Don A. Guyot
Anatomy of Grey
Western marbled paper executed using Colophon Water Color Marbling Inks on carragheenan medium and transferred onto Rives Lightweight gray paper; number one in an edition of six, meant to be exhibited side by side to show consistency of imaging. The degree of consistency exhibited on one’s marbled paper is the degree of mastery of the craft the marbler may claim. Since the viewer of this piece will not have the advantage of seeing the remaining five, they will be left wondering whether this particular marbler achieved the mastery sought. Having the full advantage of seeing all six sheets of the edition, the marbler can truly say that he shares in their wondering. 70 x 48 centimeters. Created 1994.

Jean Gunner
Versal Alphabet
Elegantly drawn and decorated versal alphabet in gouache paint. 38 x 28 centimeters. Not dated. Lent by Betsy Palmer Eldridge.

Barbara Fallon Hiller
Léon Binet, La Vie des Bêtes, 1955
Bound in dark brown box calf; gray suede leather doublures and flyleaves; edges gilt in the rough; handsewn silk endbands; tooled and titled in gold; with red, orange, and yellow box calf onlays. The binding was designed by Gerald Urquhart. 28 x 24 x 4 centimeters. Created 1977. Lent by Francine Penny Patterson and Ronald H. Cohn.

Jamie Kamph
Peter and Donna Thomas, A Collection of Paper Samples from Hand Papermills in the United States of America, 1993
Bound in full gray Oasis goat skin; pastedowns of Dieu Donné “antique linen” with Nancy Pobantz’s “pampas grass” decorative flyleaves; sewn on linen tapes; gray and red silk endbands; multicolored leather onlays with gold and blind tooling made up from watermarks of participating papermakers. 30 x 23 x 3 centimeters. Created 1996.
HEDI KYLE
Hedi Kyle, April Diary, 1979

This is the original work of the form that has become known as the “Flag Book.” It is the single most influential structure in the world of contemporary bookmaking. This method of construction, employing tipped on page fragments on alternating sides of a concertina structure, has been adopted by artists worldwide for the creation of unique and multiple bookworks. 26 x 14 x 1 centimeters. Created 1979. Lent by Richard Minsky.

DANIEL E. KELM
Greta Sibley, Tea: Time in Korea, 1994

Wire-edge binding with embossed boards; title label printed and inset. The text is accompanied by seven sepia-toned photographs taken by the author at Sunam Temple, South Cholla Province, South Korea. The book was designed and composed by the author using a Macintosh computer and printed letterpress from phototetched plates by Arthur Larson, Horton Tank Graphics, in Hadley, Massachusetts in an edition of twenty-five with one artist’s proof. 20.5 x 20.5 x 2.5 centimeters. Created 1994.

MONIQUE LALLIER
Claude Peloquin, Ligne, 1986

Bound in full black box calf in the French style; edge-to-edge leather doublures and flyleaves; top edge gilt; handsewn black, red, orange, yellow, and black silk multitiered endbands; multicolored telephone wires attached to front cover allowing them to be reshaped by the reader. 27 x 21 x 2.5 centimeters. Created 1986.

NANCY RUTH LEAVITT
Nancy Ruth Leavitt, Stony Psalms

Gouache on handmade muslin paper by MacGregor and Vinzani. Sewn on velum strips in a limp velum binding of gray dyed goat skin. Cover decorated with woven velum cross. Stony Psalms contains poetry and rock illustrations by the artist describing a journey to Iona, Scotland, site of St. Columba’s early monastery. Each of the four poems dissolves and reforms, migrating with the changing stone pattern. 30 x 21 x 2 centimeters. Created 1999. Lent by Earl M. Collier, Jr.
Sheila Waters. Roundel of the Seasons, 1981. Cibachrome II print by Peter Waters of the original artwork, which is watercolor and gouche on vellum; A kaleidoscope of motifs in rich color and intricate detail of semi-abstract symbols interspersed with floral decorations. The roundel is surrounded by cursive calligraphy quoting Ecclesiastes, “To every thing there is a season...” Dimensions 38 x 38 centimeters. Created 1981.

ARNO WERNER
Hermann Degering. Lettering. 1929
Bound in full golden Morocco; sewn on four single raised cords; Japanese paper endleaves; gilt on all edges; handsewn burgundy and gold silk endband; titled and tooled in gold and blind. 31 x 25 x 3.5 centimeters. Not dated. Lent by Robert and Lynne Veatch.
**CHELA METZGER**

*Bird Book*

Blank book covered in full goat parchment using a laced-case structure. The text is sewn on parchment straps laced through the cover, with a silk front-bead endband sewn on a flat parchment core. The covering parchment is attached to the case using mechanical non-adhesive methods. The wings and nest are cut from goat skin parchment: 15 x 10 x 3 centimeters. Created 2005.

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**SUZANNE MOORE**

*Kukei/Hirschfield Translation, The First Word, AH*

Monoprint collage on paper; lettering in gouache with gold leaf details and gold tooled letters. Zen Master Kukei passage about the beginning of language. 40 x 33.5 centimeters. Created 2004.

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**ANTONIA NELSON, CURMUDGEONESS PRESS**

*I Wish I’d Been A Slutty Girl Among Other High School Regrets*, 2006


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**BONNIE THOMPSON NORMAN, THE WINDOWPANE PRESS**

**Bonnie Thompson Norman, editor, *A Primer for Democracy, 2004***

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CLAIRE VAN VLIET, THE JANUS PRESS
W R Johnson, A Scribe of Kloster Eibingen
Broadside—The base sheet was pulp-painted by Claire Van Vliet with Katie MacGregor in Whiting, Maine. The night sky is letters of Hildegard’s secret alphabet silkscreened with Ellen Dorn Levitt. Edition of 100 copies. 51 x 36 centimeters. Created 2005.

PETER VERHEYEN,
PHILOBIBLON
Nane Couzier, Noirs, Bleus, Sables, 2001
Textblock sewn on five leather/vellum slips in black, blue, and brown; graphite top edge; sewn silk endbands; case covered in full blue dyed goat vellum; leather/vellum slips laced through at joints; multicolored spine label with title in graphite foil. Leather onlays on case derived from typography of text. 40 x 23 x 2.5 centimeters. Created 2005.

LAURA WAIT
Volume I in a series of seven unique books. An investigation into the uses, development, and meaning of the letter “X” throughout history. Words using “X” are used as text and repetitive pattern writing. The multimedia pages were created using layers of collagraphs printed in Akua Color, paste painting with stencils, and handwriting using a ruling pen and traditional pointed pen. Bound in brown leather with gold and color tooling. The cover designs are based on the “X” forms throughout the books. Sewn endbands, Cave paper endpapers and flyleaves with leather joints. 19.5 x 38 x 2 centimeters. Created 2006.

ROBERT WALP,
CHESTER CREEK PRESS
Poetry—twelve poems, twelve woodcuts, thirty-two pages—printing, binding, and papermaking by Robert Walp. Each of the twelve poems in The Moon Rose takes its title from one of the many folknames for the twelve full moons of the year. The poems and woodcuts reflect the changing seasons and the experiences of a woman traveling through first loves, marriage and motherhood. Printed from handset Perpetua type on handmade cotton/linen rag paper. The pages are sewn into a paper jacket of Arches Cover Black paper with colored linen thread. The book is protected by a wrap-around case covered in black Asahi bookcloth. 23 x 15 x 3 centimeters. Created 2006.
Jamie Kamph came to bookbinding from a career as an editor/publisher in 1971 when she met and began studying with Hope G. Weil. Since 1973 she has worked as a designer bookbinder and book conservator at Stonehouse Bindery in Lambertville, NJ. She has lectured and taught at Mount Holyoke College, Princeton University, the New York Public Library, Anderson Ranch, the Princeton Public Library, and in the Princeton and Pennington, NJ school districts. Her design bindings are held in private and public collections including the New York Public Library, the Pierpont Morgan Library, Princeton University Graphic Arts Department, the University of Texas, and Southern Methodist University’s Bridwell Library. She has exhibited her work widely with the Guild and at Yale University Library, the Aspen Art Institute, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the Grolier. In 2005, she was awarded the Helen Ward DeGolyer Award for American Bookbinding, sponsored bybridwell Library. Her writings on bookbinding have been published in magazines and she is the author of A Collectors Guide to Bookbinding, a volume explaining to collectors the niceties of bookbinding and restoration.

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Monique Lallier is the Director of the American Academy of Bookbinding and also teaches binding classes such as French binding and chemise. An internationally recognized bookbinder and book artist, her years of experience in the technique of French binding made her an ideal choice for director and instructor in the AAB’s French technique based binding program. She began her studies in the 1960s in Montreal at Cotonoir Caponne School of Fashion and l’art de la Reliure bookbinding school with Simone B. Roy, and continued studies in Paris with Roger Arnoult, at Centro del bel Libro in Ascona with Edwin Heim and in Solothurn, Switzerland with Hugo Peller. Her work has been exhibited widely with the Guild and may be found in the collections of McGill University, Montreal; St. Joseph Oratory in Montreal for Pope Jean-Paul II; Louisiana State University; University of North Carolina, as well as many private collections in the USA, Canada, Europe, and Japan. She is a past Standards Chair for the Guild and practices her craft full time from her studio in Summerfield, North Carolina. Website at www.moniquelallier.com

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