

A TOUR AT THE ORSAY MUSEUM

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I took this photo during my visit to the temporary exhibition Yves Saint-Laurent at the Orsay Museum in Paris in February 2022. I love going to museums, especially this one. This museum building was originally a railway station, located next to the Seine river ([wikipedia](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Orsay_Museum)). As you can see on the photo there is a huge and wonderful clock.

Yves Saint-Laurent, great designer, was in charge of making costumes for a fancy dress ball in 1971 organized by Marie-Hélène de Rothschild in the Ferrière castle to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of Marcel Proust's birthday. You could enjoy long cream dresses and also black tuxedos for women. I was completely baffled by the slim waist models!