

Karmina

A highly legible and economic typeface, perfect for newspapers by *TypeTogether*

ABOUT THE TYPEFACE

Karmina is a text typeface developed mainly for pocket books and budget editions. It was built to withstand the worst printing conditions: low quality papers, high printing speed with web presses and variations in the ink level of the printing press.

Some of Karmina's most representative features are the rather large serifs, intended to work perfectly in small reproduction sizes, the sharpness of the shapes, including some calligraphic reminiscences, and the large and yet graceful ink traps in the acute connections.

Structurally, Karmina combines a significantly large x-height with relatively compressed letterforms. The result of these features grants Karmina outstanding legibility and economy.

Karmina was part of the Tipos Latinos exhibition 2008, the 23rd Biennale of Graphic Design 2008 in Brno. and won a merit in the European-wide ED-Awards competition 2007.

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STYLES & SCRIPTS

Karmina Regular

Karmina Italic

Karmina Bold

Karmina Bold Italic

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Japanese tea

Bereits um 565 wurde es erstmals schriftlich erwähnt.

beautiful texture

TESTING THE BOUNDARIES

534 live lobsters escaped the dinner plate and belly flopped to freedom

calligraphic reminiscence

quält jeden größeren Zwerg

“Kö” geht nicht

Im Jahr 1934 ging ein Bild um die Welt

neutrality

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Lat

SUPPORTED LANGUAGES INCLUDE (LATIN):

Afar, Afrikaans, Albanian, Asturian, Basque, Belarusian, Bosnian, Breton, Catalan, Chamorro, Chichewa, Cornish, Crimean Tatar, Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Esperanto, Estonian, Faroese, Finnish, French, Frisian, Friulian, Gaelic (Irish), Gaelic (Scottish), Galician, German, Greenlandic, Hawaiian, Hungarian, Icelandic, Ido, Indonesian, Interlingua, Italian, Karelian, Kashubian, Kiribati, Kurdish, Ladin, Latin, Latvian, Lithuanian, Luxembourgian, Malay, Maltese, Maori, Northern Sotho, Norwegian (Bokmål), Norwegian (Nynorsk), Occitan, Palauan, Polish, Portuguese, Rarotongan, Romani, Romanian, Romansh, Sami (Inari), Sami (Lule), Sami (Northern), Sami (Southern), Samoan, Sango, Serbian, Shona, Slovak, Slovenian, Sorbian (Lower), Sorbian (Upper), Spanish (Castillian), Swahili, Swati, Swedish, Tagalog (Filipino), Tahitian, Tetum, Tokelauan, Tsonga, Tswana, Turkish, Turkmen, Veps, Wallisian, Walloon, Welsh, Wolof, Yapese, ...

Pro

EXTENDED TYPOGRAPHIC FEATURES:

Basic and discretionary ligatures, smallcaps, punctuation, 5 sets of figures (old style, old style tabular, lining, tabular lining, small caps), fractions, superiors & inferiors, numerator & denominator, ordinals, class kerning, case sensitive characters, ornaments, arrows & symbols.

Bas

BASIC TYPOGRAPHIC FEATURES:

Basic ligatures, class kerning.

AVAILABLE FONT SETS:

Karmina **Lat** **Pro**
Karmina Basic **Lat** **Bas**

THE DESIGNERS

Veronika Burian, originally studied Industrial Design, before graduating with distinction from the MA in Typeface Design in Reading, UK, in 2003. After working as full-time type designer at DaltonMaag in London, she co-founded with José Scaglione the independent type-label TypeTogether. She also continues to give lectures and workshops at international conferences and universities. Several of her typefaces have been recognised by international competitions, including ED-Awards and TDC.

José Scaglione is an Argentinian graphic and multimedia designer, and a graduate from the MA in Typeface Design at the University of Reading, UK. He has been working in branding, editorial design and multimedia projects since 1995. José is co-founder of the independent type foundry TypeTogether, and additionally leads his own design studio, consults and lectures on typography and graphic communication matters. He also teaches typography at post-graduate level at the National University of Rosario.

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