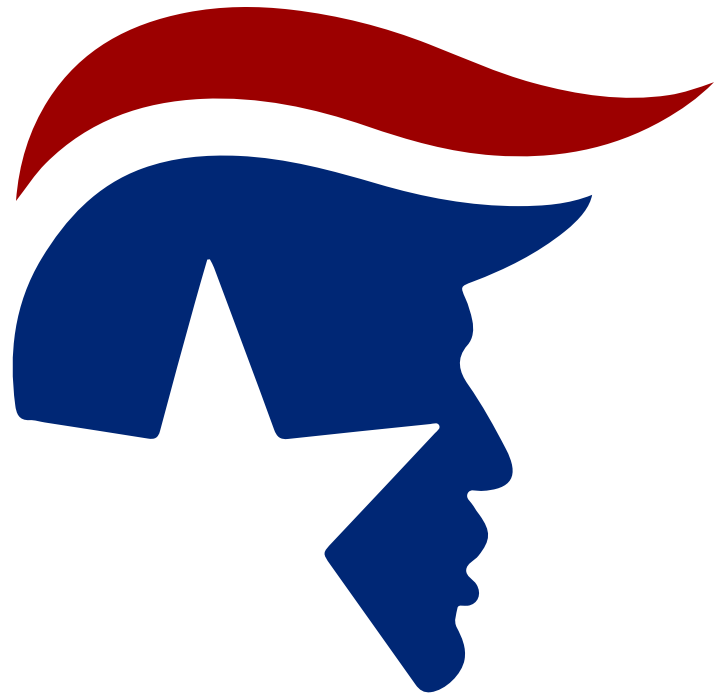


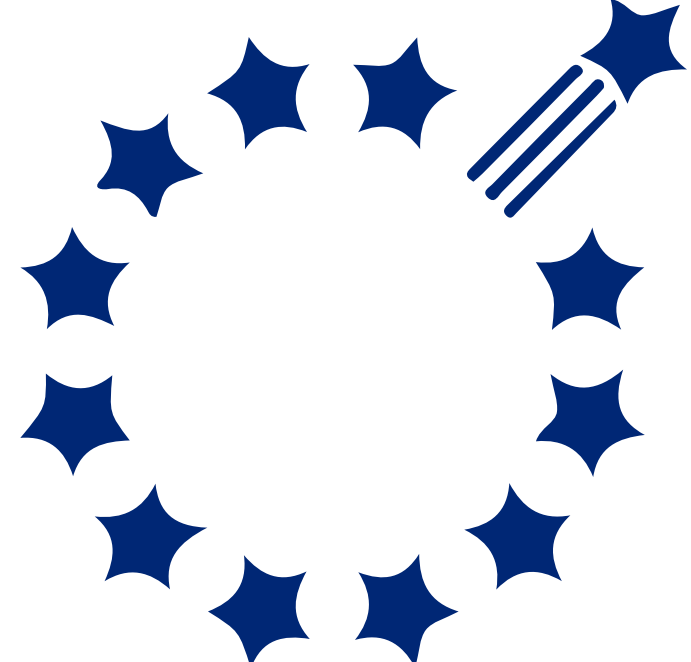
Imagine there's no countries

of blurring borders and identities

Current socio-political condition



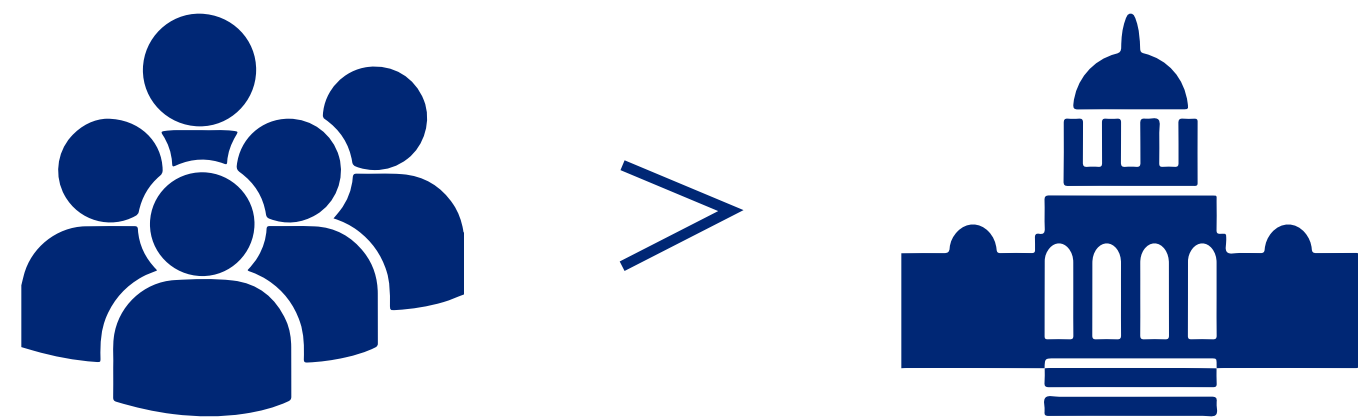
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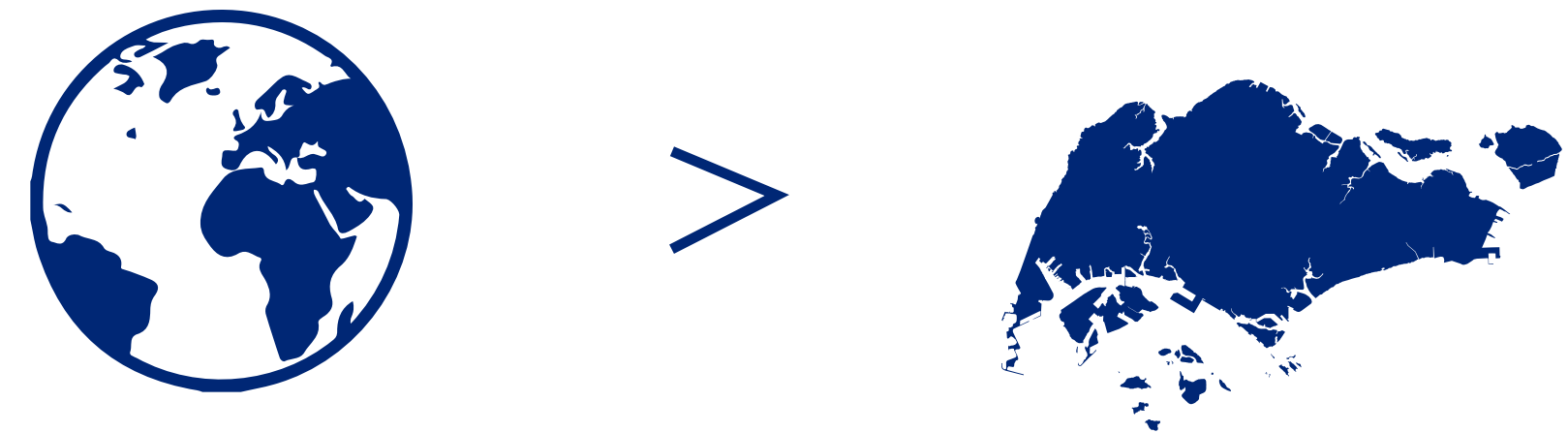
Brexit

Cosmopolitanism

The cosmopolitan views the world as a coherent global society united by the simple fact of our common humanity, and often regards the nation-state as an impediment to international justice.



from a moral perspective, people are more important than states.



shift our allegiance from the nation to the international scene, thereby nurturing a global “moral community made up by the humanity of all human beings.”

Open Borders

The argument for open borders is both economic and moral. All people should be free to move about the earth, uncaged by the arbitrary lines known as borders.

The overwhelming majority of would-be immigrants want little more than to make a better life for themselves and their families by moving to economic opportunity and participating in peaceful, voluntary trade.

What moral theory justifies using wire, wall, and weapon to prevent people from moving to opportunity?

Economists have estimated that a world of open borders would double world GDP.

Citizenship

is granted to an individual by the government of the country, when he/she complies with the legal formalities.

Citizenship is the glue keeping individual and state together.

more than 200m people now live and work outside the countries in which they were born—but still wish to travel home, or marry or invest there.



Passport Cover

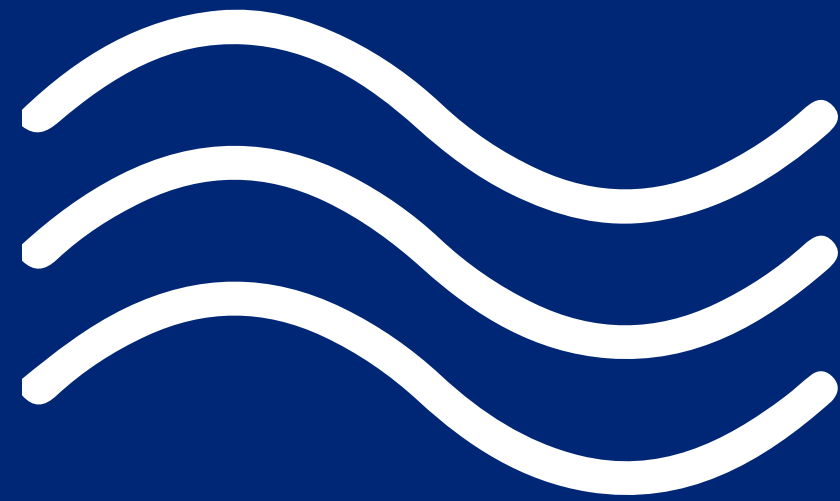
Passport is standardised and issued by the United Nations as opposed to a specific country.

The usual national crest is replaced by the UN logo, which symbolises placing a greater importance on the entire humanity over state.



Multiculturalism

The UN's statement regarding the safe passage of the passport bearer into the country is reflected in the six official languages of the UN. These are Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish. The correct interpretation and translation of these six languages, in both spoken and written form, is very important to the work of the Organization, because this enables clear and concise communication on issues of global importance.



Wave Motif

The undulating lines symbolise the interconnectedness of the world. Gone are the nationalistic symbolisms that are commonplace in current passport designs. Perhaps passport bearers could in the future be allowed to choose which images or symbolisms to include in their passport design that they think best represents themselves. The passport is no longer purely a national identity but weaves in personal identity that is understandably unique and nuanced.



Citizenship

Citizenship also comes into question when imagining a world without borders. My design imagines citizenship to be temporal and fluid and granted to people in the same way we obtain visas today. This allows a person the freedom to weave in and out of societies to best take advantage of his opportunities.

Points for Expansion

What will become of our currency?

How about security?

What and How will government start collecting, analysing and classifying your data?