

Target audience: The site, as a personal website, is targeted to potential friends who share the same interests as me and peers or professors who want to learn more about me.

Site theme: Personally I am a follower of minimalism in design and lifestyle, and I designed my site that way so that it can convey my personality to the target audience.

General page design: The back ground is entirely white in this case in order to eliminate all distractions and make the audience concentrate to the content. I use simplistic lines to divide the page, which is also anesthetically attractive. The navigation bar is fixed on the left of the page because it is straightforward and easily seen. I changed the font into Calibri to use on the navigation bar to give it a more minimalistic feel.

PHP functionality: I used PHP include for the navbar and the input validation program "check.php". Putting them in separate php files avoids duplicating the code and also makes it easier to modify. There is a contact form in my site, and the form input and validation are all done by php. A header function is used to jump to the result page when the data is validated, and php session is applied to restore and transfer variables between pages.

WOW elements: I am confident with my styling and the theme of the website. I used regular expression to check form input. And the usage of php is quite extensive. Also the header function and php session are also relatively advanced techniques.