



GRAY AREA
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FOR THE ARTS



Download the following...

- SublimeText
 - <http://www.sublimetext.com/3>
- Github for Mac
 - <https://mac.github.com/>

This Week

- Github/Github Pages
- HTML, Javascript, CSS
- Bootstrap Framework

Github

- Github is a service which stores code for your personal or public projects in the cloud
- Github utilizes git, a command-line tool for code for developers to maintain their code projects

Github Pages

- Github introduced Pages as way for developers to use their Github repositories as a platform for showcasing the work they were engaged in

Who uses Github Pages?

- Anyone with a Github Repository!
- Open source tools
- CVs/Resumés for developers

Why Use Github Pages

- Free!!!
- Easy to setup up and maintain
- We can share our work easily

First, Git!

- Git is primarily a Version Control tool
- Projects are stored in Repositories
- Developers work on Branches
- Developers Commit and Checkout code

First, Git!

- Github uses Git, as the name implies
- Github serves as the master storage for all repositories, allowing users to checkout these repositories locally

Github App or Terminal?

- Both choices are fine, depends on how comfortable you are with the command line
- For ease I'm going to teach from the app

Installing Github

- Download the Github app, extract, and install!

Check out that repository!

- Let's go to the Repo!
- <https://github.com/GrayAreaorg>

How Github's App Works

- Github's app is a front-end for the command-line git tools
- The app allows you to interact with repositories, and push changes to code back to Github

How Git Works

- The first thing you do to an existing repository is clone it
- Cloning downloads the repository, but also sets it up with git to track changes
- You can always simply download as zip, but no changes can be tracked

Git and Branches

- Git uses branches, which allows multiple developers to work on the same code simultaneously
- Branches can be **merged** together when development is completed

Git and Branches

- Creating a new branch in the Github App is as simple as clicking the “Create new Branch icon”

How Git Works

- When you change your code, you can **commit** the code with git, which stores all of your changes
- Once complete, you can push these commits back to Github using the “Sync” button

How Git Works

- When your code is complete in your branch, you can merge your code back into the **master** or default branch

How Git Works

Conflicts, the bane of my existence

README.md

- Github, by convention, uses a file called README.md to describe your repository
- The .md file stands for **markdown**, a language for simple documents

README.md

- Some basic markdown:
 - #, ##, ### - Headings
 - > - Section
 - * - Bulleted List
 - [Link Text](<http://www.something.com>)
 - ![img/rakhi.jpg]

Let's Update our Pictures

- Checkout the Repo
- Create a new Branch
- Add your picture and information
- Commit and Sync
- Create a pull request

Creating a Project/Repo

- Create from Github
- Go to folder
- Create a README.md
- Add the files you wish

SublimeText

- Open up Sublime
- From finder, drag your Project Folder onto the Sublime Text icon

The Tools

- While we are coding, we can view our HTML page by double-clicking on any HTML file.
- I am going to suggest that we use Chrome to standardize, but this is not required
- That being said, the Chrome Development Tools are AMAZING!

VERY Basics of HTML

- In Sublime, create a new file called index.html
- Type html, then press the Tab key
- Add some text between `<body>` `</body>` and save

How Github Pages Works

- Github Pages requires a specific branch name:
 - gh-pages
- When we add an index.html file to our repo in this branch, Github renders it as a webpage

Pushing to Github Pages

- <http://yourusername.github.io/repositoryname>

Pushing to Github Pages

- It's good to point out how to make a Github page for your user account...
- Create a repo called:
 - YOURUSERNAME.github.io

HTML

- HTML is a markup language
- Web browsers take this markup and turn it into something readable

HTML

- HTML consists of a head and body section
- The head contains metadata for the page, including the ability to load external files (i.e. javascript and css)

HTML and <tags>

- HTML is based on XML, which wraps data inside of 'tags'
- There is a start tag (<tag>) and an end tag (</tag>)
- Examples:
 - <html>, <head>, <body>
 - <h1>, <p>, , <div>

Head

- The head section has metadata related to the page itself

Body

- The body contains all the content of the page, including HTML, CSS, and Javascript

Tags for Structure

- Heading, paragraph, and list tags are examples of structural tags
- They tell the web browser how the text should be laid out on the page
- Structural tags come with default behavior in all the browsers

A brief bit about browsers....



Headings

- Headings denote titles, and other explanatory text
- `<h1>` through `<h6>`

Paragraph

- `<p></p>`
- Denotes a separated area of text

Tags for Style

- Some tags do not dictate where content lives on a page, but instead adds style to given bits of text
- This typically will simply change how the content looks

Bold

- ``

Italic

- `<i></i>`

Lists

- ``
- ``
- ``

Images

- ``

How paths work

- HTML looks for a folder structure similar to the URL you are requesting
 - index.html
 - —> /index.html
 - /bio
 - —> /bio/index.html
 - /bio/contact-info/
 - —> /bio/contact-info/index.html

Linking with Anchors

- Links in html are called “Anchors”, and use a tag like this:
- `Link Text`
- Links can either use relative paths, or absolute paths

Time to Code!

- Create two webpages:
 - index.html
 - 1 Heading, one paragraph, and an image
 - 1 Link to the bio
 - bio/index.html
 - 1 Heading, 1 paragraph, some bold, and italicized text

Let's Commit!

- Time to push our code to Github!
- Let's push this to the repository, using the gh-pages branch

A little bit of style...

- Long ago, style was handled within HTML tags
- Using the style attribute in HTML, we can add styles to our HTML

A little bit of style...

- Style can happen in 3 ways:
 - “style=” attribute
 - <style> tag
 - <link> tag (external .css file)

A reminder for later...

- Style Order of Precedence:
 - style attribute (Highest)
 - style tag
 - css external file (Lowest)
- Style attributes are overwritten if repeated

CSS Styles

- Let's set an entire paragraph to have bold text

CSS Styles

- Style attributes look like:
 - “background-color: green; text-align: center”

<div> and

<div> and

- The div and span tags do not add any default behavior, but allow you to use CSS to control each section
- divs are good for whole sections of text
- spans are good for text which exists within other text

<div> and

- What if I wanted to control more than one div or span?

CSS Selectors

- CSS allows you to control multiple HTML elements at once
- CSS uses selectors to determine what to modify

CSS Selectors

- CSS Selectors come in 3 types:
 - elements
 - classes
 - ids
- A combination of these types can refer to specific elements

Class and ID

- When using class or id attributes in CSS, your HTML tags will need to specify which class or id references each element
- Remember:
 - Class means more than one element
 - ID means only one element is affected

CSS Selectors

- Element
 - i.e. “body”
- Class
 - .CLASS_NAME
- ID
 - #ID_NAME

CSS Selectors

- The body tag:
 - `body: { }`
- All divs with the “important_text” class
 - `div.important_text : { }`
- The element with the id: “important_picture”
 - `#important_picture: { }`

I'm Floating!

- float: left, right
- floating allows text, images, etc. to exist on the same line

Padding

- padding-left,-right,-top,-bottom
- Separates elements from each other for style and comfort

Putting our styles in one place

- The style tag allows you to create global styles for your webpage

Time to Code

- Let's create an updated version of our two web pages
 - Use divs to separate content
 - create a style section in the head for your page
 - Float the image to the left of your text, so it lines up neatly horizontally
 - Use padding to separate your content

Bootstrap

- www.getbootstrap.com
- Click “Download Bootstrap” (not Source or SaSS)

WTF is Bootstrap

- Bootstrap is a collection of CSS, Javascript, Icons, etc. for building clean, simple, beautiful websites
- Bootstrap is considered a web “framework”

WTF is Bootstrap

- Bootstrap is clean, simple, and easy to use
- Bootstrap is cross-browser, and cross-device

Using Bootstrap

- Extract, copy, and paste!

Who Uses Bootstrap

- <http://expo.getbootstrap.com/>
- In short, Everybody!

Let's Build from Tuesday

- I've placed a copy of a Bootstrap template for you in the Winter Immersive Repo

Move the Bootstrap code

- There should be a css, js, and img folder in the bootstrap download
- Copy all three to your project folder

Load the Bootstrap code

- CSS can be loaded from an external file using the `<link>` tag
- Javascript can be loaded using a `<script>` tag

Using Bootstrap

- Bootstrap provides a number of classes that you can use in your code
- When called, these classes will add style to your HTML!

How does it Work?

- Bootstrap uses what is called a CSS reset to help mitigate cross-browser problems
- Using classes, Bootstrap uses CSS to style objects in HTML in interesting ways

Bootstrap includes...

- Grid Layout
- Typography
- Forms
- Buttons
- Dropdowns
- Navbar
- Lists
- Panels
- Transitions
- Modal Windows
- Progress Bars
- Carousel Effects
- SO MUCH MORE!!!

Bootstrap Grids

- Bootstrap uses a grid system for arranging HTML
- Grids have been a constant source of pain in Web Development, but it's quite easy with Bootstrap!

Bootstrap Grids

- Grids can have 12 columns max per row
- Columns are made using div elements with specific classes

Bootstrap Grids

.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1
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.col-md-8

.col-md-4

.col-md-4

.col-md-4

.col-md-4

.col-md-6

.col-md-6

Bootstrap Grids

- `.col-xs-[1-12]`
- `.col-sm-[1-12]`
- `.col-md-[1-12]`
- `.col-lg-[1-12]`

Bootstrap Grids

- `.visible-xs`
- `.visible-sm`
- `.visible-md`
- `.visible-lg`

Bootstrap Header

- Bootstrap provides a nice header area, with fancy button links
- use the “active” class to show which site is currently being viewed

Bootstrap Jumbotron!

- Jumbotron is an easily recognizable theme in bootstrap
- It puts a large panel on the the top of the page to draw the viewers attention

Bootstrap Image Circles!

- Another easily recognizable design trope in Bootstrap is the circular cutout image
- using `img-circle` on any of your images will automagically create one!

Bring it all together

- header
- jumbotron
- row & col-lg-*
- img-circle