

《高中英语》（上外版）

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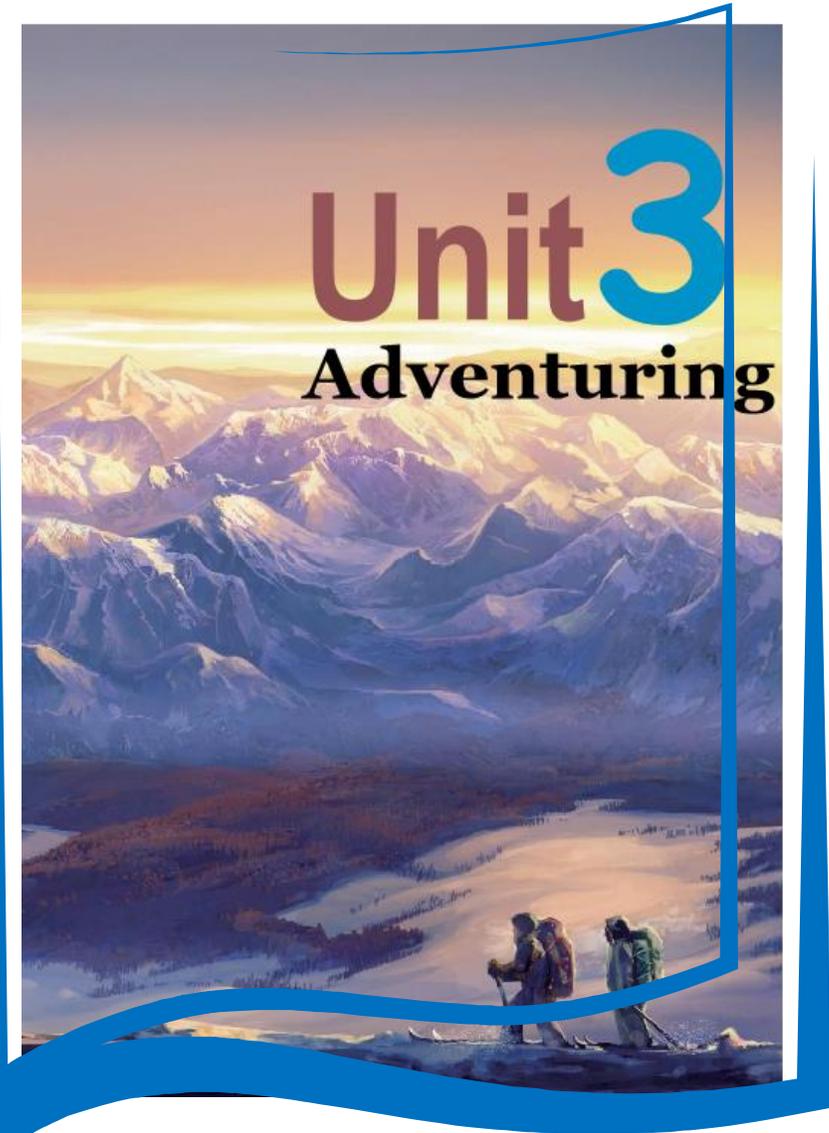
Adventuring

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课时	授课内容
1	Getting Started/ Reading A
1	Reading A/ Vocabulary Focus
1	Reading A/ Grammar in Use
1.5	Listening, Viewing and Speaking
1	Reading B
0.5	Critical Thinking
1	Writing
1	Further Exploration/ Self-assessment



学习目标 Learning Objectives:

At the end of the lesson, you will be able to ...

1. 能根据提示比较和对比不同探险家的事迹;
compare and contrast different explorers' adventures;

2. 能对信息进行综合, 形成自己的观点;
sort out the information and express your own ideas;

3. 能列举不同文化对失败的理解, 尊重文化多样性, 提高跨文化交际意识。
list people's attitudes to failure in different cultures to show respect to cultural diversity and enhance cross cultural awareness.

Comparing and contrasting

Work in groups:

Note details that show the similarities and differences between **Ernest Shackleton**

and **Yang Liwei**.

You may add one more aspect that you consider relevant.

Aspects	Ernest Shackleton	Yang Liwei	Similarities / Differences
Extremity of conditions A. extreme weather B. harsh environmental condition C. constant danger D. food shortage E. unfixed schedule	<i>A, B, C, D, E</i>	<i>B, C</i>	<i>B, C / A, D, E</i>
Personal qualities F. grit/endorurance G. creativity H. passion I. leadership			
Drive J. to push the boundaries K. to explore the unknown			
Team L. solo expedition with an effective support team M. group expedition as a leader			
Result N. success (survival) O. success (making history) P. failure (death) Q. failure (mission not completed)			

Extremity of conditions

...the weather was exceptionally bad
The weather was so bad that...

...two years after the expedition began,
they returned to Elephant Island



on 17 January 1915, the Endurance got stuck in ice... Finally spring came, but it brought disaster...



Extremity of conditions

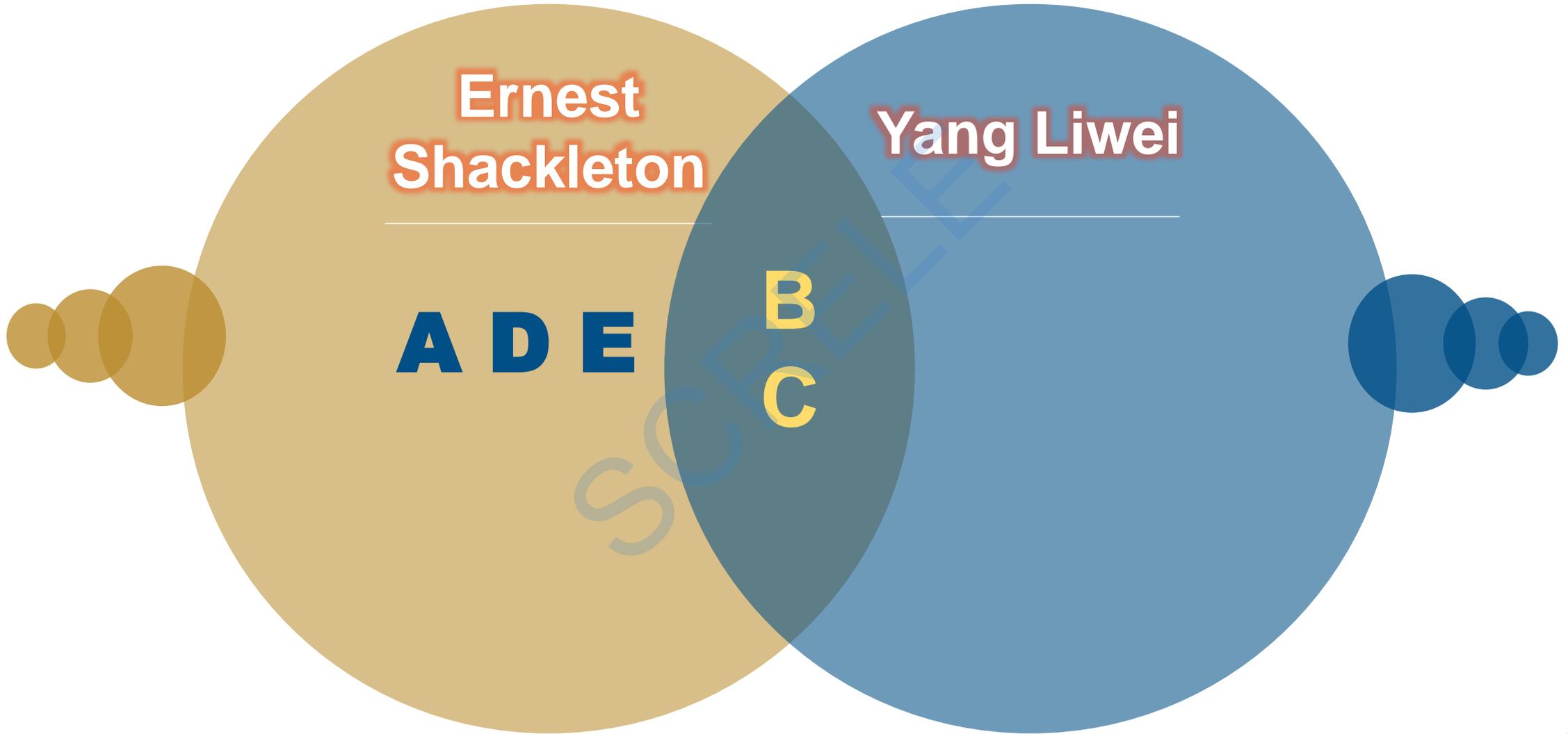
...Yang Liwei was being launched into space aboard his Shenzhou spacecraft on the top of a Long March 2F rocket at Jiuquan Satellite Launch Centre...

Yang Liwei



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graph LR; A[ ] --- B[Yang Liwei]; B --- C[ ]; B --- D[ ]
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Extremity of conditions



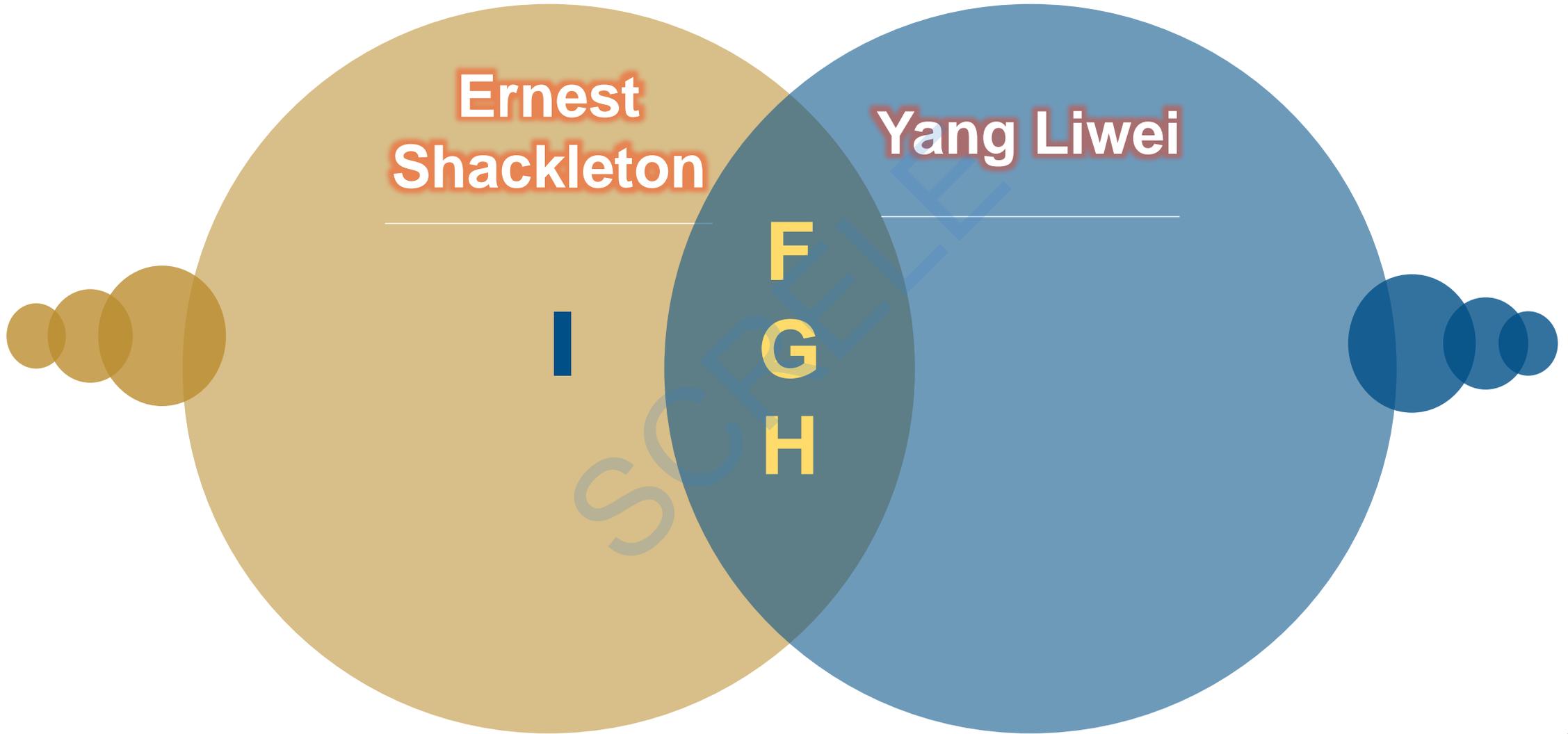
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Personal qualities





Drive -- Earnest Shackleton

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SCRELE





Drive -- Yang Liwei

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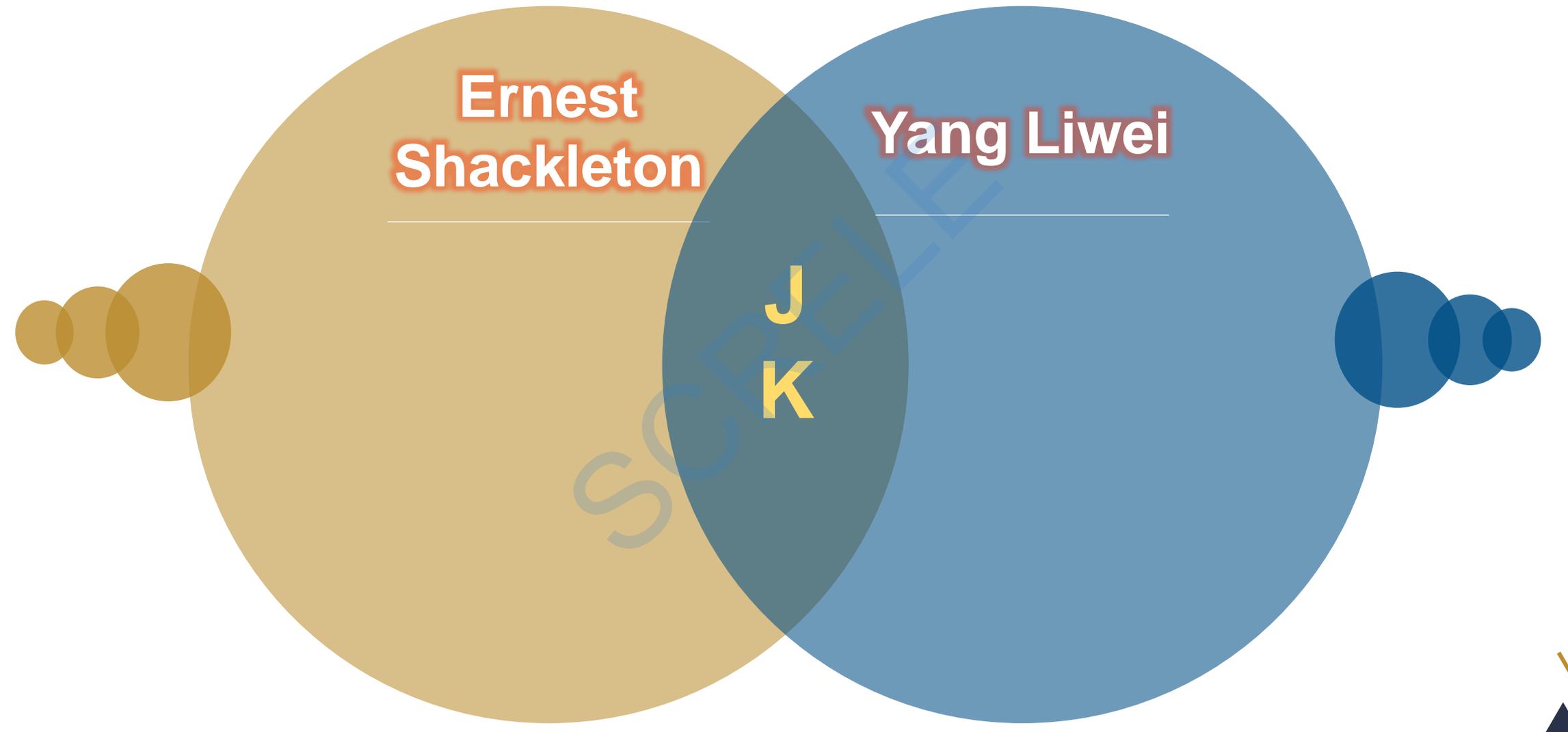
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Drive



Ernest
Shackleton

Yang Liwei

J
K





Team -- Earnest Shackleton

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Team -- Yang Liwei

J. solo expedition with an effective support team

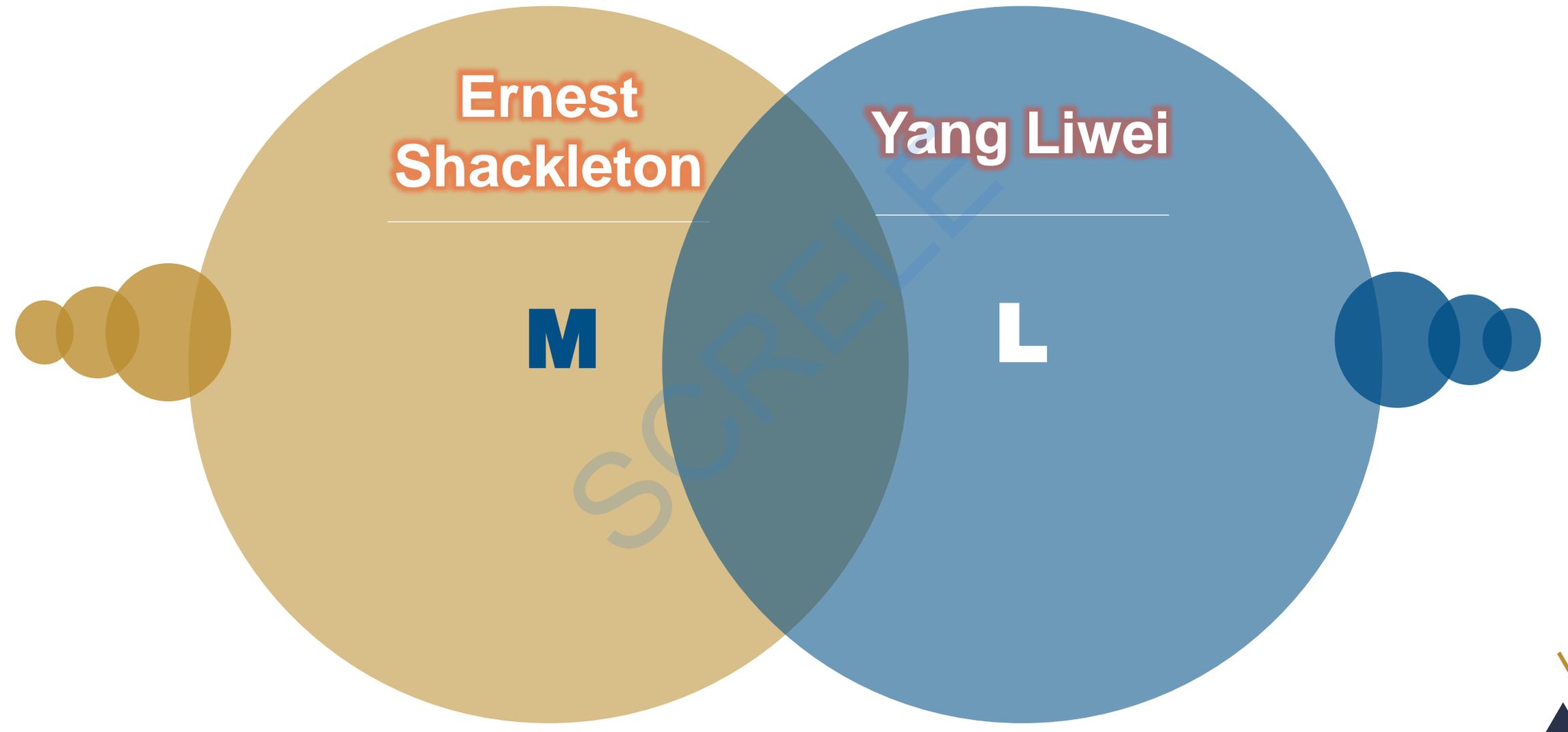
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Team



Ernest
Shackleton

Yang Liwei

M

L

SCREEN



Result -- Earnest Shackleton

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(survival)

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(*death*)

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(mission not
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Result -- Yang Liwei

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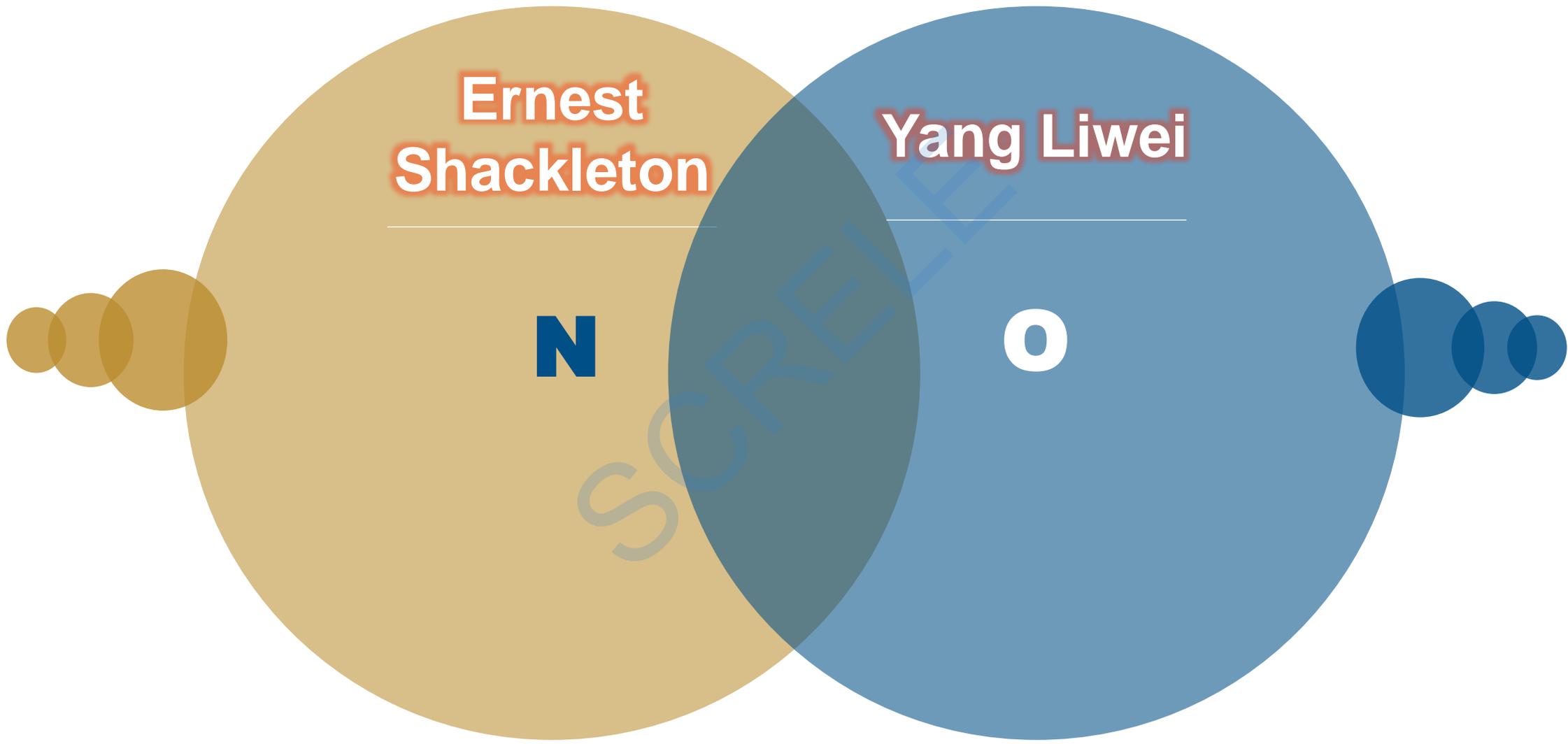
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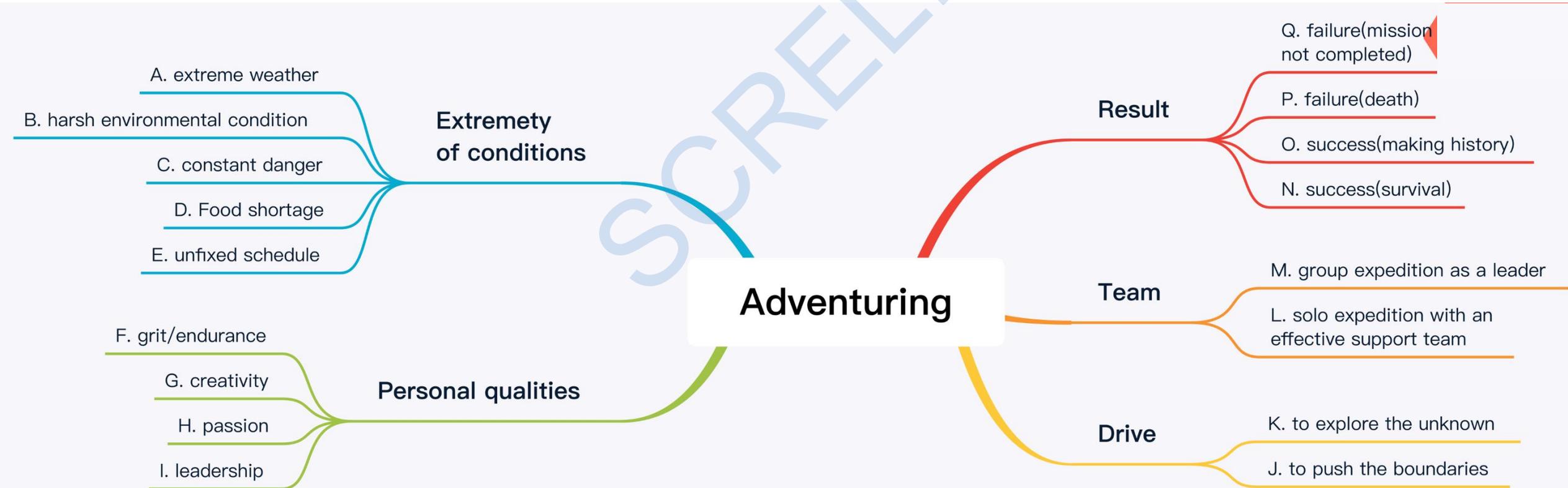
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Result



Group discussion

In your view, which of the aspects is most likely to make an explorer remarkable? Express your opinions following the template below.



Group discussion



In my view, **grit** is most likely the quality that makes an explorer remarkable. Grit is passion and perseverance for long-term and meaningful goals. **For example**, the search for a COVID-19 vaccine was uncharted research territory for scientists around the world in 2020. Researchers, or explorers in this metaphor, must conduct numerous experiments and overcome countless challenges to develop a vaccine, which is the best hope for an end to the pandemic. **Without** their constant efforts, they wouldn't have successfully developed effective vaccines against coronavirus. So I think grit plays the most important role in making an explorer remarkable.



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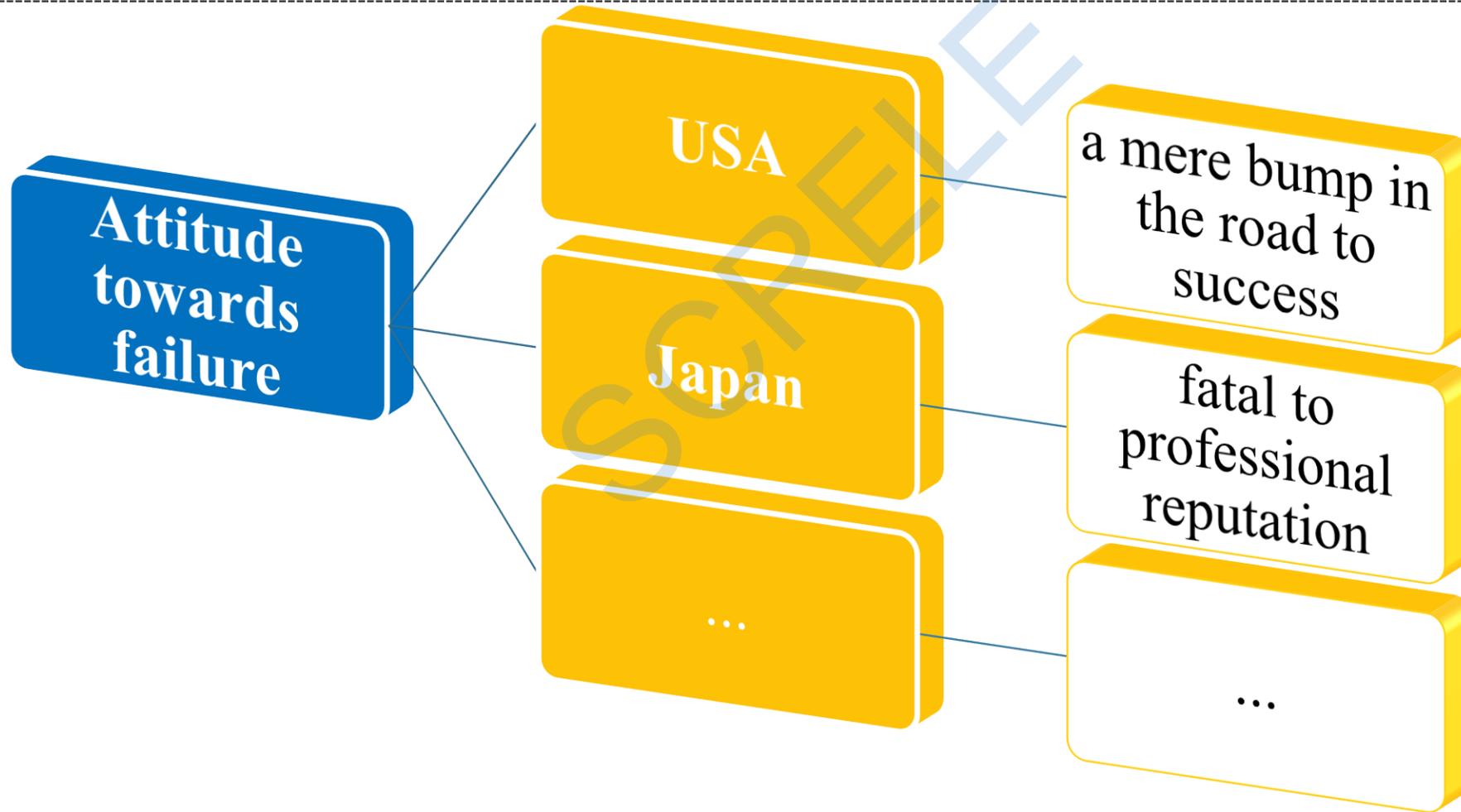
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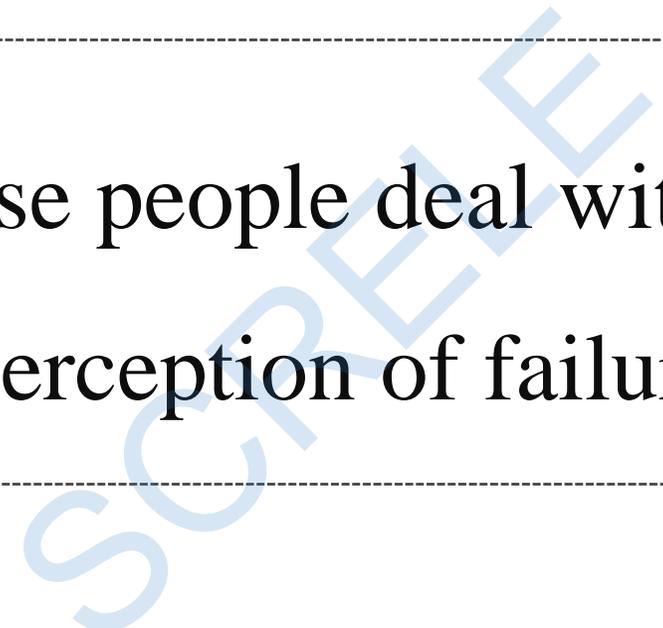
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What are people's attitudes towards failure in other cultures? Please fill in the table.

Country	Attitude towards failure
Germany	<u>weak and inefficient</u>
India	<u>a disaster</u>
Mexico	<u>little tolerance; loss of face</u>
<u>...</u>	<u>...</u>



Culture link

- How do Chinese people deal with failure?
 - What is your perception of failure?
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Culture link (sample)

- How do Chinese people deal with failure?

In China, as the old saying goes, *failure is the mother of success*. People believe failure teaches success. If we look back to Chinese history, we will find that despite great hardship, Chinese people have always chosen to face up to the failures and learn from failures instead of yielding to failures. It is the great spirit that makes Chinese people a strong and resilient nation.





Culture link (sample)

- What is your perception of failure?

From my perspective, what really counts is not failure itself, but it is the lesson that actually matters. Since life is full of ups and downs, we can't avoid failures completely. When I feel frustrated or upset, I try to figure out the reason that results in the failure and learn from the failure. So it is significant to hold the correct and positive attitude so that you can face up to it ,learn from it and make adjustment according to it.



Assignment

- Write an essay in about 120 words on the aspect that is most likely to make an explorer remarkable. Please follow the template below.





Thank you!