#### NEW ZEALAND FLAG CONSIDERATION PANEL

DATE 5 May 2015 (FCP Min Ref: 050515) 11am until 4:00pm		
VENUE	Wellington – Te Papa, Jelicoe St	
PANEL ATTENDEES	Emeritus Professor John Burrows (Chair), Kate de Goldi (Deputy Chair), Nicky Bell, Peter Chin, Beatrice Faumuina, Sir Brian Lochore, Malcolm Mulholland, Hana O'Regan, Rhys Jones, Stephen Jones, Rod Drury, Julie Christie	
APOLOGIES		
PRESENT	SENT Kylie Archer (Director), Jo Crawford (Executive Assistant), Martin Rodgers (Project Manager) Thompson (Senior Advisor), Robin Paratene (Senior Advisor)	

#### AGENDA

ITEM	TIME	ТОРІС	PRESENTED BY
1.	10:00am	Event Briefing (Icon Meeting Room)	Chair Prof John Burrows
2.	11.00am	LAUNCH (please see run sheet)	
3.	12.30pm	Light Lunch	
		FCP MEETING (Room TBC)	
4.	1.00pm	<ul><li>Launch review</li><li>29 April meeting notes and actions approved</li></ul>	Secreatariat
5.	1.15pm	Community Meeting, Hui and Roadshow update	Robin Paratene
6.	1.45pm	Risk register	lan Thompson
7.	2.00pm	The Designers Institute presentation	Details TBC
	2.30pm	Finish	

Please note all papers for this meeting will be presented for consideration on 5 May 2015 and os nothing will be provided in advance of the meeting.

Next meeting: 11am - 4.00pm, 17 June 2015 (Wellington - MOJ)

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DATE	29 April 2015 (FCP Min Ref: 150429) 11am until 4:00pm	
VENUE	MOJ 19 Aitken St Wellington	
PANEL ATTENDEES       John Burrows (Chair), Kate De Goldi (Deputy Chair), Nicky Bell, Peter Chin, Rhys Jones, Sir Brian Lochore, Malcolm O'Regan, Stephen Jones		
APOLOGIES	S Rod Drury, Beartrice Faumuina, Julie Christie	
PRESENT	Kylie Archer (Director), Jo Crawford (Executive Assistant), Martin Rodgers (Project Manager), Ian Thompson (Senior Advisor) and Robin Paratene (Senior Advisor), Suzanne Stephenson (Comms Advisor), Georgie Wiles (Senior Digital Media Advisor)	

#### **MEETING NOTES AND ACTIONS**

ITEM	ТОРІС	DECISIONS & NOTES	DEADLINES
1.	Welcome from the Chair	<ul> <li>15 April Meeting notes and actions approved.</li> <li>It was noted that the Chair met with the Deputy Prime Minister on 13 April to discuss the report on the proposed public engagement process, and that the Minister approved the process.</li> <li>It was noted that the Secretariat has selected Verve as the provider of event services to the</li> </ul>	
		Panel following the procurement process.	
2.	Ministry of Justice	<ul> <li>Oral update – New Zealand Flag Referendum Bill Presented by Gina Smith – Policy Officer <u>Son</u> – Policy Advisor     </li> </ul>	
3.	Launch Briefing	<ul> <li>Media launch event and key messages update by Suzanne Stephenson</li> <li>The approach to the media launch of the public engagement process on 5 May 2015, as</li> </ul>	

		presented was noted.	
5.	Herald of Arms	Presentation by Phillip O'Shea, NZ Herald of Arms Extraordinaire	
6.	Flag Selection process update	<ul> <li>Paper provided by Ian Thompson</li> <li>The recommendations in the update on the flag selection process, under item 6 of the agenda were agreed.</li> </ul>	
7.	Research and Evaluation	<ul> <li>Paper provided by Martin Rodgers</li> <li>The recommendations in relation to the research and evaluation plan under item 7 of the agenda were agreed.</li> </ul>	
8.	Project Plan	<ul> <li>Paper provided by Martin Rodgers</li> <li>The updated project plan and timeline was noted.</li> </ul>	
9.	General Business	<ul> <li>The Panel noted and agreed the Secretariat Report as detailed above.</li> <li>The Panel noted the budget update.</li> <li>The Panel noted the media monitoring summary.</li> </ul>	

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## Five Universal Principles of Design.

Design aids for the NZ Flag Consideration Panel

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01. **Principle of Simplicity.** 

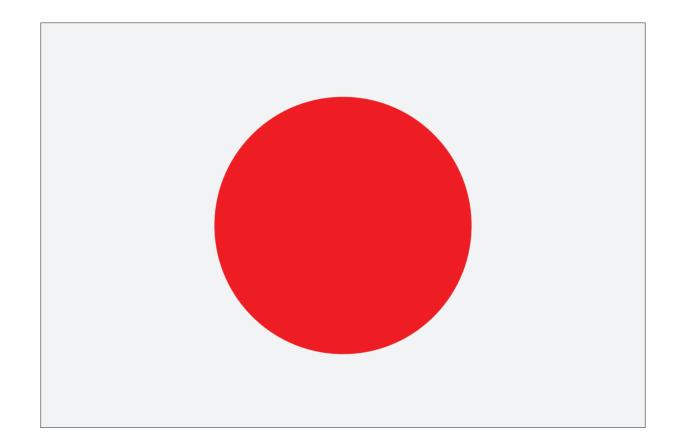
## 01. **Principle of Simplicity.**

Given a choice between functionally equivalent designs, the simplest design should be selected.

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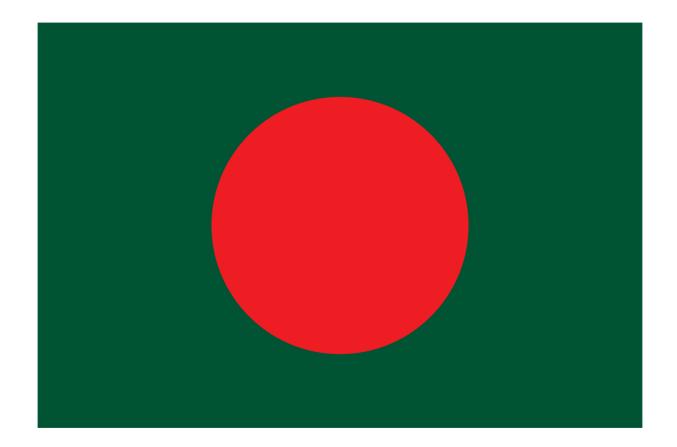
"Nature operates in the shortest way possible" — Aristotle

"Everything should be made as simple as possible, but not simpler" — Isaac Newton

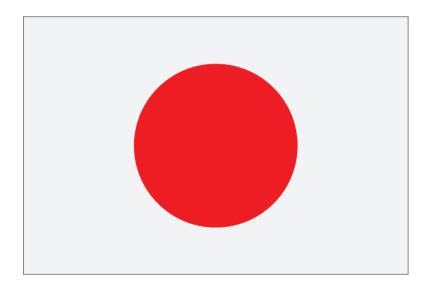


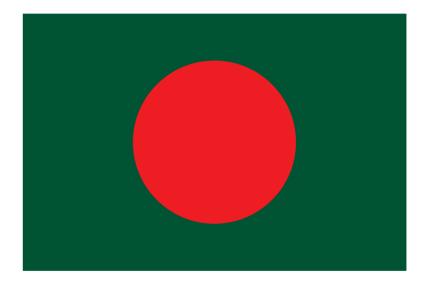




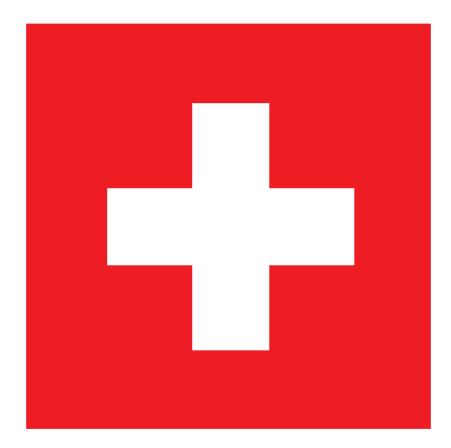


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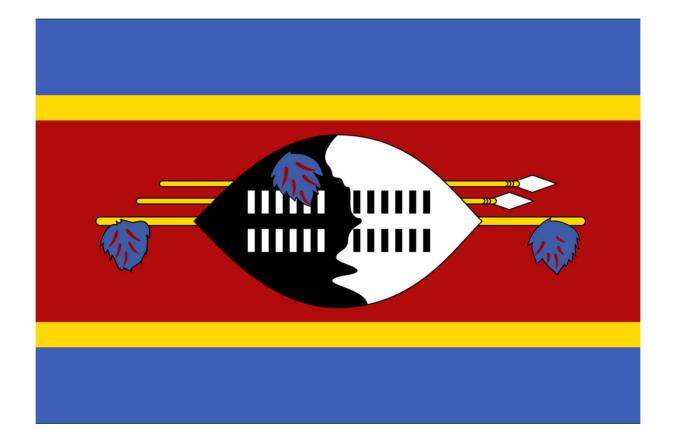




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Switzerland



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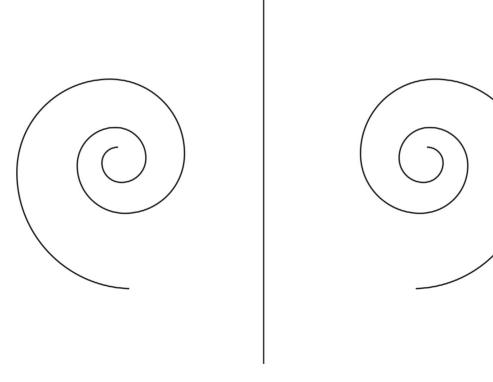


## 02. Symmetry.

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Symmetry is the most basic and enduring aspect of beauty. It conveys balance, harmony and stability.

Simple symmetrical forms are used when recognition and recall are important. Symmetry — reflection

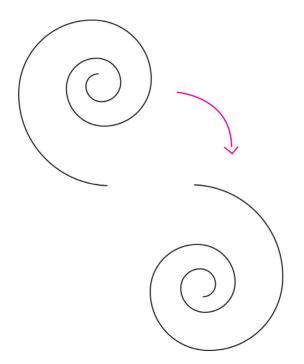


Mirror line



Canada – reflection

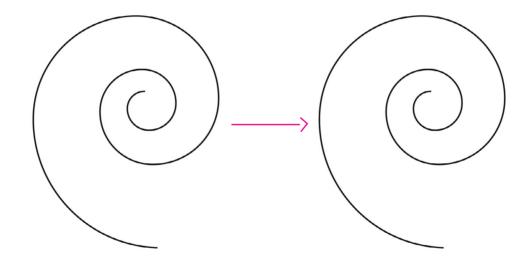
Symmetry — rotation





Panama - rotation

Symmetry — translation





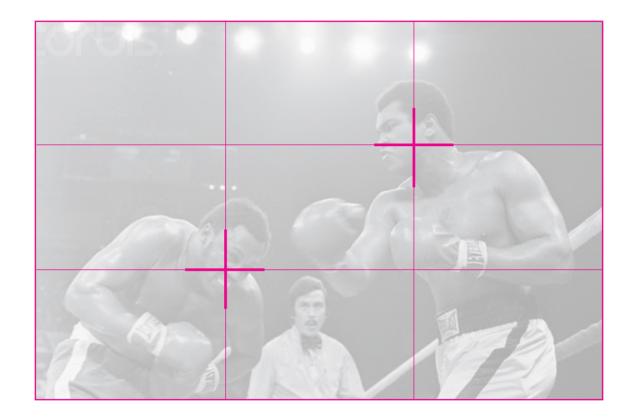
Syria -translation

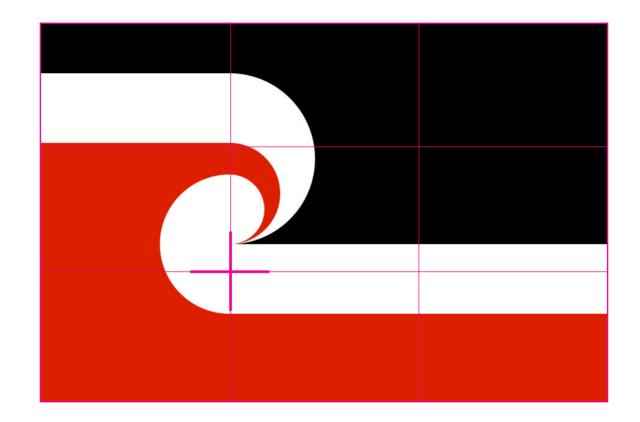
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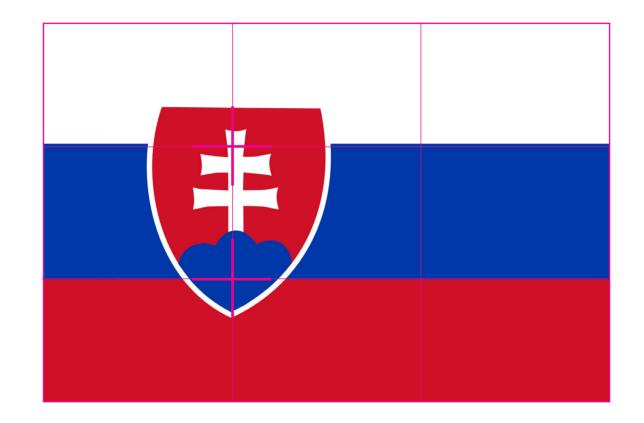
A technique of composition in which a medium is divided into thirds, creating aesthetic positions for the primary elements of design.

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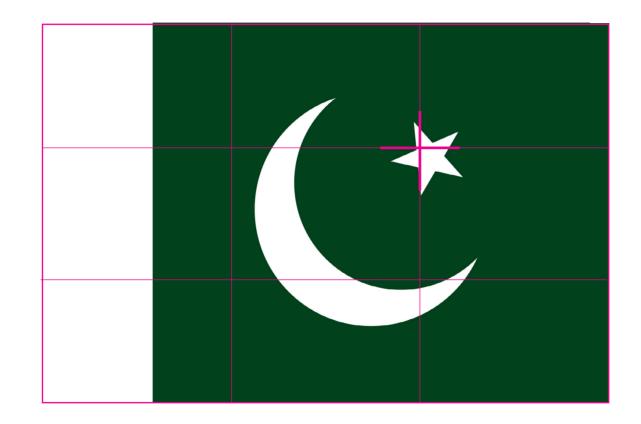




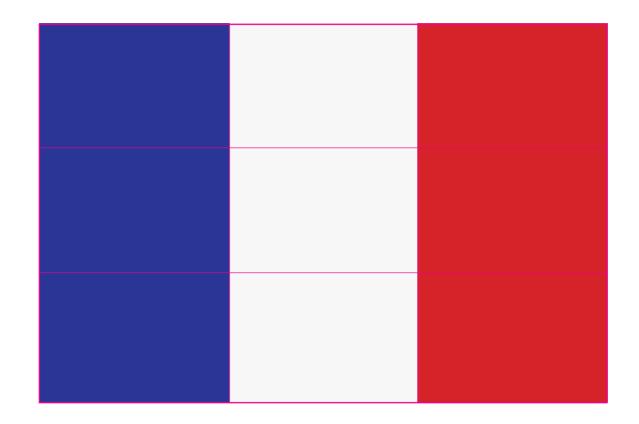
Maori Flag



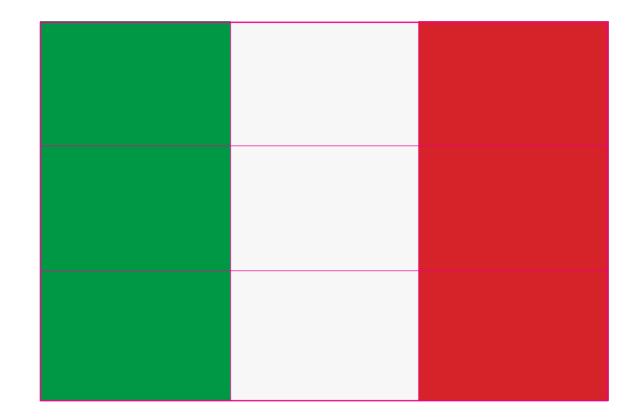
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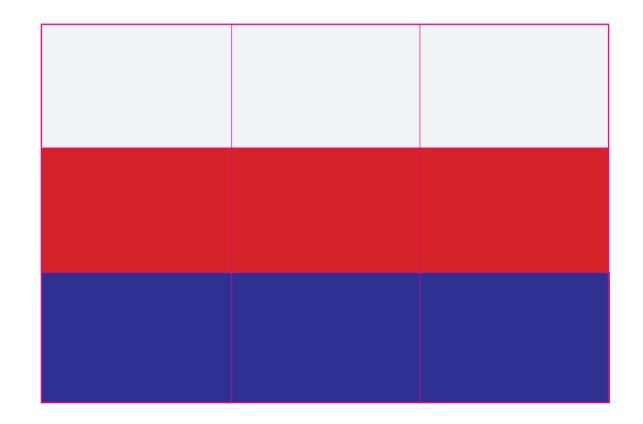
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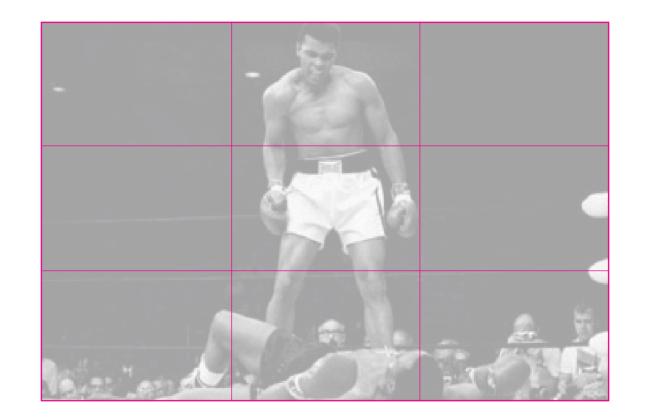
Italy

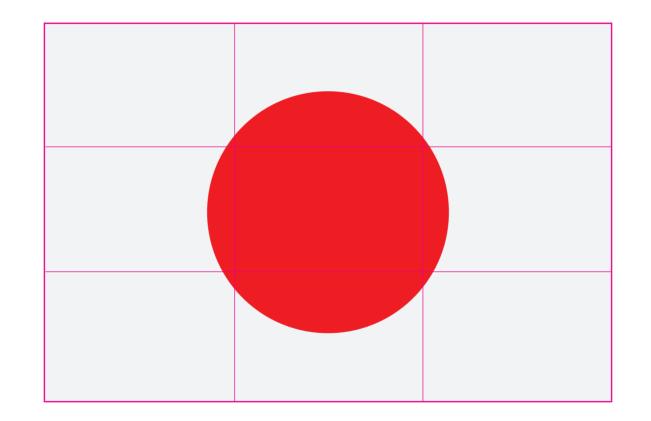


Germany



Russia





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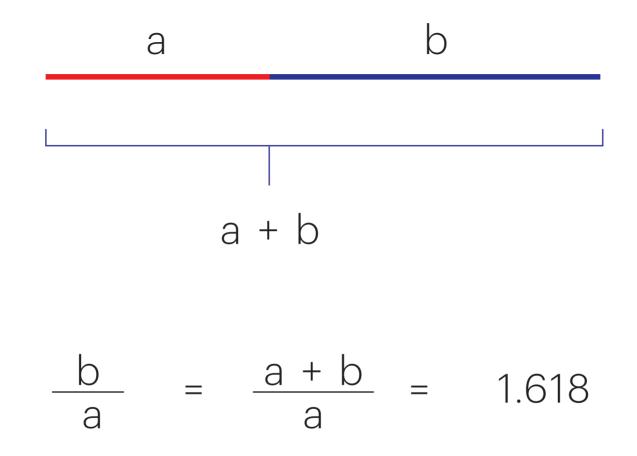
Vietnam

04. **The Golden Ratio.** 

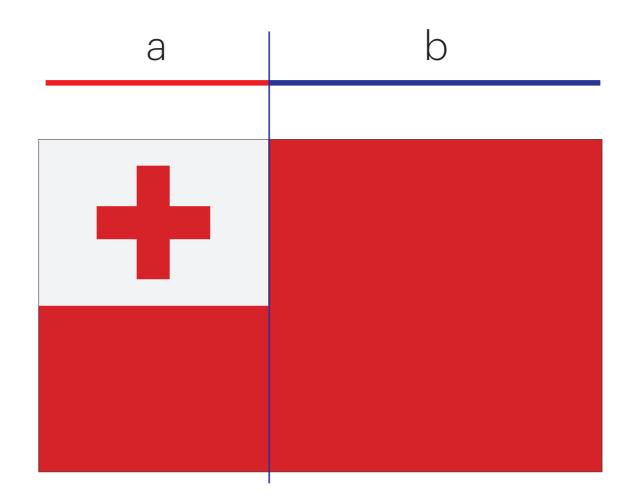
## 04. **The Golden Ratio.**

We find the golden ratio when we divide a line into two parts so that: the longer part divided by the smaller part is also equal to the whole length divided by the longer part.

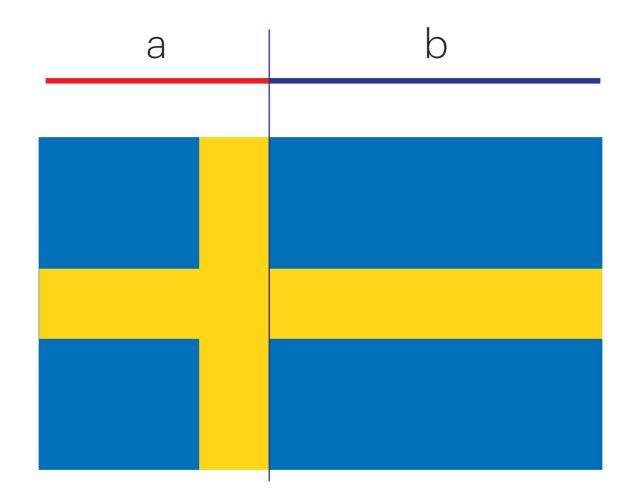
Also known as the 'divine section' or 'golden cut.'



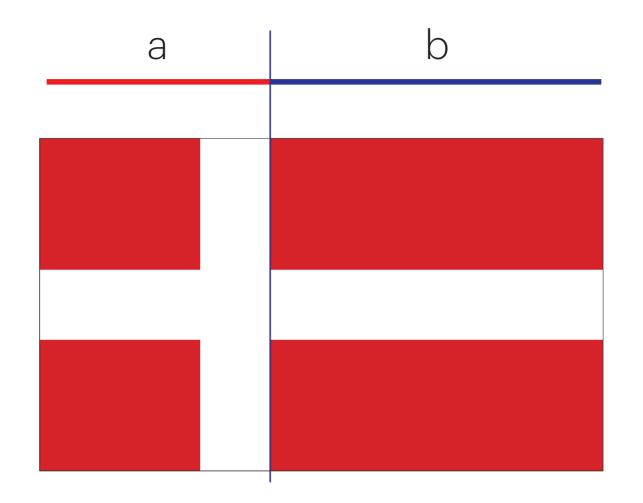
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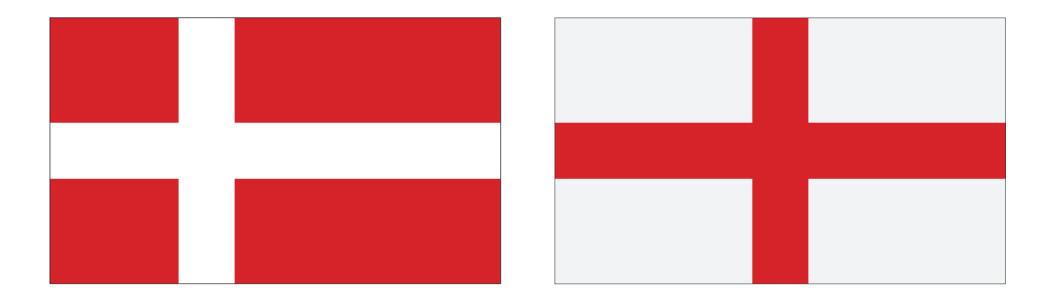
Kingdom of Tonga



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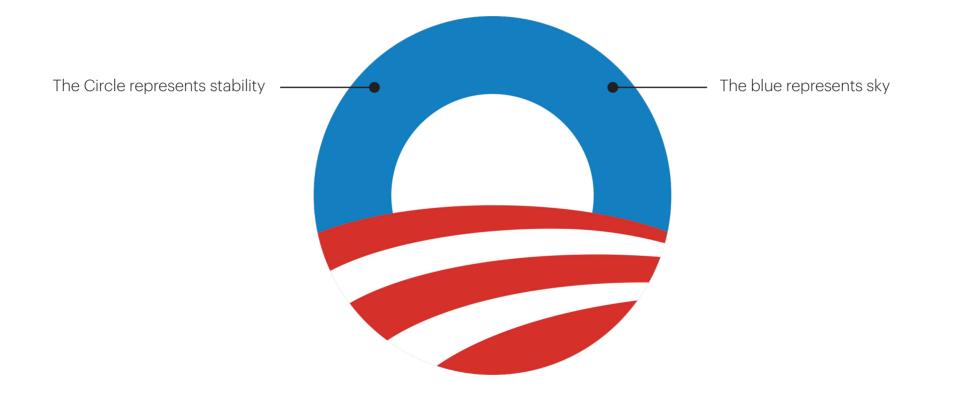
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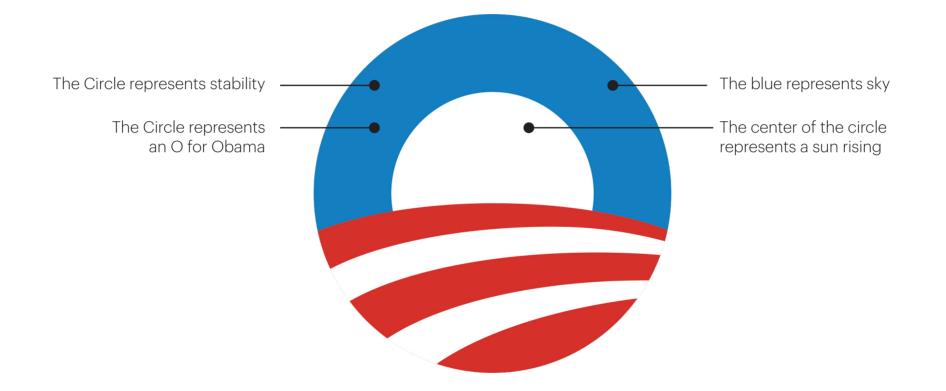
05. **Propositional Density.** 

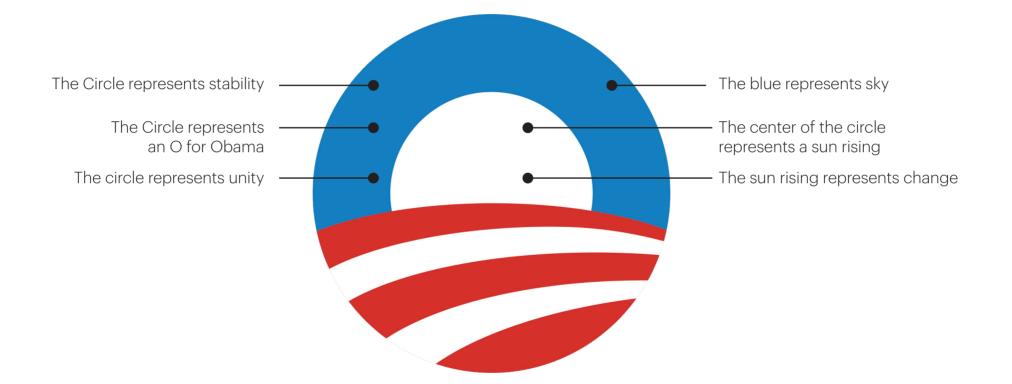
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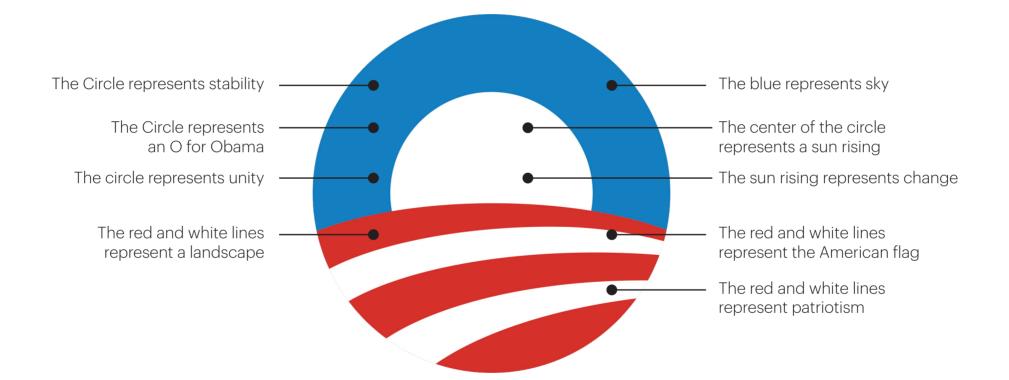
The relationship between the elements of a design and the meaning they convey.













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