



1. CONSULT A REFERENCE SOURCE:

What do you already know about the subject? Save time by first finding some basic, accurate information such as spelling variations of a name (esp. Greek v. Roman), time period, location. A dictionary or other reference book is often a good place to find brief, authoritative information. Such basic tools can lead you to other sources, such as articles or books that are cited in them. [Call numbers refer to AFA Library unless noted otherwise.]

Start with these reference works:

Grove Dictionary of Art. N31.D5 1996 Reference (or database version)

This 34-volume comprehensive dictionary is also available as an online database, **GroveArt**. See the AFA Library website for access <http://www.uflib.ufl.edu/afa>

Enciclopedia dell'Arte Antica, Classica e Orientale (EAA). N31.E48 Reference (in Italian)
Seven base volumes, plus six supplements. Illustrated, with extensive bibliographies.

Lexicon Iconographicum Mythologiae Classicae (LIMC). N7760 .L49 1981 Reference
(Mostly in French, but some entries in English, German, or Italian) Iconography or study of images of Greek, Etruscan, and Roman mythology. Part one contains bibliographies, with corresponding plates in part two.

Sir Banister Fletcher's A History of Architecture. NA200.F63 1996 Reference
The 'classic' survey of architectural history with hundreds of illustrated examples.

2. FIND BOOKS, JOURNALS, VIDEOS, ETC. OWNED BY UF LIBRARIES:

Consult the **UF LIBRARIES CATALOG**, to find books and other materials owned by the UF Libraries. Do a title search if you already know the name of a certain book or journal – or, if you're not sure of a title or exact subject heading, try a keyword search on your topic.

3. FIND ARTICLES IN JOURNALS:

Use a Key Database to search for articles in periodicals by going to <http://www.uflib.ufl.edu/afa>

Art Full Text & Abstracts (WilsonWeb)

Provides indexing to 400 leading art periodicals. Covers 1984-present. Full-text HTML and PDF files available for some publications back to 1997. For earlier, see *Art Index Retrospective* below.

Art Index Retrospective, 1929-1984 (WilsonWeb)

No full-text available. Indexes articles, reproductions and illustrations in over 600 periodicals published 1929-1984, in a wide range of topic areas covering art and architecture.

Arts and Humanities Citation Index (Web of Science)

Indexes periodicals in humanities and arts. Traces cited references (footnotes) and authorship.

Avery Index to Architectural Periodicals (Eureka)

Indexes over 2,800 periodicals published worldwide on architecture, historic preservation, and archaeology. Covers the 1930s (with selective coverage dating back to the 1860s) to the present.

JSTOR

Full-text archives of select archaeology and art/architectural history journals, including the *Journal of Hellenic Studies* (1880-1998) and the *Journal of Roman Studies* (1911-2000).

4. And as always -- feel free to consult library staff for assistance with your search for information.