

## The Star-Spun Web Blog Tour

Places to visit to grow your mind!

**1. The Museum of Natural History, Dublin**

Commonly referred to as 'The Dead Zoo', to visit here is to walk back in time to a world of Victorian exotica. Filled with collected and preserved zoological specimens, they even have flies Darwin collected during the voyage of the Beagle.

**2. Dunsink Observatory, Dublin**

Public talks on astronomy and astrophysics are given regularly at the observatory by professional and amateur astronomers. Stargazing events are also held here.

**3. The Science Centre at Birr Castle and Birr Castle Observatory, Co. Offaly, Ireland**

The interactive centre reveals the wonders of early photography, engineering and astronomy with a special emphasis on the brilliant design and assembly of the world famous Great Telescope.

**4. Science Gallery, Trinity College, Dublin**

Science Gallery Dublin develops an ever-changing programme of exhibitions and events fuelled by the expertise of scientists, researchers, students, artists, designers, inventors, creative thinkers and entrepreneurs.

**5. The Science Museum, London**

Inspiring visitors with award-winning exhibitions, iconic objects and stories of incredible scientific achievement. The Science Museum's world-class collection forms an enduring record of scientific, technological and medical advancement from across the globe.

**6. The Deep, Hull**

The Deep operates as an education and conservation charity and in recent years has become an international player in marine conservation. They work with key governing bodies, conservation organisations and other reputable zoos and aquariums to work to make an impact in the protection of our oceans.

**7. The Eden Project, Cornwall**

An educational charity connecting people with each other and the living world, exploring how we can work towards a better future. Nestled in a huge crater, massive Biomes house the largest rainforest in captivity. This is science in the natural world.

**8. Camera Obscura, Edinburgh**

Camera Obscura & World of Illusions is the oldest purpose built visitor attraction in Edinburgh. It is filled with illusions, tricks, puzzles, hands-on experiences, and unbelievable effects. Learn the science behind the magic here.