

A photograph of Steve Jobs, co-founder of Apple, holding the first iPhone. He is wearing his signature black turtleneck and glasses. The background features a large, faint Apple logo. The text "Today in History" is overlaid at the bottom of the image in a white, bold, sans-serif font.

Today in History

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▲ **Apple boss Steve Jobs introduced the hugely anticipated iPhone, a multimedia mobile device that radically reshaped the smartphone industry**

1937: Expelled Soviet dissident Leon Trotsky arrived in Mexico

1992: Serbs in Bosnia-Herzegovina declared their own republic, to stay part of federal Yugoslavia

1997: British round-the-world sailor Tony Bullimore was rescued after five days in an airpocket in the hull of his capsized boat in the Southern Ocean

2020: China announced the gene sequence of a new coronavirus from a patient with pneumonia in Wuhan