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Making Europe's cultural heritage more accessible and usable

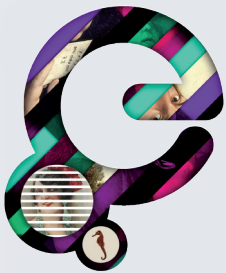## What is ASSETS?

ASSETS stands for Advanced Search Services and Enhanced Technological Solutions for the European Digital Library.

ASSETS is a Best Practice Network co-funded by the CIP PSP Programme to improve the accessibility and usability of Europeana (the European Digital Library platform). The ASSETS Consortium comprises 24 partners including institutions from ten different European countries and Japan, active in the field of cultural heritage and digital libraries. The presence of UNESCO guarantees a worldwide coverage.

## Which benefits does ASSETS offer?

ASSETS brings to the forefront of the large scale service implementation and real user context validation innovative technologies allowing:

### Multimedia search and retrieval

» ASSETS aims to enhance the search and retrieval services of Europeana.

### Semantic browsing

» ASSETS allows users to explore the Europeana portal in an interactive way .

### Interface improvements

» ASSETS will deploy interfaces specially designed for browsing multimedia content.

### New multimedia content for Europeana

» ASSETS dedicates effort towards increasing the volume of digital content accessible by Europeana portal.

## ASSETS is notably addressed to:

» Cultural Heritage Organizations
» Citizens/Users
» Digital Libraries Communities
» Private ICT players
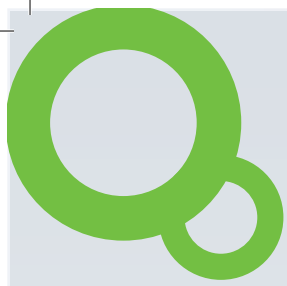» Universities and Research Centres

## Interested in ASSETS? Join us!

You'll be one of the early adopters of ASSETS' services and your content will be accessible through the EUROPEANA portal!

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| **ATC** | Athens Technology Center (GR) *www.atc.gr* | **AIT** AUSTRIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY | AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH (AT) *www.ait.ac.at* |
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| **UNESCO** | United Nation Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization *www.unesco.org* | **M** fondazione luigi micheletti | Fondazione Luigi Micheletti (IT) *www. fondazionemicheletti.it* |
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