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Visual Identity Design
Young Designers Collective

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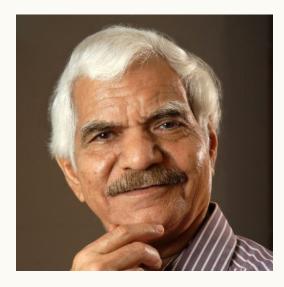
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# Graphic Communication Concepts (GCC)



**Sudarshan Dheer**Founder, Chief Designer
Mumbai, India

GCC was founded in 1974 by Sudarshan Dheer—the Grand Master of Corporate Communications in India.

The studio specializes in corporate communication projects—identity, literature, packaging, signage systems and continues to serve both national and international clientele. Sudarshan Dheer has designed logos or brand identities for over 100 clients.

His work has been featured in more than 50 international publications and won more than 40 awards. His well known logos are Hindustan Petroleum (HP), Titan, the Essar Group, Raheja Corp., Kissan, IDBI Bank and Centurion Bank.

### People

GCC is an independent design studio run by genuine human beings.

When I joined, the team included Mr. Sudarshan Dheer, Apoorv, Uma Ji, and Sreshtha Hazra. Everyone welcomed me open heartedly in the studio and treated me like a family member. It being a small team, the studio became a great opportunity to observe, interact and learn from the master himself.

Apoorv Jadhav has been associated with Mr. Dheer right after graduating from Rachna Sansad College of Applied Arts and Crafts, Mumbai in 2015. He has worked on several new projects at GCC including Spacewood and Ralco identity design.

**Uma Sainath** has been managing the studio for more than 14 years now.

Sreshtha Hazra had joined for internship a week before me. She is pursuing BFA in Applied Arts at MSU Baroda and is expected to graduate in 2017. We'd meet previously at Typoday 2016 held this year at Srishti Institute of Design and Technology, Bangalore where we attended a workshop offered by Prof. Mahendra Patel together.





Visual identity design is based around the visual devices used within a company, usually assembled within a set of guidelines. These guidelines that make up an identity administer how the identity is applied throughout a variety of mediums, using approved color palettes, fonts, layouts, measurements and so forth.

A **logo** identifies a company or product via the use of a mark, flag, symbol or signature. A logo does not sell the company directly nor rarely does it describe a business.

Logos derive their meaning from the quality of the thing it symbolizes. Logos are there to identity not to explain.

#### Keywords

- Modern
- Young
- Connect
- Energetic
- Force
- Change
- Develop
- Organize
- Share
- Initiate
- Stable
- Create

#### **Qualities of an Effective Visual Identity**

- Clear semantic perception.
- Bold, direct and memorable.
- Unique in its own domain.
- Work across media and scale.
- Work in both black and white, and color.



# **Abstract**Young Designers Collective

People in India from several decades have been acting irresponsible and ignoring common design problems.

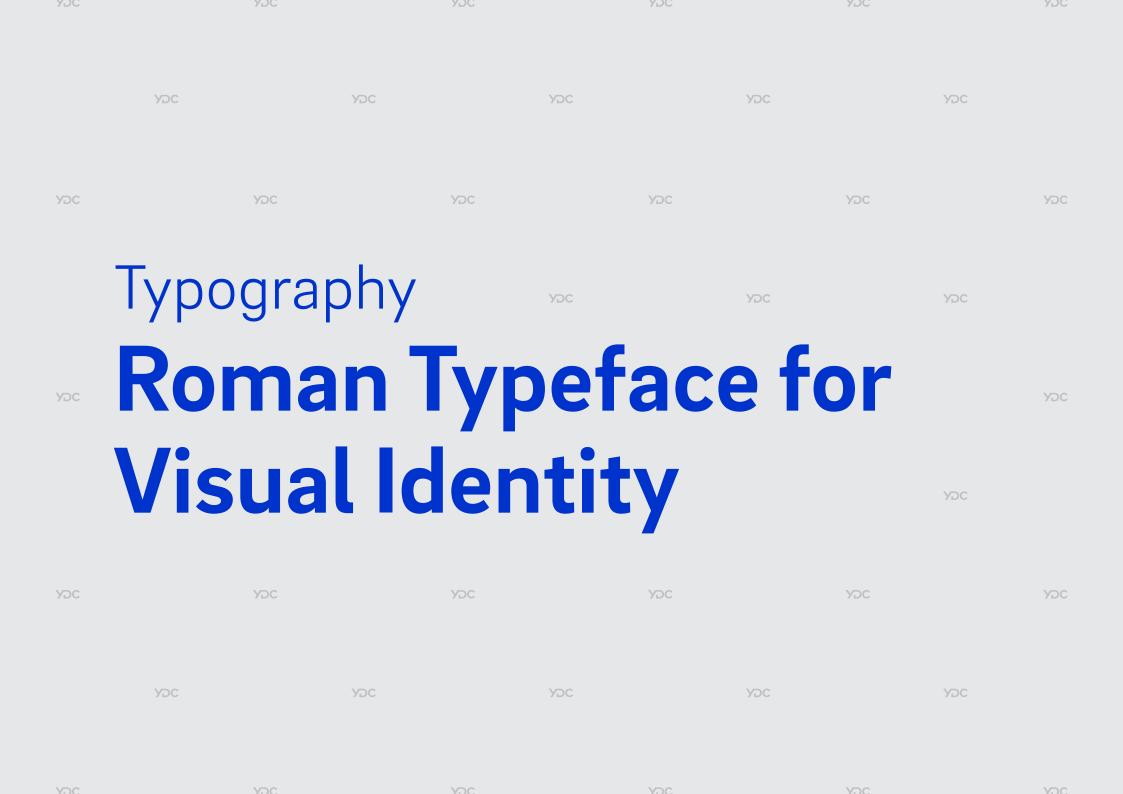
During my study in art and design schools, many times I came across to question this 'chalta hai' behavior of people towards everyday problems and soon realized that if I myself will do nothing for the common good then everything is likely to stay the same forever. While the individual effort matters, a collective effort will not only take a lot less time but will be more

impactful and effective. Therefore, the idea of creating a collective of focused young designers came into existence.

# Operation of the Collective

- The collective will be open for all the art/ design students, practicing artists/ designers and professional studios who priorities actual change over profit.
- The collective will be hosted through a website displaying all the projects and designers.

Young Designers Collective is a project initiated to bring change by change in India through self-initiated individual and collaborative projects.



#### **Proxima Nova**

#### Typeface

Typefaces have unique characteristics that help communicate specific messages. Proxima Nova combines modern proportions with a geometric appearance and is available for both print and web.

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Proxima Nova Light

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**Proxima Nova Bold** 

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Proxima Nova Semibold

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**Proxima Nova Extrabold** 

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**Proxima Nova Black** 

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#### Logotype

Young Designers
Collective

YDC logotype appears to the left. It is the primary element of the Young Designers Collective visual identity system and must appear on all the YDC communications.

YDC logotype is a custom designed graphic and may not be altered in any way.



Custom designed graphic not to be altered.

#### **Logo Unit**

Typography



## **Logo Unit**

### Spacing & Minimum Clearance



#### Logo

#### **Reduction for Web**



Weblogo 300 x 300 px



Weblogo 150 x 150 px



Weblogo 100 x 100 px



Weblogo 50 x 50 px



Weblogo 48 x 48 px **YDC** 

Fevicon 32 x 32 px **YDC** 

Fevicon 16 x 16 px









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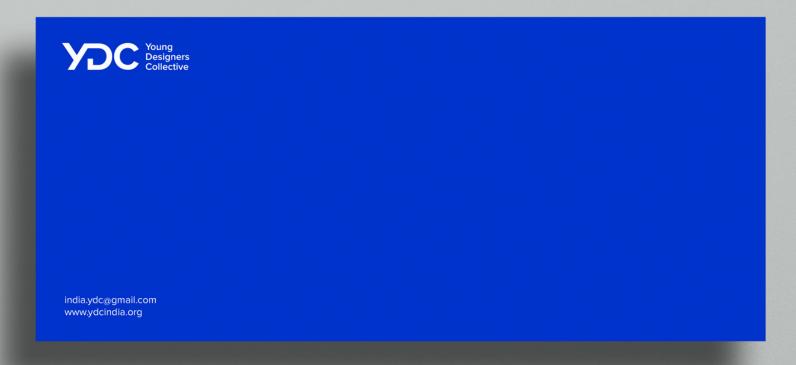
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**Visiting Cards** 





# Envelope









Stationery



**Hand Bag** 



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