

MUST SEE MUSEUMS

in Mérida

Mérida City Museum

Houses a large amount of archeological pieces, from pre-Hispanic to modern times. You'll also find information about the city of T'ho as well as maps and pictures of early Mérida.

Location: Calle 56 #529A x 65 y 65A

Casa Montejo

Built in the 16th century by Don Francisco de Montejo, conqueror of the Yucatan Peninsula, the home exhibits intricate artistry in the Spanish Plateresque style and opulent furnishings of the 19th and 20th centuries in Mexico.

Location: Calle 63 x Calle 60 y 62

Montejo 495

One of the Casas Gemelas on Paseo de Montejo, Montejo 495 maintains the original design, decoration and details. Designed by French architect Gustave Umbdenstock, Montejo 495 was built in the early 1900's (approx 1910 - 1913).

Location: Paseo de Montejo at the corner of Calle 45

El Minaret

An emblematic mansion on Paseo de Montejo This beautiful Casona was built in 1908 and features a Minaret where you can enjoy a view of the city of Mérida. Guided tours only - in English and Spanish.

Location: Paseo de Montejo #473 x 37 y 35

Quinta Montes Molina

Admire European furniture, Carrara marble floors, Baccarat and Murano chandeliers, chime clocks, Art Deco pieces, and porcelain and alabaster sculptures, eclectic architecture and neoclassical influence.

Surrounded by beautiful gardens and terraces.

Location: Paseo de Montejo #469 x 33 y 35

Museo del Mundo Maya

A wonderful museum for kids and adults alike. The design of the museum is based on Mayan cosmogony and is structured on three levels: sky, earth, and the underworld.

Location: Calle 60 #299E,
Unidad Revolucion 97110

Palacio Canton

Majestic, French-style architecture, once the home of General Francisco Canton Rosada. One of the rejuvenated palace-style mansions on Paseo de Montejo will also give you a peek into the lavishness prevalent during the henequen heyday.

Location: Paseo de Montejo #485 x 41 y 43

Palacio de la Música

8 virtual pavilions offer the history of music from all over the country. Incredibly, the history of Mexican music brilliantly orchestrated through visually stunning interactive displays.

Location: Calle 58 x 59

The Governor's Palace

Built in 1872, the artwork on the second floor by the local artist Fernando Castro Pacheco depicts the history of the Mayans and their interaction with the Spanish conquistadors.

Location: Calle 61 between Calle 60 and 62

Museo de la Canción Yucateca

The only museum in Mexico dedicated to Trova music. Portraits, relics and testimonies of the entity's composers, pre-Hispanic, Afro-Cuban and Yucatecan trova instruments, sheet music, medals and trophies.

Location: Calle 57 #464 x 48



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