Pratt Institute Libraries: Sustainable Design Research Guide

Guide to finding information on sustainable/green packaging, product, fashion, industrial, graphic and communication design.

KEYWORDS
Sustainable design
Green design
Environmental design
Eco-design

SUBJECT HEADINGS
Commercial art—environmental aspects
Design—environmental aspects
Design, industrial—environmental aspects
Environmental ethics
Graphic arts—environmental aspects
Green marketing
Recycling

WEBSITES
Design for Environment (DfE)
http://dfe-sce.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/home_e.html

Sustainable Products & Design
http://www.cfd.mit.edu/

ReNourish: environmentally responsible design
http://www.re-nourish.com/

Design by Nature
http://designbynature.org/main.php

AIGA Center for Sustainable Design
http://sustainability.aiga.org/

Buckminster Fuller Institute (BFI)
http://www.bfi.org/

Design Can Change (Graphic Design)
http://designcanchange.org/#home

Greenbiz.com: green product design
http://www.greenbiz.com/toolbox/

BOOKS
Online catalog: http://prattcat.pratt.edu/

745.2 M136
Cradle to cradle: remaking the way we make things by William McDonough.

745.2 W594
Design for society by Nigel Whiteley.

720.86 D457
Design like you give a damn: architectural responses to humanitarian crisis by Architecture for Humanity.

720.47 Y38E
Ecodesign: a manual for ecological design by Ken Yeang.

745.20904 F949

745.20905 B877
Experimental eco->design: architecture / fashion / product By Cara Brower, Rachel Mallory, Zachary Ohlman.

745.2 P213G
The green imperative: natural design for the real world by Victor Papanek.

745.20973 G798
Green products by design: choices for a cleaner environment.

658.564 S466
Packaging and the environment: alternatives, trends, and solutions by Susan E.M. Selke.

688.8 P119
Packaging for the environment: a partnership for progress by E. Joseph Stilwell ... [et al.].

688.8 D396P3
Packaging Prototypes 3: Thinking Green (Design Fundamentals) by Edward Denison.

676.28 T469
Recycled papers: the essential guide by Claudia G. Thompson.

646.1 A887
Sew vintage: new creations from found fabrics by Jennie Archer Atwood.
**FINDING ARTICLES**
The library catalog lists books and journals, not the chapters or articles inside them. To find articles on a particular topic, use the **electronic databases** (periodical indexes).

**Databases**: Browse full text and citations to articles; compilations of electronic versions of journals, abstracts, and indexes.  
[http://library.pratt.edu/databases.html](http://library.pratt.edu/databases.html).

**Electronic journals**: Browse electronic versions of print journals. [http://library.pratt.edu/e-journals.html](http://library.pratt.edu/e-journals.html).

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**ARTbibliographies Modern**

Abstracts of journal articles, books, essays, exhibition catalogs, dissertations and exhibition reviews with comprehensive bibliographic coverage of modern and contemporary art, architecture, design and photography. The time period coverage includes the 19th and 20th centuries. Covers literature published since 1974. A list of periodicals indexed is available. Updated monthly.

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**Art Index and Art Index Retrospective**

Indexes citations to articles from over 600 journals published worldwide with broad coverage of art-related topics including fine, applied and media arts, architecture, and design. Also indexes reproductions of works of art that appear in the indexed journals. A list of periodical titles for either Art Index or Art Index Retrospective is available. Indexes Print, ID, Eye and Communication Arts Magazine.

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**Design and Applied Arts Index (DAAI)**

Indexes over 500 journals that cover industrial design, interior design, fashion, graphic design, typography, packaging, etc., since 1973. Supplementary databases provide contact information for craft & design organizations, special collections of design & craft, design & craft education programs, and periodicals. Online help is available. Coverage is worldwide. Updated annually.

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**Grove Dictionary of Art**

Contains over 41,000 articles on the art and architecture of Asia, Africa, Europe, the Americas and the Pacific, with links to images and further information in museum and other art-related web sites. Help is available.

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**OmniFile**


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**Material ConneXion**

An online database of over 1,400 materials and processes of the latest materials typically unnoticed or difficult to reach by the design community. For architecture, interiors, furniture design, sports related design, consumer product design, apparel, automotive design, aerospace, military, medical, environmental design.

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**JSTOR**

A searchable, digitized archive of major scholarly journals in numerous academic fields. Coverage spans the first date of publication to the last three to five years. JSTOR is **not** a current issues database. JSTOR offers researchers the ability to retrieve high-resolution, scanned images of journal issues and pages as they were originally designed, printed, and illustrated.

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