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A form that  
flourished  
in the past  
never dies out  
completely.

## Vivid Italic

2-day workshop with

ELMO

VAN SLINGERLAND

### WHERE:

Orange County Fine Art Studios  
3851 Bear Street, Studio B  
Santa Ana, CA 92704

### WHEN:

Thurs. June 11, 2020  
9:30 AM - 4:30 PM  
Fri. June 12, 2020  
9:30 AM - 4:30 PM

### COST:

**Check:** \$120, Payable to SfC

**PayPal:** (Fees may apply)

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### ABOUT ELMO

Born in Rotterdam, The Netherlands. Studied at the Rotterdamse Grafische School (School for printing and graphic arts). In 1986 he attended a workshop in France with Claude Mediavilla. He considers this as his start on the path of calligraphy. He finished his studies in Graphic/ Typographic Design at the Royal Academy of Arts in The Hague (passed with distinction). Taught workshops in different countries in Europe, Australia, Mexico, South Korea and USA, and at The Royal Academy of Arts in The Hague (post-graduate course students type design). Elmo worked as a freelance graphic designer/type designer (for DTL the Dutch Type Library, for which he designed typeface Dorian, but worked on other typefaces too). His calligraphy has been exhibited in Belgium, France and the Netherlands. His work has also been selected to appear in different publications. Since 2016 he has divided his time between working for a design studio which specializes in designing and producing corporate and annual reports and the other half he spends creating letters and teaching workshops as often as he can.

### ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

This workshop is all about writing the Italic hand with the broad edged pen, but taking it a step further. We shall focus on essential aspects of this versatile letter: construction of the letter, good proportions, quality of form and attention to detail, done in a slow and concentrated way of working. You will learn to use pen manipulation such as rotation of the pen, using pressure and pressure release, working with the corner of your pen, building up strokes. The goal is making our (formal) letters more dynamic and more vibrant.

We'll practise letters with character and strive for sophisticated calligraphy with refinement and attention to detail. I will help everyone individually on his or her level to achieve this as much as possible.

There will be demonstrations, tips, and mostly individual attention (as much as possible) and printed instructions.

LEVEL: Intermediate

Workshops are limited to 20 participants. Enrollment is limited to current paid Society for Calligraphy members only. Your membership must be current at time of sign-up as well as when class is held. No reservation will be held until your dues are current. If your membership lapses, you become ineligible and your space will be filled from the waiting list. Sign-ups are accepted in advance on a first come, first served basis. No refunds unless your place can be filled from a wait list. If you must cancel, please allow sufficient time for your place to be filled. For confirmation and prompt receipt of supply list, we recommend that your check arrive no later than two weeks before the workshop.

#### Please send this tear-off with:

1. Your check payable to SfC 2. If you do not have email, you must include a stamped, self-addressed business size envelope to: Rosana Ang, 2412 Madrugada Drive, Chino Hills, CA 91709.

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