

Rationale

1. Module 4

When people get to the front page they'll have a picture and four buttons which will navigate between the homepage and three key sections. One will take them to the about me page. From there they can still navigate back to the homepage or to either the portfolio page or the contact page. On the portfolio page there will be three links on a sidebar where they can see my design projects, resume, and other projects I have worked on. From there they can see a preview of the different documents and can click on the pictures of ones they like to see the full document. All of the websites I liked that were my inspiration were very minimalistic and I wanted to recreate that clean minimalistic, extremely easy to navigate design.

2. Module 5

I don't have that much content at the moment so I went with a simple 4 page site with a minimalistic design. I wanted to create as simple and clean a website as possible. Obviously, people who come to my website are going to do it for a reason and 99% of that time the reason will be to learn about me/ contact me. So why clutter it up with anything not related to me? Instead of the picture of me I currently have on my front page, I will eventually have a sample picture from a project I've been working on in another class.

3. Module 6

The buttons will not be text, but instead pictures I make so that I can use the font I wish without worrying about making it internet friendly. The same is true with my name at the top and the usage of any script that isn't Georgia or Arial in the design comps. I provided the needed color palettes, however I intended for the site to just be black and white. **So the words will of course be black while the remaining background will be white space.** I avoided experimenting with too many shapes, so there are only squares or rectangles on the design. I'm going to ask my classmates about the contact page and see if they have any suggestions for a more space friendly design. There isn't much to go there yet, so I'm not quite sure how to deal with it.