

Resource Summary Report

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De Humani Corporis Fabrica

RRID:SCR_000699

Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <http://vesalius.northwestern.edu/>

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Description: THIS RESOURCE IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE. Documented on June 10, 2026. English translation of Andreas Vesalius' Renaissance anatomical atlas On the Fabric of the Human Body (1543, 1555) and an explanation of the work in progress at Northwestern University to translate and annotate this historic work (by Daniel Garrison and Malcolm Hast). This detailed account of human anatomy transformed its subject and forever changed medical education in the West. Its woodcut illustrations became the basis of medical art and illustrations for generations to come, and continue to influence the way we look at the human body. * Book One -- The things that sustain and support the entire body, and what braces and attaches them all. (the bones and the ligaments that interconnect them) * Book Two -- All the ligaments and muscles, instruments of voluntary and deliberate motion * Book Three -- The series of veins and arteries throughout the body * Book Four -- The nerves * Book Five -- The organs of nutrition and generation * Book Six -- The heart and organs serving the heart (Chiefly the heart and lungs) * Book Seven -- The brain and organs of sense Note: Only introduction, images, and essays appear to be available.

Abbreviations: De Humani Corporis Fabrica

Synonyms: Andreas Vesalius' De Humani Corporis Fabrica, Andreas Vesalius De Humani Corporis Fabrica, The Fabric of the Human Body, Fabric of the Human Body, On the Fabric of the Human Body

Resource Type: data or information resource, image collection, narrative resource

Keywords: anatomy, history, anatomical atlas, essay, book

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for De Humani Corporis Fabrica.

No alerts have been found for De Humani Corporis Fabrica.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 1 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [NIF](#) .

Nutton V, et al. (2012) Vesalius revised. His annotations to the 1555 Fabrica. Medical history, 56(4), 415.