Visual Evidence
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http://libguides.princeton.edu/urbanstudies

- Architecture and City Planning Collection (all media)
- Archivision Collection
- Comprehensive Art History Visual Resources Collections

(PU Access Only)

It is a digital record of American history and creativity with collections that chronicle historical events, people, places, and ideas that continue to shape America, serving the public as a resource for education and lifelong learning.

http://memory.loc.gov/ - free

- Prelinger Archive
- "Community Video"
- Way Back Machine
- Many of the digitized texts are formatted for the Kindle and other portable readers

https://archive.org/ - free

Ap Images
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Useful for context, often will include images of sites, buildings, etc., that will not turn up in another resource.

NYPL Digital Gallery provides free and open access to over 800,000 images digitized from the The New York Public Library's vast collections, including illuminated manuscripts, historical maps, vintage posters, rare prints, photographs and more. Be sure to check out the very amazing Cities & Buildings collections as well as Industry & Technology collections.
Sanborn fire insurance maps contain detailed information on urban structures property boundaries, and streets. Provides historical information on the historic growth, and development of American cities, towns, and neighborhoods.

This collection of digitized contains images ranging from New York to Central America, from African villages, to the Parc de la Villette, and conceptual sketches and models. Frank Gehry's Experience Music Project.

This is a search engine bringing together sites focusing on the conservation of cultural heritage, restoration and maintenance of the architecture, and preservation of the urban landscape.

The Gallery features over 800,000 items digitized from the Municipal Archives' vast holdings, including photographs, maps, motion-pictures and audio recordings spanning a 160-year period. Browsing the Collection by subject provides a useful overview of what is included.

Produced by the Architectural League of New York, the site includes profiles of firms, historical and statistical information, articles on critical issues, and photographs for each city in its collection. Specific cities include Beirut, Caracas, Dhaka, Tijuana, and Oslo.

Additional Resources
SAH Archipedia (PU Only) - Authoritative online encyclopedia of the built world published by the Society of Architectural Historians and the University of Virginia Press.

Historic Postcards
- Flickr Collection - http://www.flickr.com/groups/vintagepostcards/

Urban Studies Mobile Apps
- Tool Apps: ArcGIS, AutoCAD, ICAD, Design Data Engineer Materials, GPS MapCard 2, Photosynth
- Inspiration Apps: Buildings, Architizer, AIA City Guides
- Planning Apps: Cyburbia, City Maps to Go, Jane's Walk (www.janeswalknet), Urban Augmented Reality App
  - Available only in the Netherlands but there are plans to expand; allows you to scan a construction site and see what the completed project will look like; also recreates historic sites upon current setting