Portfolios Reading

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For this reading, you will review a collection of personal UI/UX portfolios. The goal of this reading is for you to draw inspiration from other designers in the industry and give you a vision of what your own portfolio might look like after taking 130(0) and beyond! The portfolios are listed at the bottom of this page.

In your reading comment, focus on one or two portfolios from the list that stood out to you. What aspects of the content inspire or bother you? How and why? Is there a unifying process by which each project was set up or explained? Please focus on the projects the designers have done, and not the graphical elements of how the portfolio is presented.

Links:

http://www.sharonlo.me/

https://ivomynttinen.com/work

http://www.kellymartin.design/

https://iamrakesh.com/

http://gregor.smallgreendog.com/

Please be diligent about submitting your reading comment as a PDF on Gradescope by 6:00pm.

Reading comments will receive 0 points if it is irrelevant, 1 point for relevant and interesting comments, and a small number of comments (about 15%) will receive an extra half-point for exemplary and highly insightful thoughts. Late or missing reading comments will not be graded and will receive a 0. Keep comments below 150 words. If your comment is more than 150 words, you will not be eligible to receive the extra half-point. An exceptional comment does not merely answer the prompt in a satisfactory manner, but is also an insightful analysis through close examination of the reading. Exceptional reading comments are not restatements of the readings, nor are they unsubstantiated claims or opinions such as "I liked the analysis part of the article because I learned a lot." Rather, they are further explorations into the content and extensions of the points made.

Keep your comment below 150 words. That is, no more than 150 words in total covering all the portfolio(s) you selected. If your comment is more than 150 words, you will not be eligible to receive the extra half-point.