ABOUT THE BADÈ MUSEUM

For over 80 years the Badè Museum has served as a window into ancient Israelite society. Our mission is to foster a greater understanding of and appreciation for the ancient biblical world through the preservation, research, interpretation, and presentation of artifacts recovered by our founder, William F. Badè.



Dr. Bade recording excavation information at Tell en-Nasbeh, 19_.

The Museum holds a phenomenal array of everyday artifacts such as cooking pots, lamps, figurines, jewelry, and tools from ancient Israel along with colorful Greek and Cypriot ceramics, scarabs from Egypt, and cuneiform tablets from ancient Mesopotamia. We also have a rich collection of original excavation records and photographs from the 1920s and 1930s!



Scarab seal and female figurine head from Tell en Nasbeh, 1000-586 B.C.E.



TRAVELING EXHIBIT PROGRAM

We circulate a loan exhibit of objects for use in teaching. The traveling exhibit includes artifacts and replicas such as lamps, oil juglets, sling stones, and ceramic pitchers. Along with labels, display panels, and sample classroom activities, an informative and entertaining DVD accompanies the exhibit that describes excavation techniques and what we can learn from archaeological remains. The traveling exhibit is a great, hands-on way for students to learn from the Badè Museum's collection without having to leave the classroom!



The exhibit is designed for all ages. For information about how to reserve the exhibit and borrowing costs, please visit our website: bade.psr.edu.

LECTURES AND EVENTS

We regularly host lectures, workshops, receptions, and program days full of fun, educational activities for all ages. Topics range from art and archaeology of ancient societies to modern anthropological studies of cultures from all over the world. Events are publicized on our website and Facebook page, but you can also sign up for our mailing list! To receive the latest information about upcoming events at the Badè Museum, send us your name and email address: bade@psr.edu.



RESEARCH

Ongoing research of specific artifacts and object types from our collection is done by museum staff and visiting scholars. This work has led to numerous publications, exhibits, and lectures on the collection. We invite interested scholars to contact us about projects they would like to pursue: bade@psr.edu. Our collection is also in the process of being

HOURS

The museum gallery is open to the public! Please check our website for current open hours as they can vary. Private tours are also available by appointment with a minumum of two weeks notice. Please see our website for more information: bade.psr.edu.

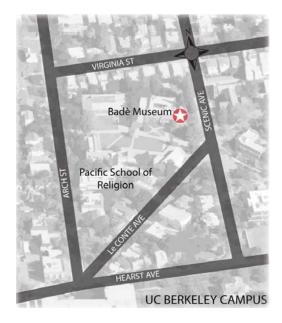
ADMISSION

Admission is free for all ages. There is wheelchair accessibility through the main door of the museum.

Animal figurine from Tell en-Nasbeh, 1000-586 B.C.E

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GROUPS

We encourage K-12 classes and other community groups to use our space.