## LETTERFORMS AND TYPOGRAPHY PROFESSOR: CARLA BARR TA: CHRISTO ALLEGRA Spring 2009, DMA 25

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Schedul	e		
Week 1	Mar. 31 Tues	In class: Examination of fonts and discussion of type use in books and period Homework: Given in class.	licals.
Week 1	April 2 Thurs	Design covers for the book, Avant-Garde Page Design by Jaroslav Andel, publisher D.G.E.	
		Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • One size, one weight, 9 point Grotesque MT light only  • 7 1/2 X 9 5/8 trimmed to this size from the paper you use	Composition and Use of Space
Week 2	April 9 Thurs	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • Grotesque MT light only  • Any single point size per design. i.e. One design is 14 pt, another is 6 pt.	Use of Space and Type Size
Week 3	April 16 Thurs	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • Grotesque MT light and bold  • Any single point size per design. i.e. One design is 14 pt, another is 6 pt.	Light and Dark
Week 4	April 23 Thurs	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • Grotesque MT, entire family. No condensed or extended fonts.  Allowed: reg, reg italic, light, light ital, bold, bold ital, black, black italic.  • Any single point size per design. i.e. One design is 14 pt., another is 6 pt.	Light, Roman, Bold, Italic
Week 5	April 30 Thurs	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • Grotesque MT, entire family. No condensed or extended fonts.  • Any size combination	Point Size Combinations
Week 6	May 7 Thurs	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  Adding graphic elements in addition to type  Grotesque MT, entire family. No condensed or extended fonts.  Any size combination  Introduce the following elements: rules and solid blocks of black.  designs with rules only  designs with blocks of black and reversed type  designs with both rules and blocks	Rules and Blocks
Week 7	May 14	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters: ADD SPINE AND BACK COVER TEXT THIS WEEK  Grotesque MT, entire family. No condensed or extended fonts.  Any point size combination  May use rules and reverse type if you wish	Color and Text Addition of Spine and Back Cover
		Add one color to the mix. Use all values of the new color as well as black	Spine 1 5/8 inches
Week 8	May 21	Design 10 different front covers for the book with the following parameters:  • Grotesque MT, entire family. No condensed or extended  • Any point size combination  • Add one image and up to two colors	Photography
continue	d	Design and present three different chapter divider ideas for your bound boo	ok
Week 9		Select your best designs from each week and begin layout in book sequence.     Bookbinding preparation	Layout and Binding Prep
Week 10	)	Critique, individual and group	Critique, Revisions