Box 3.2

ART COLLECTION PORTAL

The website, whose contents are optimised for all devices (computer, mobile or tablet), has five main sections:

"About us" examines the collection's origins, history and characteristics, in addition to one of the Banco de España's most valuable cultural assets: its architectural heritage.

"Collection" includes around 1,700 works by nearly 500 artists. Each of the pieces reproduced comes with specific fact sheets featuring high-quality images and explanatory texts. The zoom feature allows users to examine finer details with excellent image quality.

The works in this section are presented in seven main categories ("Artists", "Sculpture", "Painting", "Drawing", "Photography", "Graphic arts" and "Decorative arts") that will be constantly updated. There is also a more crossdisciplinary category, "Itineraries", which presents carefully selected works from our collection in a series of unique and educational compilations. These itineraries are curated by external experts and function as "virtual exhibitions", providing a fresh take on our collection.

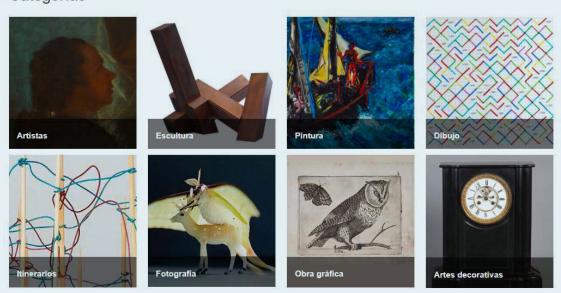
"Exhibitions" offers information on the different exhibitions - past, present and future - organised by the Banco de España Collection.

"Publications" provides information on the various Banco de España Collection publications, including the three volumes of its Catalogue Raisonné. Users can download PDF files of the publications free of charge.

The "News" section features the latest news on relatively unknown and interesting aspects of the Banco de España Collection. It also features a list of categories, allowing users to search news items by specific topics or themes. It functions as a blog of sorts, with the various posts appearing chronologically, from newest to oldest.

General sections: in addition to the dedicated sections, a series of general sections offers information on the services provided by the Banco de España Collection, along with the accessibility specifications of the website and other technical and legal aspects.

Categorías



As part of an undertaking to bring its historical-artistic heritage within the public's reach, the Banco de España has launched its first art collection portal.