

FONTS FOR THESES

Choices¹ for Clarity, Style, Size, Compactness

Serif fonts at 12 pt:	Sanserif fonts at 12 pt:	Notes
Thesis: Garamond	Thesis: Arial Narrow	Some fonts cannot be reduced to less than 12 pt in main text use because they are already small: Garamond Sylfean Arial Narrow (may be smaller in tables)
Thesis: Sylfean	Thesis: Microsoft Sans Serif	
Thesis: Apple Chancery	Thesis: Arial	
Thesis: Times New Roman	Thesis: Tahoma	
Thesis: Tekton	Thesis: Helvetica	
Thesis: Palatino	Thesis: Antique Olive	
Thesis: Bookman	Thesis: Century Gothic	
Thesis: Book Antiqua	Thesis: Verdana	
Thesis: Batang		
Special functions:	Special function fonts:	Try for congruence with dignity, function and content.
<input type="checkbox"/> computer code	Thesis: Courier	
<input type="checkbox"/> inner voice	Thesis: Comic Sans	
<input type="checkbox"/> raw material	Thesis: Agency FB	
<input type="checkbox"/> children's voices		
<input type="checkbox"/> raw interview quotes		
Ornamentation		Ornamentation requires care,
<input type="checkbox"/> Ornamental quotes	Thesis: <i>Monotype Corsiva</i>	

¹ Note that these are not the only fonts available. Many elegant fonts are available in Mac or PC software, but it is vital that the fonts be "truetype" so that they will not default to ordinary fonts when converted to PDF. See <http://www.thefontgallery.com/>

Dedications

Poetry

Etc.

Thesis: Bradley Hand

simplification and a unified sense of style to avoid a “kitschy” or “kindergarten” look and to maintain visual coherence.

Other languages:

- A bilingual dedication may be appropriate when addressed to someone who does not speak English.
- Subject matter may require dual text

Many other scripts are available.