## Many museums charge for admission while others are free.

## Do you think the advantages of charging people for admission to museums outweigh the disadvantages?

All around the world, there are many museums with different approaches to permit people to visit. Many have an entrance charge. Some, however, do not charge audiences visitors for general entry or all types, because there is a fact that the portion of an art museum annual operating budget, that is covered by visitors pushing cash across the counter at the admissions desk, hovers in vicinity of five percent.

On the one hand, some museums administrators set entrance fees for people who come to visit. They believe that they are preserving our historical, scientific, political and cultural heritage, so all individuals should have their share to fulfill this wish of attaining ultimate protection of our invaluable history. Therefore, as people pay for an entertainment such as watching a football match in the stadium, they can afford a ticket to visit a museum and involve themselves in helping keep alive our legacy. Moreover, by the admission, museums can provide underserviced audiences with appropriate services and also spend the income on running a procedure which can persuade tourists to have a visitation plan of there, thereby improving tourism.

On the other hand, other directors argue that putting charge on museum visitors is not a seemingly sensible decision. Although providing them us with some money, entrance fee<u>s</u> can have some deleterious effects on their strategy of engaging the potential visitors and absorb waves of new ones. Furthermore, they believe that not only can admission cause discouragement and ruling-rules out new-audience attraction plans, but also it does not correlate with the democratic belief reflected by art. Thus, it can damage the country's tourism <u>industry</u> since rarely are tourist<u>s</u> interested in visiting there and subsequently may not travel to the city.

Consequently, selling tickets, irrespective of the price, cannot be considered a proper action, whilst there is no an economic method behind it. Therefore, a strategy which includes a timetable like free, discount and full charge time with affordable costs, seems to be a rationally reasonable scheme.