

Logo Rationale



The bud symbolises the life force of Singapore that brings forth its potential for growth in the global economy. With its elegant curve, the spine depicts the limitless horizon of a creative world.

Stylized lines are the longitudes, meeting at the apex to represent the connectivity of countries and world leaders gathering at the 2006 IMF/World Bank annual meetings in Singapore.

Petals bond to signify the unity of financial leaders to achieve common goals at the meetings. In harmonious flow, they depict the congruent roles nations must play to achieve international cooperation for global growth.

Gold relates to the financial sector and its contributions to the world economy. It exemplifies excellence and strength, which characterize Singapore as a regional financial and business centre. Its gradual, overlapping tones point towards the increase in the wealth of nations over time, with expanding richness and scope for all. The bud can also appear in an exciting palate of colours representing the plurality of ideas and cultures at this international forum.