# Serge

Cyrus Highsmith is known for his all-round workhorse families like Antenna, Scout, and Salvo. In Serge, he lets loose the reins and raises a show pony. It's an acrobatic design for decorative blurbs, signs, and headlines. The family has three weights, from Regular to Black, but all are equally light on their feet. A set of swash caps adds a subtle flair.

Serge

3 styles total

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### **Occupant Fonts**

Founded by Cyrus Highsmith in 2015, Occupant Fonts is relatively young compared to his 20+ years of experience as a type designer. We joined Morisawa in 2017 to be the Japanese type company's Latin alphabet counterpart. We focus on developing original typefaces.

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