

Finland and Europeana: a Digital Briefing



Hearing the Homework, 1923, Yrjö Ollila, Finnish National Gallery, CC BY. (VIAF)

Digital Assets in Europeana: 972,728 (on 17 January 2018)

Funding

Since 2008, Finland has contributed €120,000 to the funding of Europeana.

To date, Europeana has enabled contribution of €143,077 from the budget of the EU to fund Europeana projects in Finland.

Partner	Project	Funding
Aalto-Korkeakoulusäätiö	Europeana Creative	€115,633
Helsingin Yliopisto	Europeana Awareness	€12,804
Kansallisarkisto (Finnish National Archives)	Europeana Cloud	€14,640



Participation in projects

Currently there are no Finnish partners that contribute in EU-funded projects to Europeana. The projects directly support knowledge and technology sharing between libraries, museums, archives, software agencies and university research departments. The activities include delivering content, technology and knowledge to Europeana.

Aggregation to Europeana

Europeana Collections features over 50 million records of which 972,728 are provided by Finnish Institutions. Most records are provided by National Library of Finland and OpenUp!. All records aggregated by Finland can be found [here](#)¹. The main point of contact in Finland is Formula maintained by the National Library.

Data Partners

The 972,728 objects from Finland are delivered through 13 partners. The largest Data Partner is National Library of Finland with 544,595 objects provided to Europeana Collections. The partners are listed below.

Data Partners	Objects on the Portal
National Library of Finland	544595
National Board of Antiquities	202228
Lusto - The Finnish Forest Museum	90700
Finnish Museum of Natural History	58210
The Military Archives of Sweden	30271
Työväen Arkisto	27821
Finnish National Gallery	10030
Svenska litteratursällskapet i Finland	5823
Helinä Rautavaaran museo	1340
Kansallinen Audiovisuaalinen Arkisto	700
Museovirasto	521



Designmuseo	446
Kansallisarkisto	43

Openly Licensed Data

56.4% of the 927,910 objects in Europeana provided by Finland is openly licensed². 3.4% of these objects are shown with the internationally accredited Public Domain mark³, 53% is licensed under CC⁴ and 0,001% is licensed under CC BY⁵. Openly Licensed data is important as it allows contribution of content to education, creative industries, exhibitions and the like.

Web Traffic & Usage on Europeana Collections coming from Finland

The strategy of Europeana⁶ is to increase use of cultural heritage data by placing the material where users are. This does require the data to be under an open license in the main so that education, research systems and creative industry users can access the data automatically.

	2015	2016	2017
Visits on Europeana Collections	53,748	48,059	45,423
Views on objects from Finland	67,789	53,629	52,254
Top item	<u>Sotasyllisyysoikeus kokoontuneena Säätitalolle</u> ⁷	<u>Haavoittunut enkeli</u> ⁸	<u>Turkiet, floder och kanaler</u> ⁹

- 77% of visits from Finland browsed Europeana Collections in Finnish, 17% in English, 3% in Swedish while 3% used other languages.
- The number of objects on Europeana1914-1918 when using the keyword 'Finland': 199





Media Coverage & Highlights

Media Coverage

Across 2012-2017 there were 8 media mentions in Finland:

- 1 radio feature
- 1 print report
- 6 online

Highlights

The Finnish National Gallery and Europeana recently collaborated on audience engagement, curatorial work and data enrichment. Europeana has been working with the Finnish National Gallery to upgrade and update its data in Europeana Collections. In September 2017, Hanna-Leena Paloposki, Chief Curator, Archive and Library Manager at Finnish National Gallery joined the Europeana Collections team for a two-month residency, working with the team to upgrade the Finnish National Gallery's data.

Europeana Network Association

The Europeana Network Association is a dedicated group of experts working in the field of digital heritage. To date 24 people from Finland have registered as Europeana Network Association Members. Every year the Europeana Network Association elects the Members Council consisting of 36 members who play a crucial role across all Europeana's activities.



Annex

¹http://www.europeana.eu/portal/en/search?f%5BCOUNTRY%5D%5B%5D=finland&locale=en&per_page=96&q=%2A%3A%2A&view=grid

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⁶ <http://strategy2020.europeana.eu/update/>

⁷http://www.europeana.eu/portal/en/record/2022042/10999_1976951F_F699_40F5_ACBA_3180C87AC0DA.html?q=Sotasyyllisysoikeus+kokoontuneena+S%C3%A4%C3%A4tytalolle

⁸ http://www.europeana.eu/portal/en/record/2063618/FI_280_005.html

⁹http://www.europeana.eu/portal/sv/record/2048325/providedCHO_SE_KrA_0402_30_D_f_3.html

