

# From Architectural to Sculptural

The changing face of Opel/Vauxhall interiors

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Wir leben Autos.



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“It is very difficult to predict ... especially about the future.”

Mark Twain

“The best way  
to predict the future  
is to invent it.”

Alan Kay (American computer scientist)

# How do we know

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We talk to the customer



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We observe the real life



Question the routines





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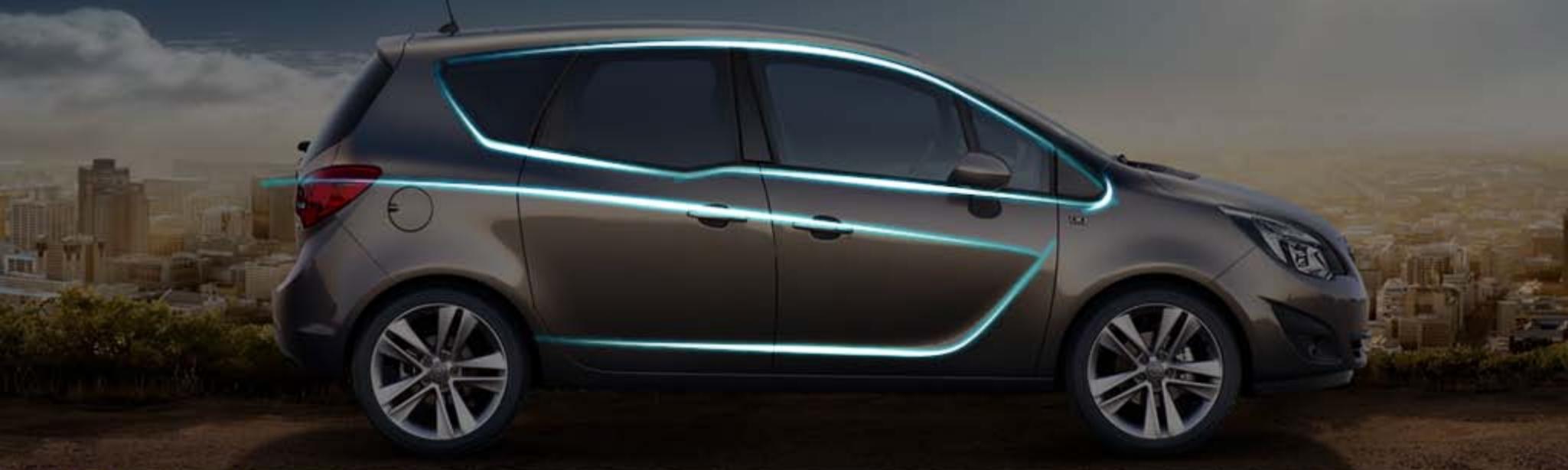


We find new answers





Harmonious inside and out



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Sculptural artistry meets German precision



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**TopGear**

**firmenwagen**



**EUROSTARS  
2009**



**Award-winning design**



New design language in 2008 for years ...



... first shown in Insignia 2008



From concept to reality



German and emotional



High quality materials, fit and finish



dynamic



innovative



flexible



Strong DNA with individual personality



Remarkable functionality



Every rear passenger becomes a star!



We all have our personal belongings



A space for everything

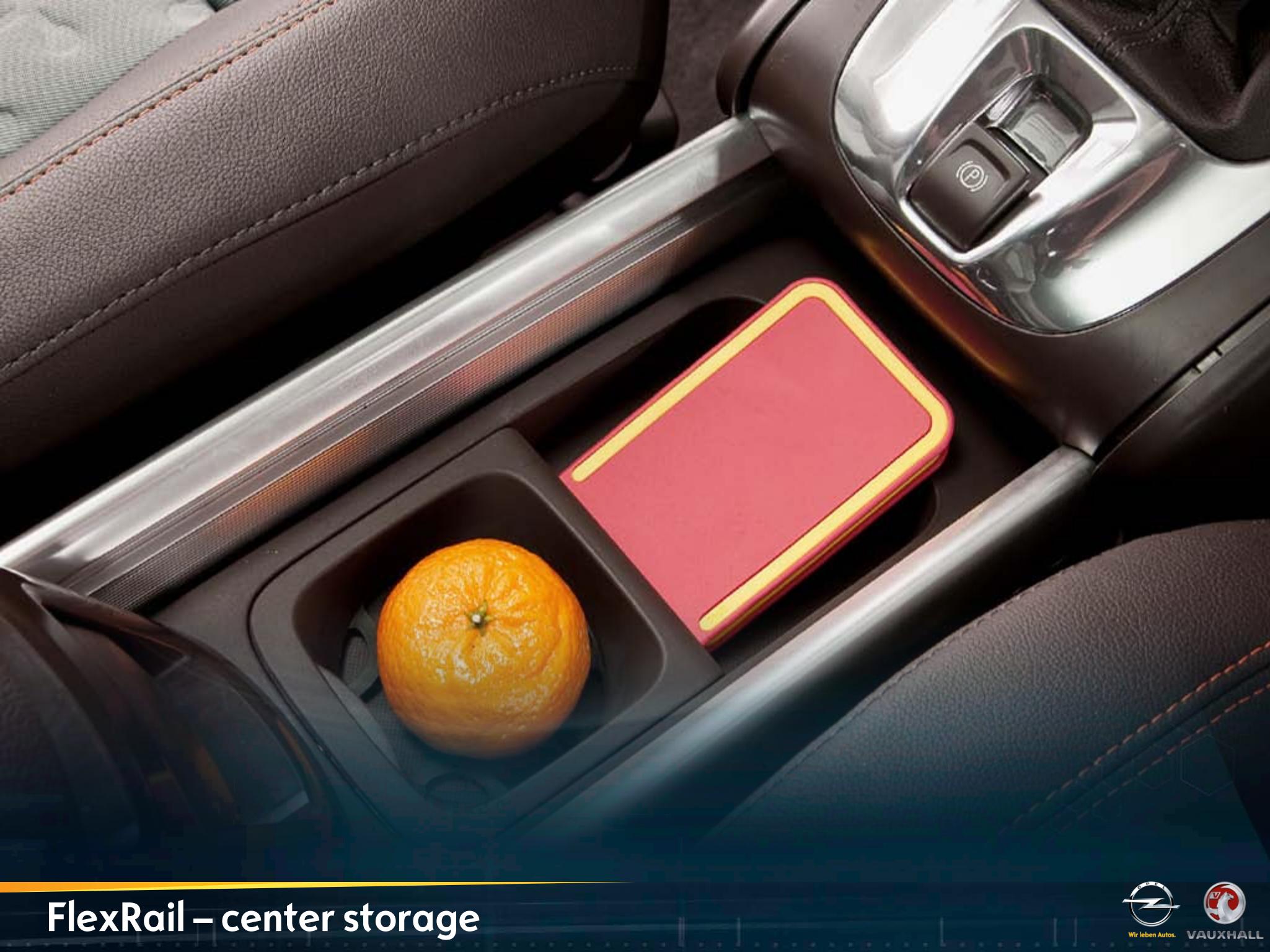


**FlexRail – center storage**





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AGR-certified ergonomic system



**FlexFix – always on board**



# Belinda Müller

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Meriva interior – one single concept



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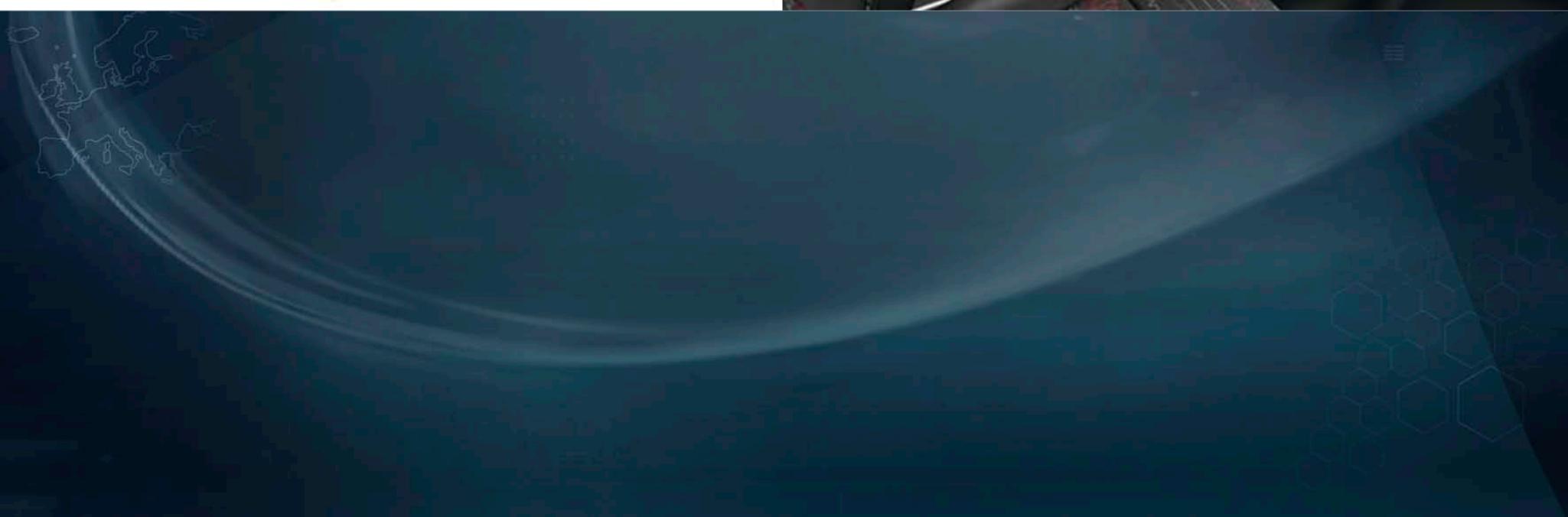


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Color & trim for all tastes



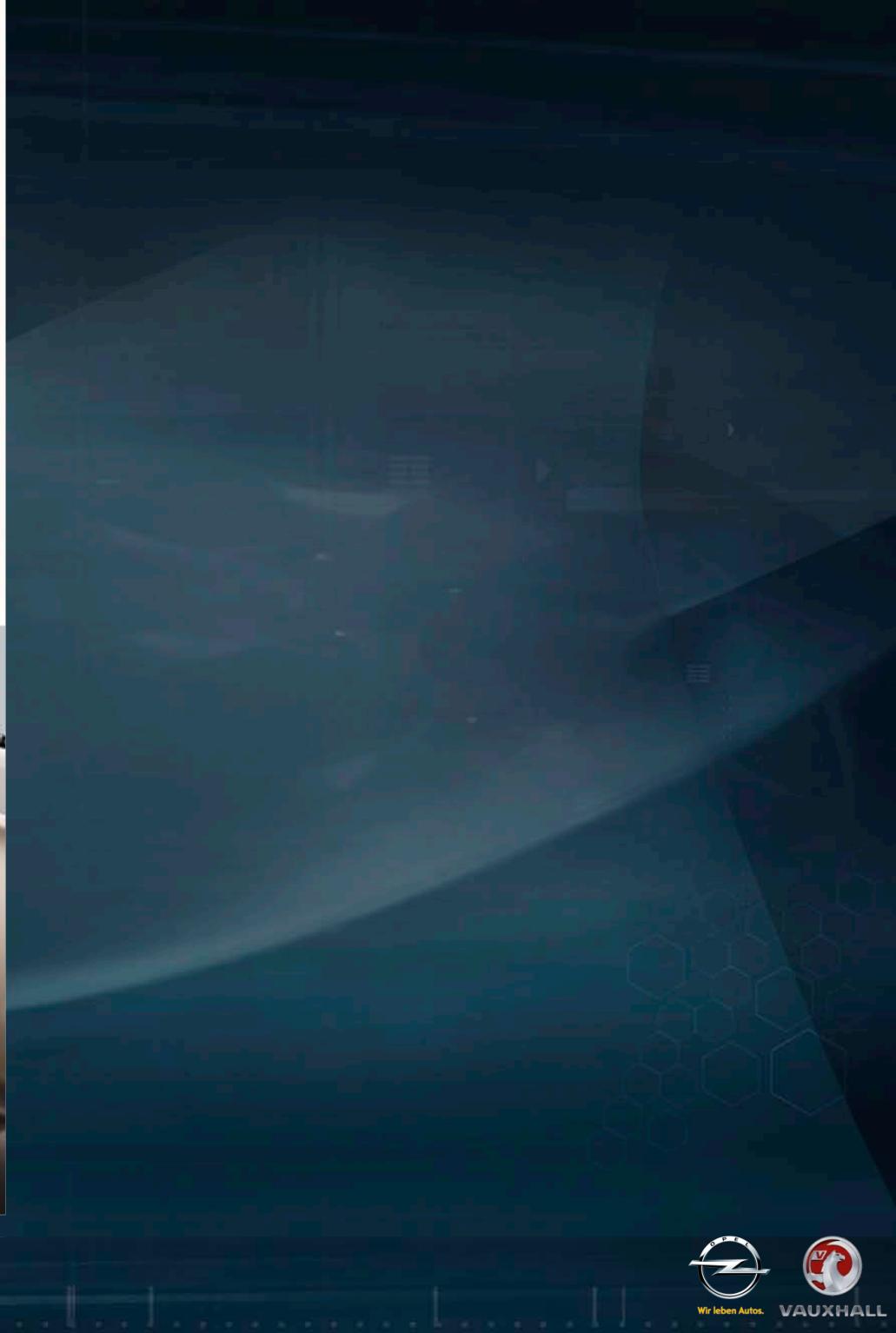


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Extensive customer research



Reflection of the changing world





Clear Opel identity





Challenge the eye



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Design and function





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Quality you can feel





# How do we know?





Real-life inspiration



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Real-life inspiration



Creating new contexts



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Insignia "Indian Summer"





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“Indian Summer” mood board



"Indian Summer" mood board





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Thank you!

