Redmine - Patch #31079

Clean up login form with placeholders

2019-03-21 14:28 - Bernhard Rohloff

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Description

I propose to replace the labels of the input fields with placeholders. The login form appears much cleaner and it works better with logo banners.

before	after
login_before_change.png	login_after_change.png

History

#1 - 2019-03-28 09:22 - Mizuki ISHIKAWA

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#2 - 2019-03-28 09:30 - Go MAEDA

I wonder if the proposed change improves UX. Please see the following article.

Placeholders in Form Fields Are Harmful

#3 - 2019-04-02 11:37 - Bernhard Rohloff

A login form isn't that big and people are quite used with placeholders because nowadays many login forms are designed this way.
I would argue that it's not a big deal, but I'm also concerned about accessibility issues for people who have to rely on a screenreader.
The idea with floating labels sounds very interesting. I think I'll give them a try.

Files

login_before_change.png	22.4 KB	2019-03-21	Bernhard Rohloff
login_after_change.png	22 KB	2019-03-21	Bernhard Rohloff
cleanup_login_form.diff	2.37 KB	2019-03-21	Bernhard Rohloff