Porto Design Summer School

2019   July   1–13

Join graphic designers from around the world in Portugal this summer in a unique learning experience – a two week practice-based course that focuses on editorial design.

The Porto Design Summer School, led by renowned international graphic designers, explores the creative possibilities of editorial design by examining typographic systems, hierarchy and composition, narrative structure, navigation, cover design, editing and notions of authorship.

About to embark on our 7th edition, one of the aspects of the course with which we are the happiest is its truly international nature. Participants have included design students at the beginning of their journey to experienced professionals, all looking to expand their outlooks and take a break from their routines.

The course sets out a practical outcome for each participant in the form of an individual editorial project that develops personal interests. The aim is to expand technical and conceptual skills and move participants closer to finding a unique outlook and signature as a graphic designer.

The Porto Design Summer School is supported by ESAD, Matosinhos (Escola Superior de Artes e Design).

Visit www.idiomatic.pt for full details.
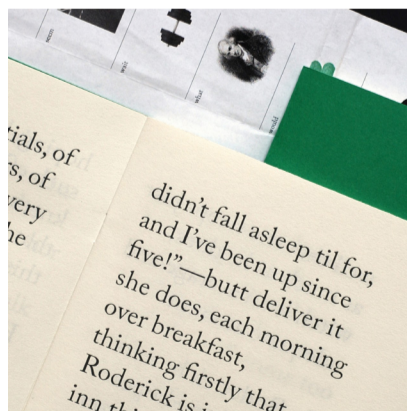**Application deadline: May 19th 2019.**

7th Edition
This summer (2019) will be the 7th edition of the Porto Design Summer School. In the previous six editions we have welcomed 92 participants from 29 countries and from all five continents.

Who is the course for?
We're looking for graduate and post-graduate design students, professional designers, and in general for people who have a passion for making, exploring, testing themselves and sharing with others.
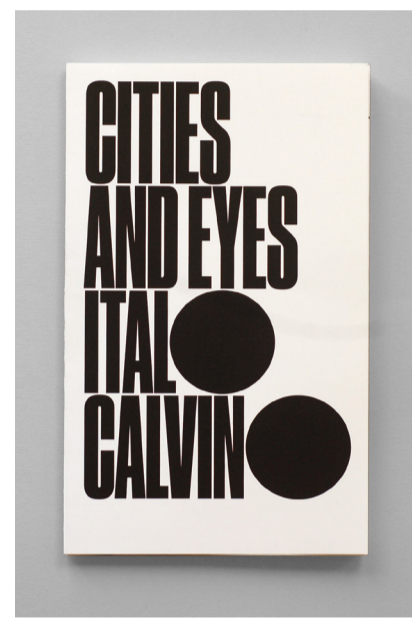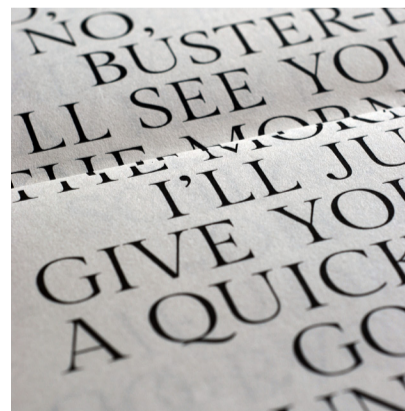

Guest Tutor 2019
This year's guest tutor – joining Ronnie Fueglister, Andrew Howard and Hamish Muir – will be announced in March. News will be posted on the website, Facebook, Twitter & Instagram.

Applications
Applications are open and should be made through the Porto Design Summer School website. The deadline for applications is Sunday May 19th.

Cost
The course fee for 2019 is 1590 euros and includes tuition, lectures, programme receptions, individual accommodation with kitchenette and bathroom. Airfares and daily meals are not included in the fee. Participants are required to bring a laptop. A fee deposit is required on acceptance to the course.

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2019 Venue
This year the summer school will once again take place in the *Viscondes de Balsemão* Palace situated downtown in one of the nicest squares in the city.