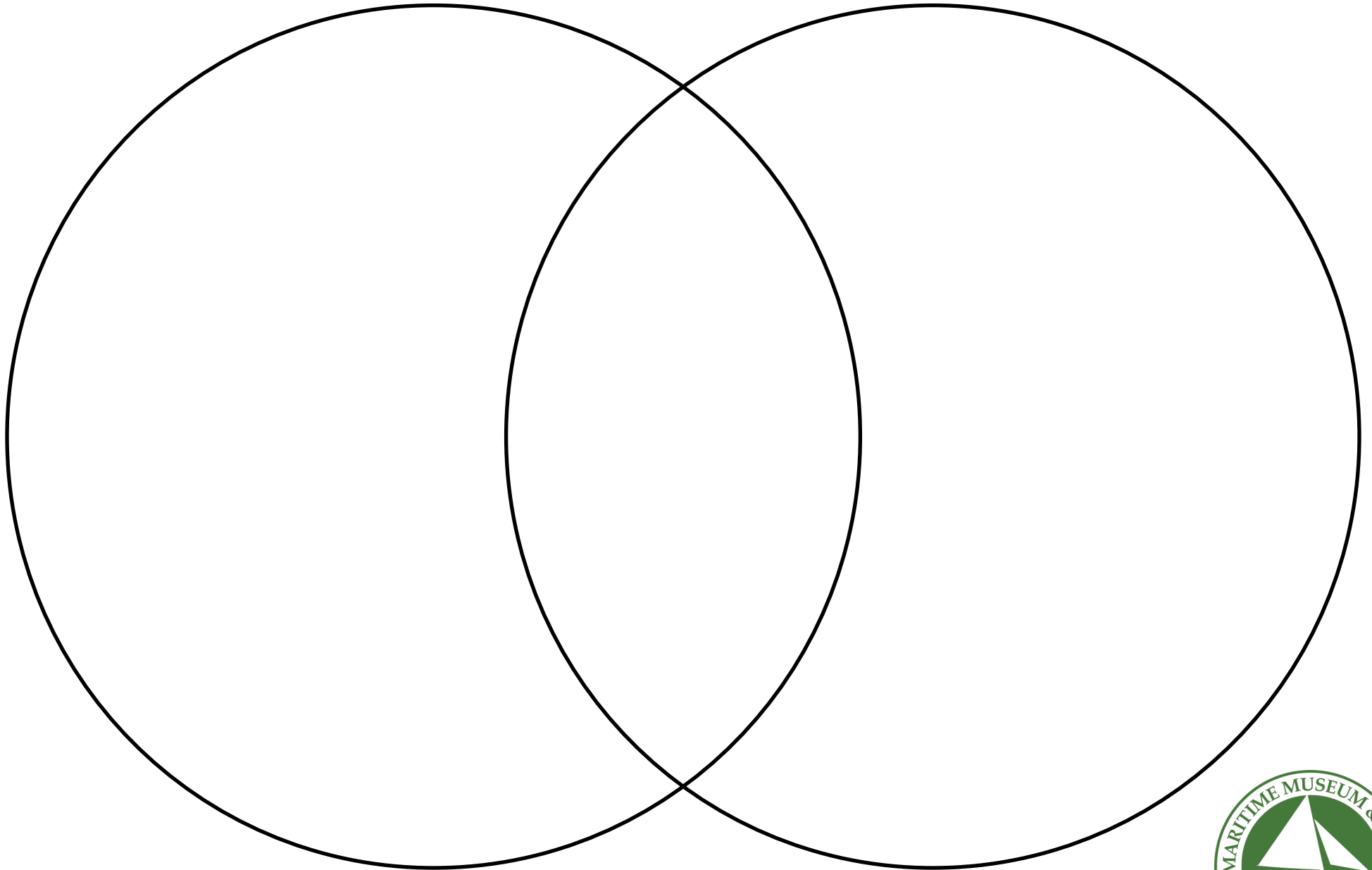


Blue Crab vs. Horseshoe Crab



Exoskeleton	Found in the Chesapeake Bay year-round
Gills	Habitat loss and overharvesting threatens population
Molt shell to grow	Related to spiders and other arachnids
Related to lobsters and other crustaceans	Decapod (10 legs)
Dodecapod (12 legs)	10 eyes
Life span up to 20 years	Life span up to 3 years
Called "living fossils," these creatures have been around for over 300 million years	Females lay eggs on the beach
Female carries fertilized eggs	Antennae
Blood important for medical research	Popular food source for humans
2 eyes	Males have narrow, T-shaped apron
Females have a wide apron, shaped like the Capitol Dome, and red claw tips	Males have set of claws, pedipalps, that resemble boxing gloves, used to grasp

Cut and paste the facts into the Venn diagram in the left circle if they are true for blue crabs, the right circle if they are true for horseshoe crabs, and the middle if they are true for both.