# Timeline for Cubism, Futurism, Dada, Surrealism, and the US between the Wars

## Week 7 Events

1908: Matisse coins term "Cubism"

1911: Marie Curie wins Nobel Prize for Chemistry

1912: S.S. Titanic sinks on maiden voyage; 1513 people drowned

1914: World War I

1917: Allies execute dancer Mata Hari as a spy

1918: Leonard Woolley begins Babylonian excavations

1919: German peace treaty signed at Versailles

1920: 19th Amendment gives American women right to vote

1924: Greece proclaimed republic

1926: Kodak produces first 16mm movie film

1928: First Mickey mouse films from Disney

1930: Van Doesburg first uses term "l'art concrete"

1936: King Edward VIII abdicates; succeeded by brother George VI

1940: World War II

1942: Enrico Fermi splits the atom

1947: The Dead Sea Scrolls discovered in Wadi Qumran

1948: Gandhi assassinated

Information from: “The Timetables of History, the New Third Revised Edition” by Bernard Grun, Simon & Schuster/Touchstone, 1991.

## Week 7 Artwork

1. Pablo Picasso, Old Guitarist, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1903.
2. Frank Lloyd Wright, Robie House, Chicago, Illinois, 1909.
3. Piet Mondrian, Composition (No. 1) Gray-Red, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1935.
4. Salvador Dali, Venus de Milo with Drawers, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1936.
5. Rene Magritte, Time Transfixed, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1938.