

# THE PÄIVÄLEHTI MUSEUM

The Päivälehti Museum offers a unique combination of the themes of industry, technological innovation, recent political history and social influence. Its key purpose is to foster freedom of speech. The museum has developed into a significant meeting place where journalists, researchers and other opinion leaders interact and are also accessible to the public.

Exhibition architecture is based on experiences and activities. The museum respects the industrial feel of the old newspaper building where it is located and complements it with skilfully produced digital elements. Special attention has been paid to ease of use. In 2015, the museum won the Silver Award at the Best of Finnish Advertising and Design competition for its technological solutions.

The museum programme includes guided tours, lectures, discussion events, demonstrations, workshops, a museum theatre and much more.

Year the museum was opened: 2001

Year the museum was renovated: 2015

Finance: Private/Helsingin Sanomat Foundation

Exhibition spaces (in m<sup>2</sup>):

800 m<sup>2</sup>, including 180 m<sup>2</sup> Printing Cellar

Number of objects in exhibition:

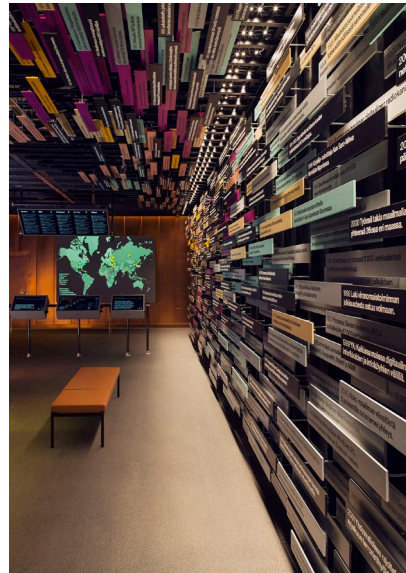
100 (excluding Printing Cellar)

Opening times:

Mon – Sun 11 a.m. – 5 p. m. and by request

Number of visitors in 2019: 50 000

Admission fee: free



## The renovation project

Reopening: 5/2023

Budget: 500 000 e – 600 000 e (Design 50 000 – 100 000

e, technical solutions 200 000 – 250 000 e, materials /constructions 200 000 - 250 000 e)

Area to renovate: Main exhibition, including library but excluding Printing Cellar, kitchen and toilets

Main themes: history of journalism, freedom of speech, literacy

Address/Location: Päivälehti Museum, Ludviginkatu 2-4, 00130 Helsinki, Finland

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