HW 8: Updated Portfolio

Now that you've had some practice with APIs and have a project to share, you'll be updating your portfolio page and other materials to build toward being employer-competitive.

If you are opting out of career services, this is \*still a required assignment\*. Part of being a web developer means being a part of a community. Having a place to share your projects is \*necessary\* if you're applying for jobs, but it's also \*critical\* on your journey as a developer.

## Homework Requirements

\* Updated portfolio featuring Project 1 and two exemplary homework assignments.

\* Updated GitHub profile with pinned repositories featuring Project 1 and two exemplary assignments.

\* Updated resume

\* Updated LinkedIn profile

## Grading

| Portfolio | 40% |

| GitHub Profile | 40% |

| Resume | 10% |

| LinkedIn Profile | 10% |

## Instructions

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## Updated Portfolio

💁 Need help updating your Portfolio? Check out the [career services milestone resources for online presence](https://mycareerspot.org/onlinepresence).

Your updated portfolio should:

1. Display your contact information. If you don't want to share your personal email or phone number, use a separate email that you will only use for coding, also known as a developer email, and/or a call forwarding service, such as [Google Voice](https://voice.google.com/).

2. Have links to your GitHub profile and LinkedIn profile

3. Have a link to a downloadable PDF of your resume

4. Display at least 2 examples of student work from either deployed projects or homeworks. For each project, make sure you have the following:

\* Project title

\* Link to the deployed version

\* Link to the GitHub repository

\* Screenshot of the deployed application

5. Have a polished, mobile-responsive user interface.

### Design

Unfortunately, this is where it gets a little bit subjective. Your site should look

"polished." Here are a few guidelines on what that means:

\* Mobile-first design

\* Choose a color palette for your site so it doesn't just look like the default bootstrap theme or an unstyled HTML site.

\* Make sure the font size is large enough to read, and that the colors don't cause eye strain.

## Updated GitHub Profile

Employers (and potential collaborators) \_will\_ look at your GitHub profile, so put your best face forward.

Your GitHub profile must contain at least the following items:

1. Profile picture or avatar

\* A photo or an avatar other than the default Github identicon. (a semi-professional to professional photo or an avatar photo are preferred)

2. Biography

3. Email address. If you don't want to share your personal email or phone number, use a developer email.

4. Link to your deployed portfolio

5. At least 2 pinned repositories:

\* Navigate to [GitHub](https://github.com/) and go to your profile.

\* Click "Customize your pins"

\* Click the checkboxes for your project and 2-3 homework assignments that you would like to share

6. Follow a few of your classmates and/or other developers. They are the beginning of your professional network and being a developer is as much about being a part of the community as it is writing code.

7. README files. Every pinned project should contain a README file with:

\* Title of app

\* Live link to deployed app

\* List of technologies used

\* 1-2 sentences explaining what the app is

\* 2-3 Screenshots / gifs of the app

\* License (usually MIT)

\* Contact information for you and any collaborators

8. Commit history. Every pinned repository should have at least 20 commits.

## Updated Resume

💁 Need help building a resume? Check out the [career services milestone resources](https://mycareerspot.org/resume).

Submit a clear, concise, and compelling resume, tailored to the type of job you’re looking for.

Your resume should include:

\* a heading with your name, phone number, professional email address, links to LinkedIn, portfolio and GitHub. If you don't want to share your personal email or phone number, use a separate email that you will only use for coding, also known as a developer email, and/or a call forwarding service, such as [Google Voice](https://voice.google.com/).

\* a technical skills section, with all programming languages and technologies listed

\* 3 of your strongest projects/homework assignments with brief description, languages used, and URL

## Updated LinkedIn

💁 Need help updating your LinkedIn? Check out the [career services milestone resources for online presence](https://mycareerspot.org/onlinepresence).

Update your LinkedIn Profile with a strong bio statement, a professional photo, and links to your Github and portfolio.