## ART MOVEMENTS

Movement	Beginning	End	Description and main caracteristics	Remarquable artists	Idea
Textile art	500	-	Textile art is the creation of artworks using plant, animal, or synthetic fibers, through various techniques like weaving, embroidery, knitting, and dyeing, to produce both functional and purely decorative objects. This form of art has a rich history, serving to express cultural identity, tell stories, and convey social commentary while also encompassing contemporary forms and installations.	Faith RINGGOLD, Anni ALBERS, Hannah RYGGEN, Mary Lee BENDOLPH	
Chinese traditional painting	1400	1950	Chinese traditional painting is expressing the inner essence, spirit and energy of a subject rather than its mere appearance. It aims to create a sense of connection to the cosmos and life's flow by capturing the "rhyme of breaths" (qi) in the natural world, incorporating elements of calligraphy and poetry to convey meaning through bold strokes, expressive brushwork, and strategically used blank space. Other key aspects: Inner Essence (Li 氣), Artistic Conception (Yi 意), Spiritual & Philosophical Connection, Symbolism.	QI Baishi, XU Beihong, WU Guangzhong, LIU Haisu, WANG Shimin	
Japanese traditional painting	1400	1950	Japanese tradional paintings cover a large period and range of style, called: Ukiyo-e. Its artists produced woodblock prints and paintings of such subjects as female beauties; kabuki actors; scenes from history and folk tales; travel scenes and landscapes; flora and fauna; and erotica. The term ukiyo-e (浮世絵) translates as "pictures of the floating world". Main material used: Mineral pigments (Iwaenogu), Suihi-enogu: Ordinary soil or clay, Gofun white pigment, Coloring materials (senryō): Sumi ink, Metallic leaf and paint (haku and dei)	HOKUSAI, KUNIYOSHI, KUNISADA, CHIKANOBU, KIYOCHIKA	
Classicism	1600	1850	Classicism was a movement inspired by the aesthetic principles and forms of ancient Greece and Rome, emphasizing ideals of harmony, balance, order, simplicity, and proportion. It values reason and perfection, often depicting idealized human figures and symmetrical compositions with restrained emotion and technical excellence. Key points: Inspiration from antiquity, harmony and balance, idealized forms, clarity and simplicity, proportion, restrained emotion, reverence for form.	Nicolas POUSSIN, Jacques-Louis DAVID, Lawrence ALMA-TADEMA	
Allegorism	1650	1850	Allegorism uses visual symbols, such as a person, object, or event, to represent abstract ideas, moral lessons, or spiritual truths that are not explicitly stated. It communicates complex concepts in a deeper, layered way by personifying intangible qualities like justice, virtue, or death as tangible subjects. This technique requires interpretation from the viewer to fully understand the story or message behind the artwork's surface-level imagery.	Johannes VERMEER, Artemisia GENTILESCHI, Titian, Gustave COURBET	
Academism	1750	1820	Academism focus on Classical Tradition: A focus on the art and architecture of antiquity, including elements of Neoclassicism and Romanticism. Technical Mastery: A high standard of technical skill and a "beautifully finished" style. Subject Matter: A preference for mythological, historical, and religious subjects that conveyed moral virtues and cultural ideals. Rigorous Training: A curriculum based on life drawing, anatomy studies, and adherence to academic principles.	William BOUGUEREAU, Alexandre CABANEL, Paul DELAROCHE	
Romanticism	1780	1840	Romanticism was an artistic, literary, and intellectual movement that emphasized emotion, imagination, individualism, and a deep appreciation for nature. It emerged in the late 18th century as a reaction against the rigid rules of the preceding Neoclassical period, celebrating freedom from tradition and the unique subjective experience of the individual.	Fracisco GOYA, Theodore GERICAULT, J.M.W TURNER, John CONSTABLE	
Orientalism	1810	1890	Orientalism refers to the representation of the East in Western art which often blurred the line between fantasy and reality. Orientalism disseminated a range of stereotypes associated with Eastern cultures most notably regarding a lack of 'civilized' behavior and perceived differences in morality, sexual practices, and character of the inhabitants. Main features: Harem, rich colors, eastern countries representation.	Jean-Auguste-Dominique INGRES, William Holman HUNT, Jean-Leon GEROME, Eugene DELACROIX	
Naturalism	1820	1890	Naturalism in art emphasizing the accurate, objective depiction of the visible world without idealization or sentimentality. It seeks to capture the subject in its most lifelike and unadorned state, often by studying and painting directly from nature and life. While related to the broader movement of Realism, naturalism is distinct in its focus on precise visual detail and a more scientific observation of reality.	John CONSTABLE, Camille COROT, Theodore ROUSSEAU, Thomas COLE	

Realism	1840	1880	Realism was the accurate, detailed, unembellished depiction of nature or of contemporary life. Realism rejects imaginative idealization in favor of a close observation of outward appearances	Gustave COURBET, Jean-Francois MILLET, Winslow HOMER, Ilya REPIN	
Pre-Raphaelite	1850	1920	The Pre-Raphaelites opposed the dominance of the British Royal Academy, which championed a narrow range of idealized or moral subjects and conventional definitions of beauty drawn from the early Italian Renaissance and Classical art. In contrast, the Pre-Raphaelites took inspiration from an earlier (before Raphael) period. They believed painters before the Renaissance provided a model for depicting nature/human body realistically, rather than idealistically, and that collective guilds of medieval craftspeople offered an alternative vision of art.	Dante Gabriel ROSSETTI, William Holman HUNT, John Everett MILLAIS, Evelyn De MORGAN	
Luminism	1850	1880	Luminism did not tend to depict nature as grand and imposing, nor does it strive to convey a sense of spectacular, awe- inspiring sublimity. Instead, Luminist paintings with their smaller size evoke a quiet spirituality based on closely observed natural phenomena, especially the quality of light.  Luminist light is particularly distinct. It is often cool and hard, almost palpable. The painters use slight tonal modulations, and not brushstrokes, to create the effect of radiant light.	George Caleb BINGHAM, Fitz Henry LANE, Martin Johnson HEADE, Albert BIERSTADT, Carleton E. WATKINS	
Macchiaioli	1850	1890	The Macchiaioli were a group of Italian painters active in Tuscany. They strayed from antiquated conventions taught by the Italian art academies, and did much of their painting outdoors in order to capture natural light, shade, and colour. The Macchiaioli's group believed that areas of light and shadow, or "macchie" (literally patches or spots) were the chief components of a work of art. Their procedure juxtaposed spots of different colors (even relatively large at times) in such a way to contrast light and shade.	Giovanni FATTORI, Silvestro LEGA, Telemaco SIGNORINI, Guissepe ABBATI	The state of the s
Native art	1850	-	Native art refers to the visual, functional, and symbolic creations of Indigenous people, which include a vast range of styles and mediums rooted in cultural identity and traditions. These artistic traditions serve as a means of communication, storytelling, and expressing cultural values, incorporating natural materials and patterns unique to their environments and heritage.	Jaune Quick-to-See SMITH, Wendy RED STAR, Jeffrey GIBSON, Gloria PETYARRE, Emily Kame KNGWARREY	
Naive art	1850	-	Naive art is an art genre created by self-taught artists with a simplistic, untrained, and often childlike aesthetic, characterized by a disregard for traditional artistic conventions like perspective and anatomy. Key features include direct emotional expression, vivid colors, and straightforward compositions inspired by everyday life or cultural heritage, making the art feel authentic and raw.	Ferdinand CHEVAL, Henri ROUSSEAU, Niko PIROSMANI, Jose Rodriguez FUSTER	
Impressionism	1860	1890	Impressionism was characterized by a concern with depicting the visual impression of the moment, especially in terms of the shifting effect of light and color. This style include small, visible brushstrokes that offer the bare impression of form, unblended colors and an emphasis on the accurate depiction of natural light.	Claude MONET, Edgar DEGAS, Pierre- Auguste RENOIR, Camille PISSARO, Alfred SISLEY, John Singer SARGENT	4
Aestheticism	1860	1900	Distinct from the Victorian period, Aesthetic art wss characterized by subdued colors, geometric designs, and simplified linear forms. The movement took as its primary sources of inspiration Pre-Raphaelite painting's of flaming red haired beauties, medieval geometric designs, and Japanese motifs. Its adage "art for art's sake or art for pleasure," divorcing art from its traditional obligation to convey a moral or socio-political message. Instead, they focused on exploring color, form, and composition in the pursuit of natural beauty.	James Whistler, Lord Frederic LEIGHTON, Oscar WILDE	
Kitsch	1870	1950	In art, kitsch refers to works considered gaudy, overly sentimental, or trashy, often characterized by exaggerated aesthetics and poor taste. Originating from the German word for "trash," kitsch draws from popular and commercial culture, serving as a contrast to more sophisticated art. While originally a derogatory term, kitsch is now also appreciated for its ironic, nostalgic, or even "so bad it's good" qualities, blurring the lines between high and low art, especially within movements like Pop Art.	Margaret KEANE, Thomas KINKADE, Odd NEDRUM (new kitsch)	
Symbolism	1880	1910	Symbolism was a late 19th-century art movement of French and Belgian origin in <b>poetry</b> and other arts seeking to represent absolute truths symbolically through language and <b>metaphorical images</b> , mainly as a reaction against naturalism and realism. Mean features: <b>Ideas</b> over Things, <b>Spiritualty</b> and <b>Mysticism</b>	Gustave MOREAU, Odilon REDON, Paul GAUGIN, Gustave KLIMT, Pierre PUVIS de CHAVANNES	
Tonalism	1880	1920	<b>Tonalism</b> was an American art movement, flourishing from the 1880s to the early 20th century, characterized by its emphasis on <b>mood</b> , <b>atmosphere</b> , <b>and emotion</b> through <b>soft-edged forms</b> , <b>muted color palettes</b> , and closely related values	Charle Warren EATON, George INNES, Leonard OCHTMAN, Albert Pinkham RYDER, James McNEILL WHISTLER	

			Art Nouveau was aimed at modernizing design, seeking to escape the eclectic historical styles. Artists drew inspiration from		CENTURY
Art nouveau	1880	1910	both <b>organic and geometric</b> forms, evolving elegant designs that united flowing, <b>natural forms</b> resembling the <b>stems and blossoms of plants</b> . The <b>emphasis on linear contours</b> took precedence over color, which was usually represented with hues such as muted greens, browns, yellows, and blues. The movement was committed to <b>abolishing the traditional hierarchy of the arts</b> .	Gustav KLIMT, Hector GUIMARD, Victor HORTA, Alphonse MUCHA, Antoni GAUDI	MAGAZINE
Post- impressionism	1880	1920	Post-Impressionism was an art movement lasting from about 1880 to 1920, characterized by its emphasis on individual expression, symbolism, and emotion rather than naturalistic depiction, moving beyond Impressionism's focus on fleeting light and color to explore deeper meanings through distorted forms, vivid, and often unnatural colors, and bold lines. Main Charateristics: Symbolism and Emotion, Bold, Unnatural Colors, Distorted Forms and Abstract Shapes, Experimentation with Technique.	Vincent Van GOGH, Paul Cezanne, Paul GAUGUIN, Henri De TOULOUSE- LAUTREC	
Pointillism	1880	1910	Pointillism was a painting technique that involves applying small, separate dots or points of pure color to a canvas in a pattern or design, so that they blend together in the viewer's eye from a distance to form a complete image. This method relies on scientific color theory and optical phenomena to create vibrant and luminous effects, with Georges Seurat being one of the most famous pioneers of the style.	Georges SEURAT, Theo Van RYSSELBERGHE, Paul SIGNAC, Henri- Edmond CROSS	
Primitivism	1890	1940	<b>Primitivism</b> in art was the appreciation and imitation of art from cultures or individuals considered "primitive," often reflecting a belief in the superiority of <b>simple</b> , <b>non-industrial life</b> over modern civilization. While providing a new aesthetic language for artists seeking an alternative to Western conventions, the concept is complex and problematic, often rooted in cultural appropriation and an idealized view of non-Western cultures that diminishes them to a lesser, "primitive" state.	Paul GAUGUIN, Ernst Ludwig KICHNER, Pablo PICASSO, Natalia GONCHAROVA	HEAT.
Modernismo	1890	1930	Modernismo most commonly refers to the Catalan Art Nouveau movement in Spain, characterized by the use of historical and Arab styles, rich curves, organic motifs, and decorative detail, most famously seen in Barcelona's architecture by Antoni Gaudí. Alternatively, it can also be a Spanish term for Modernism, a broader global movement in art (late 19th to early 20th century) emphasizing experimentation, abstraction, and a rejection of traditional forms in favor of new, self-conscious ways of artistic expression.	MARTINEZ Alfredo Ramos, GARCIA Joacquin Torres, CASAS Ramon, REVERON Armando, DA VEIGA GUIGNARD Alberto	
Art deco	1900	1950	Art Deco was a distinctive visual style characterized by <b>geometric shapes</b> , <b>symmetry</b> , <b>bold colors</b> , <b>luxurious materials</b> , celebrating <b>modernity</b> , <b>speed</b> , <b>and technology</b> .	Tamara De LEMPINSKA, CASSANDRE, Georges LEPAPE, ERTE	
Expressionism	1900	1940	Expressionism is focusing on the artist's subjective emotions and inner experiences rather than depicting objective reality. Using bold, jarring colors, distorted forms, and dynamic brushwork, expressionism aims to evoke moods and ideas by radically presenting the world from an emotional perspective. Key Characteristics: Subjectivity Over Objectivity, Emotional Intensification, artists use intense, non-naturalistic colors, dynamic brushstrokes to express strong emotions, inner turmoil, or spiritual states. Distortion and Exaggeration.	Edvard MUNCH, Egon SCHIELE, Chaim SOUTINE, Ernst Ludwig KIRCHNER	
Fauvism	1900	1915	Fauvism was an art characterized by <b>bold</b> , <b>non-naturalistic colors</b> , <b>fierce brushstrokes and simplified forms</b> , emphasizing <b>subjective emotional expression</b> over realistic representation. Its radical goal is <b>separating color</b> from its descriptive, color could <b>project a mood</b> . The central artistic concern was the overall balance of the composition. Simplified forms and saturated colors drew attention to the inherent flatness of the canvas or paper within that pictorial space, each element played a specific role.	Andre DERAIN, Henry MATISSE, Maurice De VLAMINCK, Raoul DUFY, Georges BRAQUE	
Avant-garde	1900	-	<b>Avant-garde</b> refers to <b>new, experimental</b> or <b>radical ideas</b> and techniques that push the boundaries of established norms. Its artists or works are <b>innovative</b> , <b>revolutionary</b> , and ahead of their time, often initially met with <b>controversy</b> but later influencing future art movements.	Kazimir MALEVICH, LARIONOV Mikhail, GONCHAROVA Natalia, BARONOV- ROSSINE Vladimir	
Futurism	1910	1945	Futurism was an early 20th-century Italian art movement that celebrated technology, speed, and industrial progress, advocating for a violent break from the past. Futurist artists aimed to capture the dynamism and energy of modern life by portraying subjects like machines and urban scenes with fragmented, overlapping forms and vibrant colors to convey speed and motion. Other aspect: Ideological underpinnings by glorified war, violence, and nationalistic fervor, viewing war as a cleansing force for the world.	Giacomo BALLA, Umberto BOCCIONI, Carlo CARRA, Gino SEVERINI	WEAR WALL
Cubism	1910	1930	Cubism depicts subjects from multiple viewpoints simultaneously to represent their complex three-dimensional forms on a flat, two-dimensional canvas. Rather than using illusionistic realism, cubism deconstructs and reassembles forms into geometric shapes and fragmented planes, creating a more abstract and analytical portrayal of reality.	Pablo PICASSO, Georges BRAQUE, Fernand LEGER, Juan GRIS, Jean METZINGER	

Vorticism	1910	1915	Vorticism was a short-lived British art movement that captured the raw energy of modern, machine age, industrial life through abstract compositions featuring sharp lines and bold colors. Influenced by Cubism and Futurism, Vorticists aimed to break from traditional, sentimental art by creating art that reflected the dynamism and fragmentation of the machine age. The term "vortex" was used to describe the intense, creative energy of the modern urban environment and the movement itself.	Wyndham LEWIS, Jacob EPSTEIN, David BOMBERG, Jessica DISMORR	祭が
Synchronism	1910	1925	Synchromism was an early 20th-century American abstract art movement that aimed to create art where color was the primary element, much like how notes form a musical composition. The artists created synchromies which are abstract paintings based on color scales and rhythms, intending for the visual work to evoke the complex sensations of music and using color to express form rather than line or atmospheric perspective.	Staton MacDONALD-WRIGHT, Morgan RUSSELL, Thomas Hart BENTON, Stuart DAVIS	
Orphism	1910	1915	Orphism was an abstract art style focused on vibrant color and light, developed by Robert and Sonia Delaunay. The movement's name, coined by French poet Guillaume Apollinaire, references the mythical musician Orpheus, symbolizing the art's lyrical, harmonious, and non-objective qualities. Orphism explored how abstract color and geometric forms could evoke the dynamism and sensory energy of modern life, creating a visual equivalent to music.	Robert and Sophia DELAUNAY, Franz MARC, Frantisek KUPKA	
Dadaism	1915	1925	Dadaism was an anti-art movement that used absurdity, irrationality and chance to protest the logic and societal norms that led to the horrors of World War I. The movement rejected traditional art, favoring "readymades" (found objects presented as art),irreverance, collage and performance, with the goal of shocking and challenging the public's understanding of art and reality.	Francis PICABIA, Marcel DUCHAMP, Man RAY, Hans HARP, Hannah HOCH	
Constructivism	1915	1935	Constructivism was an art movement that emerged after the 1917 Revolution, rejecting traditional art in favor of geometric shapes, industrial materials, and functional designs to serve the new communist society. Artists, functioning as engineers, aimed to replace intuitive "composition" with scientific "construction," creating objects for mass production rejecting individualism and utilitarian social purpose rather than subjective emotional expression.	Vladimir TATLIN, EI LISSITZKY, Laszlo MOHOLY-NAGY, Lyubov POPOVA	NEHICH3
Suprematism	1915	1930	Suprematism is a Russian abstract art movement that emphasizes the supremacy of pure feeling and perception over representational art. Its style is defined by its use of simple, flat geometric shapes (like squares and circles) and bold colors arranged on white backgrounds to convey ideas of infinity, transcendence, and a new non-objective reality. It aimed to create an autonomous visual language divorced from nature and the physical world, intended to be a fundamental, universal form of expression.	Kazimir MALEVICH, Alexander RODCHENKO, Olga ROZANOVA, Ivan PUNI	
Social realism	1920	1960	Social realism was characterized by realistic depictions of everyday life and the struggles of ordinary people, particularly the working class, to expose social injustices and call for reform. Emerging in the early 20th century, it often features themes of poverty, labor exploitation, and inequality, aiming to raise public consciousness and advocate for socioeconomic change through accessible, often politically charged artwork.	Jacob LAWRENCE, DEYNEKA Aleksander, WRONBLEWSKI Andrzej, OROZCO Jpse Clemente	
Precisionism	1920	1940	Precisionism was an American art style characterized by clean, sharp lines and geometric/smooth forms that depicted industrial and architectural subjects with impersonal clarity and a focus on modern machinery and urban landscapes. Influenced by European movements like Cubism, it emphasized precise detail and abstracted forms, often leaving out human presence to celebrate the aesthetic of modernity and progress.	Charles SHEELER, Charles DEMUTH, Paul STRANG, Margaret BOURKE-WHITE, Joseph STELLA, Georgia O'KEEFE	
Muralism	1920	1960	Muralism creates large-scale artworks directly onto walls and other permanent structures, often to convey significant social, political, and historical messages, and to foster community identity. Originating in early 20th-century Mexico as a post-revolutionary effort to educate and unite the public, it became a powerful tool for social commentary and a way to make art accessible outside of museums and galleries.	Diego RIVERA, Jose OROZCO, David SIQUEIROS, Rufino TAMAYO	N. N.
Harlem renaissance	1920	1950	The Harlem Renaissance is an art movement where African American artists used creative expression to celebrate black culture, challenge racial stereotypes and express a new sense of racial identity and pride. It was a "flowering of black creativity" centered in Harlem, New York, but with a national and international reach, that reshaped the narrative of black life in America through diverse artistic styles and themes.	Augusta SAVAGE, Archibald MOTLEY, Aaron DOUGLAS, Lois Mailou JONES, Jacob LAWRENCE, Beauford DELANEY	
Magic realism	1925	-	Magic realism in art presents a realistic, observable world but incorporates fantastical, inexplicable, or mysterious elements as if they were ordinary, blurring the lines between reality and the supernatural. The style emphasizes the strangeness of everyday life through hyper-detailed, often eerie, and uncanny imagery rather than escapist fantasy.	Franz ROH, George TOOKER, Andrew WYETH, Edward HOPPER, Albert Carel WILLINK, Andrea KOWCH	

Art Brut or Outsider art	1930	-	Art brut refers to creative works made by people operating outside the traditional art world whose work is characterized by pure, uninhibited spontaneity and expression without concern for academic standards, competition, or market success. Key aspects: Unconcentional creators, spontaneity and emotion, rejection of academic works, "raw" aesthetics.	Jean DUBUFFET, Judith SCOTT, Henry DARGER, WOLFI Adolph, SCHUTZ Dana	
Surrealism	1930	-	Surrealism seeks to unlock the power of the unconscious mind, emphasizing irrationality, dreams, and the unexpected to create art that challenges reality. Its art is defined as "pure psychic automatism" of thought, free from reason and conventional aesthetics. Key features: Dreamlike imagery, distorted forms, juxtaposition of unrelated objects, and use of spontaneous techniques like automatic drawing to bypass rational control.	Jean BRETON, Joan MIRO, Rene MAGRITTE, Salvator DALI, Andre MASSON	
Regionalism	1930	1945	Regionalism was an American art movement from the 1930s and 40s that focused on realist, figurative depictions of rural and small-town North-American life, rejecting European abstract art in favor of scenes from the nation's "heartland". Its artist created reassuring images of American virtue, community, and agricultural life during the Great Depression.	Grant WOOD, Thomas Hart BENTON, John Steuart CURRY, Norman ROCKWELL, Jean-Paul LEMIEUX	
Concrete art	1930	1960	Concrete art is a purely abstract art movement, that emphasizes geometric shapes and colors and lacks any reference to the natural world, symbolism, or emotion. It aims to create works from "pure plastic elements"—line, plane, and color—based on mathematical or scientific principles, rather than from observed reality. The art refers only to itself and its own creation, representing thoughts, mental construction and concepts in a tangible form without any subjective or symbolic meaning.	Theo Van DOESBURG, Max BILL, Piet MONDRIAN, Lygia CLARK, Richard Paul LOHSE	
Abstract art	1940	-	Abstract art is an global art form that does not attempt to accurately represent the visual reality of the world, but instead uses shapes, colors, forms and gestural marks to achieve its effect. This non-objective approach emphasizes the elements of art themselves like color, line, and texture to create a unique visual experience, evoking emotions or intellectual responses from the viewer rather than portraying recognizable subjects. Some abstract movements clearly defined separately: Art informel, Abstract expressionism, Tachism	Henry MOORE, Mark BRADFORD, Julie MERHETU, David SMITH	
Tachism	1940	1960	Tachism was a post-World War II French style of abstract painting, characterized by spontaneous, gestural application of paint to create informal spots, stains, and splashes of color. It is considered the European equivalent to American Abstract Expressionism, particularly action painting, focusing on the intuitive expression of emotion and the physical act of painting through methods like dripping, splattering, and pouring paint.	WOLS, Hans HARTUNG, Serge POLIAKOFF, Georges MATHIEU, Jean FAUTRIER	
Art informel	1945	1960	Art informel is a broad European art movement from the 1940s and 1950s characterized by expressive, gestural abstraction that rejected traditional artistic forms, emphasizing process, spontaneity, and raw emotion to confront the aftermath of World War II.It's considered the European counterpart to American Abstract Expressionism.	Jean FAUTRIER, Georges MATHIEU, Jean- Paul RIOPELLE, Alberto BURRI, Karel APPEL, Asger JORN, Jean DUBUFFET	
Abstract expressionism	1945	1965	Abstract Expressionism was a post-World War II American art movement characterized by non-objective, emotionally charged paintings that emphasize the artist's spontaneous gestures and inner feelings rather than realistic depictions. Originating in New York it shifted the art world's focus from Paris to the U.S. by rejecting traditional representational art in favor of large-scale works born from improvisation and internal experiences.	Jackson POLLOCK, Willem De KOONING, Mark ROTHKO, Lee KRASNER	
Figurative art	1945	-	Figurative art is any artwork created after 1945 (just for a reference) and not belong other well recognized movement as Hyper realism, Cubism, Surrealism that depicts real-world objects, people and places in a recognizable way, often retaining strong references to reality. It is a form of representational art and can range from realistic to semi-abstract, contrasting with abstract art which is non-representational. Common subjects include the human figure, animals, landscapes, and still life.	ZENG Fanzhi, PRINCE Richard, PARTY Nicolas, BOAFO Amoako, CONDO George	W.
Geometric art	1945	-	Geometric art is an abstract art form that uses mathematically defined shapes like circles, squares and triangles to create non-representational compositions that emphasize precision, balance, and harmony. It often features repeating patterns and symmetry to communicate ideas about space, balance, or even spirituality, and it has been embraced across many cultures and historical periods, from ancient Greece to the modern digital age.	Robert MANGOLD, Felipe FONTAINE, Riszky RACH, LI Wenguang, Benedict ROS	
Neo- impressionism	1945	-	<b>Neo-Impressionism</b> is a personal definition for artwoks and artists born after 1945 that took Impressionism's main caracteristics and applied them with their modern vision, touch, materials and technics, redefining/enlarging the scope of impressionism canon. To <u>not confuse with</u> Post-impressionims movements like pointillism, fauvism	Matthew WONG, Harold ANCART, Paul KENTON, Lucas ARRUDA, Maria KREYN	

Spatialism	1950	1980	Spatialism aims to synthesize color, sound, movement, space and time into a new form of art that transcends traditional artistic boundaries. It embraces modernity, science, and technology, seeking to go beyond the limitations of a flat canvas by creating actual space and voids. Fontana's iconic works, like his slashed canvases, are a direct manifestation of Spatialism's core idea: Breaking the plane of the artwork to reveal and engage with the infinite dimension of space.	Lucio FONTANA, Enrico CASTELLANI, Alberto BURRI, Enrico DONATI, Agostino BONALUMI	
Kinetic art	1950	-	Kinetic art is any art that includes motion as a key element, using elements like motors, wind, or viewer interaction to create movement, or the illusion of it through optical effects. The word "kinetic" comes from the Greek word kinesis, meaning "movement". This form of art can incorporate mechanical components, light, and even robotic elements, transforming traditional, static art forms into dynamic, evolving systems.	Marcel DUCHAMP, Naum GABO, Alexander CALDER, Victor VASARELY, Bridget RILEY	
Post-painterly abstraction	1955	1965	Post-painterly abstraction was a 1960s movement reacting against the subjective, gestural, and emotional styles of abstract expressionism, instead emphasizing formal qualities like clear color fields, defined shapes, and flatter, two-dimensional surfaces to create a more intellectual and austere aesthetic. It encompasses styles such as color field painting and hardedge painting, featuring techniques that eliminate visible brushstrokes for a more impersonal and optically engaging experience.	Sam FRANCIS, John FERREN, Ellsworth KELLY, Kenneth NOLAN, Helen Frankenthaler, Morris LOUIS	
Pop art	1955	1980	Pop art is an art movement that recontextualizes imagery from popular culture, such as advertising, comics, and everyday objects, to create new and often ironic works of fine art. Emerging in post-WWII Britain and the United States, the movement's artists used accessible, mass-produced visuals to challenge traditional notions of art, connect with a wider audience, and comment on consumerism and mass media.	Andy WARHOL, Roy LICHTENSTEIN, James ROSENQUIST, Claes OLDENBURG, Eduardo PAOLOZZI	
Minimalism	1960	1970	Minimalism emphasizes extreme simplicity in form and content, using basic geometric shapes, industrial materials and repetitive elements to strip away all non-essential features. A reaction against abstract expressionism, minimalism focuses on the artwork's pure physical presence and its interaction with the surrounding space. The meaning is found in the direct relationship between the viewer, the object, and the context, famously summarized by Frank Stella's phrase, "What you see is what you see".	Carl ANDRE, Dan FLAVIN, Richard SERRA, Frank STELLA, Sol LeWITT, Agnes MARTIN	
Lowbrow art	1960	1980	Lowbrow art was an underground, self-taught often humorous art movement that originated in Los Angeles in the late 1960s and 1970s, drawing from pop culture, comic books and Kustom Kulture to create a style distinct from the mainstream art world it was often opposed to. Also known as pop surrealism, it incorporates influences from underground comix, hot rod culture, and punk music, using popular icons in a satirical and rebellious way to challenge traditional art's elitism.	Robert WILLIAMS, Ron ENGLISH, Mark RYDEN, Konan LIM, Ray CEASAR	
Conceptual art	1960	-	Conceptual art is an art movement where the concept or idea behind the work is more important than the finished object or aesthetic appeal. Emerging in the 1960s, it challenges traditional notions of art by prioritizing thought, process, and meaning over traditional skills, materials, or form. Conceptual artists use various media, including text, photography, video, performance, and found objects, to convey their ideas, sometimes even creating no physical object at all.	Joseph KOSUTH, Yoko ONO, Hans HAACKE, Marina ABRAMOVIC, Dan GRAHAM	
Light and space	1960	1985	Light and Space refers to a 1960s Southern California art movement focused on creating experiential artworks that use light to alter viewers' perceptions of space and reality. Characterized by its use of geometric abstraction, minimalist installations, and innovative technologies, the movement emphasizes the viewer's sensory experience over the traditional art object, blurring lines between the physical and the ephemeral.	James TURRELL, Robert IRWIN, Mary CORSE, Larry BELL, Fred EVERSLEY	
Feminist art	1960	-	Feminist art is a broad, evolving art movement to challenge gender inequality, patriarchal structures and the historical exclusion of women artists from the male-dominated art world. It advocates for women's perspectives and rights, often by redefining artistic mediums, highlighting female experiences and critiquing traditional gender roles and power imbalances. Feminist art utilizes various styles and media, including performance, textiles, and installation, to provoke dialogue, raise awareness, and drive social and cultural change.	Judy CHICAGO, Miriam SCHAPIRO, Barbara KRUGER, Carolee SCHNEEMANN, Jenny HOLZER, Hannah WILKE	
Op art	1965	-	Op art (Optical Art) is an abstract art style that uses precise geometric patterns and colors to create optical illusions, making viewers perceive movement, vibration, or other distortions. The meaning is to "trick the eye" through sophisticated compositions that engage the viewer's perceptual processes, giving the impression of three-dimensionality, swelling, or flashing patterns.	Victor VASARELY, Bridget RILEY, Jesus Raphael SOTO, Josef ALBERS	孫國
Pattern & Decoration	1965	1985	Pattern and Decoration (P&D) was an American art movement that rejected the minimalist and conceptual art of the time by reintroducing ornamentation, pattern, and decorative motifs into art. The movement embraced traditionally marginalized forms and sources, such as feminine domestic crafts, textiles, and non-Western art, to challenge the male-dominated canons of high art and emphasize aesthetic pleasure.	Joyce KOZLOFF,Miriam SCHAPIRO, Valerie JAUDON, Robert KUSHNER, Kim MacCONNEL	7

Hyper realism	1965	-	Hyper realism creates artworks with such meticulous details and precision that they become indistinguishable from photographs and often appear more tangible than the original subjects. It builds upon photorealism by using photography as a reference point to construct a new, simulated reality with enhanced details, textures, lighting and emotional depth, blurring the line between fact and fiction.	Carlos BRUSCIANELLI, Zac LEE, Ralph GOINGS, Audrey FLACK, Carole FEUERMAN, Vija CELMINS	12
Street art	1965	-	Street art is visual art created in public locations like buildings and streets, ranging from graffiti and murals to stencils, stickers, installations, and yarn bombing. It serves as a form of public expression, often with a social or political message, challenging norms of public space and corporate messaging. While sometimes unsanctioned or illegal, street art is increasingly recognized and valued as an art form, with techniques and motivations as diverse as the artists who create it.	BANSKY, Shepard FAIREY, Keith HARING, JR, Lady PINK, Blek Le RAT, Alexandre ORION	
Arte povera	1965	1975	Arte Povera (Poor art) was an Italian art movement that emphasized the use of simple, everyday or "poor" materials such as earth, rocks, fabric, and natural elements to create artworks. The movement critiqued post-war consumerism, the commercialization of art and Italy's rapid industrialization by contrasting raw, natural materials with modern, industrial ones. It also explored concepts like materiality, process and the relationship between art and life, moving beyond traditional painting to embrace conceptual and performance-based work.	Germano CELANT, Giovanni ANSLEMO, Jannis KOUNELLIS, Marisa MERZ, Michelangelo PISTOLETTO	
Fantasy art	1965	-	Fantasy art is a broad genre of art characterized by its depiction of imaginary worlds, mystical themes and supernatural elements, often inspired by mythology, folklore, and fantasy literature. It typically employs a representational and naturalistic style to create dreamlike or otherworldly scenes, including fantastical creatures, impossible architecture and magical scenarios that transcend the constraints of reality.	HUANG Yuxing, CALLEJA Jordi, PAN Dehai, YUSKAVAGE Lisa, ROKKAKU Ayako	
Maximalism	1970	-	Maximalism is an aesthetic characterized by excess, abundance and extravagance, directly contrasting with the minimalist "less is more" philosophy. It involves layering bold colors, intricate patterns, diverse textures and various objects to create a rich, detailed and sensory-rich work or space. This style celebrates complexity and ornamentation and its influence can be seen in various art forms, interior design and fashion.	DING Yi, Jocelyn HOBBIE, Amir H. FATTAH, Ibrahim MAHAMA, Alia ALI	
Neo- expressionism	1980	-	Neo-expressionism is a late 20th-century art movement characterized by a return to figurative painting, <b>bold and vivid colors</b> , <b>raw and expressive brushwork</b> and the exploration of <b>intense emotional</b> and <b>narrative themes</b> . Emerging as a rejection of the cool detachment of Minimalism and Conceptual Art, it drew inspiration from German Expressionism and incorporated elements of <b>popular culture</b> , <b>history</b> and <b>mythology</b> to create art with both <b>emotional depth</b> and broad references.	Georg BASELITZ, Jean-Michel BASQUIAT, Julian SCHNABEL, Eric FISCHL, Anselm KIEFER	A
Digital art	1990	-	Digital art uses digital technologies like software, computers and electronic devices, to create artworks encompassing a wide range of forms including digital paintings, NFT, illustrations, 3D models, animations and video. It can either fully embody digital technology as a medium, exploring its unique characteristics like interactivity and perfect duplicability or use it as a tool for production, such as in digital photography or 3D printing.	Mike WINKELMANN, Stepan RYABCHENKO, Kyle LAMBERT, Tamiko THIEL, PAK, Tyler HOBBS	