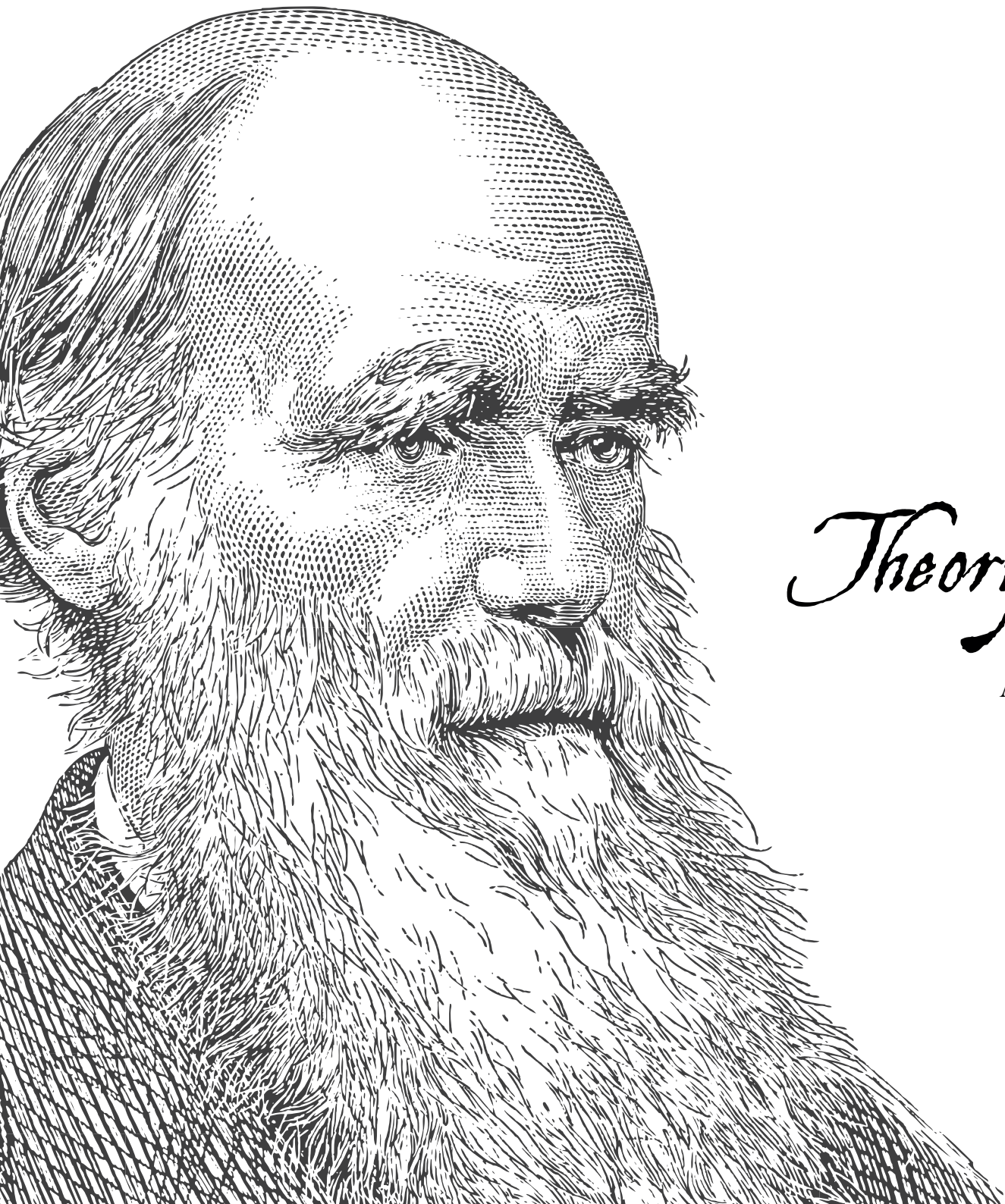


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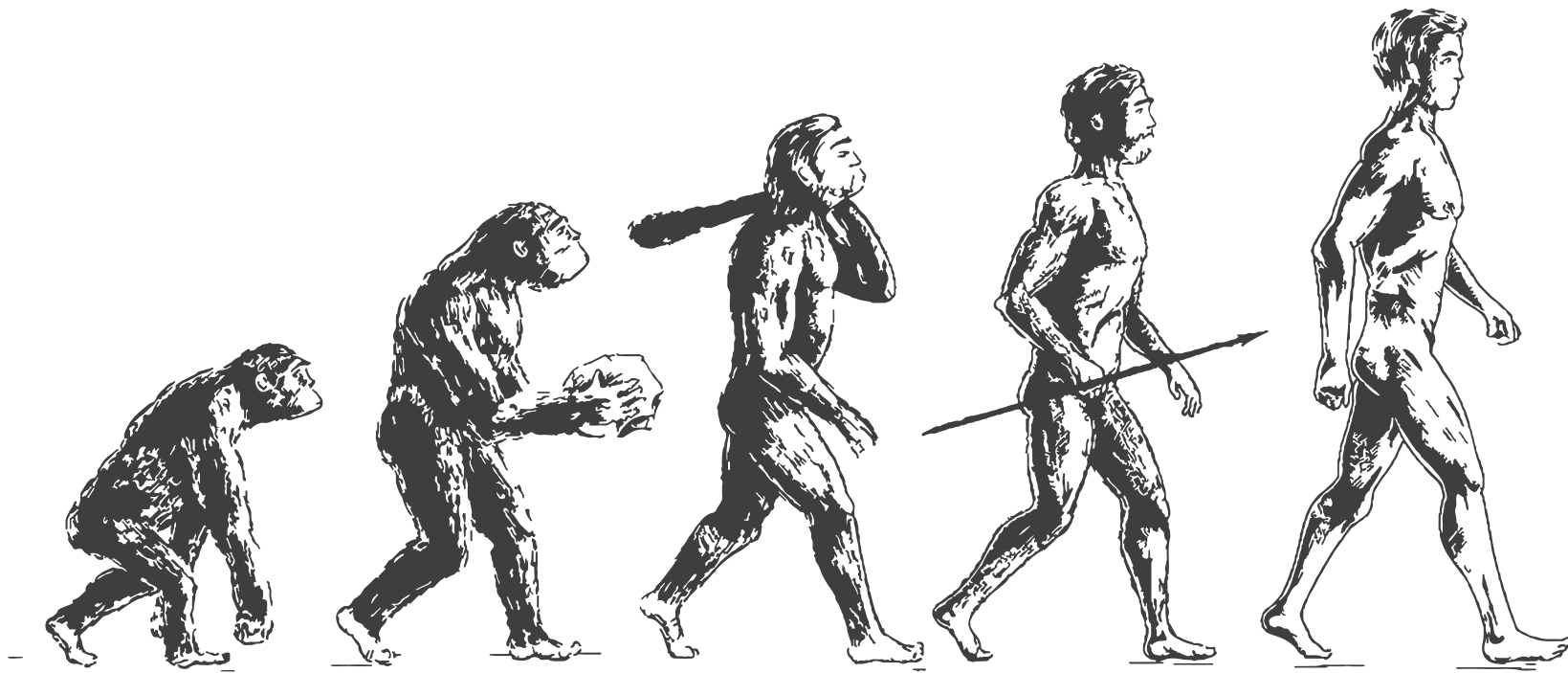
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Theory of Evolution

Avanguardia Series



“It is not the strongest species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the most responsive to change.”

Charles Darwin, 1809-1882

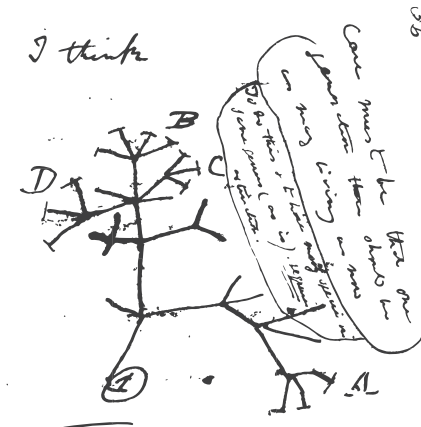
Figures ahead of their time. Mavericks unafraid to challenge conventional wisdom. These are the characters who shaped the world by enabling us to understand it. With his 1859 book 'On the Origin of Species' Charles Darwin transformed society by revealing the secrets of existence.

But revolutionary writing requires a delicate hand: Darwin spent two decades patiently refining his theory, readying it for public consumption. For this sterling-silver tribute, eclectic Victorian architecture provides the framework for a gallery of grand Darwinian breakthroughs – and conceals an awkward truth.

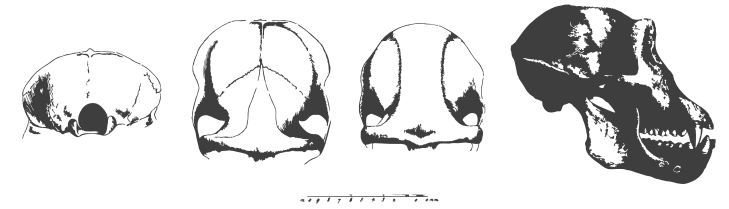




Natural science milestones and Darwin's Tree of Life shine in vermeil on a column inspired by the great naturalist's spiritual home: London's Natural History Museum.



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Origin of species. A playful, 'peekaboo' finial case conceals a ruby-studded primate skull beneath mirror-polished silver. Use it to gauge your own evolutionary journey.

'Peekaboo' Origin of Species case



FOUNTAIN PEN

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ROLLERBALL

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PACKAGING

Editions of 165 fountain pens and rollerballs are supplied in an oak bureau chest, expedition-ready with a companion magnifying glass, travel journal and reusable journal cover.



SPECIFICATIONS

	FOUNTAIN PEN	ROLLERBALL
MODEL	ISTVN_SE	ISTVNRSE
MATERIAL	Sterling silver; Vermeil; Rubies; Montegrappite	
NIB	6mm, 18K gold custom	N/A
INK DELIVERY	Piston-fill	Refill
GRADE	EF, F, M, B, Stub 1.1	F, M
LENGTH (mm)	161	161
DIAMETER (mm)	24	24
WEIGHT (g)	160	158
PACKAGING	Oak-veneer chest with nameplate, magnifying glass, journal + leatherette cover	
DIMENSIONS (mm)	370 x 250 x 130	
LIMITED EDITION	165	165



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