# College of Engineering

## **ADVANCED COLLABORATION**





### CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING ADVANCED COLLABORATION ICON STYLE GUIDE

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### **ABOUT THE ICON**

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This document is designed to provide guidance for using Carnegie Mellon University College of Engineering's advanced collaboration icon. For other style requirements, refer to the official Carnegie Mellon University brand standards, found at: <a href="http://www.cmu.edu/marcom/brand-standards/index.html">http://www.cmu.edu/marcom/brand-standards/index.html</a>.

### What does it represent?

This icon illustrates the state of advanced collaboration in which Carnegie Mellon University's College of Engineering operates.

The colors, shapes, and angles formed by the intersecting triangles are a metaphor for the dynamic interactions driving the college's cutting-edge research. There are no impenetrable boundaries between one branch of our organization and any other.

### How SHOULD it be used?

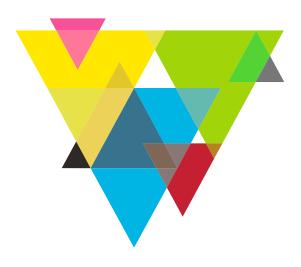
Flexibility is this icon's greatest asset. It has the ability to function as the dominant visual element in a piece, recede into the background, and even be deconstructed. For example applications, see pages 9-12 of this document.

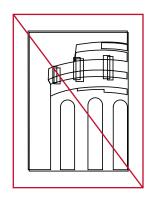
#### How SHOULDN'T it be used?

The icon is NOT meant to replace the College of Engineering's wordmark, or represent the college in all circumstances. Therefore, the Carnegie Mellon University and/or College of Engineering wordmark should always appear with the icon.

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We will no longer use the tower icon, except in cases where communicating directly with alumni who may have a strong affinity for our campus' architecture.

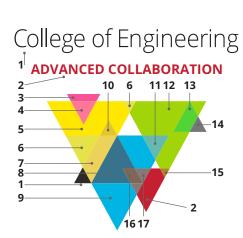




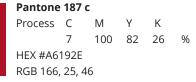
COLOR

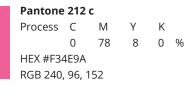
The Pantone, CMYK, RGB, and HEX (web) color values used to create the icon are listed below.

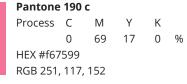
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1	Pantone Black C							
	Process	C	M	Υ	K			
		63	62	59	94	%		
	HEX #2D	2926						
	RGB 45, 41, 38							
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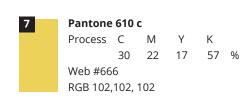


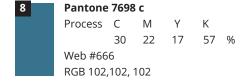


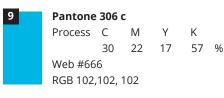


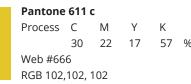
5	Pantone 803 c							
	Process	C	М	Υ	K			
		0	3	97	0	%		
	HEX #FF	HEX #FFE900						
	RGB 255	, 233	, 0					

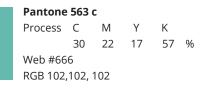
6	Pantone 380 c						
	Process	C	M	Υ	K		
		15	0	72	0	%	
	HEX #D3	HEX #D3E13C					
	RGB 224	RGB 224, 230, 109					











Pantone	275	_				
Pantone	3/3	C				
Process	C	M	Υ	K		
	30	22	17	57	%	
Web #66	6					
RGB 102,102, 102						

13	Pantone	802	С			
	Process	C	М	Υ	Κ	
		30	22	17	57	
	Web #666					
	RGB 102	,102,	102			

14	Pantone Cool Gray 9 c						
	Process	C	M	Υ	K		
		30	22	17	57	%	
	Web #666						
	RGB 102,102, 102						

15	Pantone 1255 c						
	Process	C	M	Υ	K		
		30	22	17	57	%	
	Web #666						
	RGB 102	RGB 102,102, 102					

16	Pantone 7531 c						
	Process	C	M	Υ	K		
		30	22	17	57	%	
	Web #66	Web #666					
	RGB 102	RGB 102.102. 102					

17	Pantone	409	С			
	Process	C	M	Υ	K	
		30	22	17	57	%
	Web #666					
	RGB 102,102, 102					

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#### Monochrome

When monochrome is used, all elements are to be 100% black.

This form of the icon must only be used against background colors light enough to hold enough contrast to maintain legibility.

### **White Out**

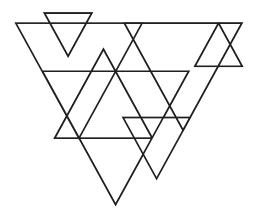
When white out is used, all text is inverted to white.

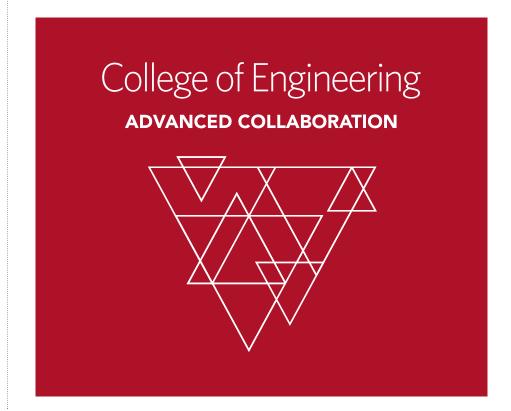
This form of the icon must only be used against background colors strong and dark enough to hold enough contrast to maintain legibility.



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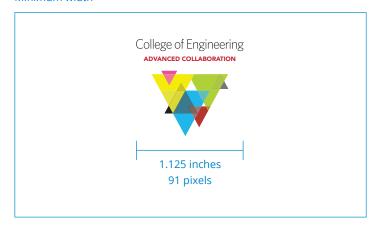




ICON SIZE

Never print the icon less than 1.125 inches wide or use it at less than 91 pixels wide in electronic publications.

### Minimum width



### **Exclusion Zone**

The 'exclusion zone' refers to the area around the icon which must remain free from other copy to ensure that the icon is not obscured. As the diagram indicates, the 'exclusion zone' is equal to the height of the red triangle in the icon.







## **INCORRECT USAGE**



DO NOT recreate the icon using a different typeface



DO NOT change the relative sizes of the icon's elements



DO NOT place the icon on a patterned background



DO NOT add graphic elements to the icon



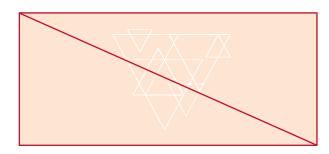
DO NOT place the icon at an angle



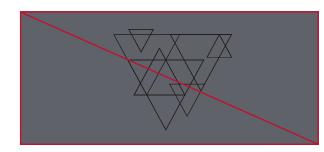
DO NOT distort the icon's elements



DO NOT change the icon's colors



DO NOT place a white icon on a pale background

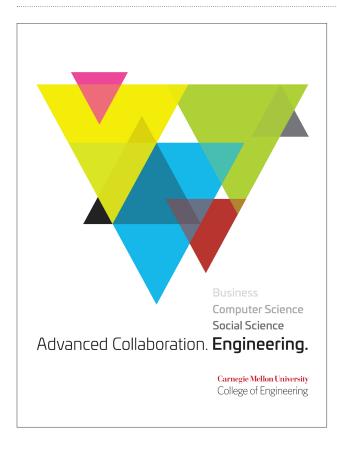


DO NOT place a black icon on a dark background

## APPLICATIONS

**VISUAL DOMINANCE:** The icon can serve as the dominant visual element of a layout (left, below), serve as an organizational framework for other visual content (center), or recede into the background (right).

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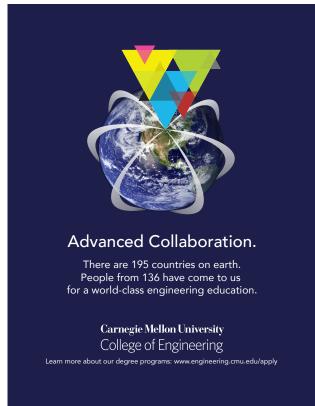


## **APPLICATIONS**

**SCALE:** The icon can be used at a variety of sizes. In the examples below (from left to right) the icon denotes sections in a publication, is the visual focal point of a print ad, and is highly magnified.











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**EXPLODED:** The icon is deconstructed into its component parts in these examples.







## **ANIMATION**

IT'S ALIVE! Below are a few ways the icon has been animated.

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