

Modern design, additional resources

Resources:

MoMA Learning, Design (explore different materials, motifs, and designed forms—the chair!)

https://www.moma.org/learn/moma_learning/themes/design/simple-machines

https://www.moma.org/learn/moma_learning/themes/design/plastic

https://www.moma.org/learn/moma_learning/themes/design/everyday-marvels

https://www.moma.org/learn/moma_learning/themes/design/chairs

Design in a Nutshell:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NsfL8KpM7Qs&list=PLhQpDGfX5e7CJ87BDeuTdXTpxl0YM2Tdb>

Futurama! (1930s design, New York World's Fair, 1939)

<https://www.nypl.org/audiovideo/new-york-worlds-fair-1939-40>

Design, Politics and Commerce: International Exhibitions 1851-1951

Pictures from the 1925 Paris Exposition:

<http://special.lib.gla.ac.uk/teach/century/artdeco.html>

Bauhaus Dessau:

<http://www.bauhaus-dessau.de/en/index.html>

Charles and Ray Eames, postwar designers extraordinaire!

<http://www.eamesoffice.com/>

Series of essays, The Metropolitan Museum of Art:

Design, 1925–50

http://www.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/dsgn2/hd_dsgn2.htm

Design, 1950-1975

http://www.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/dsgn3/hd_dsgn3.htm

Design, 1975 to the present

http://www.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/dsgn4/hd_dsgn4.htm

Fun postwar videos (and just explore archive.org):

The American Look, Part I: <https://archive.org/details/American1958>

The American Look, Part II: https://archive.org/details/American1958_2

The American Look, Part III: https://archive.org/details/American1958_3

Design for Dreaming: <https://archive.org/details/Designfo1956>

Aluminum on the March:

https://archive.org/details/0186_Aluminum_on_the_March_M03505_05_11_50_00

Tatra film: <http://www.roadandtrack.com/car-culture/a6317/video-tatra-603-promo-circa-1962/>

Frankfurt Kitchen

https://www.moma.org/interactives/exhibitions/2010/counter_space/the_frankfurt_kitchen

<http://www.vam.ac.uk/content/journals/conservation-journal/issue-53/frankfurt-kitchen-patina-follows-function/>

<http://www.museumderdinge.org/exhibitions/permanent-collection-open-storage/frankfurt-kitchen>

Frank Lloyd Wright (excellent documentary):

<http://www.pbs.org/flw/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kvjv3QGeGX8>