

ICLEI Brand Guidelines

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The ICLEI Brand

ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI) is introducing a new global organizational brand, on the occasion of the celebration of our 30th anniversary.

The goal of the new brand is to represent the connections that ICLEI makes as the leading network for local governments committed to sustainability. The brand communicates that we are stronger when we connect local actions to a greater movement and amplify our collective learnings worldwide.

A secondary mosaic element which will appear in various forms across our assets, reinforces the individuality of every single part of our organization, but also their place within a larger global community with a common mission to change the world.

The development of a brand – and all the assets that come with it – is just part of the rebranding process. The true success comes with broad participation and use of the brand. Please use this guide as a map on our journey together in making the brand come to life.

Use of the ICLEI Brand

Entities outside of ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI), including governments, intergovernmental, organizations, not-for-profit organizations, and private sector entities, may use the ICLEI logo in accordance with the requirements set out below.

The ICLEI logo may be used only if:

- Permission is requested and granted before the logo is used;
- There is no likelihood of the user of the logo being confused with ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability;
- It is not used in connection with objectives or activities which are incompatible with the aims and principles of ICLEI;
- It is not used to imply or suggest ICLEI's *unintended* endorsement or promotion of the objectives and activities of the user of the logo.

The logo shall be used in its entirety without distorting, modifying or separating its component elements. Permission to use the ICLEI logo does not confer on those to whom it is granted any right of exclusive use, nor does it allow them to appropriate the

logo, either by registration or any other means. Each case will be examined individually to ascertain whether it satisfies the criteria set out above.

For more information about the use of the ICLEI logo, please contact your regional or country ICLEI partner or email brand@iclei.org.

According to the ICLEI Bylaws, the name and the acronym of the Association, "ICLEI", are owned by the legal entity through which the ICLEI world association or its World Secretariat are incorporated: ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability e. V., World Secretariat, Kaiser-Friedrich-Str. 7, 53113 Bonn, Germany. The name, acronym and logo of the Association are - as far as possible and appropriate - registered as a trademark in countries in which ICLEI operates.



The ICLEI Logotype & Variations

The ICLEI logo



Local Governments for Sustainability

The logo mark, ICLEI and the text "Local Governments for Sustainability" constitute the full ICLEI logo. The logo mark cannot be used without the "Local Governments for Sustainability" text. There is one exception to this rule - the logo mark can be used alone for a website favicon. This is the only exception to the rule.

The ICLEI regional and country offices logos





When to use the ICLEI regional and country offices logo

The decision of when to use the ICLEI regional and country office logo instead of the ICLEI global organizational logo should be based on a common sense interpretation of the use of the logo. Does the use of the logo represent a partnership or project? Is that partnership/project a global partnership/project, or is it a regional/country level partnership/project? The appropriate logo should then be used.

If a partnership or project represents several regional or country offices, then use of the global organizational logo is appropriate.

Use of another region or country office's logo requires permission from that office.

The ICLEI regional and country office logos matrix



The ICLEI Member logo



Members of the ICLEI network can showcase their membership and work with the ICLEI network through the ICLEI Member Logo. Only Members of ICLEI in good standing may use the ICLEI Member Logo to indicate that they are a Member of the network. For complete rules of use, please visit: https://members.iclei.org/index.php/iclei-member-logo/

The ICLEI logo for greyscale applications



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The greyscale logo should be used only in applications intended for black-and-white printing

For very exceptional use: The ICLEI logo in reverse (white)



The reverse logo is for use in extremely exceptional cases, especially where a partner or project REQUIRES use of a reverse logo, where a full color logo would prevent the text from being readable, or where the space provided is most suitable for a reverse logo. The full color logo should be used in almost all cases.

For very exceptional use: Horizontal logo



The horizontal logo is for use in extremely exceptional cases, where the size of the vertical logo would prevent the text from being readable, or where the space provided is most suitable for a horizontal logo (for example, stacked between other horizontal logos). The vertical logo should be used in almost all cases.



Use of the ICLEI logo



Free space around the ICLEI logo



The white space behind the logo should be considered as part of the logo itself.

Free space around the regional logo



For very exceptional use: Free space around horizontal logo



For very exceptional use:

Free space around horizontal regional logo



Minimum size of the ICLEI logo



for Sustainability





Profile pictures (LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter):

Adjust the size of the logo so it fits into the format specified by the platform.

Consistent design for frequently used digital assets

In an effort to unify the design of frequently used digital assets that external audiences will most often see, logo placement will be standardized for the following four digital assets:





Social media cards (such as Twitter cards) Logo on the left



Zoom backgroundLogo on the right (appears over the speaker's lefthand shoulder)

Letterhead/Word document

Logo on the right

Placement of the ICLEI logo











The logo should only be placed on white a white background. Where the background is not white, the logo should be placed in a white square fullfiling the minimum free space rule. The logo should not be too-tight cropped, there needs to be some white space between the page margin and the logo.

ICLEI logo don'ts



Don't use the logo mark alone without the "Local Governments for Sustainability" tagline



Do not skew, rotate or transform unproportionally



Do not make any changes to the letters



Do not make any changes to the colors



Do not apply shadows or effects



Do not place the logo on a photo background

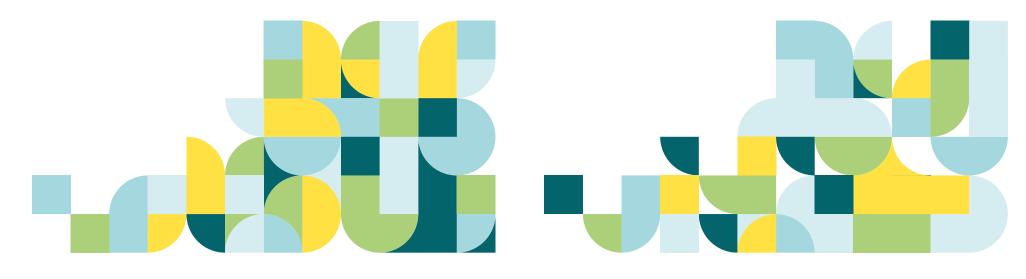


Do not reduce or enlarge any individual components of the logo.



Secondary Graphic Element: The ICLEI Mosaic

ICLEI mosaic element



ICLEI-mosaic01-CMYK ICLEI-mosaic02-CMYK

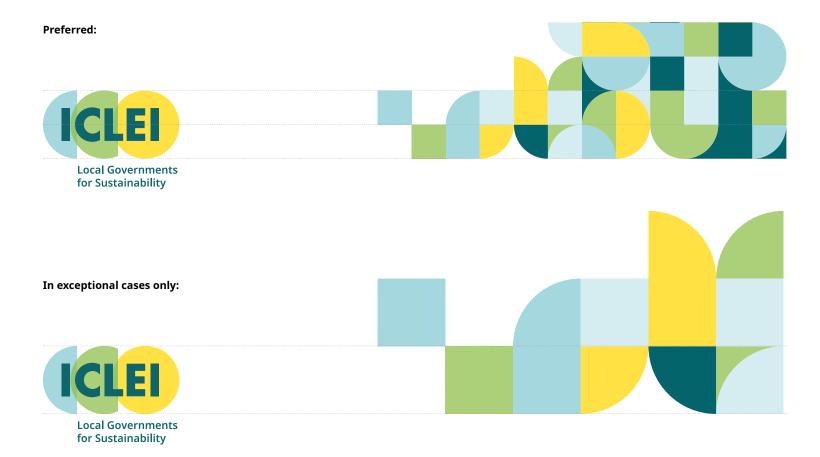
The ICLEI mosaic reinforces the individuality of every single part of our organization, but also their place within a larger global community with a common mission to change the world. A mosaic should always be presented as a whole and never be deconstructed into individual parts.

ICLEI mosaic element



The ICLEI mosaic element is made up of deconstructed parts of the ICLEI logo. These shapes can be recombined in playful and creative ways to add visual richness and enhance the brand identity of assets.

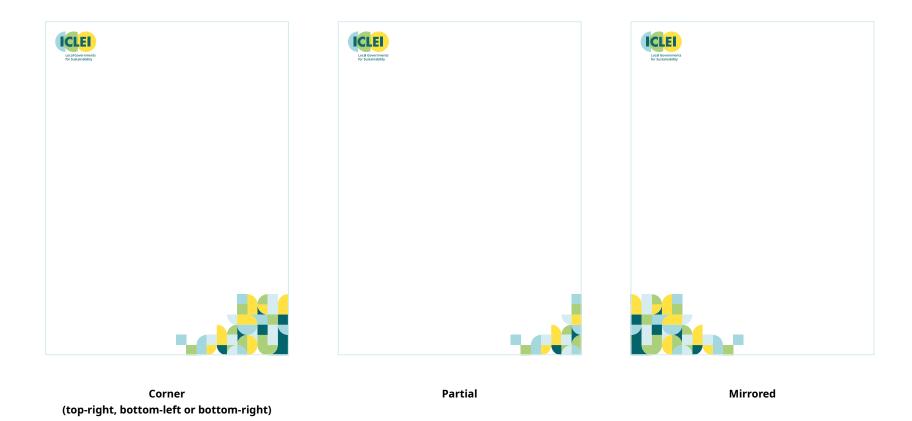
ICLEI mosaic element dimensions



Dimensions of the ICLEI logo are related to the dimensions of the mosaic: we prefer to have the height of two basic mosaic elements to match the height of circles in the logo.

In exceptional cases, make the mosaic bigger, but do not make the height of one basic mosaic element higher than the height of circles in the logo.

Examples of uses



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Secondary Graphic Element: The ICLEI Five Sustainable Development Pathway Icons



ICLEI blue

CMYK 30, 3, 0, 11 159, 221, 228 **RGB**

HEX

9fdde4



ICLEI green

CMYK 19, 0, 44, 16

175, 215, 120 RGB

HEX afd778



ICLEI yellow

CMYK 0, 12, 73, 0

255, 255, 68 RGB

ffe144 HEX



RD pathway blue

CMYK 42, 22, 0, 13 **RGB** 130, 175, 223

HEX 82afdf



CD pathway green

CMYK 48, 0, 1, 42

77, 147, 145 RGB 4d9391 HEX



The ICLEI Color Palette

Primary colors

Primary tints

Secondary colors

These tints should be used in the first colors. TIP: use these tints to create a slight shift

instance as complements to the primary in color on button hover effects.



CMYK 85, 35, 45, 30 0, 100, 108 RGB #00646c HEX



ICLEI blue

CMYK 40, 0, 15, 0 RGB 159, 221, 228 HEX #9fdde4



ICLEI yellow

CMYK 0, 9, 80, 0 RGB 255, 225, 68 HEX #ffe144

ICLEI green

CMYK 40, 0, 65, 0 175, 215 -120 RGB #afd778 HEX



ICLEI light blue

CMYK 20, 0, 7, 0 RGB 201, 233, 235 HEX c9e9eb



ICLEI dark green

CMYK 50, 0, 70, 0 RGB 147, 205, 112 93cd70 HEX



These colors should be used when addtional colors are essential. For example, in a graph or chart where differentiation is needed between various locations or data points.

ICLEI violet

CMYK 0, 61, 11, 52 RGB 122, 48, 108 HEX 7a306c



ICLEI lavender

CMYK 5, 17, 0, 19 RGB 195, 172, 206 HEX c3acce



ICLEI red

CMYK 0, 82, 76, 13 223, 41, 53 RGB df2935 HEX



ICLEI orange

CMYK 0, 60, 83, 8 235, 94, 40 RGB HEX eb5e28



RD pathway blue

CMYK 42, 22, 0, 13 RGB 130, 175, 223 82afdf HEX

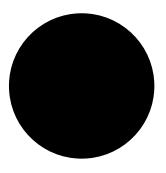


CD pathway green

CMYK 48, 0, 1, 42 77, 147, 145 RGB HEX 4d9391



Grey tints

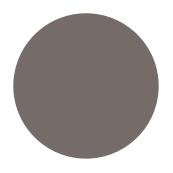


 ICLEI black

 CMYK
 0, 0, 0, 100

 RGB
 250, 250, 250

 HEX
 000000



 ICLEI dark grey

 CMYK
 0, 13, 0, 67

 RGB
 84, 73, 75

 HEX
 54494b



 ICLEI light grey

 CMYK
 0, 0, 0, 10

 RGB
 229, 228, 228

 HEX
 e5e4e4

Bodytext can be set in ICLEI black. Grey can be used as a background or border color to differentiate blocks of content.



The ICLEI Fonts & Iconography

Brand font: Noto

For use in digital publications such as social media cards, reports, brochures and other digital assets.

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지속가능성을 위한 세계지방정부협의회

持続可能な都市と地域をめざす 自治体協議会 Noto Sans Light Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk Ll Mm Nn Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 & "(!?;)€% = + -

Noto Sans Regular

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Nn Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz

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Noto is a freely available Google Font, chosen for its simplicity and availability in all alphabets used by ICLEI regions and offices. It is not included in Microsoft Office by default so will need to be installed. Use Light, Regular and Bold font weights only.

Additional brand fonts

Verdana Regular

Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk Ll Mm Nn Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 & " (!?;) \in % = +-

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Calibri Regular

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Verdana Bold

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Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk LI Mm Nn Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 & "(!?;)€% = + -

In Word, Powerpoint and Google Applications, the use of system fonts Verdana, Arial or Calibri is preferred over Noto Sans, since Verdana is a font that is available on all computers.

Iconography (digital assets): Font Awesome



Telephone number

Font Awesome 5 solid https://fontawesome.com/ icons/phone?style=solid



Linkedin

Font Awesome 5 brands https://fontawesome. com/icons/linkedinin?style=brands



E-mail

Font Awesome 5 solid https://fontawesome.com/ icons/envelope?style=solid



Twitter

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Website

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Facebook

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Blog

Font Awesome 5 solid https://fontawesome.com/ icons/globe?style=solid



Youtube

Font Awesome 5 brands https://fontawesome.com/ icons/youtube?style=brands

Font Awesome is a freely available font that includes a wide range of icons. When searching for icons for use in ICLEI materials, please consult font Awesome before looking for additional icon libraries.

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Twitter cards













Twitter cards

Rollup



Business cards



Rollup Business cards

Newsletter header



Newsletter header