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Museum of Chinese America

Museum of Chinese in America (MOCA) is located in New York City. The MOCA was founded in 1980 by a group of Chinese Americans who were concerned about the lack of representation of Chinese American history and culture in mainstream institutions.

The MOCA originally began as a community-based organization that hosted exhibitions and educational programs in various locations around New York City. In 2009, the museum moved to its current location in the Chinatown neighborhood of Manhattan.

The MOCA is located in Chinatown because it is the historical and cultural center of the Chinese American community in New York City. Chinatown has a rich history, dating back to the 1800s when Chinese immigrants first began settling in the area. The MOCA's location allows it to be accessible to the local community and to serve as a cultural hub for Chinese Americans and those interested in learning about Chinese American history and culture.

Visitors to the MOCA can learn about the experiences of Chinese Americans, their contributions to American society, and the challenges they faced and continue to face. The museum's exhibitions and programs explore a wide range of topics, from the history of Chinese immigration to the United States to the contemporary experiences of Chinese Americans in

New York City and beyond. They use people's stories and history to implore a powerful exhibit, this was probably my favorite museum of them all.