Digital Preservation Map of the Fez Medina: A User Guide



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	Fondouq Jmal
	Fondouq on Rue Talaa Kebira
	Fondouq Barka
	Fondouq Near Qaraouiyine Mosque
	Fondouq Staounyine

	Artisan Shops
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	Cultural Locations and Mosques
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Description

This leather tannery is the oldest and largest tannery in North Africa. It was built in the 11th century and has been operating in primarily the same way since then. You can view this tannery from many terraces around it, where there are also shops to buy leather goods. This tannery works with four kinds of skins: cow, sheep, camel, and lamb. To achieve the color for the leather goods, the tannery uses natural dyes such as yellow from saffron.

360 Photo Link

https://photos.app.goo.gl/vPVENGa7Gf3SQh3m7



Exploring the Map

Option 1: Select a location by clicking on its icon on the map. This is a good way to explore the map if you do not have a destination in mind.

Option 2: View the drop-down menu for each location type by clicking the down arrows in the menu on the left-hand side. This shows a list of all locations on the map, and by clicking on the name, you can select the one you want to view. This is a good way to explore the map if you are looking for a specific place.

Using Layers

Another feature in the map is the layers. When you first open the map, all layers will be selected; this means you can see all locations on the map. However, you may only be interested in a certain location category, for example, fondouqs. You can click the checkbox next to the layers you don't want to see, causing them to be hidden. This feature allows you to see a smaller number of locations at once.

Interactive Features

360 Photos: Locations with 360 photos include a link that will bring you to a Google Photo album, where you can then explore these photos.

Pictures and videos: The slide show at the bottom of the menu allows you to browse through any photos and videos, including interviews, that are associated with the location.

Key Vocabulary

While navigating the map, you may come across some terms you are unfamiliar with. This part of the user guide aims to improve your experience by providing definitions for some of these words.



Medina: The "old city," which is walled in and the original part of the city. Many Moroccan cities have medinas.



Fondouq: A collective where many artisans work, creating a variety of goods. Artisans also sell their goods here.



Souq: Marketplace where a variety of goods can be sold.



Bab: Door in Darija (Moroccan colloquial Arabic).



Madrassa: A specialized school (i.e. wood crafts)



Jelaba: A traditional hooded robe.



Caftan: A more decorative traditional robe made up of three layers.

Locations with Interviews

- Dar Dbegh ain Azlitan
- Fondouq Jmal
- Arbi Merrakchi
- Lalla Yeddouna Leather Shop

Explore our Map



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