

Cianán Ùr

Insular type by Feòrag

Cianán Ùr (New Cianán) is a typeface based on an earlier work of mine, Cianán, though the similarity is a little tenuous. It covers all European languages written with the Latin script, and Vietnamese. Greek characters are also available, but I make no promises about the kerning. This is an Insular font, and several of the letters have the distinct forms used in older Irish printing. If you don't like these, Stylistic Set 01 contains more familiar glyphs. If you enable the appropriate OpenType feature (in InDesign it's "[Automatic Form]" in the OpenType -> Positional Forms menu), the uppercase I will be different at the start of a word. There are also a number of Discretionary Ligatures available.

This archive contains the OTF versions of the font, which can be used on Classic MacOS, MacOS X, Linux and Windows. It includes the following files:

- **About Cianán Ùr OTF.pdf** - this file.
- **Cianan-ur-Regular.otf** - the font file. In MacOS X, double click on this to see a preview. Click on the "Install Font" button to install. For earlier versions of Mac OS, these files should go in the 'Fonts' folder in the System Folder. For other platforms, please refer to the documentation.
- **OFL.txt** - the Open Font License text.
- **FONTLOG.txt** - detailed information about this font.
- **OFL-FAQ.txt** - frequently asked questions about the SIL Open Font License

A TrueType flavoured OpenType version is also available.

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