Wire-frames

I decided to make three level of wire-frames. First a sitemap, then a low fidelity wire frame in figma with complete navigation logic (information architecture). At last I went into figma to create a high-fidelity wire-frame.

The reason to not use figma earlier was the fact that I am comfortable with other programs that better suit my needs. InkScape work just fine - but faster for low fidelity wire-frames than figma and export to printable media much better. Only at the higher end of medium fidelity will programs such as figma be better. And at high fidelity there is no question, figma is better than InkScape. Time and export-ability being the major factor in this argument.

Community Science Museum
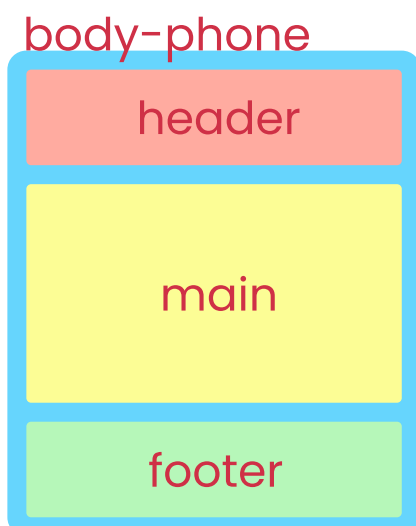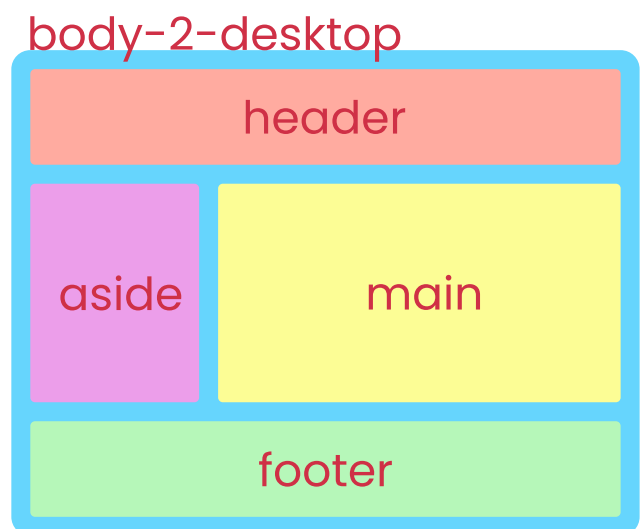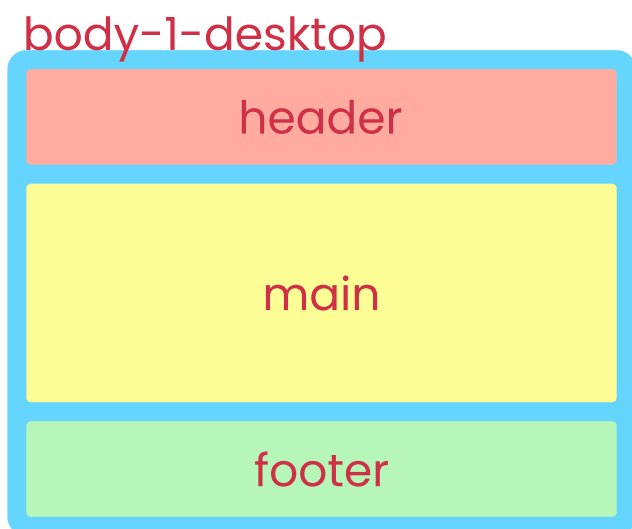Low fidelity wireframes

Low fidelity Wireframe in Figma

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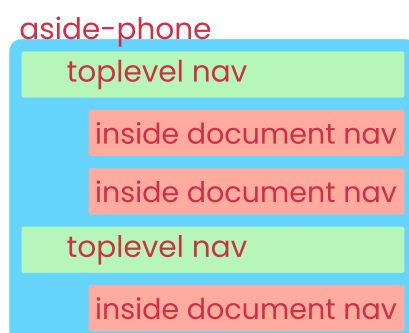
Intended Information Architecture

Below is a list of how I imagine the webpage at this moment. This is after the low fidelity wireframes, NOT the high fidelity wireframes. As you see from the Figma wireframes, these are different from the first sitemap.

- ## Top-level navigation
  - Home (Logo)
  - Explore (dropdown)
  - For Teachers
  - For Researchers
  - Shop
  - About Us (Apart from navigation menu?)

- ## Explore (dropdown)
  - Activities
  - Exhibitions
  - Tickets and Admission
  - Plan Your Visit

- ## For Teachers
  - Resources
  - Information about visits (prices, lunch/food, activities, link to accessibility page)
  - Booking visit

- ## For Researchers
  - About our projects
  - Labs and facilities
  - Access to archives and collections

- ## Shop
  - Merchandise
  - Science kits
  - Opening Hours

- About Us
  - Sponsors
  - Who are we?
  - Contact information
  - Mission and vision

- Plan Your Visit
  - Accessibility
  - Opening Hours
  - Address
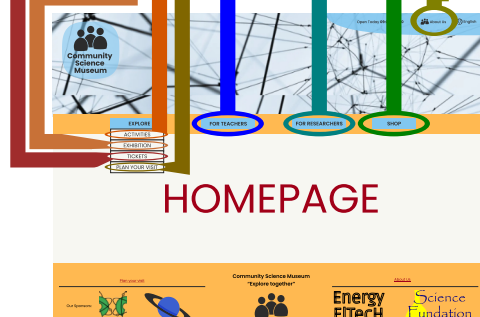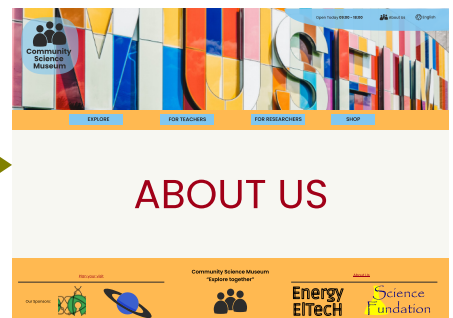 - Directions
  - Facilities
  - FAQ

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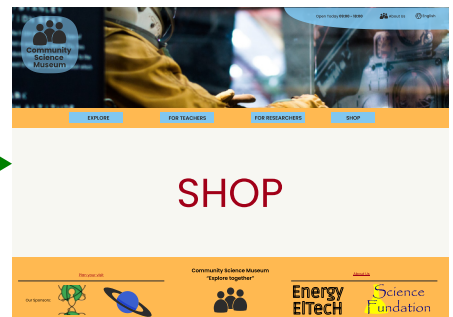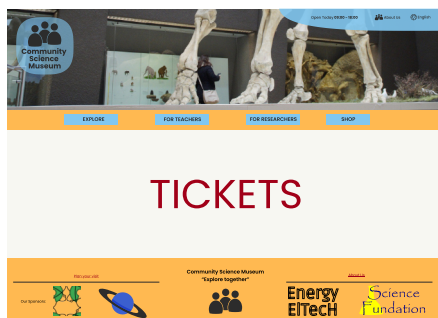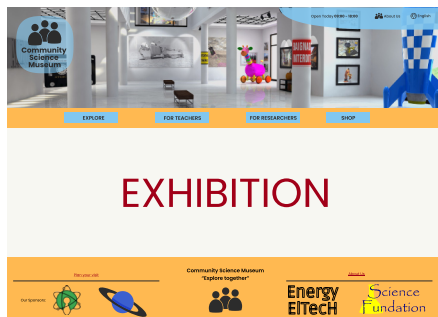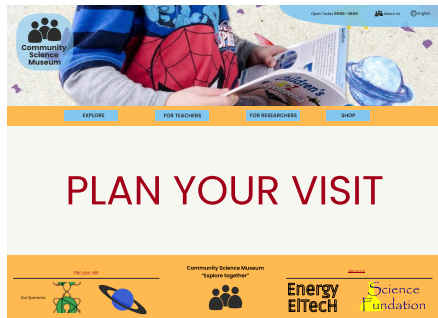aside

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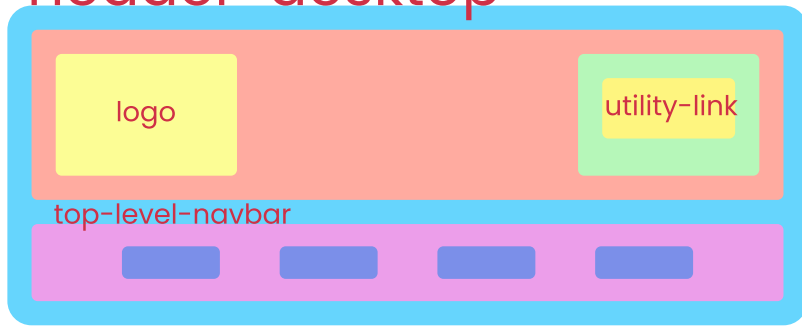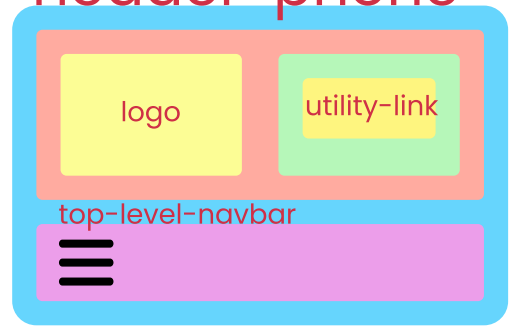
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FOR TEACHERS

ACTIVITIES

FOR RESEARCHERS

EXHIBITION

SHOP

TICKETS

ABOUT US

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