

Sculpture

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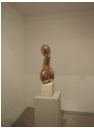
Belvedere Torso
Signed "Apollonios, son of Nestor, Athenian"



Boy with Thorn



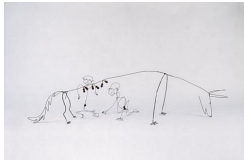
Constantin Brancusi- Romanian 1876-1957
The Kiss
Sleeping Muse
• Modeled after Baroness Renee-irana Franchon
Bird in Space
• Tamed by US customs
Princess X
• Phallic shaped
• Rendering of Mario Bonaparte
Mademoiselle Pogany
• Hungarian girl with her hands on face
The Endless Column
• The Table of Silence
• The Gate of the Uss
• Targa Jiu
• Commemorates WW1 heroes
• 15 rhomboidal modules
Leading figure in Modernism



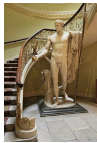
Bartholdi- French 1834-1904
Liberty Enlightening the World (Statue of Liberty)

Gutzon Borglum- American 1867-1941
Mount Rushmore
• South Dakota
• The Needles were passed over
• Dynamite and honeycombing used
Mares of Diomedes
• Tribute to Confederate soldiers
Busts of Abraham Lincoln

Alexander Calder- American 1898-1976
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• At JFK Airport
Pittsburgh
Spray
Flamingo
• Red stable in Chicago
Universe
Mountains and Clouds
• Hart Senate Office Building in Washington DC
Cirque Calder
• Miniature contortionists, sword eaters, and lion tamers
Mercury Fountain
• Mercury rather than water
La Lupa



Antonio Canova- Italian 1757-1822
Psyche Revived by Cupid's Kiss
• Scene from Apuleius's Golden Ass
• Psyche expires from the underworld, but it contains sleep instead of beauty
• Used curved chairs to reach inaccessible parts
• Copied directly from a painting in Herculaneum
Napoleon as Mars the Peacemaker
• Holds a gilded Nike standing on an orb in right hand, and staff in left
• Napoleon said it made him appear "too athletic"
Perseus Triumphant
• Holding head of Medusa
Venus Victrix
• Commissioned by Camillo Borghese
• Depicts his wife Pauline Bonaparte
• Lying nude on couch, holding an apple
• Wanted to depict her as a virgin, but she laughed at this idea
• Said she didn't mind posing naked, as Canova wasn't a "real man"
The Three Graces
• Euphrosyne, Aglaea, and Thalia
Tomb of Pope of Clement XIV
Penitent Magdalene
• Marble
Would make finishing touches by candlelight
Neoclassical



Benvenuto Cellini- Italian 1500-1571
Salt Cellar
• "Represented the Sea and the Land, both seated, with their legs intertwined"
• For his patron Francis I
• stolen by Robert Meng
Perseus with the Head of Medusa
• Blood drips from head
Nymphs de Fontainebleau
• Lunette with hounds flanking a reclining nymph with her arm around a deer
Leda and the Swan
• Medallion
Used bedroths to escape from the Castel Sant'Angelo
Mannerist



Etienne Falconet- French 1716-1791
Bronze Horseman
• Equestrian statue of Peter the Great
• Commissioned by Catherine the Great
• Sits on top of Thunder Stone, the largest stone ever moved by humans
○ 400 men 9 months, led by Carburis
Milo of Croton
• Wrestler being bitten by lion
Pygmalion and Galathea
Sarcot Cupid
Pupil of Jean Baptiste Lemoyne
Teacher of Marie-Anne Collot
Worked at Sevres Manufactory
Rococo



Daniel Chester French- American 1850-1931
Seated Statue in the Lincoln Memorial
Minute Man
Standing Lincoln
• Nebraska state capitol
Alma Mater
• Woman in robes
• Columbia University



Heratio Greenough- American 1805-1862
George Washington (Washington Enthroned)
• Modeled after Zeus Olympios
The Rescue
• Frontiersman stops tomahawk welding indian from murdering his family



Jean-Antoine Houdon- French 1741-1828
Busts of famous philosophers and political figures
Voltaire Seated
• Gifted to Chatterine the Great
Ecorche (Flayed Man)
• No skin



Anish Kapoor- British 1954
The Bean (Cloud Gate)
• 475.7 Plaza at Millennium Park, Chicago
• Liquid mercury
• 168 stainless steel plates
• "omphalos" (navel) on underside
Sky Mirror
• Nottingham, England
• Rockefeller Plaza
ArcelorMittal Orbit
• Red corkcreeper tower
• Olympic Park in Startford, London
• Funded by Lakshmi Mittal, richest person in London
• Longest piece of public art in Britain
Tees Valley Giant
• Temenos
The Origin of the World
• Black oval on sloped wall
Martyrs
• 3 steel rings connected by red PVC membrane
When I Am Pregnant
• Bulge on white wall
Descent into Limbo
Vantablack controversy
• Exclusive rights to the "blackest black"
• Stuart Semple sold a "pinkest pink" that he could not use
Often works with Cecil Balmond



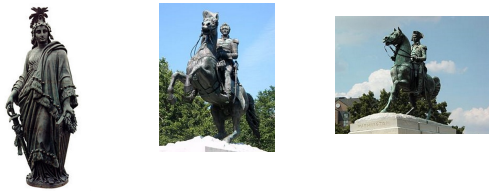
Leochares- Greek 4th century
Apollo Belvedere



Lysippos- 4th BC Greek
Farnese Hercules
• Enlarged copy was made for the Baths of Caracalla in Rome
• Leaning on club draped in lions skin
Apocymenon (The Scaper)
• Athlete wiping off sweat and dust
Personal sculpor to Alexander the Great
Three greatest with Scopas and Praxiteles



Clark Mills- American 1810-1883
Statue of Freedom
• Crowns the US Capitol
Equestrian statue of Andrew Jackson
Equestrian statue of George Washington



Hiram Powers- American 1805-1873
The Greek Slave
• Elizabeth Barrett Browning wrote a sonnet on it
• Now in Ruby Castle
• Abolitionist symbol
• Inspired by Venus de Medici
• Cross and locket indicate christianity
• "utter despair for the present mingled with somewhat of scorn for all around her"



Praxiteles- 4th BC Greek
Hermes and the Infant Dionysus
Apollo Saurcrotanos
• Apollo about to catch lizard climbing up tree
Apollo Lycius
• Apollo resting on stump
Aphrodite of Knidos
• First nude female
• Her leaving bath
S-shaped curve of sculptures



Frederic Remington- American 1861-1909
The Bronco Buster
Shotgun Hospitality
A Dash for the Timber
The Outlier
• Native American on horse
• Moonlit night
Fight for the Waterhole
Cold Morning on the Range
The Sergeant
Paleolithic Man



Auguste Rodin- French 1840-1917
The Age of Bronze
• The paris salon nearly rejected, believing he cast from a living model
The Walking Man
The Burghers of Calais
• Commemorated port during 100 years war
• Bravery of elders
The Kiss
The Thinker
• Originally called "The Poet"
• Lower limbs destroyed by bomb in 1970
The Gates of Hell
• Scenes from Dante's Inferno
Man with the Broken Nose
• Rejected by Paris Salon
Crouching Woman
The Falling Man
I am Beautiful
• Made from joining Crouching Woman and The Falling Man
• Inspired by Atlas



Scopas- 4th BC Greek
Melagager
• leader of the Calydonian bear hunt
Head of the goddess Hygieia



Lorado Taft- American 1860-1936
Eternal Silence
• Chicago's Graceland Cemetery
• People who view it are said to witness their own death
Fountain of Time
• Washington Park, Chicago
• Father Time standing in front and holding scythe
• 100 other figures at all stages of life

