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**ANNUAL CONFERENCE
ICOM – NATHIST
10 - 14 SEPTEMBER 2024
NANTES, FRANCE**

**QUESTIONING THE COLLECTIONS:
NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUMS
AND SOCIO-ECOLOGICAL CHALLENGES**



Conférence Permanente des Muséums de France

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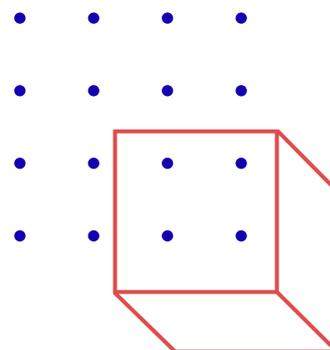


In the 2020s, many science museums are undergoing a major transformation in order to respond to socio-ecological issues and enable their visitors to image a desirable future by devising ways of getting there. Natural history collections are an exceptional tool for understanding these multifaceted societal issues: the collapse of biodiversity, the climate emergency, pollution, migration, over-exploitation of the planet, etc.

This conference aims to highlight the role of collections in mediating contemporary issues, using examples from different continents.

PROGRAMME DRAFT

10 sept.	Welcome / Reception Town Hall
11 sept.	9.30-10.15 : Opening 10.30-12.15 : Session A 14.00-15.45 : Session B 16.15-18.00 :
12 sept.	9.00-10.45 : Session C 11.15-12.30 : Afternoon : Posters session 16.30-18.00 : Annual General Meeting
13 sept.	Visit to Nantes museums • Musée d’Histoire - Château des Ducs de Bretagne • Musée d’arts • Musée Dobrée • Musée Jules Verne and Natural History Museum : renovation project underway
14 sept.	Excursion along the Loire estuary from Nantes to St-Nazaire. Industrial heritage



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