

Arts and the Humanities

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Oxford Art Online

Oxford Music Online

Biography In Context (General interest biography, including the Humanities)

Gale Literature Resource Center

Academic Search Complete (General interest academic, including the Humanities)

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NB Sculpture	MT Instruction and study
NC Drawing. Design. Illustration	
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