Report - Gantt chart for Lofthus frukt og saft.

Introdution

This week we have been tasked with making a good chart for Lofthus fruit and juice.

The task is to create a "schedule" for twenty days on how to get a vision of the customer and develop these visions into ideas for a new website for this company.

Our job is to develop a site that will create additional sales. In this task, where research was mentioned, I interpreted this as, for example, observing the ways this company operates today, comparing it to other similar companies and trying to find exactly the point that is missing so that our customer sales go up.

Below you will be able to read about procedures, alternatives for different thoughts about the design of gantt chart, something about communication tools design and a separate evaluation.

It describes briefly what choices I have made in relation to, among other things, design, communication, security and why I chose to do just that.

Inspiration

To start with, i did some research on gantt charts. I found different ways and programs to make it.

There are a lot of creative ways to make a chart, so i tried making one or two before i made one for the assignment.

I found out there are different ways to define each days work, how long it will take for each of the tasks and how many different groups you can include to get the work done. (designer, photographer, front and back-end developers and more)

It looked better with the groups divided separately, than one generalized group. There was a common denominator in all the charts I liked. I also liked those who had written with all the days separately, than week by week. It seemed more obvious to me.

Analysis

The task was to create a Gantt chart for Lofthus frukt og saft.

I found out that there is several programs that could help me create a gantt-chart. I chose to use Excel because that is the program that I'm most familiar with. It would give me the opportunities to be a little creative.

Work Process

After seeing examples of the distributions across the departments involved in the project, I

found out that it was more clear if I mentioned department by department, rather than a generalized group.

I also chose to write day by day, rather than week by week. But instead I chose to distribute the weeks with different colors. I thought it would look better and be a little more creative. I used slightly stronger lines to highlight f.ex, day, start date, heading etc.

That's because it's the lines you search to find the rest of the information you're looking for. It is also one of the reasons I used colors to separate week by week and weekends.

Communication and sharing

During this task I've chosen the communication tool through Skype, mail and Dropbox.

Dropbox provides the ability to use Dropbox Paper. This allows you to share all types of documents, distribute them in folders, edit them and create layouts.

Plus there is the opportunity for several users to use the same tool.

Another reason, perhaps the most well-known reason, is that you can use Dropbox to share photos without destroying quality. It provides opportunities for a neat, secure and clearly project sharing.

IP and security

IP is short for "Intellectual property". It is a way of owning something that is not physical. It is our way of protecting our creations. This includes copyright, patents and trademarks

Summary and Evaluation

At first, I was somewhat uncertain when I started this task.

Although the videos were clear and informative, I was not sure how long it was realistic to set aside time for each of the tasks that had to be done on the twenty days handed out. I tried a little bit to make a plan on the whole. Then I started to build it out little by little. With a little research, I think I might have managed to land on some pretty puff realistically.

In terms of security and communication in the assignment, I used Dropbox, because I have some experience within the program. There were many other programs mentioned, but I thought it was better to choose something I am familiar with.

Sources and references

Google.no

- -Pictures of other gantt charts
- Information on different pages to create gantt charts.

www.noroff.no

- Submissions from former students