Franco Chávez Portfolio   July, 17 2023

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Introduction:

1) The purpose of my website is to showcase my skills, experience, and past projects to potential employers or clients. This way, I can demonstrate my competence in various programming languages, frameworks, and technology. Ultimately, my portfolio is a powerful tool for establishing credibility and attracting exciting career opportunities in the programming field.
2) The audiences to which it is mainly directed are potential employers or clients.
3) https://cfrancochavez.github.io/WDD130/mysite/index.html

Goals:

- Specifically, my junior web developer portfolio aims to:

- Display a collection of my best work: I showcase the projects I have worked on, highlighting my role, responsibilities, and the technologies used. I include a variety of projects to demonstrate my versatility and range of skills.

- Demonstrate my technical proficiency: I showcase my ability to code and implement various web technologies, such as HTML, CSS, JavaScript, frameworks, libraries, and any other relevant tools or languages I have experience with.

- Showcase my design and user experience skills: I present projects that demonstrate my understanding of design principles, visual aesthetics, and user experience considerations. I showcase my ability to create visually appealing, user-friendly, and responsive websites.

- Provide project details and documentation: I include project descriptions, goals, and objectives, as well as documentation such as wireframes, user flows, and any other relevant artifacts. This helps potential employers or clients understand my approach to project development.

- Share my learning journey: I include information about any courses, certifications, or workshops I have completed to enhance my skills as a web developer. I demonstrate my commitment to continuous learning and professional growth.

- Provide contact information: I make it easy for potential employers or clients to get in touch with me by including my contact information, such as my email address, LinkedIn profile, and GitHub repository.

- Overall, my junior web developer portfolio serves as a comprehensive representation of my abilities, accomplishments, and potential as a web developer. It is an essential tool for showcasing my work and attracting opportunities in the web development industry.

Design process:

- The design process was challenging in the beginning as it required researching and reviewing already created websites, images, etc., in order to model an idea of how I wanted my site to look. I spent a lot of time doing this because, for me, it is the key to the process. Even if changes are made later, there is already a defined structure. I started with pencil and paper, making several sketches until I finally decided to put together a simple structure using online tools, where I could represent the basic elements of an HTML document. After that, I organized the images and determined where to locate the title and main text. The challenge came in week 12 when we had to include a web component. There were many valid options, and I carefully reviewed each one until I found the one that I thought was appropriate to add to the already built content. After completing the whole process, it is evident how having the models defined helps in writing the code and giving dimension, so to speak, to the sketches with which everything started.

Conclusion:

- In conclusion, this project has been great for me because it has allowed me to discover abilities that I possess but hadn't previously appreciated. Additionally, I have noticed a positive evolution and continuous improvement in my use of the technologies that I learned during the course. I feel more comfortable applying them now, and they will open doors for me in the near future.

  Among these technologies, I would like to highlight design and layout. Although I had previous exposure to sites that assist in creating wireframes, this class allowed me to use them more extensively. Furthermore, I have gained confidence in using both HTML and CSS, and I have enjoyed building my website and adding functionality with a touch of JavaScript.

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