

INDIGO ANTIQUA
Designer & Collaborators.
Inspirations.



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My career began at the publishing house Natur och Kultur in Stockholm. I left book designing after 28 years and started my own company FONTANOVA STRÖM AB in 1991 with the main objective to realize three already outlined typefaces. For the time being Indigo Antiqua is the only one that has been digitized and brought into the market.

My Inspirations are of various kinds but, of course, some outstanding old types from Aldus to Monotype's Bembo-version have influenced my efforts. Guillaume le Bé, M. Kis (Janson), Caslon, Valpergen (Fell), van Dijck and a few others may have left their tracks as well.

Johan Ström



Indigo Antiqua is designed by Johan Ström [1993–1999]. The digitizing work has been carried out by Jonas Böttiger and Torbjörn Olsson. T.O. also made all the fitting work, the spacing, kerning & letterform adjustments. ❁ ❁ ❁ ❁ T.O. digitized Display as well. ❁ This site has been made by FONTANOVA STRÖM AB in coop.with Christian Portin.

