VCGD-2232: Typography II

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Cuyahoga Community College

Viewing: VCGD-2232: Typography II

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Subject Code

VCGD - VC-Graphic Design

Course Number:

2232

Title:

Typography II

Catalog Description:

Advanced typography including compilation and production of information for use by an intended audience. Exploration of practical and production consideration with emphasis on various multiple page publication formats: book, brochure, magazine, journal, newsletter, newspaper, and e-book/e-pub.

Credit Hour(s):

3

Lecture Hour(s):

2

Lab Hour(s):

3

Requisites

Prerequisite and Corequisite

VC-1201 Typography I

Outcomes

Course Outcome(s):

Examine a variety of formats/outputs of publications.

Essential Learning Outcome Mapping:

Critical/Creative Thinking: Analyze, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to consider problems/ideas and transform them in innovative or imaginative ways.

Objective(s):

- a. Identify and develop resources and reference materials.
- b. Investigate design concepts and solutions for publications.
- c. Identify and implement various media and computer applications.
- d. Apply research to a final graphic design solution.

Course Outcome(s):

Produce various formats/outputs of designs to solve visual problems and communicate concepts: invitation, brochure, catalog, long document, newsletter, and e-book/e-pub.

Essential Learning Outcome Mapping:

Critical/Creative Thinking: Analyze, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to consider problems/ideas and transform them in innovative or imaginative ways.

Objective(s):

- a. Develop rough and comprehensive multi-page layouts, mock-ups, and dummies.
- b. Demonstrate skills and techniques in the creation of multi-page publications.
- c. Build on ideas from sketch state through a developing process to finished piece.
- d. Develop grids, layouts, and templates for brochures/catalogs/books.
- e. Create and prepare reader/printer proofs and manage production process.

Course Outcome(s):

Engage in, and reflect upon, their intellectual and creative development within the arts and humanities.

Objective(s):

- a. Implement design elements and principles.
- b. Specify color for impact and apply color theory to enhance concept and theme.
- c. Choose proper material such as paper, ink, or binding that will meet client needs as well as being environmentally friendly.
- d. Evaluate and consider publication design for integration in other digital media.

Methods of Evaluation:

- a. Visual and verbal presentations
- b. Proiects
- c. Participation in group discussions and critiques
- d. Portfolio review and critique

Course Content Outline:

- a. Simple document: Four-page document
 - i. Design consideration
 - 1. Single spread vs Double spread
 - 2. Contrast between inside and outside
 - ii. Use of tab, Use of paragraph rules
 - iii. Simple drawing, border
 - iv. Swatches: Paper color, Registration color Vs Black
 - v. Page shuffling
 - vi. Preflight
 - vii. Package, Print, and Export
- b. Multiple panel design: Six panel brochure: Tri-fold
 - i. Design consideration of structure
 - Explore die-cut
 - 2. Explore this project as a three-dimensional object
 - 3. Bring contrast from outside panel to inside panel
 - ii. Display font vs Text font
 - iii. Full size mock-up required
 - iv. Setting up a trifold document: understanding folding considerations
 - 1. One master page
 - Two master page
 - v. Bleed line set up
 - vi. Use of baseline grid relationship to the leading
 - vii. Text frame options
 - viii. Text thread and un-thread
 - ix. Learn and use proper use of invisible characters
 - 1. Line breaker
 - 2. Paragraph breaker
 - 3. Frame breaker
 - 4. Page breaker
 - 5. tab
 - x. Image handling

- 1. Image fitting
- 2. Styling
- 3. Linked panel
- xi. Text warp
- xii. Using Eyedropper tool/Color theme tool
- c. Long document
 - i. Design consideration
 - 1. Binding and margins
 - 2. Font choice
 - 3. Page number and folio info
 - 4. Visual hierarchy relationship to readability
 - 5. Chapter break
 - ii. Primary text box
 - iii. Set margin and column guides
 - iv. Using multiple master pages
 - v. Using layers
 - vi. Using text variables
 - vii. Using section markers & Page number
 - viii. Using Styles
 - 1. Using based-on styles
 - 2. Using nested styles
 - 3. Using Global Regular Expression Print (GREP) styles
 - 4. Using object styles
 - 5. Using Quick Apply
 - ix. Using libraries and snippets
 - x. Find/Change
 - xi. Creating a book
 - 1. Creating tables of contents
 - 2. Creating InDesign book files
 - 3. Book numbering
 - 4. Synchronization
 - 5. Pre-flight
 - 6. Outputting
- d. Duo tone newsletter with Table
 - i. Design consideration
 - 1. Grid: Create rows and columns, gutter and margins
 - 2. Use of color: duo tone Vs mono tone
 - 3. Newsletter Characteristics
 - 4. Target audience and font choice and size
 - 5. Budget & Time
 - 6. Name plate
 - ii. Copy fitting
 - iii. Color management
 - 1. Understand colors
 - 2. Gradient swatches
 - 3. Colors VS inks
 - 4. Spot color
 - 5. Color group
 - 6. Ink manager
 - 7. Previews, separations, and transparency
 - iv. Tables
 - 1. Table creation
 - 2. Adjust rows and columns
 - 3. Format a table
 - 4. Format cells
- e. Interactive publication

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 - i. Design consideration
 - 1. Navigation
 - 2. Screen typography
 - 3. Consistency and sequence
 - ii. Mapping
 - iii. Hyperlinks
 - iv. Interactive PDF
 - v. Animation: timing
 - vi. Buttons and forms
 - vii. Media
 - viii. Object states
 - ix. Export to the web with Publish Online
 - x. Liquid Format
 - xi. SWF, E-pub, PDF

Resources

Ellen Lupton. Thinking with Type. 2nd revised and expanded edition. New York: Princeton Architectural Press, 2010.

Beth Tondreau. Layout Essentials: 100 Design Principles for Using Grids. Rockport, 2011.

Samara, Timothy. Making and Breaking the Grid: A Graphic Design Layout Workshop. 2nd ed. Gloucester, MA: Rockport Publishers, Inc, 2017.

Josef Müller-Brockmann. Grid Systems in Graphic Design. 11th edition. Salenstein: Niggli, 1996.

Sarah Hyndman. Why Fonts Matter. 2016.

Gavin Ambrose and Paul Harris. The Layout Book. Fairchild Books, 2021.

Gavin Ambrose, Paul Harris. The Layout Book. Fairchild Books An Imprint of Bloomsbury publishing., April 8, 2021.

Ellen Lupton. Archive Bauhaus Typography at 100. Publisher. Letterform Archive, December 2021.

Resources Other

a. Linkedin Learning

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