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Project #1:

4"x 6" post card

Due: Wednesday, March 3

Project description:

This project asks you to create an illustration using Adobe Illustrator and to then create a two-sided layout for a postcard.

Instructions:

- 1.) Create a sketch of a two-sided postcard incorporating:
 - an illustration from the list below;
 - a black & white back for the image including caption text, copyright information, and any other relevant graphics.
- 2.) Create an illustration using Adobe Illustrator of two items from the following list (not two of the same):
 - a self-portrait;
 - a human hand;
 - a flower;
 - Mariposa Hall;
 - a sedan (something like a Ford Taurus)
 - Use a CMYK colorspace. If you would rather use just black & white, please do.
 - Spend no more than an hour on each illustration (no obsessing, please).
 - Fit your illustration into a 4"x 6" space, or dimension (for later scaling).
 - Please note that any other subject will disqualify the piece for grading.
- 3.) Create a four-up layout in Illustrator. Allow bleed if necessary.
- 4.) Layout your postcard so that the illustration backs up the black and white back.
- 5.) Save your file using the class number, section number, project number and your intiial appear in the filename (gphd10_02_p1_sno) as an Illustrator file for your own use.
- 6.) Save the file in PDF and email to me for grading.