Type designer | Font Engineer

Work experience

• Since 2020

Freelance type designer/font engineer

- Outstanding clients: <u>Google Fonts</u>, <u>Zalando</u>, <u>Fatype</u>, <u>205TF</u>, <u>NaN</u>, <u>GlyphsApp</u>, <u>Fontwerk</u>, <u>Rosetta</u> <u>Type</u>, <u>Die Grünen</u>, <u>Words of Type</u>.
- August 2019 April 2020

Font Engineer (trainee) at <u>Alphabet Type</u>, Berlin, Germany.

- Quality assurance for <u>Lineto</u>, <u>Forgotten Shapes</u>,
 Optimo.
- April June 2019 / internship

Type designer/Font developer at <u>Black[Foundry]</u>, Paris, France.

— Glyph set expansion (Greek script), outline refinement (Chinese and Hangul scripts).

Education

2017-2019

ANRT (Atelier national de recherche typographique), postgraduate research course in typography, Nancy, France.

2011-2016

<u>BA</u> + <u>MA</u> graphic design, Ensba Lyon (National School of Fine Arts), Lyon, France.

2008-2011

Technical Degree (BTS) in graphic design, "La Martinière-Diderot" (School of Design), Lyon, France.

2008

A-level of sciences, Fabert High School, Metz, France.

Languages

> French: native speaker

> English: fluent

> Italian: conversational

› German: basic

Familiar environments

- > OS: Mac, Windows
- > Font editors: Glyphs, Robofont, FontLab5
- Version control system: Git (Github, Gitlab, Bitbucket)
- > Workspace software: Notion
- > Command line tool: macOS Terminal
- QA tools: Fontbakery/Fontspector, Gftools, Fonttools
- Design softwares: Adobe Suite CC (Indesign, Photoshop, Illustrator)
- Productivity apps: MS Words, MS Powerpoint (for testing purposes)

Skills

- Font production: designing, refining and engineering typefaces for Latin (extended+) and Greek scripts.
- > Quality Assurance: conducting detailed font QA for multiple platforms, ensuring backward compatibility.
- Project management: planning, organising, and coordinating multi-phase font projects from conception to delivery.
- Team coordination: facilitating daily collaboration between remote designers, foundries, and developers to meet deadlines and maintain quality.
- Process design and implementation: defining and managing workflows that apply across entire font catalogues to ensure consistency and scalability.
- Version control and collaboration: advanced Git and GitHub usage, including repository management, pull request review, issue triage, and GitHub Actions.
- > Tooling and automation: building and maintaining project management systems via the GitHub API, enhancing workflow efficiency.
- Coding & Scripting: basic understanding of Python, Bash, and HTML/CSS (using AI tools to write scripts and create workflow automations).
- > Graphic design: information upon request.
- > Teaching: information upon request.

Lectures & Workshops

April 2025 / Lecture + Workshop

Words of Type, "Introduction to font production", lecture, Online.

April 2024 / Lecture

<u>TypeThursday</u>, "Borel, a French primer", Berlin, Germany.

Juillet 2022 / Lecture

8th ICTVC, "Towards a comprehensive definition of font engineering", Thessaloniki, Greece.

October 2022 / Lecture

ATypl Tech Talks 2022, "Font engineering: defining a profession", ATypl Online.

January 2020 / Workshop

<u>Studio Créa (School of design)</u>, "Introduction to type design", Paris, France.

January 2020 / Exhibition + Lecture

Typostammtisch's Mastering Type Exhibition, Berlin, Germany.

September 2018 / Lecture

Conference cycle "Baskerville in France", ésad Amiens (School of art and design), Amiens, France.

Hobbies

Music (vocals, guitar, ukulele), crocheting, reading (social sciences, science fiction, fantasy, classical literature), cooking.

Typeface releases

• February 2024

<u>Seabirds</u>, 2025TF: conception, design, and engineering.

• July 2023

<u>Borel</u>, ANRT & Google Fonts: conception, design, and engineering.

• September 2020

<u>Vesterbro</u>, Black Foundry: design of the Greek script under the direction of Jeremy Hornus, with the consulting of Gerry Leonidas.

• October 2019

Baskervville, ANRT & Google Fonts: design contribution under the direction of Charles Mazé and Thomas Huot-Marchand, outline refinement on collaborator's contribution, glyph set expansion, and engineering.

• August 2019

Arima, Google Fonts: design of the Greek script during the Google Summer of Code 2018, under the mentorship of Emilios Theofanous and Irene Vlachou.