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Bloch Galleries Decorative Arts: Major Movements of the 19th Century and Early 20th Century

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European decorative arts of the 19th century include examples of many different styles and movements, from the Gothic Revival, to Art Nouveau and Modernism. In this bibliography, we have listed general titles on European decorative arts of the 19th and 20th centuries, and books on the different movements and styles. We have also included a listing of titles about the individual artists whose work is included in the galleries.

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