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Project 1 - Brief Report

Openly, I will admit that project 1 did not go as well as I had hoped. Accessing the lamp server and getting my blank web page setup was smooth (I used WebDrive), but coming up with a seemingly simple web page that could be used as a resume was a bit difficult. Right away, I struggled with formatting the HTML5 code as I am not familiar with what stylistic formatting makes it easier to read; The more examples I study, the better my styling is becoming though. As my web page filled up with content, it was hard to figure out where exactly the containers and sections extended. I worked on my HTML in brackets and initially had my CSS code inside of the HTML, until later learning how to put the CSS in an external file and link to it. Another problem I had was getting the contents of a container, namely pictures and my banner to not become weird when changing the size of the window. I believe my code is HTML5 compliant and seems to run, for the most part, fine on chrome, firefox, and mobile.

If I had more time, I would trash the whole thing and restart. Making it professional looking was very hard while I had no idea what to do. I could upload some professional pictures of myself and some of my past projects. The most time consuming thing by far was figuring out how to adjust pictures and sections to make things not overlap or look too weird. While I was using some form of Live View on Brackets, I would have to save every time and then the web page would reload with the updated code. I hope to figure out how I can make it update automatically every time I change something, as was done in the project 1 screen-capture

recording. A close contender for most time consuming was also just learning and writing down all the tags so I know what tools I can use. I would describe it like having to do math but not knowing what the operation symbols mean.

In the end, I look forward to scratching this page, for a third time, and creating a whole new one now that I am a little more familiar with HTML, CSS, and how the directory works.