

Visual Arts

Resource list—Web based

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Art Galleries Australia

1. [Art Gallery of New South Wales Sydney Australia](#)

The leading museum of art in New South Wales and Sydney, and one of Australia's foremost cultural institutions. It holds significant collections of Australian and International art. Provides access to online tours, catalogues and education kits linked to its collection and major exhibitions.

2. [Art Gallery of Western Australia](#)

The Art Gallery of Western Australia is home to the State Art Collection which includes works by Australian and International Artists. Provides access to education materials related to its collection and major exhibitions.

3. [National Gallery Canberra Australia](#)

The National Gallery, Canberra is one of the premier art galleries in Australia. It has an extensive collection of Australian, Oceanic, Asian and International art. Provides access to online tours, catalogues and education kits linked to its collection and major exhibitions.

Museums UK

4. [Tate Gallery](#)

Allows you to search the Tate collections database of 25,000 works, view films of artists talking about their work and access educational materials.

5. [National Gallery of London](#)

Holds images and information about the paintings in its collection online

6. [Design Museum London](#)

Provides access to the online design library, and a research archive of modern and contemporary design

7. [Victoria and Albert Museum \(V&A\)](#)

Contains over 20,000 works and over 26,000 images from the V&A's collections, including ceramics, fashion, furniture, glass, metalwork, paintings, photographs, prints, sculpture, and textiles.

Museums: North America

8. [Smithsonian](#)

Allows you to search over 2 million records with thousands of images, video and sound files, electronic journals and other resources from the Smithsonian's Museums, Archives & Libraries.

9. [Museum of Modern Art](#)

Provides access to its collection of twentieth-century art works and design objects.

10. [Cooper Hewitt, National Design Museum](#)

Contains collections of textiles, wall coverings, graphic design, product design and decorative art.

11. [Guggenheim, New York \(and also Venice, Bilbao, Berlin and Abu Dhabi\)](#)

Allows you to browse the Guggenheim's collections by artist, title and movement.

12. [Metropolitan Museum of Art](#)

Museums: Europe

13. [Vitra Design Museum, Germany](#)

Has an online archive and image gallery of its travelling exhibitions focussing on furniture and interior design.

14. [Louvre, France](#)

Provides a catalogue of art works and a collection of specially made films online.

15. [Pompidou Centre, France](#)

Provides an online collection of over 60,000 works of modern art.

16. [Uffizi Gallery, Italy](#)

Provides a 3D visit to the gallery.

17. [Museo Nacional del Prado, Spain](#)

Includes an online image database of the Gallery's collections.

Visual Arts websites (general)

18. [Art history: resources on the web/ Christopher L.C.E. Witcombe](#)

Virginia: Sweet Briar College, 1995-

19. [Art in Context](#)

New York: Art in Context Centre for Communications, 1998