Online Digital Image Resources

http://arthist.cla.umn.edu/aict/html/index.html Art Images for College Teaching (AICT) Art Images for College Teaching is a non-profit project of its author, art historian and visual resources curator Allan T. Kohl

Metropolitan Museum of Art: 
http://www.metmuseum.org/

Smithsonian:  
http://www.si.edu/Encyclopedia_SI/Art_and_Design/ URL link to multiple image databases

http://digital-image-collections.wikispaces.com Wellesley wiki covers free and fair use web sites

http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/Main_Page a database of 7,420,300 freely usable media files

http://worldimages.sjsu.edu WorldImages database provides access to the California State University IMAGE Project. It contains approximately 80,000 images, is global in coverage and includes all areas of visual imagery.

http://www.vangoghletters.org/vg/ letters to and from Vincent Van Gogh (Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam)

http://historic-cities.huji.ac.il/historic_cities.html maps, literature, documents, books, and other materials relating to the past, present, and future of historic cities

http://www.matapihi.org.nz/en/matapihi The British Museum online photographic collection, which now includes thousands of Pacific (including Maori) images

http://clara.nmwa.org/ The Clara database offers information on 18,000 women visual artists of all time periods and nationalities drawn from the materials in National Museum of Women Artists extensive Archives

http://www.davisart.com

http://www.vam.ac.uk/collections/index.html Victoria and Albert Museum collections

http://www.preraphaelites.org/
MCAD's image collection project "Art of the Poster: 1880-1918" courtesy of VR Librarian Colette Lunday

http://accessceramics.org/ contemporary ceramics image resource

http://designarchives.aiga.org/ AIGA (American Institute of Graphic Arts) Design Archives

http://www.hermitagemuseum.org/fcgi-bin/db2www/browse.mac/category?selLang=English
English language link to Hermitage, St. Petersburg

http://bilddatenbank.khm.at

http://www.louvre.fr/llv-commun/home.jsp?bmLocale=en English language link to the Louvre

http://www.museodelprado.es/coleccion/galeria-on-line/ Museo Nacional del Prado

http://www.scholarsresource.com/ Provides works of art for teaching, including image collections from Saskia Ltd., Davis Art Images, Hartill Art Associates, Archivision and The Bridgeman Art Library and more

http://www.lessing-photo.com/ Erich Lessing Culture and Fine Arts Archive is an extensive image library featuring over 40,000 high resolution images from over 500 museums and many other collections.

http://digitalgallery.nypl.org/nypldigital/ Provides free and open access to hundreds of thousands of digital images from NYPL collections, including illuminated manuscripts, historical maps, rare prints and photographs, and more


http://www.virtualuffizi.com/ Uffizi Gallery, Florence

http://art.thewalters.org/ The Walters Art Museum, Baltimore

http://www.wga.hu/index1.html The Web Gallery of Art is a virtual museum and searchable database of European painting and sculpture from 11th to mid-19th centuries.
http://ica.princeton.edu/  Index of Christian Art Electronic access to one of the largest and most important photographic and bibliographic archives of medieval art, worldwide. Bibliographic and iconographic index to Late Antique and Medieval art objects, to 1400 C.E, covering publications early 20th century - present. **Image access is gradually being incorporated**

http://www.gettyimages.com/CreativeImages/ImageCollection

http://www.dia.org/art/search-collection.aspx  Detroit Institute of Arts

http://www.cvaonline.org/cva/projectpages/cva1.htm  Corpus Vasorum Antiquorum is an important research resource on Greek vases in museum collections, worldwide with approx. 250 digitized museum catalogues, with illustrations

http://www.columbia.edu/~hds2/BIB95/00art_images_buckland.htm  Japanese art available online and in print resources maintained Rosina Buckland (IFA Alumnus)

http://www.britishmuseum.org/research.aspx  The British Museum

http://www.bridgemanart.com/  images from over 8,000 collections and more than 29,000 artists, an excellent source of fine art and historical images

http://www.beazley.ox.ac.uk/index.htm  Provides bibliographic references and allows for iconographic searching on Classical vases. Based on J.D. Beazley’s Attic black-figure vase-painters and Attic red-figure vase painters

http://www.vads.ac.uk/  variety of online image collections at various UK institutions from (mostly) non-traditional fields of art history

http://www.artres.com/c/htm/Home.aspx  Photo archive of fine art with images of works from prehistoric times to the present. Over three million transparencies and black and white photographs of painting, sculpture, architecture and the minor arts. Also serves as the official rights and permissions representative for many institutions in the United States and abroad.

http://www.artic.edu/aic/collections/search/citi  The Art Institute of Chicago

http://www.artandarchitecture.org.uk/about.html  Images from The Courtauld Institute’s various collections, There are more than 40,000 images and a network of over half a million links.
This University of Pittsburgh website provides access to a comprehensive collection of images and detailed descriptions of Chartres Cathedral.

Operated by Artists Space, New York the Irving Sandler Artists File represents mostly young, contemporary artists working in North America.

New York Public Library Picture Collection (approx. 38,000 images)

Art History Resources on the Web is a comprehensive site with links to images of art from the prehistoric through the 20th Century

Art Source is a selective site with links to many online art and art history resources

Koninklijke Bibliotheek-National Library of the Netherlands: Medieval Illuminated Manuscripts

Boston Printmakers Association

illuminated books

Smithsonian Institution Cross Collection Search Tool

Metropolitan Museum of Art Heilbrunn Timeline of Art History

Victorian Resources Online--annotated list of scholarly websites

Museums, galleries and collections from jiscdigital media (joint information systems committee)
http://www.europeana.eu/portal/ portal with links to over 6 million images, text, video and sounds from European museums, libraries, archives and audio-visual collections

http://www.greatbuildings.com/ collection of photos, architectural plans, 3D models and maps

http://www.moma.org/ Museum of Modern Art New York-museum’s online collection of over 30,000 works. Multimedia section includes audio, video and interactive exhibitions

http://www.nationalgallery.org.uk/ the London gallery’s entire collection is available to search, also of interest is the Research section for access to other online collections

http://www.nga.gov/ Washington DC gallery’s collection, audio and video podcasts are also available

http://www.tate.org.uk/ online collection which includes illustrated information for the majority of works from Tate Britain, Tate Modern, Tate Liverpool and Tate St Ives

http://www.askart.com/AskART/index.aspx provides information (images, biographical info, auction prices) about artists

http://www.folkartmuseum.org/ nyc

http://asiasociety.org/arts-culture/asia-society-museum nyc

http://www.brooklynmuseum.org/opencollection/collections/ nyc downloadable images from the diverse collection of this New York museum

http://www.westchelseaarts.com/ nyc listing of art galleries in Chelsea neighborhood

http://www.cooperhewitt.org/COLLECTIONS/ nyc

http://collections.frick.org/ nyc

http://www.guggenheim.org/new-york/about/guggenheim-images nyc online service for image buyers and researchers, images from the archives are accessible for licensing.
The collection spans the history of the photographic medium, from daguerreotypes to gelatin silver and digital chromogenic prints, with special emphasis on American and European documentary photography from about 1930 through the 1960s.

The Morgan's holdings include Egyptian art, Renaissance paintings, Chinese porcelains, illuminated, literary, and historical manuscripts, as well as early printed books, old master drawings and prints.

searchable database from El Museo's Permanent Collection includes Caribbean, Latino and Latin American art, Modern and Contemporary Art, Graphics, masks and other devotional objects, as well as Taino pre-Columbian materials.

National Academy Museum--one of the largest public American art collections in the country containing works from the 19th century to the present. Comprised of over 7,000 works in almost every artistic style.

Online collection reflects the wide range of mediums and movements in the Whitney, works are being added on an ongoing basis with over 18,000 works available today.