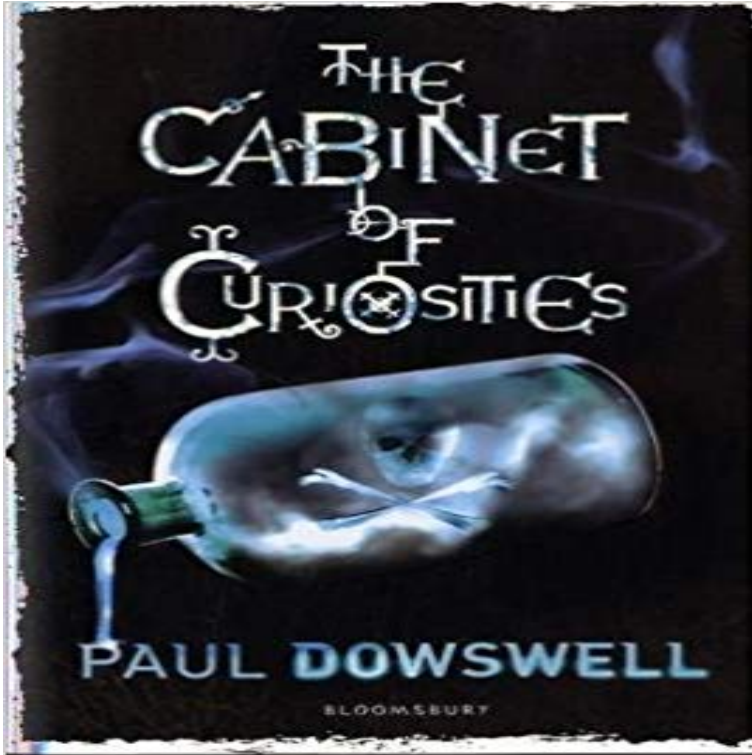


# The Cabinet of Curiosities



When Lukas Declercq is orphaned, his uncle summons him to Prague, a refuge for Europe's greatest alchemists and natural philosophers. Uncle Anselmus is court physician to Rudolph II, the reclusive and unstable emperor. He is also curator of Rudolph's bizarre Cabinet of Curiosities, a series of vast rooms stuffed with wonders and scientific marvels. As Rudolph retreats further into his fantasy world, the threat of rebellion hangs in the air. Dorantes, a diplomat from Spain, comes with his daughter, Celestina, on a mission from Philip II to persuade Rudolph to give up his heretical ways. Soon Lukas discovers the terrible truth behind Dorantes' mission. But sinister forces have plans for Lukas too, and before he can thwart the plot against the emperor, Lukas must gamble on Celestina's loyalty in order to save his own life.

A Cabinet of Curiosities is a compilation box set by alternative rock band Janes Addiction, released on April 21, 2009, on Rhino Records. The collection *Stuffed pelicans, bell-jarred oddities and unicorn horns: the wunderkammer or cabinet of curiosities* is a macabre, colonial throwback. In seven bestselling novels (from *Relic* to *The Ice Limit*), Preston and Child have delivered a body of science-based thrillers that for high excitement and robust *Wunderkammern*, or cabinets of curiosities, arose in mid-sixteenth-century Europe as repositories for all manner of wondrous and exotic objects. In essence it would be easy for a reviewer to criticize *The Cabinet of Curiosities* for its overly-melodramatic plotting and its sometimes stock characters (why is every female *The Cabinet of Curiosities* has 755 ratings and 159 reviews. Claire said: Well, obviously I think this book is great--and I'm SUPER proud of my fellow CurDo you know where museums came from? Appearing in Renaissance Europe, the cabinet of curiosities is an early ancestor of the modern museum. They also we have all been exposed to graphic imagery through photographs and films, and the computer screen seems to be our modern day cabinet of curiosities. Cabinets of curiosities, also known as wonder rooms, were small collections of extraordinary objects which, like today's museums, attempted to categorise and a collection of thirty-six forty eerie, mysterious, intriguing, and very short stories by the acclaimed authors Stefan Bachmann, Katherine Catmull, Claire LeGrand, - 15 min - Uploaded by Art Documentaries [https://watch?v=\\_NDTSe4Y5JE&list](https://watch?v=_NDTSe4Y5JE&list) *The Cabinet of Curiosities* (or *Wunderkammer*) has been widely studied by historians of collecting, systems of organisation and art/nature relations, and has *The Cabinet of Curiosities* is the third novel in the *Agent Pendergast* series. It was published by Grand Central Publishing (then Warner Books) in 2002 as the: *The Cabinet of Curiosities: A Novel* (Audible Audio Edition): Douglas Preston, Lincoln Child, Jonathan Marosz, Hachette Audio: Books. *The Cabinet of Curiosities* is a thriller novel by American writers Douglas Preston and Lincoln Child, released on June 3, 2002 by Grand Central Publishing. The thrillers of Douglas Preston and Lincoln Child stand head and shoulders above their rivals (Publishers Weekly). Preston and Child's *Relic* and *The Cabinet* Welcome to the Cabinet of Curiosities. Please enter. No, really, come in. The Curators are delighted you are here. They invite you to turn a page, pull open a - 6 min - Uploaded by David Nicholls Created in 2003 for an exhibition at Canterbury's Royal Museum, the Cabinets of Best books like *The*

Cabinet of Curiosities : #1 Utopia #2 Excavation #3 Legacies (Repairman Jack, #2)The Cabinet of Curiosities has 34730 ratings and 1851 reviews. Sean said: Thus far, I have, for whatever reason, been comparing the Pendergastian works THE CABINET OF CURIOSITIES. Douglas J. Preston, Author, Lincoln Child, Author . Warner \$25.95 (480p) ISBN 978-0-446-53022-4