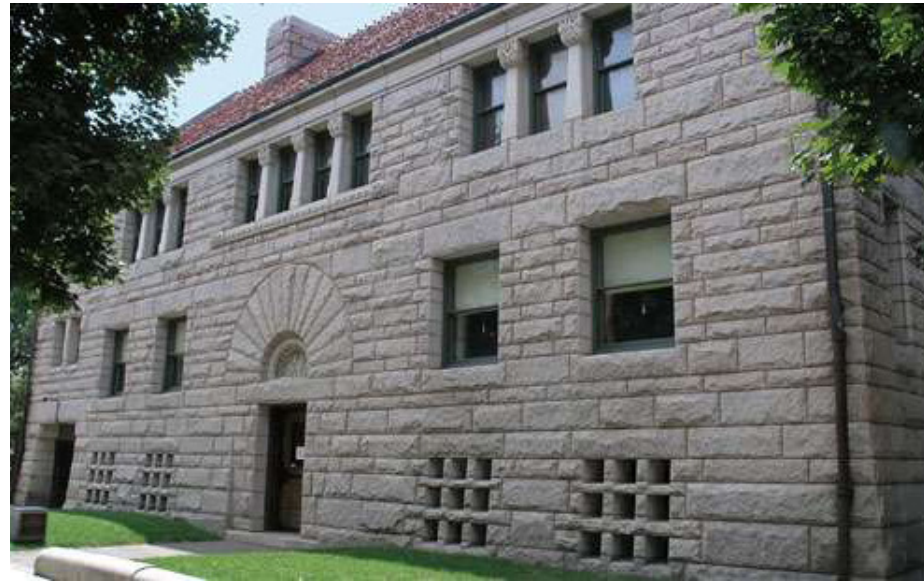


# Glessner House

case study  
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Location: Chicago, USA



**Architect:** Henry Hobson Richardson

**Owner:** John Jacob Glessner

**Year of completion:** 1893

**Climate:** Dfa

**Material of interest:** Masonry

**Application:** Walls

**Properties of material:** The façade facing 18th Street is based on a photograph the Glessners owned of Abingdon Abbey; Richardson saw the photograph during his first visit with the Glessners and promised to make it a key inspiration for the design of their house.

**Sources:**

<https://www.glessnerhouse.org/the-house/>