

ATHENA RUBY

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Styles

1 styles (Regular)

Supported scripts

Latin

Athena Ruby is a typeface for transcription of Byzantine seals and coins, commissioned by the Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Museum. It provides multiple forms of Greek and Latin letters, reflecting more than a thousand years of palaeographic evolution and distinctive sigillographic and numismatic usage. Athena Ruby was selected as a Judge's Choice in the 2013 TDC Typeface Design competition by Abbott Miller, who noted 'its ability to aid research and provide typographic expression that, in turn, leads to a stronger set of interpretative tools.'

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Available packages



Athena Ruby Regular

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Latin and Greek (selection of alternates)

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Greek basic character set

Accented & extended characters

Punctuation & symbols

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About the Designer

John Hudson designs typefaces and makes fonts. He is the co-founder of Tiro Typeworks Ltd. and has been responsible for or has collaborated on type designs for Arabic, Bengali, Cyrillic, Devanagari, Ethiopic, Greek, Gurmukhi, Hebrew, Latin, Odia, Sinhala, Telugu, Thai, and other scripts.

Credits

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