

Finding Information About Design Principles – Worksheet

Instructions: Please complete the following worksheet at the Fine Arts Library. Use the accompanying instruction sheet to guide you through the process.

1. Choose one of the following design principles. Circle the one you chose.

Color	Visual Perception
Perspective	Pattern
Composition	Balance
Line	Unity
Proportion	Emphasis
Texture	Movement
Chiaroscuro	

2. Use the Library Catalog to find a book about this design principle.

➔ **Start here:** (www.lib.utexas.edu > Research Tools > Library Catalog

- What kind of search did you do (ex. keyword, subject, title)?
- Write down your search terms. Did you have to modify your search in any way? If so, how?
- Write down the useful subject heading(s).
- Write down the date of publication. Is this book current enough for your research? Does currency matter for this topic?
- Write down the citation for one good book (a citation includes author, title, place and date of publication, and publisher).
- Write down the call number of the book.

3. Use the call number to find the book on the shelf.

To find out which call numbers are located in which area of the library, use the guide posted on each floor or ask Fine Arts Library staff at the Circulation Desk.

4. Check out the book at the Circulation Desk using your UT ID card.