



Michael Russem Postage Stamps by Type Designers: A Primer

The Typophiles

Michael Russem
will speak on
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The Typophiles Luncheon
National Arts Club
15 Gramercy Square South
(at 20th Street)
New York City
Wednesday, September 23, 2009
at 12:15 p.m.

Eric Gill, S. H. de Roos, Adrian Frutiger,
Neville Brody, Gerard Unger, Sem Hartz,
Julian Waters, Jan van Krimpen, Wim
Crouwel, Lance Hidy, Georg Trump,
Hermann Zapf—*stamp* designers? Yes!
Michael Russem of Kat Ran Press will
bring together a colorful selection of
stamps designed by some of the great
(and not-so-great) designers of metal and
digital typefaces. Join us for a joyous romp
through 85 years of postage stamps by
European and American type designers.

Michael Russem is a book designer
and letterpress printer with offices in
Cambridge and Florence. Since 1994,
his Kat Ran Press has designed and
printed books and catalogues for The
Grolier Club, Smith College, and
Shambhala Publications. He teaches
letterpress printing and typography
at Harvard's Bow & Arrow Press,
and is active in groups including
APHA, the Society of Printers, and
the Fine Press Book Association.

*Keepsakes welcome.
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