

Bruce Mau & Max Kisman



Bruce Mau is born in Greater Sudbury, Canada

1959



Max Kisman is born in Doetinchem, Netherlands

1953



1968

Rudolf Hell designs the first digital typeface, Digi Grotesk



1972

In New York City, Theo Crosby, Kenneth Grange and Mervyn Kurlansky start **Pentagram**, which would become the world's most prominent design studio



Graduates from the **Rietveld Academy** in Amsterdam in graphic design and typography



1977

Ian Schrager and Steve Rubell open **Studio 54** in a former theater

Designs vinyl magazine, the manually-composed computer issue with various print outs of type and images

1980

Reagan is elected the 40th president in the United States



Drops out of college to join the **Fifty Fingers** design group



Joins Pentagram in UK

1982

The first reported cases of what would later become known as HIV/AIDS are identified in the US

1983

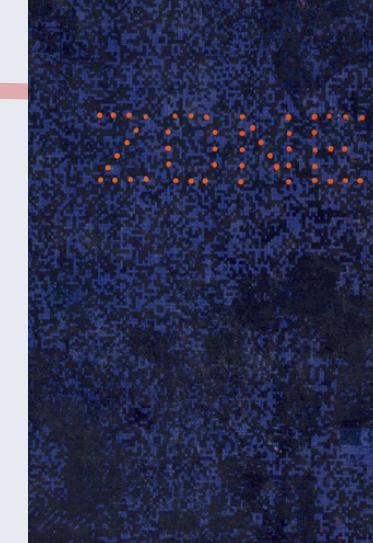
ARPAN transitions to the standard TCP/IP protocol of the World Wide Web

Ettore Sottsass founds the **Memphis Group**, an Italian design and architecture group



The First Macintosh was introduced by Steve Jobs

1984



Found Bruce Mau Design

Bruce Mau Design releases first book Zone 1|2: The Contemporary City

1985



Andrée Putman does interior design for the Morgans Hotel display



Creates the Red Cross stamps for the Dutch Postal Service



Joins Zone Books in
New York City

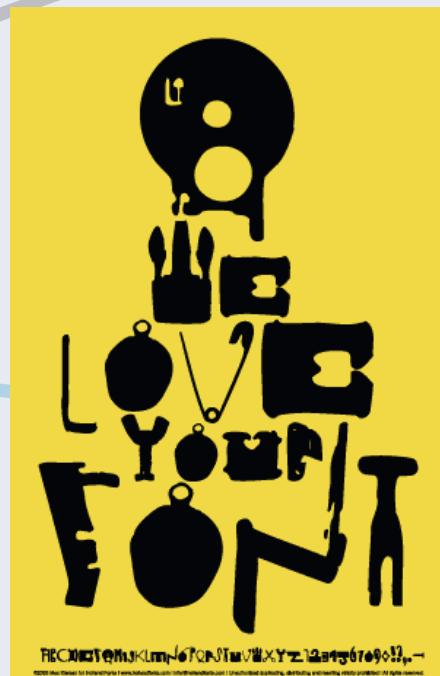


1986

Zone Books covers pictured above



The Berlin Wall is breached,
ending a 28-year division of
the city in Germany



Publishes We Love Your Font

Co-founds TYP/
Typografisch Papier on
typography and art

1989

Digitizes many of his early
typefaces for FontShop
International in Berlin,
Germany

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
l m n o h
t u v w h

Digitizes model for Piet
Schreuders Roach typeface

1990

Creates startup screen
for Apple Macintosh



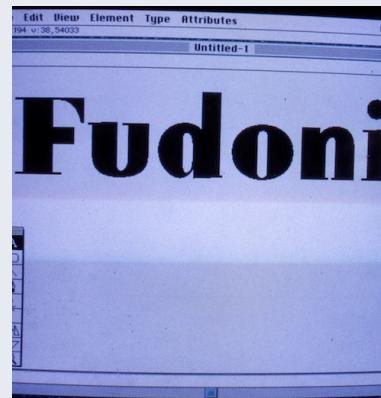
Becomes the creative director
of I.D. Magazine

1991



The Americans With
Disabilities Act becomes
law, identifying and requiring
standards of accessibility for
public buildings.

1992



Digitizes **Fudoni** typeface in
Adobe Illustrator



Publishes BMD's first major
studio project **S.M.L,XL**



HGTV hits cable television;
a generation of armchair
realtors and DIY designers
is born

1995

Anti-government radicals
bomb a federal building
in Oklahoma City in the
deadliest domestic terrorist
attack in US History

Works as graphic designer
for **VPRO** television in the
Netherlands and became
involved in interactive
media for VPRO-digital and
HotWired

1997

Moves to **Wired Television** in
San Francisco, USA

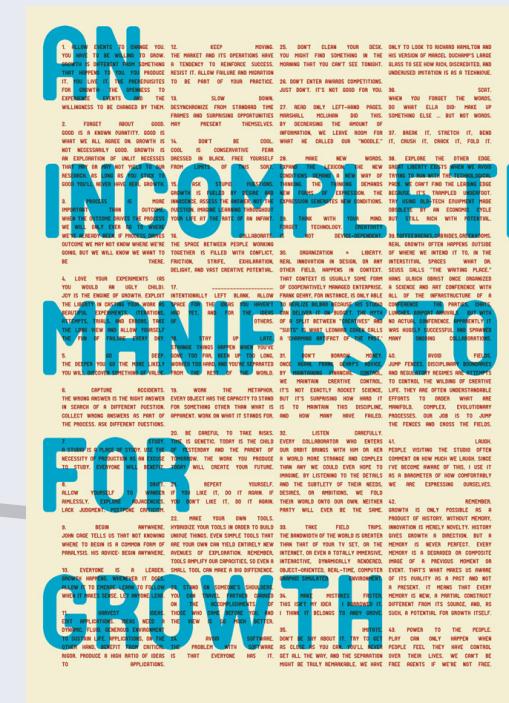


Larry Page and Sergey Brin launch the search engine **Google**

Becomes associate professor at Houston University, Rice University School of Architecture

1996

Online auction site **eBay** launches, making it easier than ever to buy vintage and used items



1998

Publishes **Incomplete Manifesto for Growth** that attempts to help designers and creative folks think about their design process

Becomes honorary fellow of the Ontario College of Art and Design

Receives honorary Doctor of letters from the Emily Carr University of Art and Design in Vancouver

2001

Michael Graves teams up with Target on a line of homewares as one of the first big name designers to collaborate with a big-box store

19 hijackers inspired by Islamist extremism kill nearly 3000 people after crashing two passenger commercial aircrafts into the World Trade Center towers in lower Manhattan



2002

Founds **Holland Fonts** for his own typeface designs

Participated in the Stock Exchange of Visions



2006

Architect William McDonough and chemist Michael Braungart publish **Cradle to Cradle: Remaking the Way We Make Things**, an environmental manifesto for the circular economy.

2007

The United States subprime mortgage crisis began financially devastating families in the United States and beyond



Assisted in design of Metlife stadium in New Jersey

Co-founds the Massive Change Network

2010

Redevelops and redesigns Ontario's ONroute service centers

2008

In response to the recession, the Tiny House movement, which embraces small living spaces, gets a foothold in the west of the United States



Creates poster for the birthday of Dixo Wankers





Received the Philadelphia Museum of Art's Collab Design Excellence Award



The CCTV headquarters is constructed making it one of the most notable architecture builds of the century



Creates Pictographs for Schipol Parking



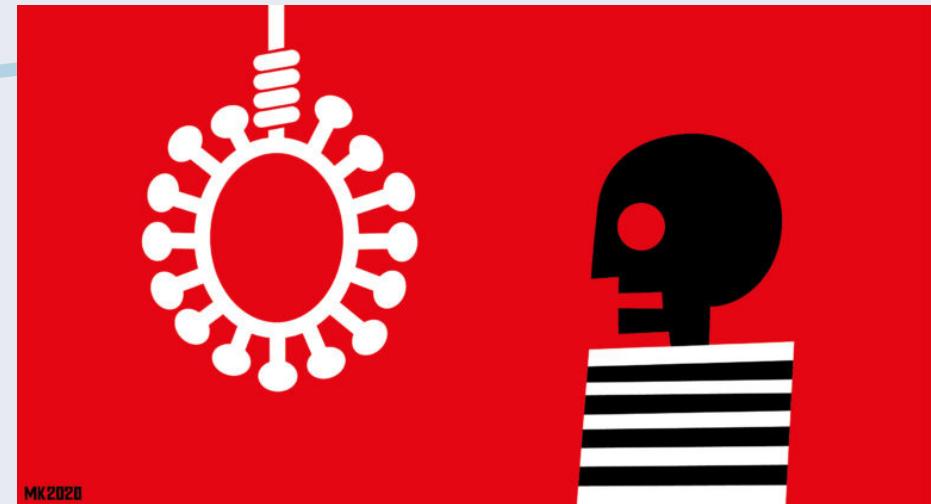
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2013

2020

The pink city in India is declared a World Heritage site by UNESCO

Releases project Visual Relief



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