## Museum professionals

Professional specialty	Responsibility
Archaeologist	Locate historic sites to study. Gather artifacts that represent a culture and preserve them for historic purposes.
Procurer	Research records of historic artifacts that are part of public or private collections to acquire, through loan or purchase, pieces as a collection for exhibits.
Authenticator	Conduct analysis of objects and documents to verify that they were produced in the time and place they are claimed to represent.
Exhibit designers	Assemble artifacts and detailed descriptive narrative pieces into quality collections that can be displayed to tell a story.
Restoration technicians and artists	Clean, repair, and preserve historical artifacts using scientific methods that protect delicate objects.
Curators	Arrange to borrow and display exhibits from public and private collections. Maintain an environment that allows visitors to see and learn with the artifacts while protecting and preserving the artifacts.
Archivists	Organize and store historical documents and artifacts to protect and preserve them for future display and research.