

**Framework for Association of Alexander's Patterns and Aesthetic Transformations**

Annex to *Harmony-Comprehension and Wholeness-Engendering: eliciting psychosocial transformational principles from design* (2010)

**Pattern Language Names**  
re-formulated as templates  
In *5-fold Pattern Language* (1984)

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Each pattern below  
links to a detailed explanation

		Properties / Transformations of Christopher Alexander from <i>The Nature of Order</i> (2004) (heading summaries in main document)													Links Broader Narrower		
		Strong centres	Levels of scale	Thick boundaries	Alternating repetition	Positive space	Good shape	Local symmetries	Deep interlock and ambiguity	Contrast	Gradients	Roughness	Echoes	The Void	Simplicity and inner calm	Non-separateness	B
1	Independent domains															0	2
2	Distribution of organization															1	4
3	Interpretation of complementary modes of organization															1	9
4	Regenerative resource cultivation areas															4	1
5	Network of inter-relationships															1	4
6	Intermediate scale organization															1	3
7	Non-linear organization															5	5
8	Variety of forms and processes															1	10
9	Decentralized formal processes															1	10
10	Access to intensity															2	10
11	Local interrelationship domains															3	12
12	Individuality in multiplicity															2	14
13	Sub-domain boundary																
14	Identifiable context																
15	Context boundary																
16	Web of general interrelationships																
17	Encirclement																
18	Network of redefinitions																
19	Web of selective interchange																
20	User-determined specialized communications																
21	Four-level structural limit																
22	Occupiable temporary site limit																
23	Compensating relationships in parallel																
24	Positions enabling transcendence																
25	Relationship to indeterminacy																
26	Functional cycle																
27	Complementarity																
28	Coherent pattern of relationship densities																
29	Stable density gradient of local relationships																
30	Activity nodes																
31	Cycle of relationship reinforcement																
32	Selective interchange axis																
33	Underdefined processes																
34	Interchange																
35	Adequate variety of cyclic elements																
36	Differentiation by relationship density																
37	Cluster of frameworks																
38	Standard frameworks																
39	Integrating a new dimension																
40	Integrating the historical dimension																
41	Informal context for formal processes																
42	Chain of fundamental transformation zones																
43	Presentation of new dimensions																
44	Local focal points																
45	Local action network																
46	Diversified interchange environment																
47	Functionality enhancement																
48	Adaptive interstices																
49	Local relationship loops																
50	Three-way relationship entrainment																
51	Linear relationships enhanced by non-linear processes																
52	Interfacing vehicles of communication and networks of unmediated																
53	Principal points of entry																
54	Intersection of differently paced communications																
55	Protected low intensity relationships																



244	Flexible interfaces																		
245	Protecting variability to enhance fixity																		
246	Integration within context																		
247	Embedding fixity within variability																		
248	Time binding																		
249	Symbols of integration																		
250	Encouraging emphases																		
251	Different settings																		
252	Domains of insight																		
253	Meaningful symbols of self-transformation																		