

SAI  
UNIVERSITY

OUR  
BRAND  
BOOK

# Identity

Ignite the spark within you and let your light of greatness shine. Claim your purpose and tell the world, “This is where I will shine brightly and these are the footprints that I will leave in the sand.”  
Janet Autherine



The logo symbolizes the eternal quest for knowledge that begins as a spark within and grows to become a flame.

An abstract representation of a flame, the logo symbol is inspired by the golden ratio, giving it design balance.

The colors gradually increase in intensity, signifying growth & purpose.

White space in the middle signifies the light of Knowledge.

Length, width and depth of the lines around it signifies the three dimensional Knowledge, acquired by students by the time they graduate from Sai University.

Abstract flame contours  
in outer and inner forms

Incremental color grading  
adds fluidity to the form

Symbol derived from golden  
ratio for balance and elegance



Semi-serif typeface gives the  
logotype stability & modernity

Neutral color and font ensures  
the institution name stands out

Pantone 279 C R65 G143 B222 HEX/HTML #418FDE C69 M34 Y0 K0
Pantone 285 C R0 G114 B206 HEX/HTML #0072CE C90 M47 Y0 K0
Pantone 2935 C R0 G87 B183 HEX/HTML #0057B7 C100 M63 Y0 K0
Pantone 2728 C R0 G71 B187 HEX/HTML #0047BB C99 M76 Y0 K0
Pantone 2736 C R30 G34 B170 HEX/HTML #1E22AA C100 M90 Y0 K2
Pantone Process Black C R35 G31 B32 HEX/HTML #231F20 C0 M0 Y0 K100



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The Horizontal version of the logo is the most preferred unit since the University name is better readable in smaller sizes.

The Portrait version of the logo should be used in applications where the medium does not provide for adequate space - for example, pillar arches and door branding.

## Permitted Logo Lock-ups



Minimum Size  
Print



Minimum Size  
Digital



Minimum Size  
Print



Minimum Size  
Digital



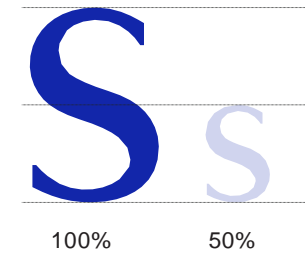
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Clear space frames the logo, separating it from other elements such as headlines, text, imagery and the outside edge of printed materials. The dimensions shown on the right represent the minimum clearspace.

Whenever possible, allow more than this amount of clear space. Clear space for the Sai University logo is equal to half the height of the letter “S” from all sides of the logo.

The logo should not be split or separated to use the flame element or Sai University text separately, or partially.

## Clear space





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The 4 color logo is always preferred over other variants, unless print, or design restrictions apply.

When using the single color logo, it is preferable to use the blue version. Use the single color logo against light backgrounds and the white (reverse) version on dark backgrounds, including photographs, gradients and solid colors.

The single color black logo will be used as the greyscale variant.

## Logo colors

4 color Logo



Single color Logo



Logo in Reverse





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Our logo is a highly visible and valuable brand asset. Altering the artwork diminishes the value of our logo and leads to a less cohesive brand experience. This page demonstrates a few incorrect uses of our logo.



Logo Don'ts



Don't increase or decrease space between text and symbol



Don't change order of colours on the logo symbol



Don't change the logo colours



Don't change the logo symbol's position



Don't rotate or flip the logo symbol



Don't align to the top of the symbol



Don't use gradients over the logo



Don't distort the logo



Don't omit elements of the logo



Don't use the logo against disturbing backgrounds

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When using the logo against backgrounds, pick backgrounds and background colors that enhance the logo, either in single color, 4 color or reverse.

Pick from the approved secondary colors for flat backgrounds that can work for the brand.

Do not use the single color logo against dark backgrounds and the reverse logo against lighter backgrounds.

When using the logo on an image, place it on a less busy area of the image.

## Logo Usage



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The Sai-U brand pattern has been derived from the lines in the logo symbol.

The universal pattern color is the Sai-U blue against a white background. Variations of the pattern color is allowed as a hue of the background color.

Do not use multiple pattern overlays. Do not change the pattern graphic style.

## Brand Pattern



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The brand watermark must use the complete logo and not just the logo symbol. While using the brand watermark, use only the single color logo against applications like confidential documents and presentations.

Use a 10% Black (Grey) for use of the watermark on documents.

Watermark





Logo treatments are created using elements of our system, including the Sai University logo, color and typography. Together, these elements create a consistent logo system and build recognition for our brand and our programs.

Standards for identity treatments have been developed for program, institute and center branding. Other treatments will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. As a general rule, avoid creating multiple identity treatments.

Secondary Logo Usage



Co-branding treatments demonstrate collaboration and feature the Sai University logo with that of one of our partners. A great deal of strategy and financial considerations go into co-branding relationships, so you should put equal emphasis on both brand logos

