cultural heritage licensing

global licensing with cultural heritage institutions
Copyright clearance project

- public domain check
- copyright collective members
- renewal of contracts
Problem

- archives have works of many creators (>4000)
- many creators have 1-10 works in the collection
- time consuming and expensive to contact individual creators
- duplication of work: contact information already available within other institutions
collections overlapping
Analysis and consultation
License

1. Creator
2. Right holder
3. Works
4. Display and re-use
5. Personal information

CC0 publication

Copyright licence

1. Creator

**Identification** details original creator and right holder

- If the works have been created by a natural person:
  - First name(s): ........................................
  - Family name: ......................................
  - Date of birth: ......................................
  - Date of death: .....................................

- If the works have been created by a legal entity (public authority, company, foundation, association):
  - Known under the name(s): ..........................
  - Location(s): ........................................
  - Chamber of Commerce-number: ..................

CC0 publication
2. Right holder

Identification details of the present rightholder when the rights of the creator have been disposed of (inheritance, sale, takeover):

☐ The rights have been disposed of or granted to a natural person:
First name(s): ........................
Family name: ........................
Date of birth: ........................
Date of death: ........................

☐ The rights have been disposed of to a legal entity (public authority, company, foundation, association):
Known under the name(s): ........................
Location (s): ........................
Chamber of Commerce-number: ........................
Works

- specified heritage institution
- all heritage institutions nationwide
- heritage institutions worldwide
- specific works

3. Works

I hereby declare that I am the owner of the copyrights of the named creator of the following specific works.

Scope or Coverage

This declaration applies to:
- all up to the present day created works, included or acquired in the future within the collection of [institution, i.e. Stadsarchief Delft]
- all up to the present day created works, included or acquired in the future within the collections of cultural heritage organisations in The Netherlands
- all up to the present day created works, included or acquired in the future within the collection of cultural heritage organisations worldwide
- specific works. Describe the relevant (collection of) works
4. Rights of display and reuse

- **display at cultural heritage organisation(s)**
  I give permission for the duration of the copyright within the scope of the named cultural heritage organisation(s) for the works to be made available to the public via the website and related social media related to the cultural heritage organisation including digital publicities and reproductions. The cultural heritage organisation will when making publications include recognition of authorship.

- **reuse by anyone including compulsory recognition of authorship**
  I hereby declare the works to be published under free of licence Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 (https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/). I declare here to permit anyone the right to use this work for all purposes, including commercial purposes. Every time used by anyone recognition of authorship will apply. I retain my copyright upon the work. I am aware that I cannot withdraw this declaration.

- **reuse by anyone without further restrictions**
  I hereby declare that for as far as the law allows to bestow the works to the public domain by giving up worldwide my copyrights of the work, including all the corresponding/accompanying and neighbouring rights under Creative Commons Zero. I am aware that I cannot withdraw this declaration.
Privacy

- permission for publication of contact details
- permission for publication of birthyear and birthplace
- specified display names of creator and right holder

6. Personal information

☐ I give permission to cultural heritage institutions to display along my name my birth year and birth place

☐ By default a cultural heritage institution chooses the display name. For publications I prefer a special name notation (i.e. pseudonym, company name):

........................................................................................................................................

☐ As rightholder the following specific mentioning should be used:

........................................................................................................................................

☐ I give permission to publish contact details for reproduction purposes. Please use the following contact information (i.e. website, social media, e-mail address, postal address and/or phone):

........................................................................................................................................
Clearing procedure

1. institution contacts right holder
2. right holder signs agreement
3. works published with reference to contract
4. other institution checks website
5. publication of the works
Further steps

- clearance autumn 2019
- machine readable and public licenses
- online tool to create a prefilled license
- hosting of license
- connection to wikidata
‘Tate’-check

- Museum Boymans van Beuningen
- contemporary art online, creator:
  - member of copyright organisation
  - personal license with Tate

SORRY, COPYRIGHT RESTRICTIONS PREVENT US FROM SHOWING THIS OBJECT HERE
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>label</th>
<th>afb</th>
<th>occupation</th>
<th>date of birth</th>
<th>place of birth</th>
<th>date of death</th>
<th>copyright holder</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| Johannes Machielis Bakels |     | photographer             | 1885-07-13    | Amsterdam      | 1959-03-04   | Archives of Delft
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Amsterdam Municipal Archives                                                  |
| Henri Berassenbrugge       |     | photographer             | 1873-09-13    | Rotterdam      | 1959-05-04   | Archives of Delft
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Rotterdam Municipal Archives                                                  |
| Jurrien Adrianus Burghoorn|     | painter                  | 1879-07-14    | Delft          | 1950-05-14   | Archives of Delft
|       |     | drawer                   |               |                |              | Museum De Lakenhal                                                              |
| Calvé                         |     | photographer             |               | Delft          |              | Archives of Delft
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Museum De Lakenhal                                                              |
| Johannes (Joh.) Doorne      |     | photographer             | 1869-01-31    | Delft          | 1926-05-31   | Archives of Delft
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Museum De Lakenhal                                                              |
| Louis Drabbe                |     | photographer, publisher  | 1862-11-04    | Delft          | 1934-02-12   | Archives of Delft
|       |     | merchant                 |               |                |              | Rijksprentenkabinet                                                            |
| Frederik Christiaan Filip Gräfe | | photographer, lithographer | 1835-01-30    | Amsterdam      | 1905-05-14   | Archives of Delft
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Rijksprentenkabinet, University of Leiden, Leiden                            |
|       |     |                          |               |                |              | Rotterdam Municipal Archives                                                  |
Contact

Hanno Lans hanno@copyclear.nl  www.copyclear.nl

Many thanks to Annika Hendriksen - Stadsarchief Delft


(presentation CC-0)