Building Your Own Research Website

Why do you need a website?

- An easy way for your fellow researchers, future employers to learn more about you and your research.
- More interactive than C.V. You can include videos, plots, background stories about your research.
- You can be more colloquial in your website compared to a published journal. Appeal to a broader audience.
- Outreach and collaboration. People will contact you if they are interested in your work.

What to include

- A clear picture of yourself.
- Contact info: Email, mailing address, office location
- C.V.
- Biography. A chance to explain your passion for research. Life outside research.
- A list of publications. Research Highlights.
- Recordings of your talks.
- Links to research profile e.g. Google Scholar and social media

Other things to consider

- Profile and expertise
- Links to all types of publications (journal, book, etc.)
- Current research and research goals
- Honors and achievements
- Funding awards
- Professional and academic affiliations
- Teaching and other relevant professional experiences
- Forthcoming speaking appearances
- Presentations, videos, photos
- Links to your blog, academic social networks and institution
- Social media widgets for Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, blog, etc.
- Links to your blog, or enable blog posts to appear on your website
- Basic contact information
- Any other information you deem relevant

How to build a website?

- Option 1: wix.com or squarespace.com, easy to use and they provide a domain and host it for you if your pay a subscription.
- Option 2: write your own html file. A lot more flexible. Easier than you think if you start with a good template. https://html5up.net
- You need a domain and hosting. Ask your school if they can host your webpage on Department website.

What to do now that you have a website?

- Link your website in your email signature.
- Link it on your CV or social media.
- Update it periodically.

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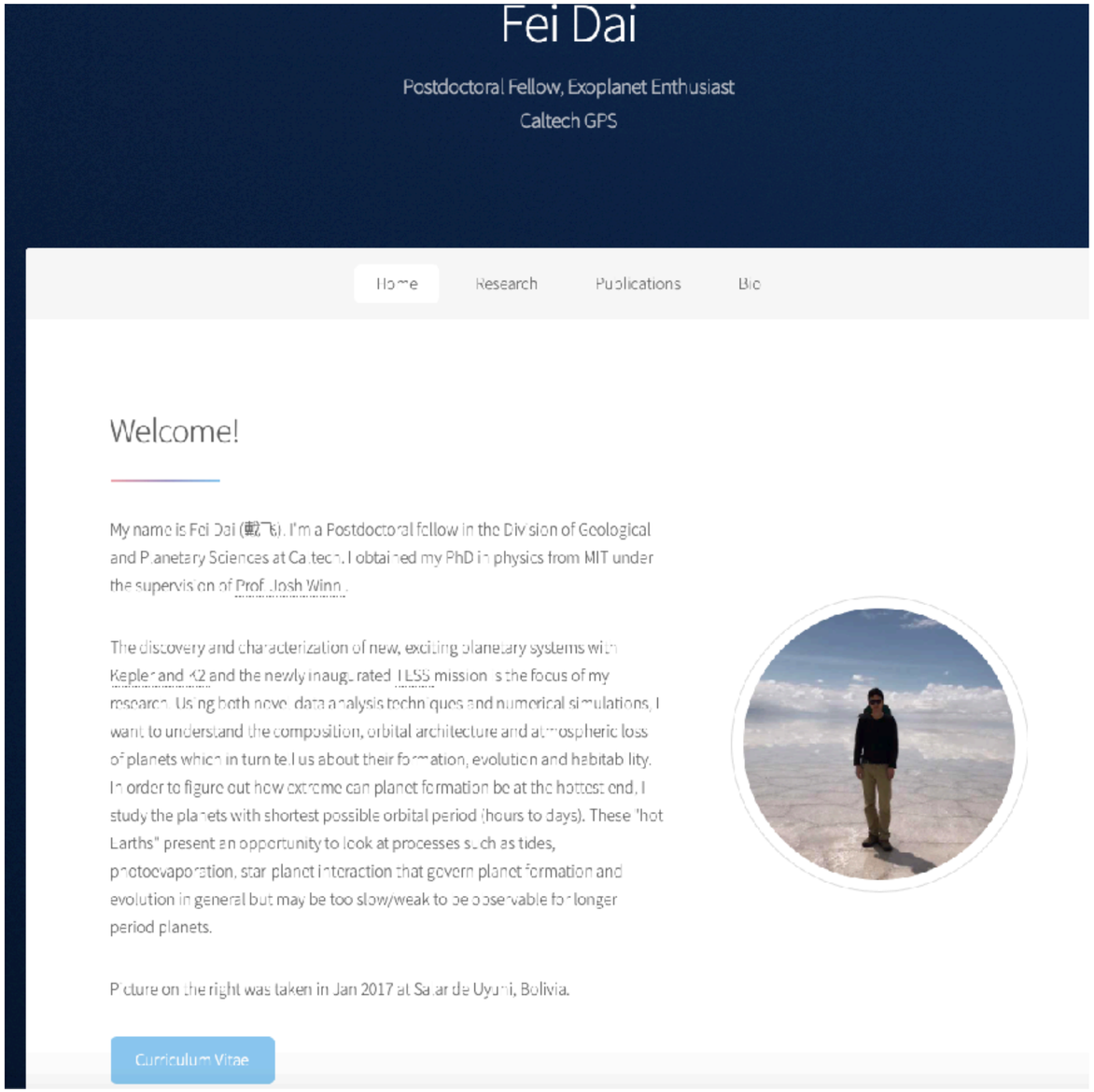


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                        Caltech GPS
            </a></p>
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              <li><a href="#second">Publications</a></li>
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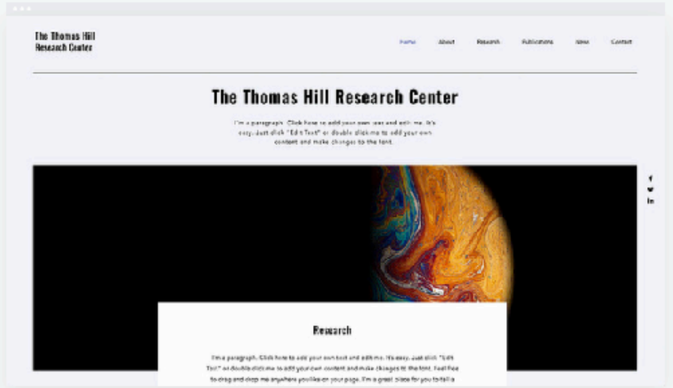

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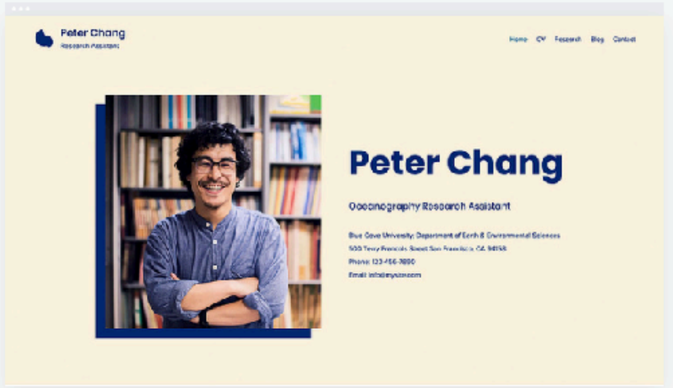

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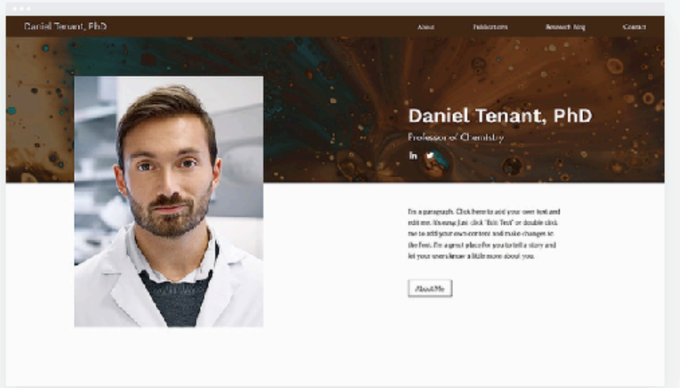

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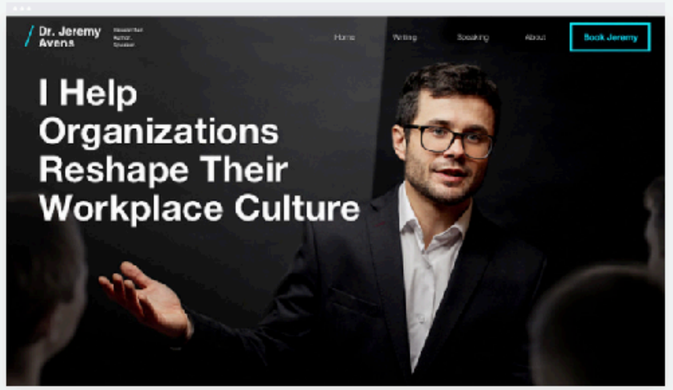

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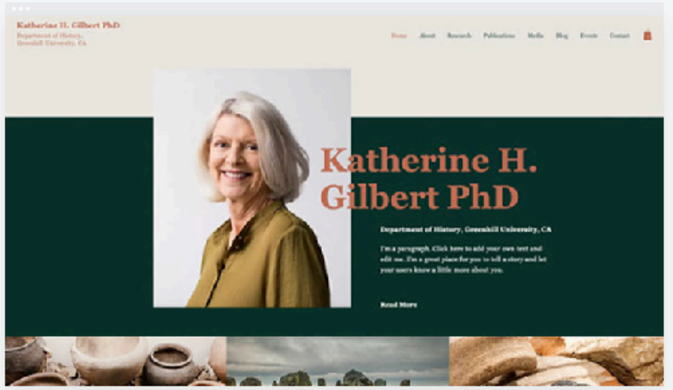

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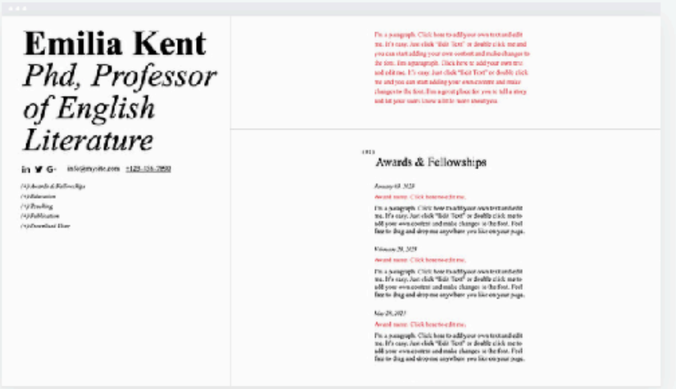

Academic CV

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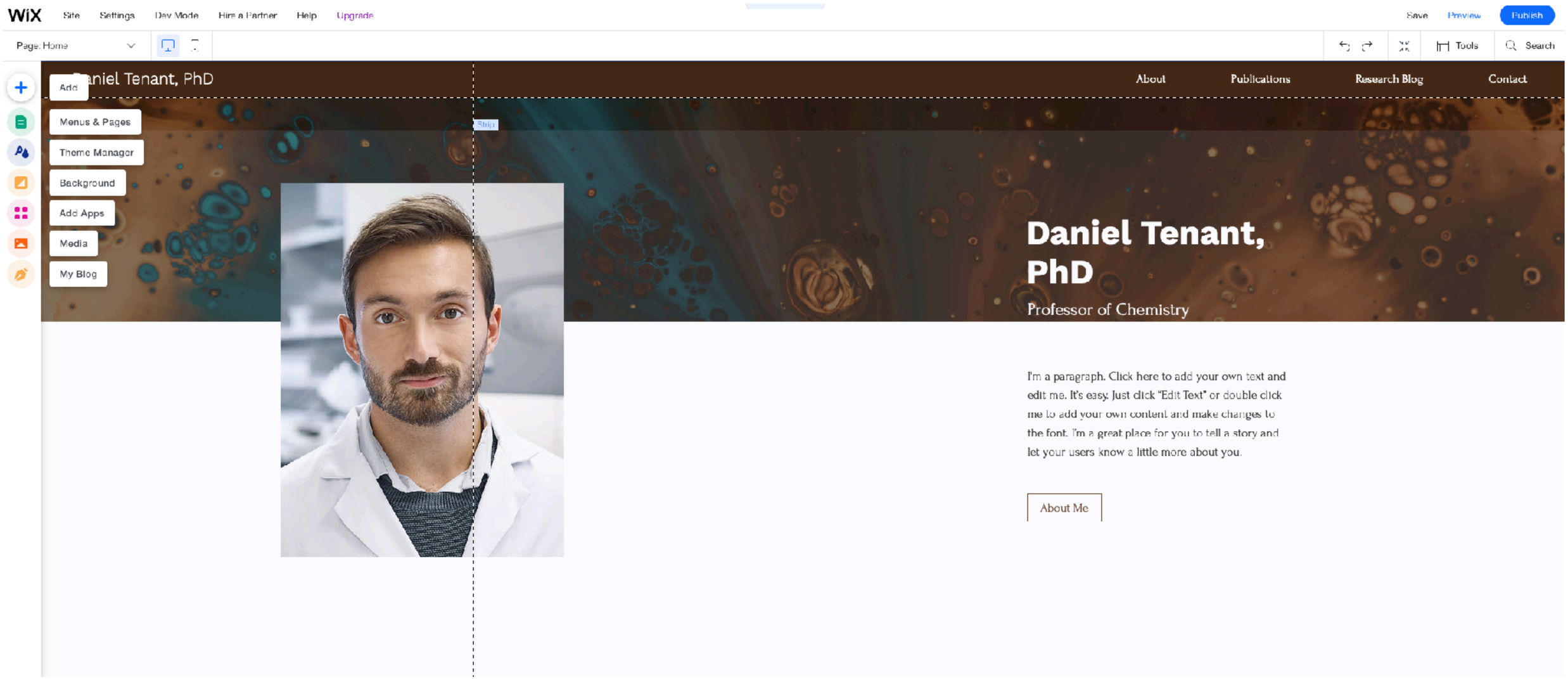
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