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TYPOGRAPHIC DESIGN 1

PROJECT 3.

A Visual Hierarchy

Aim The project is meant to train with the basic typographic controls, the use of controlled anamorphic trasformations, reading basic layouts as architectures.

Tools Sketches; Helvetica font; vector-based software.

FORMAT 60 x 30 cm, white background, on cardboard.

Briefing Start with sketches. Using *only* the font Helvetica produce a set of 14 compositions, 6 by 6 cm, for the following words:

Auto, Natural, Driving, Leader, Father, Son, One, Two; Rabbits, Snake, Slowly, Fast, Talking, Movements.

STEP ONE Think over the meaning of expressive typography and set the fourteen words; then

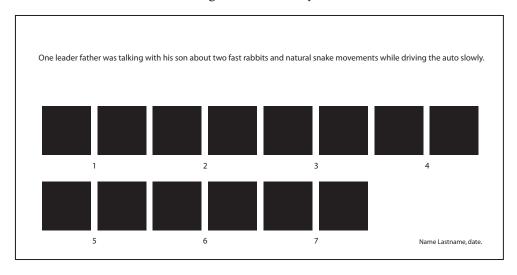
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6 cm square layout.

After critique, once the 14 compositions are enstablished, extract (use) the new word-marks as bricks to set (see the template .ai) a line of text, for the sentence:

« One leader father was talking with his son about two fast rabbits and natural snake movements while driving the auto slowly. »

EXAMPLE



TEMPLATE

http://homes.ieu.edu.tr/~asegalini/0607/temp/t1-project3 template.ai.zip

Рнігоѕорну

Both nature and technology teach us that form is not indipendent, but grows out of function (purpose), out of materials used (organic or technical), and out of how they are used. Jan Tschichold

Typographical design should perform optically what the speaker creates through voice and gesture of his thoughts.

El Lissitsky

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Due date December, 12-14th