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A comprehensive introduction to typography, from principle to practice

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- Expanded coverage of type on the web, web fonts, and type in motion
- New chapters on typographic hierarchy and guidelines for mobile devices
- Access to bonus video content
- More type tips and embedded exercises than ever before
- In-depth coverage of the latest type trends, including OpenType, scaling logos, and interactive typography
- An expanded discussion of the history of typography and notable type designers, along with a glossary of key terms

About the Author

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