up a Phone Camera Lens Kit

These can make a huge difference if you are taking pictures of small pieces! Here is a link to one example of these kits.

https://www.amazon.com/KINGMAS-Universal-Samsung-BlackBerry-Smartphones/dp/B00FTSG35E/ref=alop_dpwidget_a_w?th=1&psc=1&smid=AZNC9UUUJMU

Don't be afraid to ask questions!

The people who work at the museum are as excited as you are about history and the pieces that they work with. Don't be afraid to ask questions and share what you've learned on your own. They may share information with you that you didn't know you were looking for!

Links to Resources:

Posament in Archive Pictures

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/18h0BM1B_RgtW1mvKGUviznHKiQxqOoeN?usp=sharing

Silver Brocade in Archive Pictures

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/14FMRm24NzCInItSZu5ilLA8XnMq0rjtZ?usp=sharing>

Museum Pictures from Stockholm and Gotland

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/10BA2VIMLLK1yLNcsBmgJxRB3y-oAMsIF?usp=sharing>