Introduction to Europeana

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What we do

→ **Aggregate** — We are building the open, trusted source for European cultural content

→ **Facilitate** — We support the cultural heritage sector through knowledge transfer, innovation and advocacy

→ **Distribute** — We make heritage available to people wherever they are, whenever they want it

→ **Engage** — We cultivate new ways for people to participate in their cultural heritage
What we do

→ **Infrastructure** — We are developing the Europeana DSI (Digital Service Infrastructure)

→ **Technology** — We do R&D, write code, build data models and create innovative tools

→ **Open Approach** — We openly share what we do; we encourage people to use our products and build upon them

→ **Collaboration** — We work with others and build partnerships to share and to learn
‘We transform the world with Culture!’
ca 48 colleagues in The Hague, London, Athens (The Office)
A Community of > 2,500 members who contribute data, technology, knowledge and business opportunities (The Network)
The content
10% DIGITIZED (~300 MLN OBJECTS)

90% NOT DIGITIZED EUROPEAN CULTURAL HERITAGE
12% in Europeana (32 MLN metadata records)

- CC-by-NC (18%)
- CC-by-ND (39%)
- OPEN (27%)
- REUSABLE OBJECTS (35%)

THE REST (65%)
1. Share Data
2. Improve Access Conditions
3. Create Value
I want to use open data for the development of my app.

I want to mix heritage content on my website.
Europeana Labs

A playground for remixing and using your cultural and scientific heritage.
A place for inspiration, innovation and sharing.

This is your code, this is your heritage, these are your labs.

GET STARTED

labs.europeana.eu
Ubuntu Dash – Smart Scopes
Explore Europe's museums and galleries
Thousands of museums and galleries from all over Europe in one place. With up-to-date visitor information, event calendar and collection highlights.

Country  City  Art

museums.eu
Historiana
Recreate artworks with your friends

vangoyourself.com
Europeana 1914-1918 – untold stories & official histories of WW1

Explore stories, films and historical material about the First World War and contribute your own family history. Europeana 1914-1918 mixes resources from libraries and archives across the globe with memories and memorabilia from families throughout Europe. Discover. Learn. Research. Use. Share.

Search

News

New corresponding Hitler postcard found

Two days after the soldier Adolf Hitler wrote this postcard to his comrade Karl Lanzhammer telling him about a visit to the dentist, he wrote another one on 21 December...
API facts & figures

→ Currently 1,800 registered keys

→ >800 signups in 2014

→ Up to 200,000 calls on a typical day

→ 5.2 million calls in August
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Thank you

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