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Brief History Subject to research

Scope and Coverage Indian subcontinent has always been the reservoir of talent in the field of art, science, literature, or any other field. However, special emphasis should be given to the famous Indian art and its various forms. The art work of this country, be it paintings or sculptures

or even traditional arts like Rangoli, has always gathered appreciation from people residing in almost all the parts of the world. Indian subcontinent is famous for being the home country of a large number of exceptionally brilliant artists, including painters, writers, singers, etc. The art of painting in India dates back to the ancient times, as is evident from the cave paintings of Ajanta and Ellora. Many painters of India have received global recognition also and their paintings have fetched millions of dollars in international auctions. From the paintings revolving around religious topics to the abstract ones, Indian painters have covered almost each and every arena. This site describes Indian arts, painting as well as biography of painters.

It also includes biography of Indian leader, reformers, Indian clothing, Indian food, Indian architecture, Indian crafts, precious stones, Indian cinema, Indian forts, Indian pilgrimage, Indian religions, and national symbols, Temples in India, India tours, Indian folktales, Indian music, and Indian culture in Tamil and in Hindi etc.

Kind of Information

Entries include date of birth, famous for, profession, associated with, style of work and other details of his/her innovation.

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Abanindranath Tagore was known for his amazing paintings & literary works. Explore his biography cum life history.

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Abanindranath Tagore

Abanindranath Tagore, the nephew of Rabindranath Tagore, was born on 7th August 1871. He was one of the most prominent artists of the Bengal school of painting, along with being the first major supporter of swadeshi values in the Indian art. Abanindranath is also regarded as a proficient and accomplished writer. The painter tried to modernize Moghul and Rajput traditions as an answer to the growing influence of Western art under the British Raj. With this biography, we are trying to throw light on the life history of Abanindranath Tagore.

Abanindranath Tagore was born in the Jorasanko town of West Bengal. The younger brother of Gaganendranath Tagore, an eminent artist, Abanindranath was introduced to art in the 1880s, when he was studying at the Sanskrit College. In the year 1889, he married Srimati Suhasini Devi, the daughter of Bhujagendra Bhusan Chatterjee. It was around this time that he left the Sanskrit College and joined St. Xavier's College as a special student for one and a half years.

In 1897, the Vice-Principal of 'Calcutta Government School of Art' started teaching the traditional European academic manner to Abanindranath Tagore. During that time, Tagore developed an interest in watercolors and also came under the influence of Mughal art. He made some beautiful paintings based on the life of Lord Krishna, reflecting a strong influence of the Mughal style. A meeting with E.B. Havell convinced Abanindranath Tagore to work with him in the process of the renewal of the style of teaching at the Calcutta School of Art.

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Special Features

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- ❖ In this site, different type of Indian weddings culture, dances, social issues are also described.

***Arrangement
Pattern***

Biographical entries are arranged alphabetically under the option of Indian Art.

Remarks

This site is very useful to know Indian culture as well as biography of cultural persons, who are involved in different artistic activities, leader of India. Historic artistic works, monuments, dances, cultural ceremony are also highlighted in this site. This is helpful for researchers who are working on culture.

***Comparable
Tools***

- Famous modern art artist (http://www.ranker.com/list/famous-modern-art-artists/reference?var=3&utm_expid=16418821-300.nxxosUKPRc-jijaZcm5P8Q.2&utm_referrer=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.co.in%2F)
- Web gallery of art : Biographies of artist (<http://www.wga.hu/index1.html>)
- Art magick (<http://www.artmagick.com/>)
- The-artists.org (<http://the-artists.org/artist>)
- Modern artist full list (http://www.theartstory.org/section_artists.htm)

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