




The Society for Medical &  
Biological Engineering  
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## ***Amazing Human Body exhibition***

**Thursday, May 18th**

*The Amazing Human Body* is an educational exhibit that is intended to provide audiences with a unique and educational perspective on the inner working of the human body by viewing real human specimens, preserved through a method called "plastination".

	<p><b>Plastination is an invention of human body preservation method. It could preserve human body for thousands of years! It's amazing.</b></p> <p>The specimens are dry and odorless, and remain unchanged for a virtually unlimited amount of time, making them truly accessible. These characteristics lend plastinated specimens inestimable value both for training prospective doctors and for educating non-professionals in the field of medicine.</p> <p>The exhibition presents approximate 400 real human specimens, including 20 whole bodies and individual organs.</p> <p>Audiences can learn how their own bodies are constructed as they walk through the exhibition, starting with the human skeleton and the way muscles are structured, on to the intestines and special specimens on the nerves and blood vessels, all the way to the way a baby develops in the uterus. There are also specimens that show the effects of disease such as a heart attack or cancer.</p>
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*Event details:*

**Time:** 5:30pm at the door (it takes 1.5-2hrs to view and the exhibit closes at 8pm)  
**Cost:** SMBE will pay for members. Guests are \$17 if paid in advance otherwise tickets at door prices (\$22)  
**Place:** Adelaide Shores Function Complex, Cnr Hamra & Military Road, West Beach  
**RSVP:** **Fri 12<sup>th</sup> May**  
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