

Journal of progress and ideas

Friday 5pm

Spent some time getting the VPN working to connect to the Odin server, and troubleshooting a problem until I realized that I had a background VPN running as well. Finally up and running and ready to submit a basic index file, and push that to github to get the empty project started.

I need to explore some tools for making pages before settling on a basic index page.

Sunday 12:37pm

Spent a lot of time last night and this morning trying to get a button to change the font color of some text in the page. My attempt was done using jquery. Haven't been successful over about 1.5-2 hours total of trying, so I'm going to move on.

Sunday 1pm

Got stubborn and kept trying to figure out JQuery. Used the inspect element option to try and see more. Page was getting an error at my jquery \$, because I hadn't properly included jquery. Able to use jquery now.

Sunday 2:30pm

Getting some ideas for giving detailed information from the web about the instruments I have, in the instrument section.

Sunday 3:00pm

Project is starting to get pretty big. Never worked on a web page with multiple files on it, and starting to see research methods for storing multiple style sheet files.

Sunday 330pm

Added a slideshow to help keep the layout of the page simple, as opposed to just having a long list.

Sunday 6:00pm

Working on having multiple slideshows, and multiple tabs within the page. This is proving to be a real challenge, but I'm enjoying it.

Sunday 8:00pm

Now have two slideshows, and two sets of tabs, one vertical and one horizontal

Sunday 10:10pm

Ended up putting a bit too much time into making a vertical tab get selected by default, whenever a horizontal tab is changed.

Overall, I've really enjoyed making this page. I used a lot of code from w3school, and look forward to growing and building this page as time goes on.

Total time spent: 10 hours

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