

“What’s Your Type?” – Edition 2022

Reviews are in and “What’s Your Type” is a success. We had faith in FFGC members and you proved us right! Sales are great and buyers like the format and the beautiful pictures of NGC Design types. Planning has started to produce another set of pages for the binder and we need your help. .

For 2023, we want to focus on the following NGC Design Types:

Mass Design in the Traditional Manner
Reflective Design
Abstract Design
Exhibition Table with a Decorative Unit
Functional Table

Creative Mass Design
Spatial Thrust Design
Mono-Botanic Design
Exploration – Freedom of Style

In our first edition of designs, we were able to photograph three kinds of Functional Tables & show how the actual staging. To be able to do this, the table designs require “smallish” staging. Photography can be tricky, but we want to try this again with the following:

Buffet Table - our thought is to use a standard table -six (6) feet long and thirty (30) inches wide. The theme and occasion for the table is open.

Table for Two – one idea we would like to see is to stage this design type on a “High-Top” table – the kind you might see at a reception or bar. The theme and occasion is up to the designer.

Alfresco Table - staged on low “outdoor” type table or maybe a hay bale. We welcome your ideas on how to stage this type of Functional Table.

All FFGC members interested in flower arranging are invited to submit photographs of their designs. Here is what you should do to submit your design for consideration:

- Make an example of one of the following design types:
 1. Mass Design/Traditional Manner
 2. Creative Mass Design
 3. Reflective Design
 4. Spatial Thrust Design
 5. Abstract Design
 6. Mono-Botanic Design
 7. Exhibition Table with a Decorative Unit
 8. Functional Table Design
 9. Exploration-Freedom of Style
- Take a clear photograph of the design. Complete the Design Submission Form.
- You will need to identify the plant materials you used.
- The photographs will be evaluated by a panel of judges. The judges will choose three examples of each design type for photography.
- If your flower arrangement is chosen for photography, you will be asked to re-create the arrangement for photography by a professional photographer. Photography takes place at John Jernigan’s studio in Ocala. The designer will provide all materials for the arrangement and travel to the photography studio on a selected date. Photographs of completed designs will become the property of Florida Flower Show Judges.

I am excited and ready to get started – where do I send my photo?

Send your photo and completed **Submission Form** to Janice Hamlin. You may send by e-mail – Hamwoman@aol.com. The deadline for submission is **July 1, 2022**. Photos will be judged and selected designers will be notified if their designs are chosen to be recreated and photographed.

Can I submit a photo for more than one of the design types requested?

Absolutely. Just remember to stick to the nine design types outlined above.