WAPH-Web Application Programming and Hacking

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Project 1 - Front-End Web Development with a Professional Website

Project Overview

In this project, I created a personal website for myself which featues a short description of me, my resume, some API integrations, and some neat JavaScript functionality. This website will be a good project to show potential employers and got me much more attuned to front-end web development. My website can be found at the following link: https://deegee13244.github.io/, while the Github repository containing the code for the website can be found at this link: https://github.com/Deegee13244/Deegee13244.github.io/tree/main.

General Requirements

There are two webpages available to visit at my website. The first was detailed above in the project overview. A screenshot of what the page looks like as you enter can be seen below. Additionally, there is a link available on the website that directs the user to the WAPH Course Syllabus. The link to that can be found here: https://deegee13244.github.io/waph.html

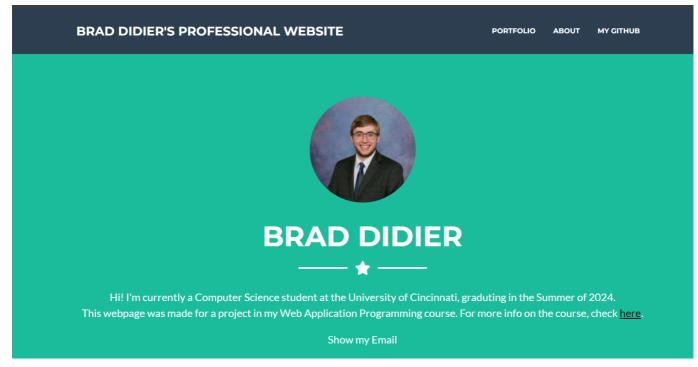


Figure 1: My Professional Website

Non-technical Requirements

This website was built off of the Bootstrap template "Freelancer", found here:

https://startbootstrap.com/theme/freelancer. Additionally, this wesbite uses Google Analytics. The below code was put into the index.html file to allow Google to collect analytics about the webpage, which I can view from the portal, also shown below in Figure 3.

Figure 2:

Google Analytics Code

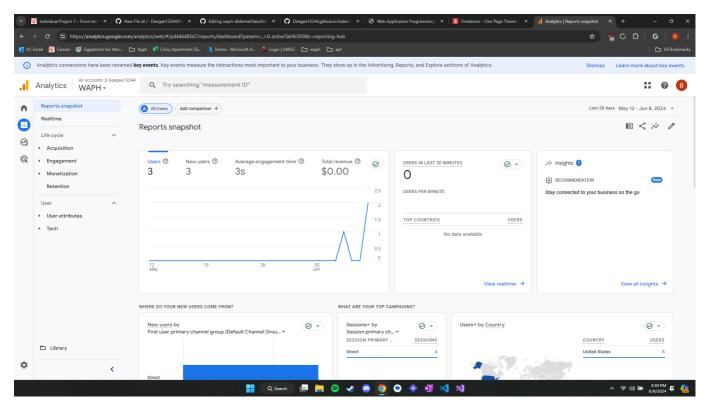


Figure 3: Google Analytics Dashboard

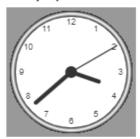
Technical Requirements

Much of the JavaScript code for showcasing the analog/digital clock and show/hiding my email was taken directly from Lab 2 for this course, as was the JavaScript logic to pull a random joke from the jokeAPI. For the additional API implementation, I show to use the weatherbit.io API. The code to obtain the data from this API and display it can be found in the index.html file, on Line 349.

API INTEGRATIONS



Time Display with JavaScript



Current Time:Sun Jun 09 2024 15:38:10 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

WARNING: API content is provided by a third party, this website is not responsible for any such content.

Joke Display with JokeAPI.com.

Random Joke:

Why do Java programmers hate communism? They don't want to live in a classless society.

Weather Display with Weather Bit.io

Current Temperature: 77.3° F, Weather Conditions: Clear sky



Figure 4: API Integrations

The additional functionality I decided to implement was to embed certain stats from my Github profile into my website. To do this, I used the Github Readme Stats Project, pulling the data from the url they provide, after inputting my Github username.

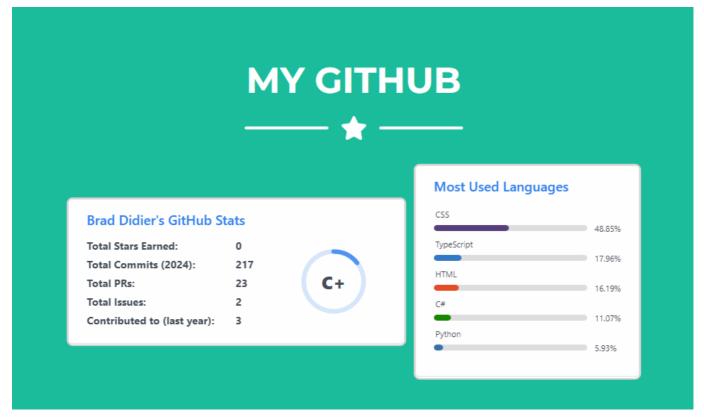


Figure 5: Github Stats

Finally, I was able to use JavaScript to set and grab cookies that told me when a user had last visited my website, successfully implementing the welcome message.

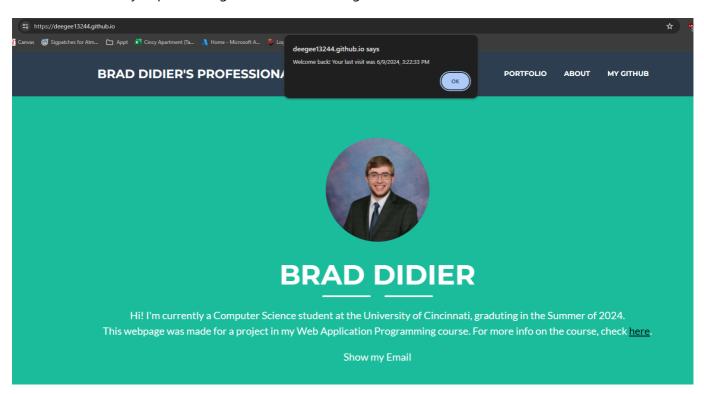


Figure 6: Welcome Message