

Artist Signatures and Monograms

This list is not comprehensive; it represents a selection of resources available.

The Classified Directory of Artist's Signatures, Symbols and Monograms, H. H. Caplan: 1987.

N45.C36 1987 (located in the Reference section)

Primarily 18th and 19th century North American and British artists listed-a follow up to the Caplan directory of European artists' signatures.

Encyclopedia of Artists' Signatures, Symbols & Monograms: Old Masters to Modern, North American and European, H. H. Caplan: 1999.

N45.C363 1999 (located in the Reference section)

A revised volume, featuring North American and European artists from the 16th to 20th century. Also includes signatures and marks from Russian, Australian and unknown artists. Over 25,000 examples make this the largest encyclopedia of its kind.

Dictionary of Signatures & Monograms of American Artists: From the Colonial Period to the mid-20th Century, Peter H. Falk: 1988.

N45.F35 1988 (located in the Reference section)

American artists only, including little known artists working from the Colonial period through the mid-20th century.

The Visual Index of Artists' Signatures and Monograms, Radway Jackson: 1991.

N45.J33 1991b (located in the Reference section)

Includes signatures and monograms from European and North American artists from the 15th to mid-20th century.

Signaturelexikon/ Dictionary of Signatures, Paul Pfisterer: 1999.

N45.P49 1999 (located in the Reference section)

A collection of 16,103 signatures from European and North American artists working in the 19th and primarily 20th century. The second largest dictionary after the Caplan series.

Marks & Monograms: The Decorative Arts, 1880-1960, Malcolm Haslam: 1995.

N45.H37 1995 (located in the Reference section)

Arranged by decorative art medium and then further by country, this encyclopedia and directory features marks and monograms of European and American decorative artists and firms working between 1880-1960.

Signatures and Monograms, John Castagno

Artists as illustrators : an international directory with signatures and monograms, 1800-present :1989.

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European artists : signatures and monograms, 1800-1990, including selected artists from other parts of the world: 1990.

N45.C38 1990

European artists II : signatures and monograms from 1800 : a comprehensive directory: 2007.

N45.C382 2007

European artists III : signatures and monograms, from 1800 : a directory: 2009.

N45.C383 2009

American artists : signatures and monograms, 1800-1989: 1990.

N45.C37 1990

American artists II : signatures and monograms from 1800, a comprehensive directory: 2007.

N45.C372 2007

American artists III : signatures and monograms from 1800: 2009.

N45.C373 2009

Artists' monograms and indiscernible signatures : an international directory, 1800-1991: 1991.

N45.C374 1991

Artists' monograms and indiscernible signatures II : an international directory from 1800: 2007.

N45.C375 2007

Artists' monograms and indiscernible signatures III : an international directory from 1800: 2009.

N45.C376 2009

Old Masters : signatures and monograms, 1400-born 1800: 1996.

N45.C39 1996

Old masters II : signatures and monograms : a directory: 2009.

N45.C392 2009

Latin American artists' signatures and monograms : colonial era to 1996: 1997.

N45.C385 1997

Abstract artists : signatures and monograms, an international directory: 2007.

N45.C369 2007

African, Asian, and Middle Eastern artists : signatures and monograms from 1800 : a directory: 2009.

N45.C3695 2009

Jewish artists : signatures and monograms : an international directory: 2010.

N45.C384 2010