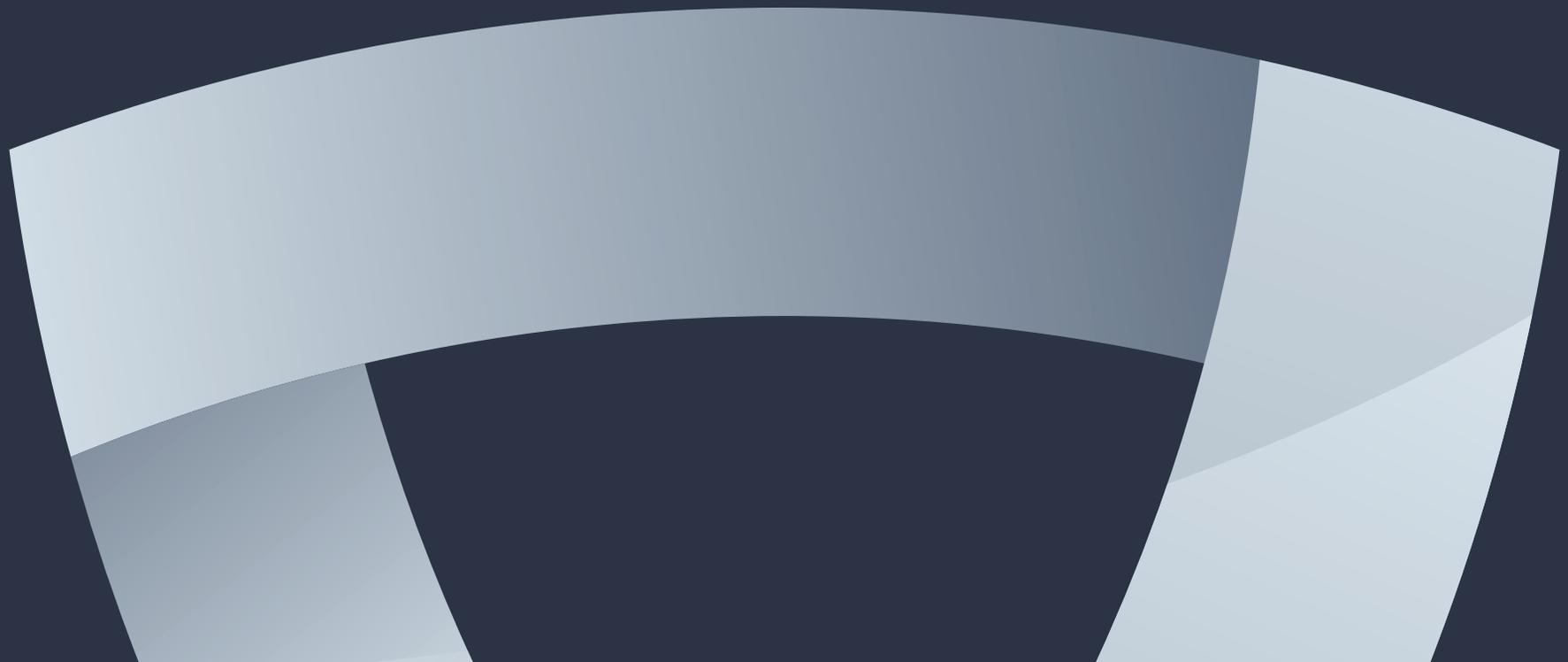




**SIOR**

# **SIOR BRAND GUIDELINES**

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01

THE LOGO

**HORIZONTAL**



**VERTICAL**



**Logo Orientation**

Our logo is a key aspect of the brand, and consistent use of our logo creates a connection between our brand and the people viewing it.

Our logo is flexible and can be used in both horizontal and vertical layouts. The horizontal logo is our preferred version, but ultimately the version that fits the space better should be used.



**Logo Mark**

The SIOR shield can be used on its own to represent the brand in places where very little space is available, such as on social media.



**Single Color Versions**

Both logo versions have a single-color version as well. This version can be used when printing one-color documents or when placing the design on background that might not work with the full-color version, like a photograph.

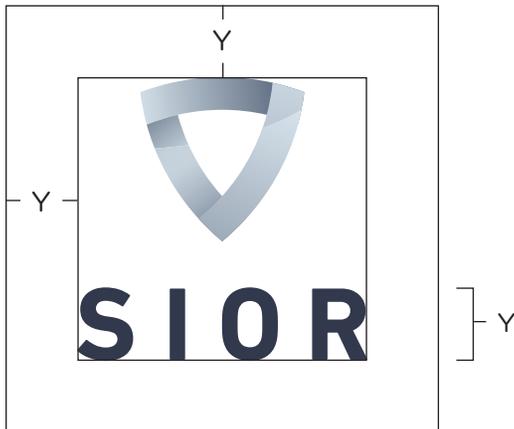




### **On-Color Versions**

In some cases our logo can be placed on a background color. In these cases use the reversed logo (shown to the left), which keeps the full-color mark but changes the type to white.

The background color should be dark enough in contrast to clearly see the mark.



### Clear Space

When placing our logo in a document, it is important to leave the correct amount of space around the logo in order to maintain legibility. The clear spaces are measured off of elements of the logo so that they change size along with the logo.

For the horizontal version, leave a minimum space around the logo equal to half the height of the mark (X). For the vertical version leave a minimum space around the logo equal to the height of the logo text (Y).



### Minimum Sizes

The minimum sizes our logos should be shown at are displayed here. Any smaller than this and they will be illegible.

These sizes are made with a piece of paper or business card in mind. For larger materials such as a poster or billboard the sizes could change. Always be sure to test legibility before going to print.



## 01. THE LOGO Logo Don'ts

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Do not add additional effects to the logo



Do not alter the colors of the logo



Do not place the logo on off-brand or low contrast colors



Do not put the logo over a complicated background



Do not alter the proportions of the logo



Do not substitute fonts in the logo

02

**75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO**

## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Logo Orientation

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HORIZONTAL



### Logo Orientation

Just like our primary logo the 75th Anniversary has vertical and horizontal options. Also similar to the primary logo, the horizontal logo is our preferred version, but ultimately the version that fits the space better should be used.

VERTICAL



## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Logo Variation

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**HORIZONTAL**



### **Logo Variation**

The 75th Anniversary logo has an alternate version where the “75” mark is replaced by the text “75 Years of Real Estate Excellence”.

This is the preferred mark if a large “75” is being used elsewhere in the design, as it cuts down on repetition.

**VERTICAL**



## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Single Color Versions

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### Single Color Versions

All logo versions have a single-color version as well. This version can be used when printing one-color documents or when placing the design on background that might not work with the full-color version, like a photograph.

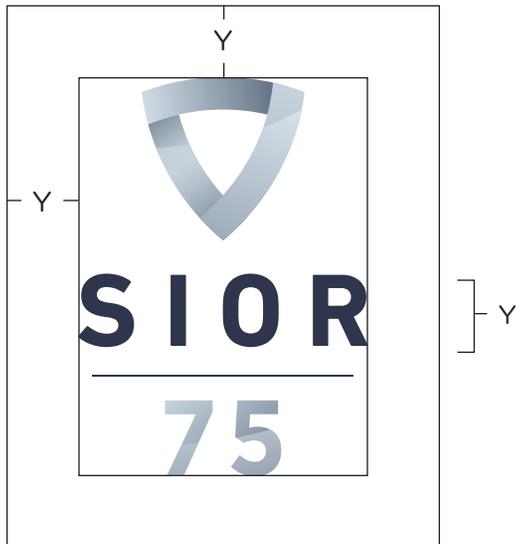


### On-Color Versions

In some cases the 75th Anniversary logo can be placed on a background color. In these cases use the reversed logo (shown to the left), which keeps the full-color mark but changes the type to white.

The background color should be dark enough in contrast to clearly see the mark.

## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Clear Space



### Clear Space

When placing the 75th Anniversary logo in a document, it is important to leave the correct amount of space around the logo in order to maintain legibility. The clear spaces are measured off of elements of the logo so that they change size along with the logo.

For the horizontal version, leave a minimum space around the logo equal to half the height of the mark (X). For the vertical version leave a minimum space around the logo equal to the height of the logo text (Y).

## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Clear Space



### Clear Space

Use the same spacing considerations for the text variation of the 75th Anniversary logo as the standard version.

When placing the 75th Anniversary logo in a document, it is important to leave the correct amount of space around the logo in order to maintain legibility. The clear spaces are measured off of elements of the logo so that they change size along with the logo.

For the horizontal version, leave a minimum space around the logo equal to half the height of the mark (X). For the vertical version leave a minimum space around the logo equal to the height of the logo text (Y).

## 02. 75TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO Minimum Sizes

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### 75 VERSION



width .675"



width .3"

### TEXT VERSION



width 1.25"



width .5"

### Minimum Sizes

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**03**

**CONFERENCE LOGO**



### Logo Elements

The Conference Logo is comprised of three main elements. The primary identifier (A) shows whether this is the Spring of Fall Conference by either showing “SWC” or “FWC”. The year (B) will be changed to match the year of the conference. The location marker (C) will be changed to match the location of the conference.

SPRING

**SWC16**  
San Diego, California

**Logo Variations**

The first letter of the logo changes to identify the conference as Spring or Fall.

FALL

**FWC16**  
San Diego, California

**SWC16**  
San Diego, California

**FWC16**  
San Diego, California

**Single Color Versions**

Both logo versions have a single-color version as well. This version can be used when printing one-color documents or when placing the design on background that might not work with the full-color version, like a photograph. This version should only be used when there is no other option.

**SWC16**  
San Diego, California

**FWC16**  
San Diego, California



SWC16

San Diego, California



FWC16

San Diego, California

### On-Color Versions

In some cases the Conference Logo logo can be placed on a background color. In these cases use the reversed logo (shown to the left), which keeps the full-color mark but changes the type to white.

The background color should be dark enough in contrast to clearly see the mark.



### Clear Space & Minimum Size

When placing the Conference logo in a document, it is important to leave the correct amount of space around the logo in order to maintain legibility. The clear spaces are measured off of elements of the logo so that they change size along with the logo. Leave a minimum space around the logo equal to half the height of the mark (X).

The minimum size the conference logo should be shown at is displayed here. Any smaller than this and it will be illegible.

This size is made with a piece of paper or business card in mind. For larger materials such as a poster or billboard the sizes could change. Always be sure to test legibility before going to print.

# 04

## TYPOGRAPHY

**Aa**



## **DIN Next LT Pro**

**ABCDEFGHIJKLMNQRST**

**UVWXYZ**

**abcdefghijklmnopqrstuv**

**wxyz**

**1234567890**

### **Primary Typefaces**

Our primary typeface is DIN Next LT Pro. DIN is a smart, bold typeface with a large variation of weights and sizes.

Aa



### Ropa

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ  
TUVWXYZ  
abcdefghijklmnopqrst  
vwxyz  
1234567890

Aa



### Calibri

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ  
WXYZ  
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvw  
xyz  
1234567890

### DIN Fallbacks

There are replacement typefaces which can be used for instances when the primary typeface cannot be accessed.

Ropa is a free Google font that can be used online. Calibri is the fallback system font for when no other options is available.

While there is no close approximation to DIN in web-safe fonts, Arial may be used for emails. That is the only place Arial should be used in our branding.

WEBSAFE FONT OPTION: ARIAL

Aa



## Hoefler Text

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNO  
PQRSTUVWXYZ  
abcdefghijklmnop  
rstuvw  
xyz  
1234567890

### Secondary Typeface

Our secondary typeface is Hoefler Text. This serif typeface provides a connection to our 75 years of history. Hoefler Text should be used sparingly to compliment DIN.

Hoefler Text should normally be set in all-caps. However, if setting Hoefler Text in sentence case always use ligatures.

Aa



### EB Garamond 12

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOP  
QRSTUVWXYZ  
abcdefghijklmnopqrst  
vwxyz  
1234567890

Aa



### Georgia

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQR  
STUVWXYZ  
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuv  
wxyz  
1234567890

### Hoefler Text Fallbacks

There are replacement typefaces which can be used for instances when the primary typeface cannot be accessed.

EB Garamond 12 is a free Google font that can be used online. Georgia is the fallback system font for when no other options is available.

Georgia is a web-safe font that can be used in emails.



### Type Use Percentages

The general rule of our brand is to use DIN roughly 90% of the time and Hoefler Text about 10% of the time. This is a guideline, and not all documents will follow it exactly, but try to keep close to this percentage .

# A LARGE ALL-CAPS HEADER IN DIN NEXT LT PRO BOLD

Short intro paragraph in DIN Next LT Pro Light, using a gray color keeps this from competing with the header.

## HOEFLER TEXT IS A SECTION HEADER

Longer text is set in DIN Next LT Pro Light, note the large line height for increased legibility. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor incididunt ut labore et dolore magna aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo consequat. Duis aute irure dolor in reprehenderit in voluptate velit esse cillum dolore eu fugiat nulla pariatur. Excepteur sint occaecat cupidatat non proident, sunt in culpa qui officia deserunt mollit anim id est laborum

### Sample Type Scenario

In this example DIN is clearly being used much more than Hoefler Text. By varying the weight/caps of DIN you can create lots of variety within the one typeface.

Note that the all-caps fonts are widely tracked out. DIN Bold can be tracked out around 80, and Hoefler text can be tracked out around 150.

05

COLOR

## 05. COLORS Primary Color Palette

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### Primary Colors

These three colors should be used on most materials, the width of the color bar demonstrates how prominent the color is in our brand.

**CMYK**  
c83, m72, y46, k40

**RGB**  
43, 50, 68

**HEX:**  
#2b3244

**PMS Solid Coated:**  
534c

**PMS Solid Uncoated:**  
5395u

Navy

**CMYK**  
c70, m57, y37, k15

**RGB**  
75, 88, 109

**HEX:**  
#4b586d

**PMS Solid Coated:**  
5405c

**PMS Solid Uncoated:**  
5405u

Cobalt

**CMYK**  
c15, m6, y3, k0

**RGB**  
211, 225, 234

**HEX:**  
#d3e1ea

**PMS Solid Coated:**  
649c

**PMS Solid Uncoated:**  
649u

Silver

### Secondary Colors

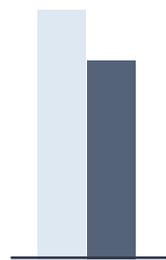
An extended range of grays and blues to increase the versatility of the brand. These colors should be used sparingly.

<b>CMYK</b> c85, m75, y55, k70	<b>CMYK</b> c50, m30, y30, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c27, m14, y12, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c12, m4, y2, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c5, m1, y1, k0
<b>RGB</b> 20, 27, 40	<b>RGB</b> 133, 156, 164	<b>RGB</b> 184, 200, 210	<b>RGB</b> 221, 232, 242	<b>RGB</b> 235, 242, 247
<b>HEX:</b> #141b28	<b>HEX:</b> #859ca4	<b>HEX:</b> #b8c8d2	<b>HEX:</b> #dde8f2	<b>HEX:</b> #ebf2f7
<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 7547c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 443c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 5445c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 656c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 649c
<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 5395u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 5497u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 5445u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 656u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 649u
<b>CMYK</b> c87, m56, y12, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c72, m42, y0, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c12, m4, y2, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c40, m7, y0, k0	<b>CMYK</b> c25, m5, y0, k0
<b>RGB</b> 50, 98, 155	<b>RGB</b> 67, 121, 186	<b>RGB</b> 221, 232, 242	<b>RGB</b> 129, 197, 247	<b>RGB</b> 174, 215, 255
<b>HEX:</b> #32629b	<b>HEX:</b> #4379ba	<b>HEX:</b> #dde8f2	<b>HEX:</b> #81c5f7	<b>HEX:</b> #aed7ff
<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 653c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 653c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 656c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 533c	<b>PMS Solid Coated:</b> 279c
<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 2945u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 661u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 656u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 5395u	<b>PMS Solid Uncoated:</b> 279c

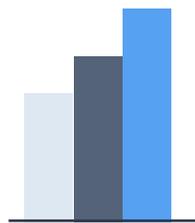
<p><b>CMYK</b> c40, m0, y26, k0</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 153, 216, 201</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #99d8c9</p>	<p><b>CMYK</b> c10, m10, y32, k0</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 229, 221, 181</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #e5ddb5</p>	<p><b>CMYK</b> c18, m20, y0, k0</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 204, 198, 224</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #ccc6e0</p>
<p><b>CMYK</b> c83, m33, y68, k16</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 40, 117, 96</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #287560</p>	<p><b>CMYK</b> c10, m20, y72, k0</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 232, 198, 102</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #e8c666</p>	<p><b>CMYK</b> c89, m95, y0, k0</p> <p><b>RGB</b> 71, 53, 150</p> <p><b>HEX:</b> #473596</p>

### Tertiary Colors

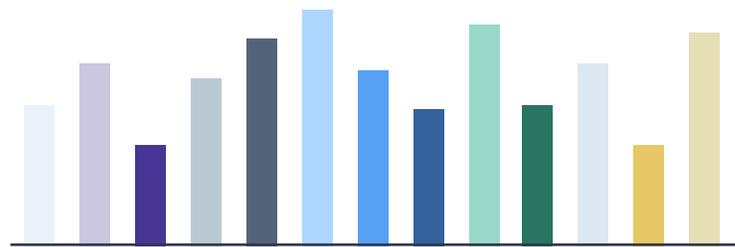
These additional colors are meant to be used in charts and graphs only, they should not be used for other purposes.



A



B



C



D



E

### Color in Charts & Graphs

When creating charts and graphs begin with the base grays (A). To add additional contrast or to highlight one piece of data use our Blues (B). When many points of data need to be compared, our tertiary accent colors can be utilized (C).

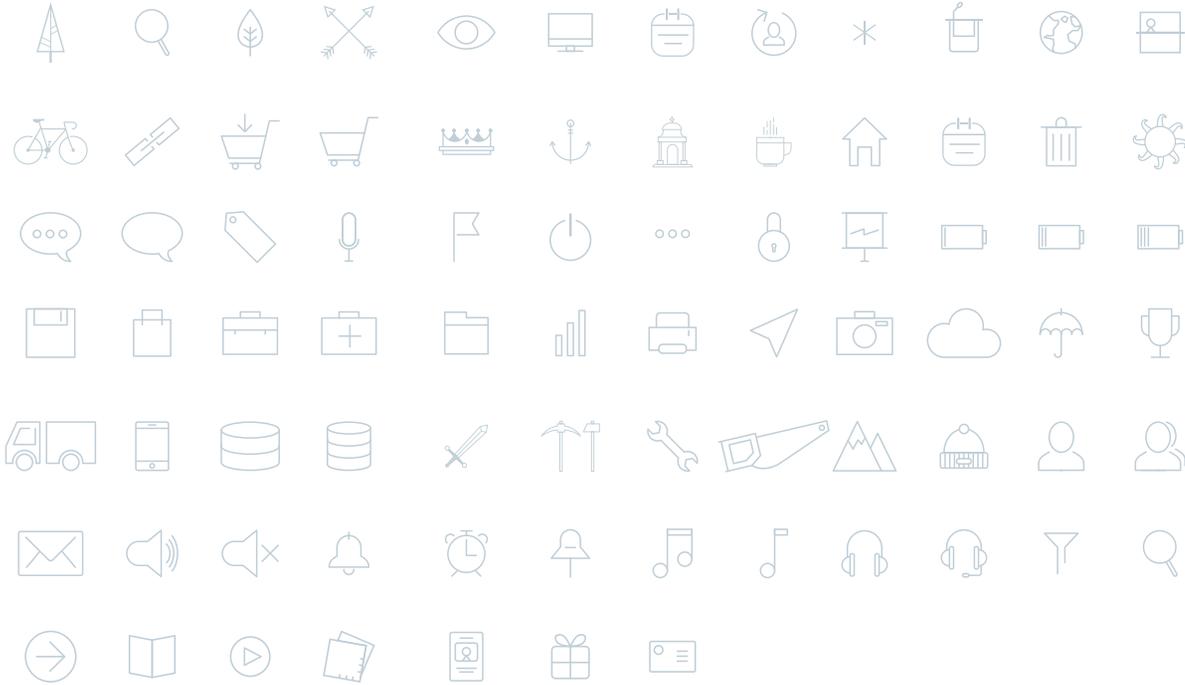
Take care when using Base Grays that there is enough contrast between color (D). Avoid situations where viewers might have trouble differentiating between the colors (E).

# 06

## VISUAL ELEMENTS

## 05. VISUAL ELEMENTS Icons

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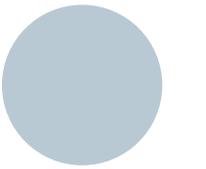
### Icons

Iconography is an important part of our brand's visual language. By using thin, line icons, we can keep a consistent feeling of professionalism and clean design.

A  SECTION TITLE

B | SECTION TITLE

D   
Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet,  
consectetur adipiscing elit,  
sed do eiusmod tempor

E  Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet,  
consectetur adipiscing elit,  
sed do eiusmod tempor

C  SECTION TITLE

### Rules

Both horizontal and vertical rules are used extensively throughout our branding. When using the rule to start a section, place it above the text so that the title hangs down from the rule (A). A vertical rule can also be used to set off a section header (B) or a thicker, shorter rule can be placed above a header for emphasis (C).

Rules can set off sections of notes (D) as well as separate images from text (E).

**07**

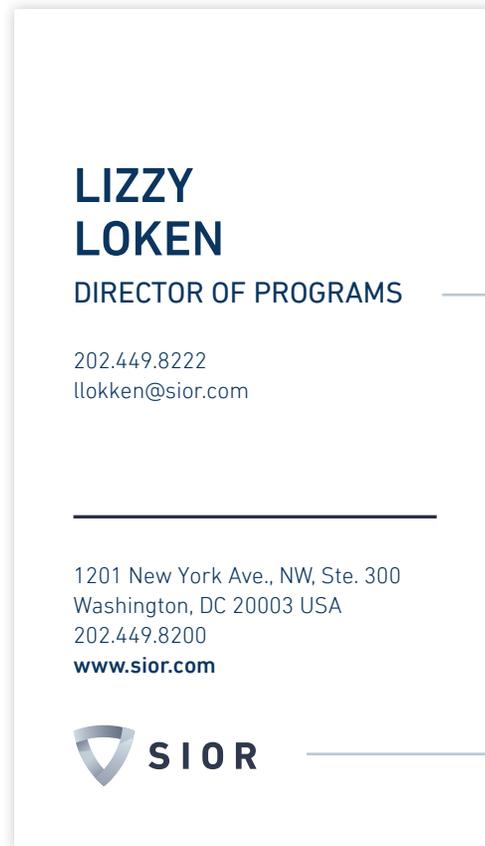
**DESIGN MATERIALS**



### Stationary System: Letterhead

When using our letterhead keep a top margin of 2.65", left and right margins of 1.6", and a bottom margin of 1.5".

Type should be set at 9pt with 11pt of leading and 0 tracking.



**Stationary System: Business Cards**

The two sections of the business card that can be edited are the personal information (A) and the SIOR logo (B), which can be replaced by a chapter logo.



### Advisor Cover Page

There are two elements of the Advisor Cover that need to be changed per chapter; the background photo and the chapter logo.

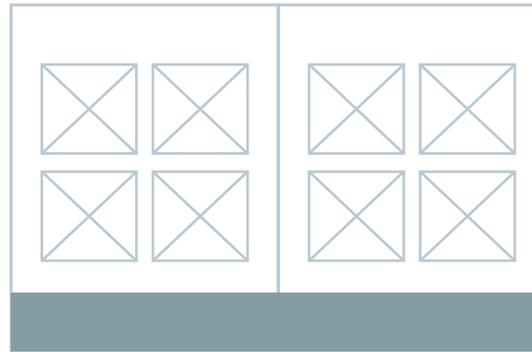
The background photo should be a wide shot of the chapter city. The InDesign file has filters in place to change the photo to black & white and give it the blue tint.

When changing the chapter logo make sure it is centered with on the page. Some chapter names are longer or shorter, so alignment the logo maybe become unalligned. Do not resize the logo.

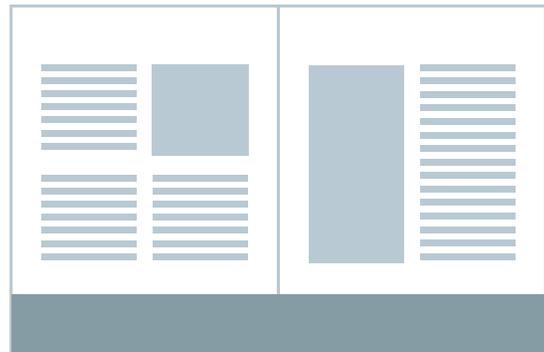
## 07. DESIGN MATERIALS Advisor Internal Pages



A



B



C



D



### Advisor Internal Pages

The interior spread of the Advisor Newsletter is a module system. The base design (A) involves text blocks with associated photographs to the right. This layout is broken into a simple grid (B) where four quadrants on each page can be filled with content.

In layout C there is one story with an associated photo on the top row of the left page and two stories with no associated photos below that. On the right page both the story and photo take up two quadrants, but keep the same right-to-left relationship as other stories and photos.

In layout D a full-spread photo takes up the entirety of the right page, and related text is placed in the right two quadrants



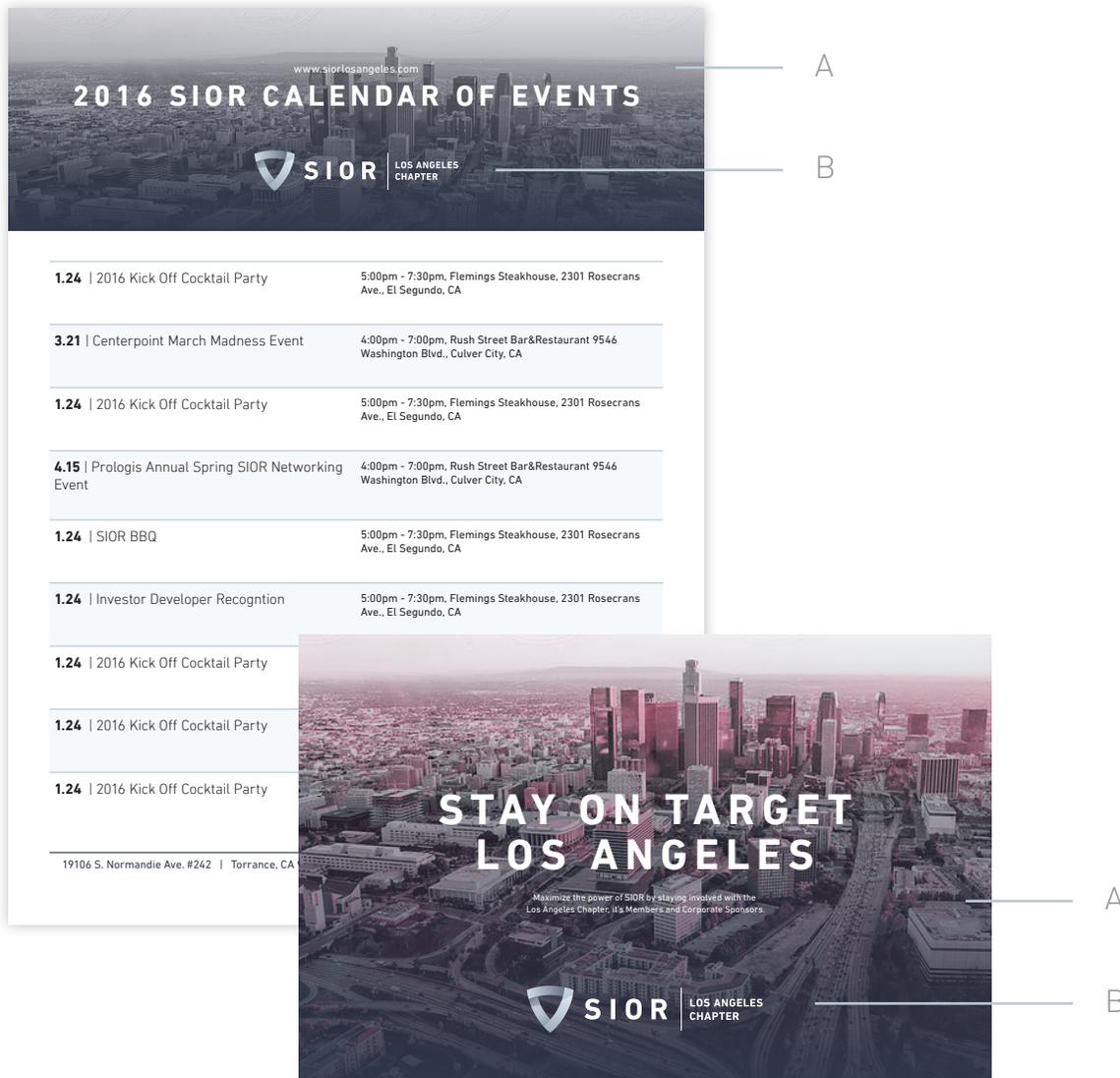
### Membership Directory Cover Page

There are two elements of the Membership Directory Cover that need to be changed per chapter; the background photo and the chapter logo.

The background photo should be a wide shot of the chapter city. The InDesign file has filters in place to change the photo to black & white and give it the blue tint.

When changing the chapter logo make sure it is centered with on the page. Some chapter names are longer or shorter, so alignment the logo maybe become unalligned. Do not resize the logo.

After placing the chapter logo, be sure to crop out the icon (matching the design on this page).



### Calendar of Events Materials

The two elements that need to be changed on the calendar of events flyer and postcard are the background photo and chapter logo.

The background photo should be a wide shot of the chapter city. The InDesign file has filters in place to change the photo to black & white and give it the blue tint.

When changing the chapter logo make sure it is centered with on the page. Some chapter names are longer or shorter, so alignment the logo maybe become unalligned. Do not resize the logo.

