

## SEARCHING the WEB for IMAGES

### Organizing & searching images in your computer:

- ⊙ Photoshop (PC & Mac): **File** menu → **Browse with Bridge**
- ⊙ Picasa (PC & Mac) – free download from Google: <http://picasa.google.com>
- ⊙ iPhoto (Mac only) – pre-installed in Applications folder of Mac OSX

### Search Engines (Advanced Search) for IMAGES on the web:

- ⊙ **YAHOO** [images.search.yahoo.com/search/images/advanced](http://images.search.yahoo.com/search/images/advanced)  
for only large SIZE, specify *Large* OR *Wallpaper*
- ⊙ **PICSEARCH** <http://www.picsearch.com/index.cgi?st=advanced>  
for only large SIZE, specify *Wallpaper* OR *Very Large*
- ⊙ **GOOGLE IMAGE:**

**GOOGLE Search Settings:** *Google Search* same for *Google Images*:

<http://images.google.com/preferences>

- ⊙ **Interface Language:** for fun, *Elmer Fudd* or *Pirate* or *Bork!* but beware perils of *Hacker*
- ⊙ **Results Window:** *Open search results in a new browser window*  
[ or alternatively for each link, left-click + Ctrl (Mac: left-click + z) ]
- ⊙ click **Save Preferences** at either top right or bottom right of webpage

**GOOGLE Search Symbols** for Google Search for TEXT similarly apply to Google Search for IMAGES:

<http://www.google.com/support/websearch/bin/answer.py?hl=en&answer=136861>

- ⊙ **EXACT PHRASE:** add double quotes around words: *"jelly and peanut butter sandwich"*
- ⊙ **EXCLUDE WORD** – add *minus sign (-)* with no space in front of word, for example for Pluto the planet rather than Pluto the cartoon character: *pluto -cartoon -disney*
- ⊙ **BROADEN SEARCH:** add *capped OR* between words for *either/or*: *apples OR oranges*
- ⊙ **WILDCARD WORD** (*Fill in Blank* for whole word): add *[space] asterisk [space]* instead of word: *Great \* Owl* instead of *Great Horned Owl* & *Great Gray Owl* & *Great Grey Owl*

**GOOGLE Advanced Image Search** [http://images.google.com/advanced\\_image\\_search](http://images.google.com/advanced_image_search)

- ⊙ **Content types** → select where appropriate, especially useful for *faces*
- ⊙ **Size** → **Large** or **Larger than 1024x768** (for full screen size for classroom projection)

### Sources of IMAGES on the web that are royalty-free & copyright-free:

JSC Digital Media – comprehensive index to image sources for art, architecture and design:

<http://www.jiscdigitalmedia.ac.uk/stillimages/advice/finding-art-architecture-and-design-images>

JSC Digital Media – index to image search engines

<http://www.jiscdigitalmedia.ac.uk/stillimages/advice/review-of-image-search-engines>

Flickr Creative Commons Images (for a fun way of searching Flickr, try: <http://taggalaxy.de> )

<http://www.flickr.com/creativecommons>

Wikipedia Public Domain Image Resources

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Public\\_domain\\_image\\_resources](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Public_domain_image_resources)

Web Gallery of Art – complete with musical accompaniment!

[www.wga.hu/index1.html](http://www.wga.hu/index1.html)

World Art Web Kiosk – from California State University system

[worldart.sjsu.edu](http://worldart.sjsu.edu)

University of Texas Library Map Collection – includes an extensive list of links

[www.lib.utexas.edu/maps](http://www.lib.utexas.edu/maps)

**VIEWING IMAGES on the WEB** – to maximize viewing area, close all or most browser toolbars:

- ⊙ EXPLORER: **View** menu → **Collapse** Toolbars
- ⊙ SAFARI: **View** menu → **Hide Bookmarks Bar, Hide Status Bar, Hide Tab Bar**
- ⊙ FIREFOX: **View** menu → **Toolbars** → uncheck **Bookmarks Bar**

**DOWNLOADING IMAGES off the WEB:**

- ⊙ EITHER: left-click on the image, hold the click, drag to desktop
- ⊙ OR: right-click on image → pop up menu → *Save Picture as ...* (Mac: *Save Image to Desktop*)
- ⊙ BOTH: then an icon of closed image appears on desktop
- ⊙ BUT: if image is embedded or encrypted, instead do *Screen Capture* (Screen Shot)

**SCREEN CAPTURE (Screen Shot) on WINDOWS** (plus Vista's Snipping Tool & plug-ins for XP)

- ⊙ **Print Screen** (PrtScn) key → saves to *Clipboard* (to save just active window, + **Alt** key)
- ⊙ EITHER: in *Photoshop*
  - ⊙ **FILE** menu → **New**
  - ⊙ **EDIT** menu → **Paste** (Control + V)
- ⊙ OR: in *Photoshop Elements*
  - ⊙ **FILE** menu → **New** → **Image from Clipboard**
- ⊙ BOTH: in *Photoshop* and in *Photoshop Elements*:
  - ⊙ **LAYER** menu → **Flatten Image**
  - ⊙ **FILE** menu → **Save** (Control+S) → *Save As* dialog box → *Format: JPEG* → **Save**

**SCREEN CAPTURE (Screen Shot) on MAC** (in addition to many free widgets)

- ⊙ EITHER: for entire screen: **⌘** + **Shift** key + keyboard number **3**
- ⊙ OR: **⌘** + **Shift** key + keyboard number **4** → click & drag diagonally across image; release
- ⊙ BOTH: image icon appears on desktop, default format is *.png*, but default can be changed
- ⊙