

Creating a Website/Digital Portfolio: Final Project

Purpose – this site will showcase or promote something that you want to share with others. It could be your writing, your artwork, your organization or yourself. It could also be an extension of your PowerPoint presentation on a subject you believe in. Here are some variations on themes:

- An expansion of the subject you presented in your PPT with more links, videos and information
- A personal website with a professional approach that could be used as an online resume
- A website for your organization or group (or a family business)
- A showcase site for photography, poetry, music or artwork
- A site about a favorite subject – sushi, sloths, altered photography, horse training
- A How-To site – Ultimate, cooking, using Photoshop elements, play or design online games -

CSCI 1300 WebSite Guidelines

Use SeaMonkey and/or Microsoft Expression Web and Dreamweaver to create a website with links to other pages that you design. Use the following as **minimal** guidelines for your assignment: (each worth approximately 5 points each - good design also counts for 15 points)

- A phenomenal “splash page” that introduces people to your site – you may want to use a Photoshop image for this
- Use various text elements (color, size, bold, italic) while maintaining good contrast between the background and text. In other words, the page should be easy to read and view and be well-designed with good content with a great Homepage
- Should include at least 10 different images (for example, graphics created by Adobe Photoshop Elements, scanned pictures, GIFs and JPEGs, charts, etc.).
- Should include at least 5 pages of which one page may be your Resume or your Graphics Gallery (you may, of course, include one of each) – others might be a photo gallery or a team/organization page
- Every page should have working links to every other page, and navigation should be easy to follow. Use a table of links, imagemap or other Navigation bar system to navigate your web site.
- Should include 3 outside links (imagemap counts) and one easy-to-find link to your email address.
- Should have at least one thumbnail image.
- Your Favorite Website page should use an imagemap with the hotspots for the linkage.
- Should have one image or clip art downloaded from the Internet.
- **Store all site images and webpages in one main folder.** This folder containing your home page (index.html), and subfolders such as images should be named 25mywebusername and saved in Groups.

65 points total for content, 25 for excellence of design