



Museum Studies

This bibliography describes selected resources for finding material in the field of museum studies.

SUBJECT HEADINGS

Below is a list of suggested subject headings to use when searching for material in the Library Catalog.

museums (may subdivide geographically)	historical museums
museum techniques (Use For museology)	indians of north america museums
art museums	metropolitan museum of art new york ny

- Broad subject headings, *such as MUSEUMS*, may be broken down into narrower terms.
(*Example: museums periodicals retrieves subscriptions to journals with subject museums.*)
 - *Type in the first word of a subject heading, such as MUSEUM, to browse all subjects beginning with that term.*
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CALL NUMBER RANGES

Material is shelved by call numbers that are constructed using the Library of Congress Classification System.

- **Museums (General) AM 1-501**

Material for museum studies also falls within several broad classification areas. Example: art, history, science, etc.

- **Art museums, galleries, etc. N 400-4042** Arranged by country, subdivided by city.
 - **Historical museums United States E 159-172** State (by state, shelved with state material) **F 1-975**
 - **Science Museums** shelved with science, browse the call number area **Q105**
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DIRECTORIES

The Official museum directory **REF AM 10 .A2 O4** NOTE: *Includes a list of web sites for individual museums.*

Directory of local historical, museum, and genealogical agencies in Missouri **Online link from catalog**

SPECIAL ISSUES OF A PERIODICAL

- *Art in America* See: **August Issue:** Guide to Galleries, Museums and Artists - by state and city.

NOTE: The Department of the Interior's National Parks Service publishes **Conserve O Gram**, a journal of curatorial issues. This journal is distributed as part of the Depository Library Program and we hold issues for 1993 forward. **It is not cataloged.** The call number is **I 29.100: and is housed on level 2 of the TJ Library.** For online access see the entry for the Museum Management Program listed under the heading INTERNET.

INDEXES

Indexes may be subject specific or indexes may be broad and general in scope covering most subject areas. Below is a selected list of indexes relevant to the field of Museum Studies. Those INDEXES that are ONLINE are available on campus and remotely with an SSO ID and password. Access them via the Library home page at <http://www.umsl.edu/library>

<p><u>Academic OneFile</u> Coverage varies. General in scope. ONLINE</p>	<p><u>Arts & Humanities Citation Index</u> 1980 - Present. ONLINE Subject and citation index to the arts and humanities. Indexes 1,300 of the world's leading arts and humanities journals.</p>
<p><u>Academic Search Premier</u> Coverage varies. General in scope. ONLINE</p>	<p><u>General OneFile</u> Coverage varies. General in scope. ONLINE</p>
<p><u>Art Index</u> Print 1929 - 1984 COM1 N1 .A1 A67x 1984 - 2000 UMSL Depository Index to Art and related subjects from international periodicals.</p>	<p><u>JSTOR</u> – Arts & Science Collections Coverage varies. ONLINE</p>
<p><u>Art Full Text</u> 1984 - Present ONLINE See <i>Art Index</i> above for content information. Full-Text coverage begins in 1997. NOTE: Includes full text of the journal <u>“Curator”</u> from 03/01/1997 to present.</p>	<p><u>Lexis-Nexis™ Academic</u> Coverage varies. ONLINE General in scope, search the NEWS database for humanities subjects. Access to over 1 billion documents from 12,000 international publications, most full-text, including the <i>New York Times</i>.</p>
	<p><u>Scopus</u> Coverage varies. ONLINE</p>

INTERNET

- **ICOM - The International Council of Museums** <http://www.icom.museum>
- **Virtual Library-museums pages** <http://www.icom.museum/vlmp>
- **AAM - American Association of Museums** <http://www.aam-us.org>
- **Smithsonian Institution Research Information System** <http://www.siris.si.edu/>
[Includes a **Museum Studies citation database** (Select- **Search Bibliographies**, Choose- **Combined Limit to- Museum Studies Bibliography**)]
- **World Wide Arts Resources** <http://wwar.com/>
- **Museum Management Program, National Park Service, US Department of the Interior** <http://www.nps.gov/history/museum/>
Includes full text access to the newsletter *Conserve O Grams*, the NPS Museum Handbooks, etc. Select- **Publications**