

## Les Grandes escalier du château de Versailles

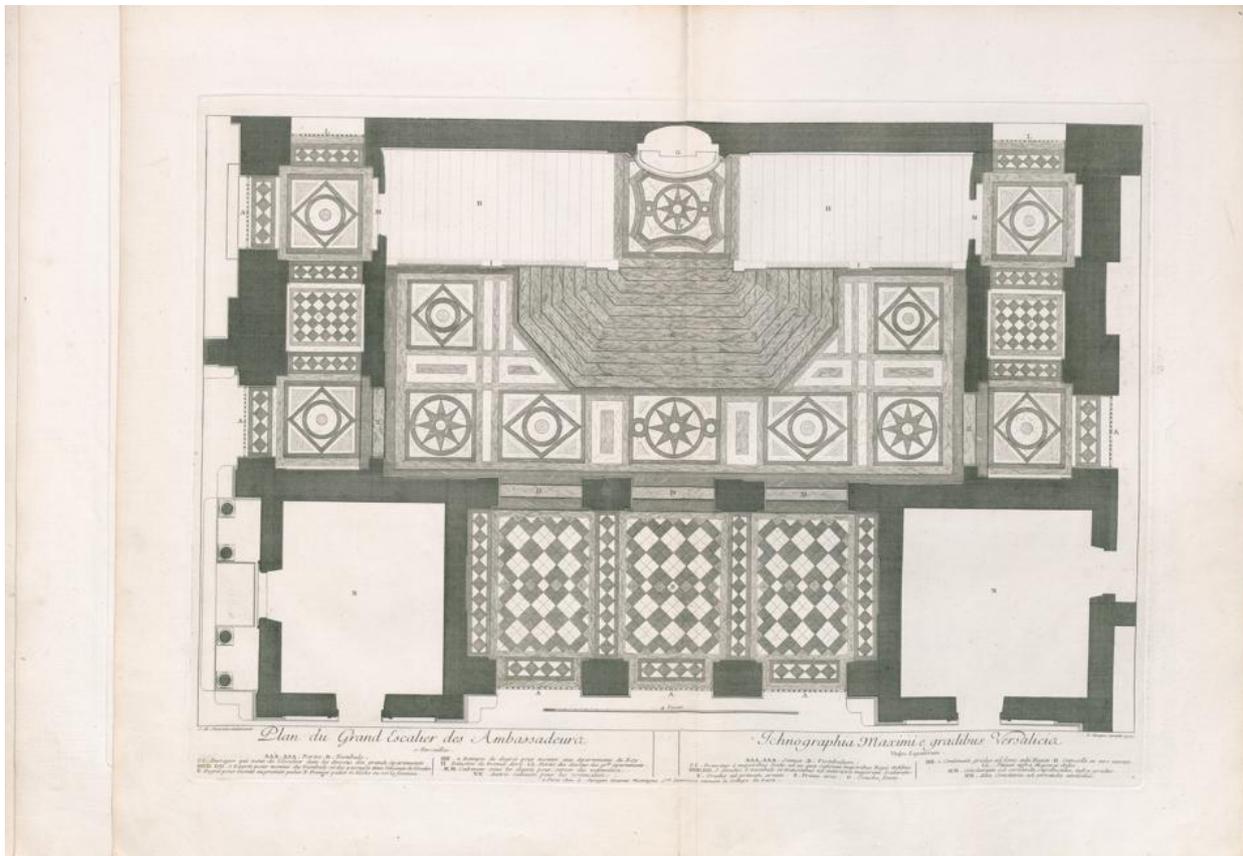


Image 1.

On the first picture I choose, you can see the Layout of the stair but also the very important lobby, which I consider as quiet relevant. In my opinion it's always necessary to see an element of a building in the context of its surrounding. In this case it's the lobby you can enter this hall over three arcades, which will guide you in three chambers. And this is very important because in the first second you are standing in a chamber, that does not seem to be very imposing or so special. But then when you enter in the stair room you will be so impressed by its height and decoration.



Image 2.

In this second picture you can see exactly what I meant in the first text. The arcades do lock up the view to the incredible stair and does hide its dimensions. I Also believe that this construction was chosen because of the incidence of light. Those first three chambers are quiet dark as you can see in the picture on top. And behind this lobby is the very brighter stair room, which underlines also this contrast of those two rooms.

