Portfolio Website Documentation - Janice Sewava

1. Project Overview

This personal portfolio website was developed using only vanilla HTML and CSS as part of a web design competition. The goal was to create a colorful, professional, and well-structured online portfolio to showcase Janice Sewava's skills, education, experiences, and contact information.

2. Development Process

The development involved the following steps:

- Setting up HTML5 structure with semantic tags.
- Designing a two-column dashboard layout using CSS Grid.
- Styling individual sections like header, cards, and footer.
- Integrating profile photo and personal content.
- Applying theme colors: light pink, violet, cyan, and white.
- Testing for responsiveness and visual aesthetics.

3. Color Theme

The selected colors were:

- Light Pink and Cyan: for the body background gradient.
- Violet: for header and footer.
- White: for card backgrounds for clean readability.
- Deep Pink: used for link highlights.

4. Transitions and Animations

Smooth transitions and keyframe animations were used to enhance user experience:

- Card hover zoom effects using `transform: scale()`.
- Image hover effects to zoom profile photo.
- Fade-in animations applied to header and footer ('fadeIn', 'fadeInDown', 'fadeInUp').

5. Deployment Guide

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To deploy this portfolio to GitHub Pages:

- 1. Create a GitHub repository and push your HTML and CSS files.
- 2. Make sure your homepage file is named 'index.html'.
- 3. Go to Repository Settings > Pages > Source: select 'main' branch.
- 4. Save and GitHub will generate a public URL.
- 5. Add this documentation to your README.md or README.pdf.

6. Credits

Developed by Janice Sewava as part of a web development competition in August 2025.