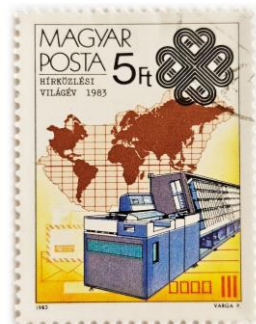


## PHILATELY AND THE MEDIA

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Philately is described as a hobby, a pastime, an art, but regardless of the definition given, it always goes beyond that. In addition to being an entertaining hobby and a means of study, it becomes an effective means of research and communication when describing and transmitting knowledge through its images and historical or cultural content. All the centuries of humanity are recorded in philately. Among so many activities that are practiced daily, communication and its importance in daily life, is an important theme in postage stamps.



In this exhibition, I show the diversity of topics related to communication that appear on postage stamps from various countries around the world. The following images show a range of interesting topics related to communication that philately focuses on through postal series: journalism, radio broadcasting, telegraph, telephone, mail, and satellite communications.



People who have contributed with their discoveries, inventions or proposals also appear on postage stamps. This publication shows Thomas Edison, inventor of the microphone, the telegraph and the motion picture camera, and Rowland Hill, creator of the postage stamp. And to add more references, other images are shown to link philately with the interesting world of communication.

