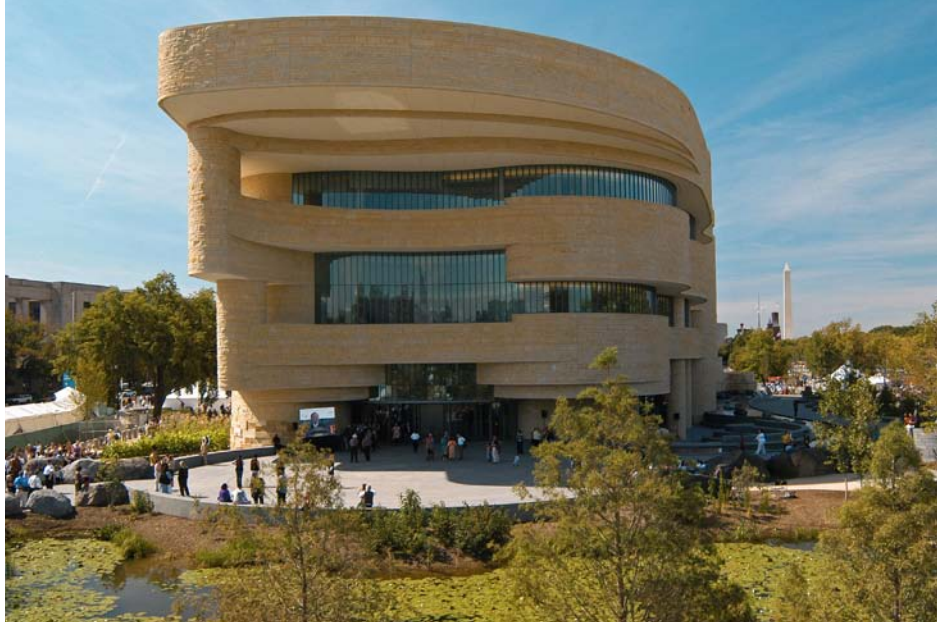




NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN ON THE MALL

WASHINGTON, D.C.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION



Located at the foot of the Capitol and opposite the East Wing of the National Art Gallery, this world-class museum is the culmination of many years of meetings with Indian communities around the country.

Jones & Jones—as overall lead design consultant for the project—was involved with all aspects of the architecture, interiors, site design and coordination of a complex team of consultants. American Indian people throughout the Western hemisphere were involved in every aspect of the Museum's conception to ensure that it is American Indian in spirit and design, without translation or outside interpretation.

FACTS

- Symbols and forms of the Native universe
- 150 indigenous plant species
- Rooftop rainwater harvesting system
- On-site wetland
- Re-circulating water feature
- Several indoor and outdoor theater and performance spaces

BENEFITS

- Center for education, performances and events
- Gathering place for cultural events
- Exposition of Native American lifeways, history and art
- Inter-tribal collaboration

