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Theme Manual

Cardea - WordPress Theme

ver 1.3

Thank You :)

Thanks for purchasing our theme. We really appreciate your support and trust in us. We worked hard to make Cardea WP theme easy to edit as much as possible. Hopefully, you will enjoy using it.

Have fun!

How To Install?

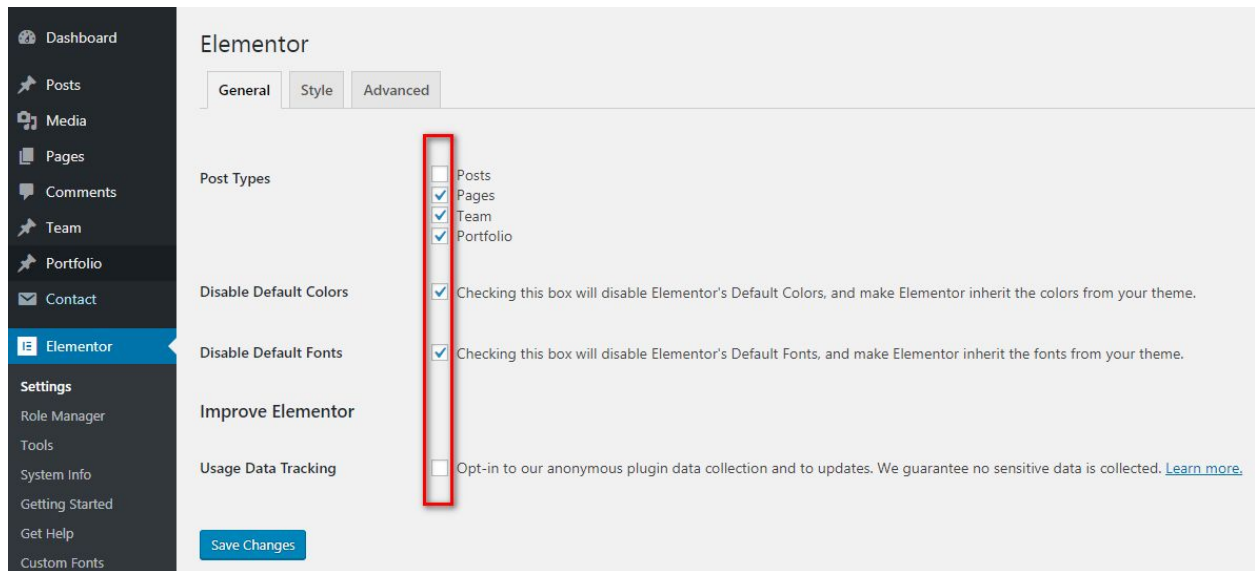
Once you have the zip archive ready, you need to go to your dashboard, which is www.yourwebsite.com/wp-admin and go to **Appearance > Themes > Install Themes** and, in the top menu, select **Upload**. Now, select the zip archive and just install it normally.

*Note - Theme is placed in “**Cardea WP - THEME**” folder and you need to upload zip file from that folder (zip file called **cardea-wp.zip**)
Also, there is a Child theme available placed in same folder (zip file called **cardea-wp-child.zip**)

After installing the theme, you will get alert of required plugins **CocoBasic - Cardea WP, CocoBasic - Cardea Elementor Widgets, Elementor** and **Contact Form 7**. You need to install and to activate them.

Set Up Elementor

After you have installed plugins, you need to set up some settings in Elementor. Go to **Dashboard > Elementor > Settings > General** and check options like on image bellow:



Don't forget to click **"Save Changes"**.

If you will use **DEMO3** or **DEMO4** you need also in **Dashboard > Elementor > Settings > Style** you need to do some customization (don't do that for **DEMO1** or **DEMO2**):

The screenshot shows the Elementor settings interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with a menu including Dashboard, Posts, Media, Pages, Comments, Team, Portfolio, Contact, and Elementor (which is highlighted). Under Elementor, there are sections for Settings (Role Manager, Tools, System Info, Getting Started, Get Help, Custom Fonts, Go Pro), Templates, Appearance, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'Elementor' and has three tabs: General, Style (which is selected and highlighted with a blue border), and Advanced. The Style tab contains several settings: Default Generic Fonts (Sans-serif), Content Width (1140 px), Space Between Widgets (20 px), Stretched Section Fit To (body), Page Title Selector (h1.entry-title), Tablet Breakpoint (1020 px, highlighted with a red box), Mobile Breakpoint (768 px), and Image Lightbox (checked). Each setting has a descriptive text below it. At the bottom left of the main area is a blue 'Save Changes' button.

Setting	Value
Default Generic Fonts	Sans-serif
Content Width	1140 px
Space Between Widgets	20 px
Stretched Section Fit To	body
Page Title Selector	h1.entry-title
Tablet Breakpoint	1020 px
Mobile Breakpoint	768 px
Image Lightbox	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open all image links in a lightbox popup window

Don't forget to click **"Save Changes"**.

Import Content

This theme comes with our dummy/demo content which can be imported directly on your website to achieve the same look as our demo. To import our content go to your WordPress admin page dashboard and select **Tools > Import** and then choose WordPress option.

Here is a small video tutorial how to install and import demo content.

<https://youtu.be/xeUIMmb-Nog>

Demo Content is placed in “Cardea WP - DEMO CONTENT” folder.

Theme comes with multiple demo content files - **demo1, demo2**, etc...

You need to **import just one** demo content file.

After you have imported dummy/demo content go to **Dashboard > Settings > Reading** and set **Front page displays: “A static page”** and select **OnePage** for **Front page**. For **Posts page** select **Blog**.

Dashboard

- Posts
- Media
- Pages
- Comments
- Team
- Portfolio
- Contact
- Elementor
- Templates
- Appearance
- Plugins
- Users
- Tools
- Settings**
- General
- Writing
- Reading**
- Discussion

Reading Settings

Your homepage displays

☐ Your latest posts

☒ A [static page](#) (select below)

Homepage: OnePage ▼

Posts page: Blog ▼

Blog pages show at most 10 posts

Syndication feeds show the most recent 10 items

For each article in a feed, show

☒ Full text

☐ Summary

Search Engine Visibility

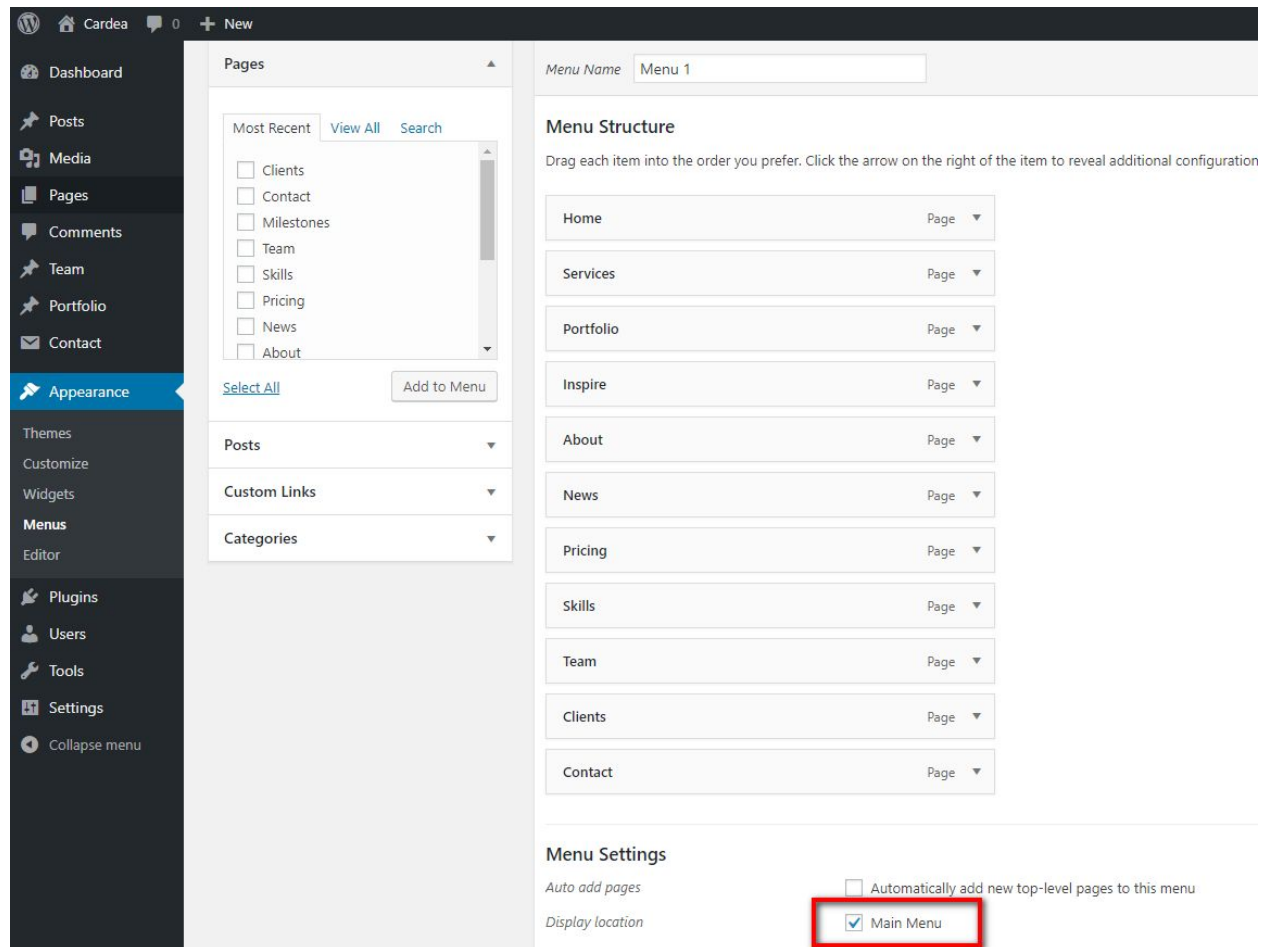
☐ Discourage search engines from indexing this site

It is up to search engines to honor this request.

Save Changes

Creating Menu

In order to create menu, go to **Appearance > Menus**. You can see on the image below example how menu can look like.



* Don't forget to check **"Main Menu"**.

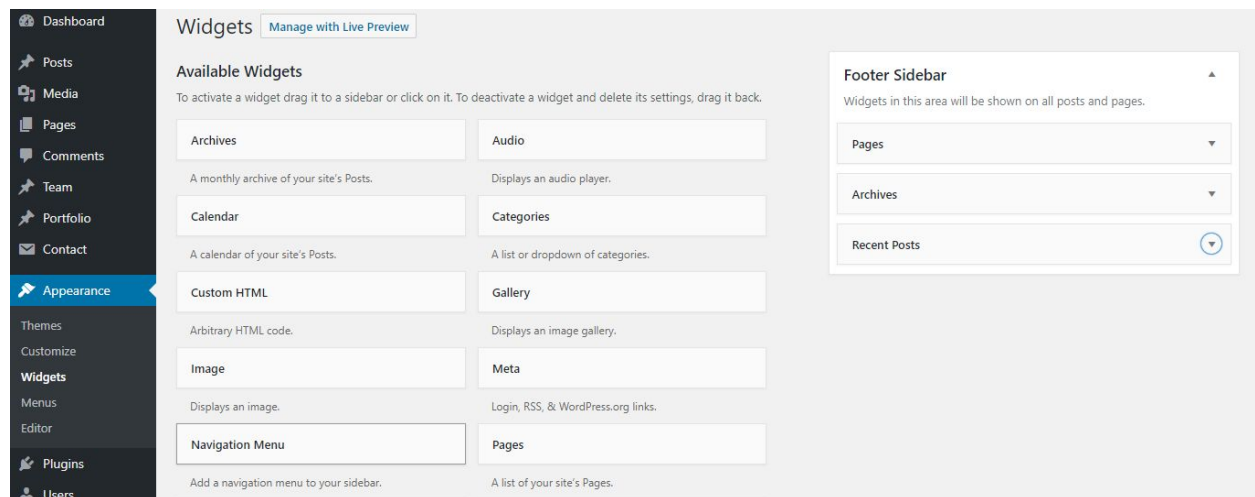
Sidebar (Footer) Widget

***Note** - on our demo we don't use footer widget

To set/edit widgets in footer go to:

Appearance > Widgets

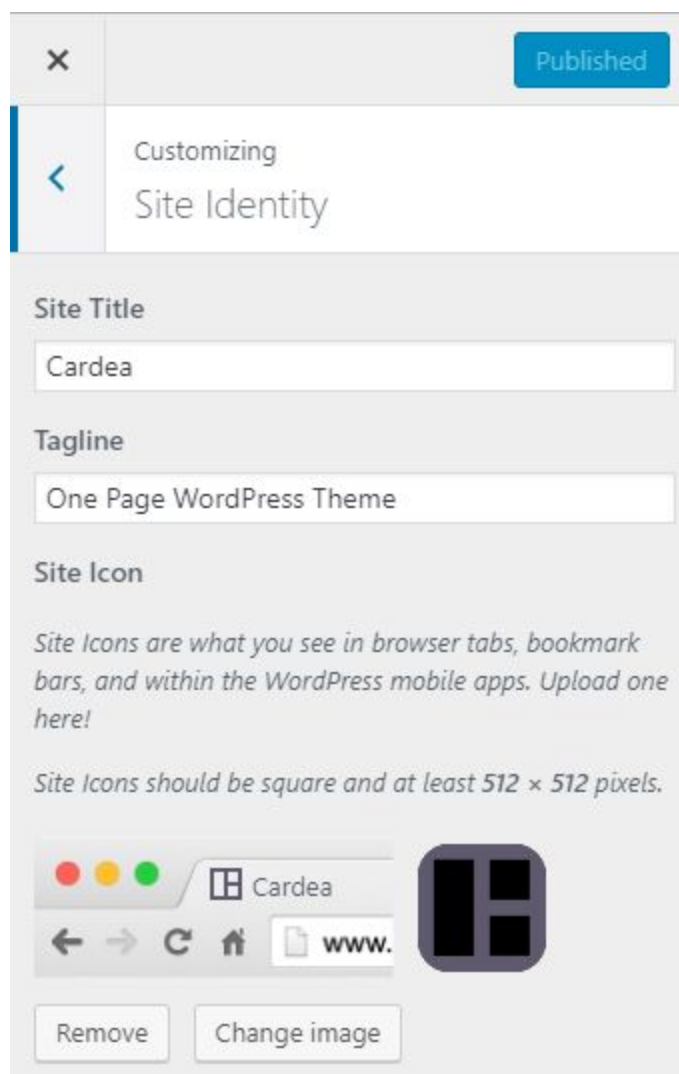
Here is how it looks widgets area.



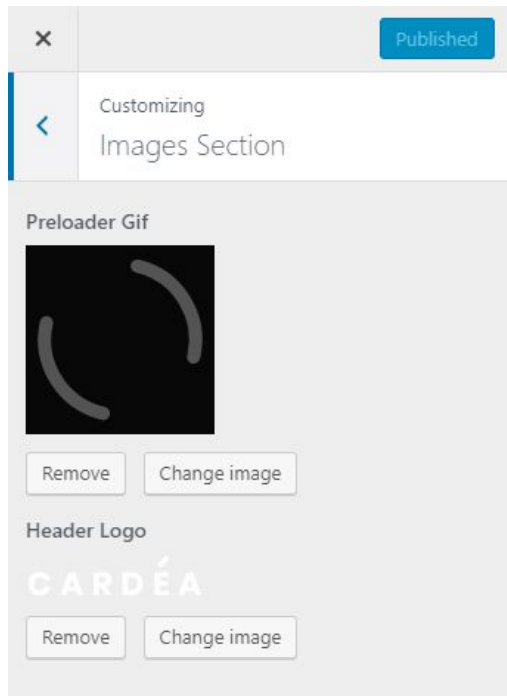
Theme Customization

To open customizer click on ***Dashboard > Appearance > Customize***

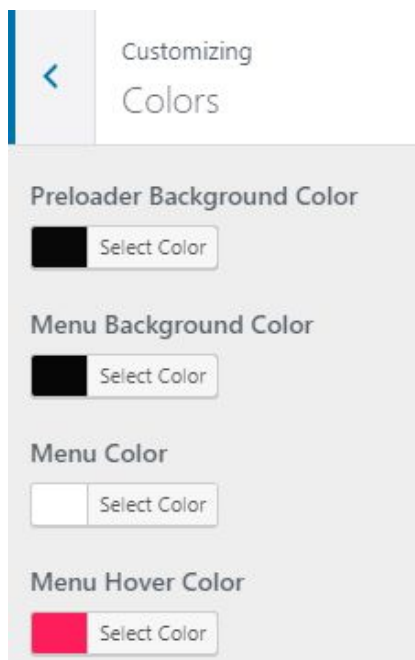
Site Title, Tagline and Site Icon Customizing



Images Settings

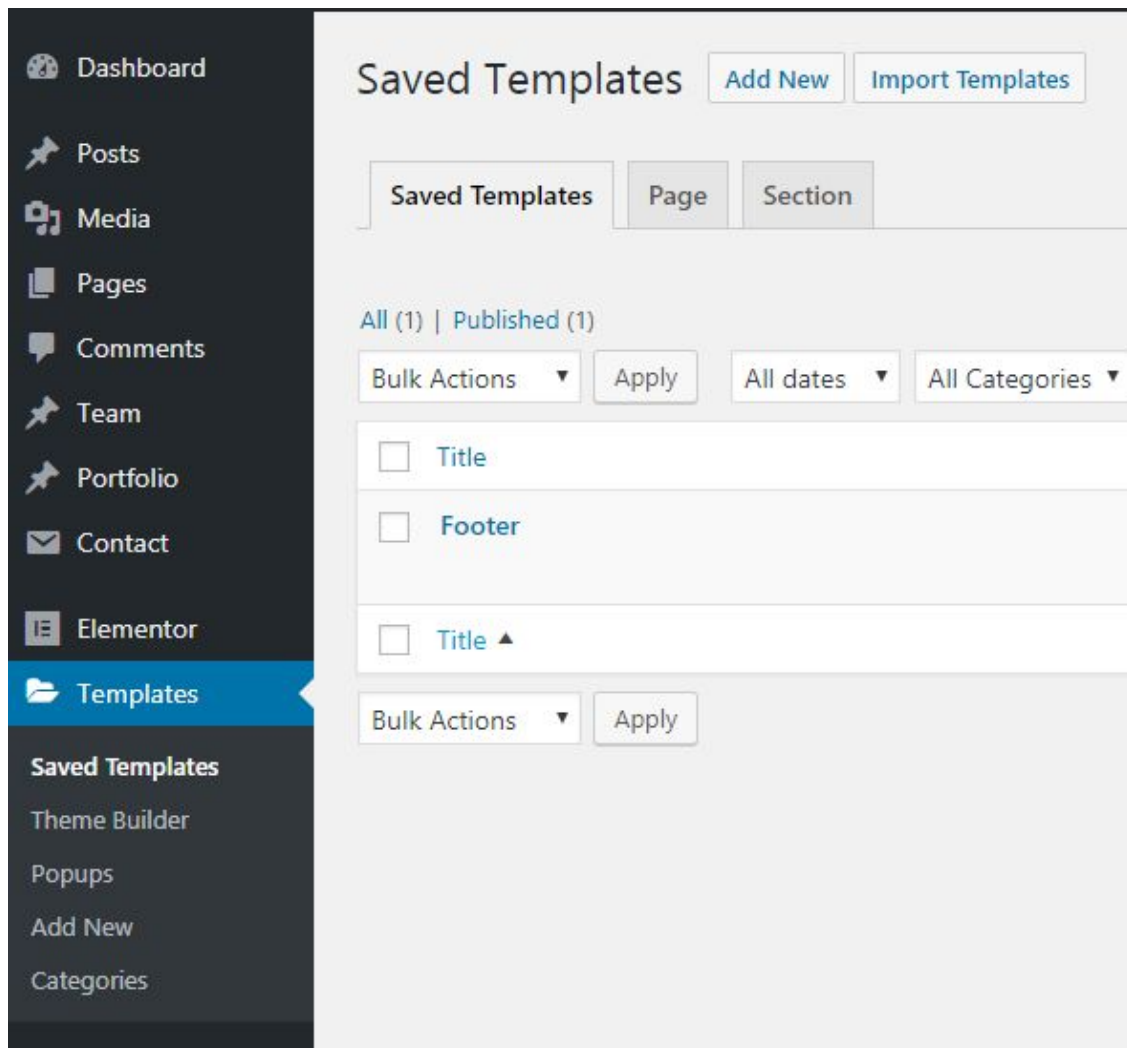


Colors Section



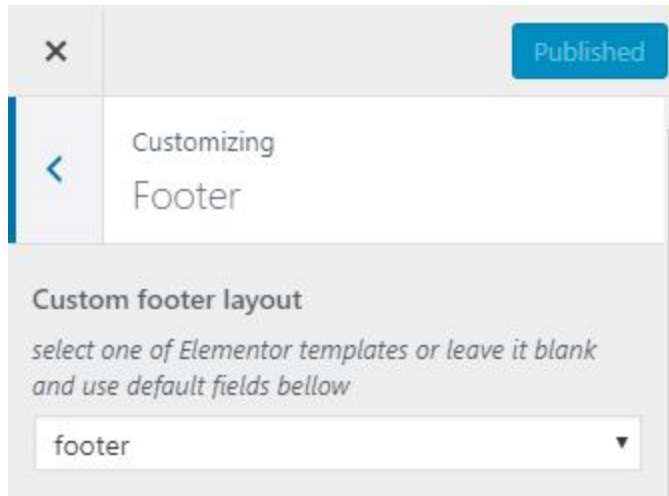
Footer

From version 1.3 there is a option to create a custom footer using **Elementor** page builder. All you need to do is to go to **Dashboard > Templates** and there you will see our default footer which comes with demo content:



You can easily change content there using Elementor. Of course, here you can create your own layout also.

The list of all templates will be displayed in dropdown list where you can select your footer layout.



***This option is for version before 1.3**

There is also an option to leave this field empty (custom footer layout) and to set up default footer (this footer layout was the only option in versions before 1.3). Here is default content:

hello@cocobasic.com

987.654.321

New York

Some St. 258

United States

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Customizing Footer

Footer Mail

hello@cocobasic.com

Footer Phone Number

987.654.321

Footer Info Content

New York

Some St. 258

United States

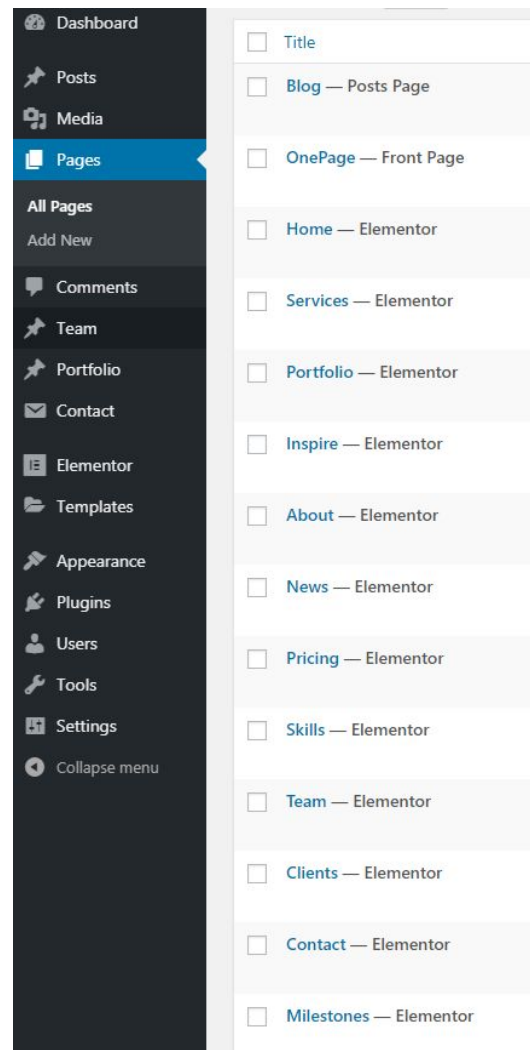
Content Editing

***Note** - all print screens are used from **DEMO1**. On same/similar way you will edit content on any other demo. If some part is different, you will find explanation in documentation. If you don't understand some part, feel free to contact us anytime on our support forum.

To edit Page, just open a page that you want to edit and replace the existing content with your own (text, images, videos).

After importing demo content, you will have pages like on image.

Now, for each page we will explain just some part of code which is specific for it:

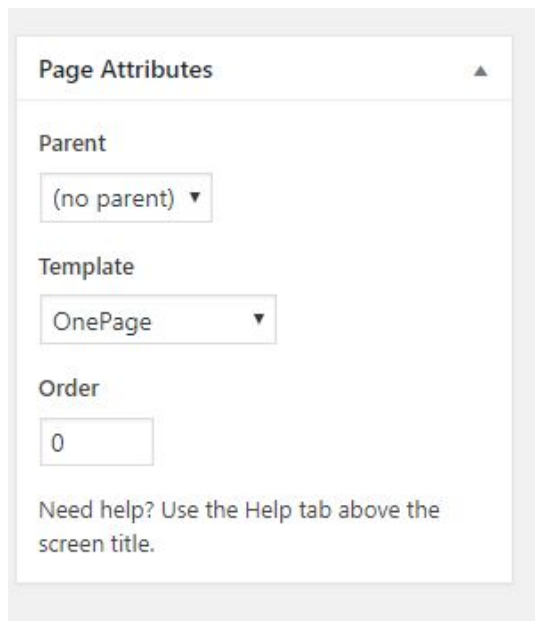


OnePage

This is main page (it is set to be Front Page) and that page is collecting all other pages inside it and make one big page (home page).

Important for this page is to set:

Page Attributes > Template > OnePage

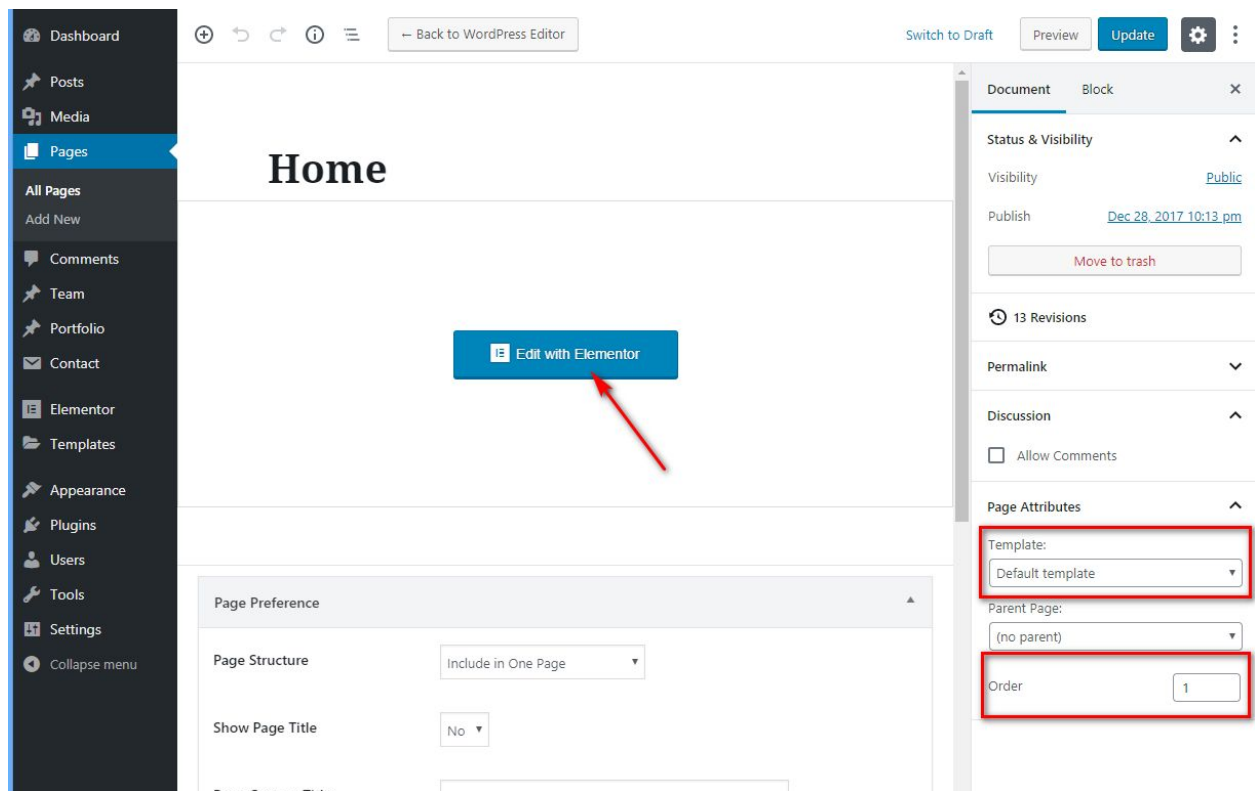


The image shows a screenshot of the 'Page Attributes' sidebar in a WordPress editor. The sidebar has a title 'Page Attributes' with an upward-pointing triangle icon. It contains three sections: 'Parent' with a dropdown menu showing '(no parent)'; 'Template' with a dropdown menu showing 'OnePage'; and 'Order' with a text input field containing the number '0'. At the bottom of the sidebar, there is a line of text: 'Need help? Use the Help tab above the screen title.'

***Note** - This page has no content in editor (it will insert in self all other pages which are set to be the part of this big/front page)

Home Page

This page is first section in front “OnePage” page. This page is created using the Elementor. When you open this page (using WordPress editor, not Elementor) you will see this:



Here is important that page is set to be **Template: Default template** and also you can see the **Order** is set to be **1** - this mean that **Home** page will be first inside the **OnePage** (the **Service** page has the order **2** - it is second in the OnePage).

This page has page template **“Default Template”** - it has content width of max 1170px (there is also **“SplitPage”** template which is used for other pages which has left/right part layout - on one side is title on other is content).

***Note - “Default Template” and “SplitPage” are used only in DEMO1 and DEMO2. In all other demos we are using only “Elementor Canvas” or “Elementor Full Width” templates**

There is also background image. To change background image and much more you can edit just below the page editor in **“Page Preference”**. Here it is how it looks like:

The screenshot displays the 'Page Preference' settings panel. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with the following items: Media, Pages (highlighted), All Pages, Add New, Comments, Team, Portfolio, Contact, Elementor, Templates, Appearance, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, and Collapse menu. The main content area of the 'Page Preference' panel includes the following settings:

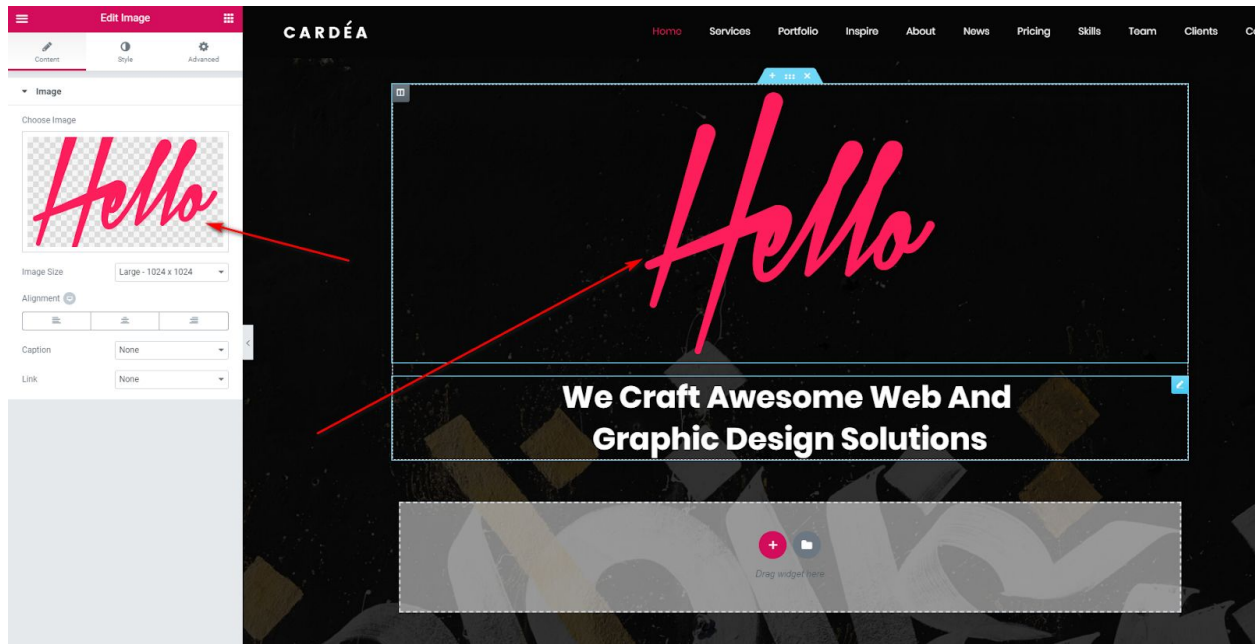
- Page Structure:** A dropdown menu set to 'Include in One Page'.
- Show Page Title:** A dropdown menu set to 'No'.
- Page Custom Title:** A text input field.
- Page Title Color:** A color selection box.
- Page Description:** A text area.
- Page Description Color:** A color selection box.
- Full Screen Page:** A dropdown menu set to 'Yes', with a note below it: 'minimal page height to fit screen'.
- Page Background Color:** A color selection box, with a note below it: 'background color for a whole page'.
- Page Background Image URL:** A text input field containing 'https://demo.cocobasic.com/cardea-wp', an 'Upload Image' button, and a small image thumbnail.
- Background Image Position:** A dropdown menu set to 'Center Center'.

Here you can **“Show/Hide”** page title, use **“Custom Page Title”**, add **“Page Description”**, set page to be full height of screen, change page background color/image, set background image size/position/repeat, add custom CSS for just current page.

But, the most important option is to set **“Page Structure”**. With this option you can select how to use the current page - to be **“separated / stand alone”** page (it will be a regular page, not included in front/big page) or to be **“included in One Page”** (it will be included in front/big page).

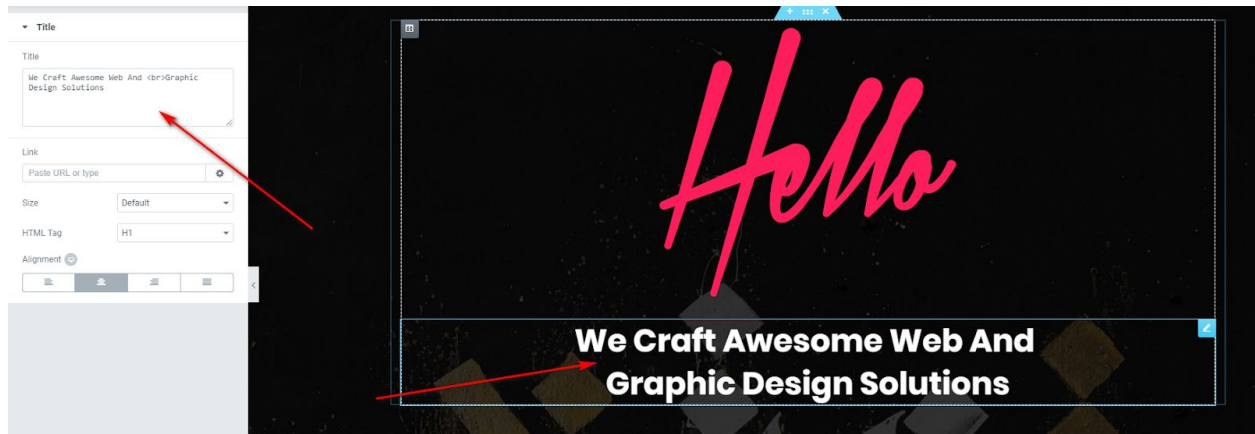
This settings is available for all pages, so each of them you can make it to be included or not in front/big One Page.

Now lets edit content on Home page - click on **“Edit With Elementor”** button. When you start to edit this page using Elementor you will get this:

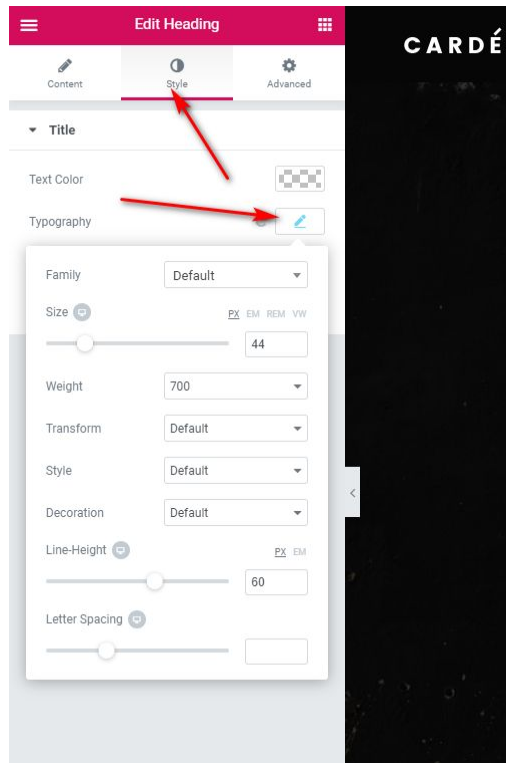


All you need to do is to click on image which you want to replace and in left part of screen you will get the area where you can select your own image and do some more modifications.

The same thing is for text:



In case that you want to change color or to change font family / font size, you need to select **Style** tab and there you will have this options. Take a look on next image how it looks like:



Also, there is a option to set a different font sizes for different screens (desktop, tablet, phone). Take a look on next image how you can control font size for different screens:

▼ Title

Text Color



Typography



Family

Default



Size



PX EM REM VW

44

Weight

700



Transform

Default



Style

Default



Decoration

Default



Line-Height



PX EM

60

Letter Spacing



Services Page

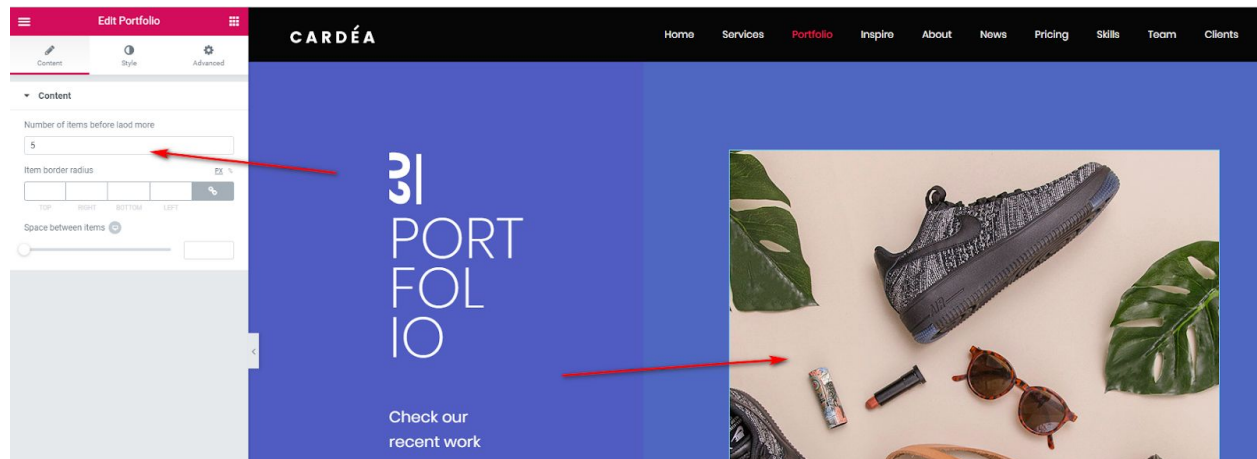
This page has “**SplitPage**” template - that mean it has a different layout (not “Default” like Home page) and it has a little bit different “**Page Preference**” section - but, on the same way there you can set all options which you need for the current page.

***Note - “Default Template” and “SplitPage” are used only in DEMO1 and DEMO2.** In all other demos we are using only “**Elementor Canvas**” or “**Elementor Full Width**” templates

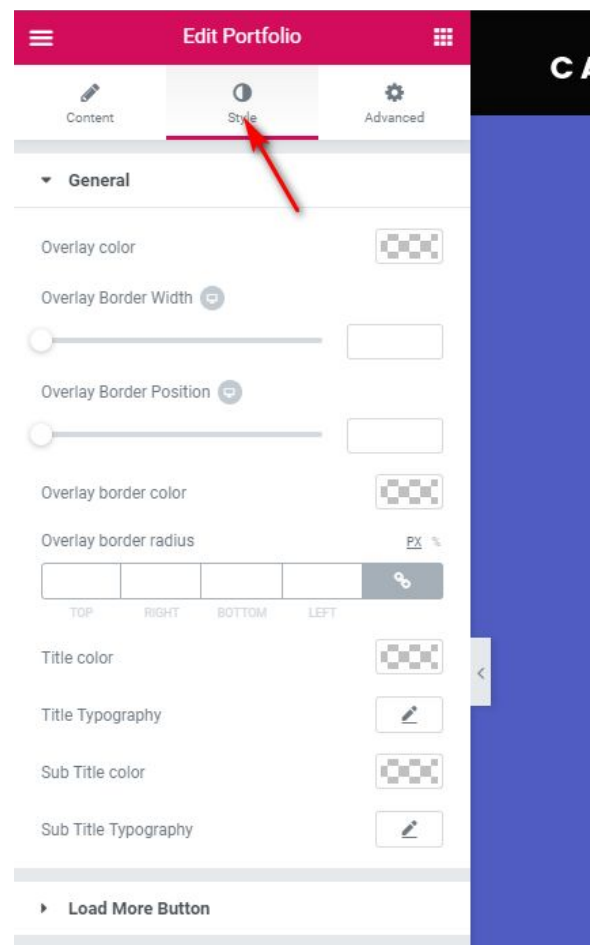
To edit content on page, just click on “**Edit With Elementor**” button and on same way like on Home page, just select element which you want to edit and on left part of screen you will get area where you can easy replace content in just few clicks.

Portfolio Page

When you edit the Portfolio page and click on portfolio items, in left part you will get area like this:



In **"Style"** tab you have a lot option where you can customize colors, fonts, paddings, etc...

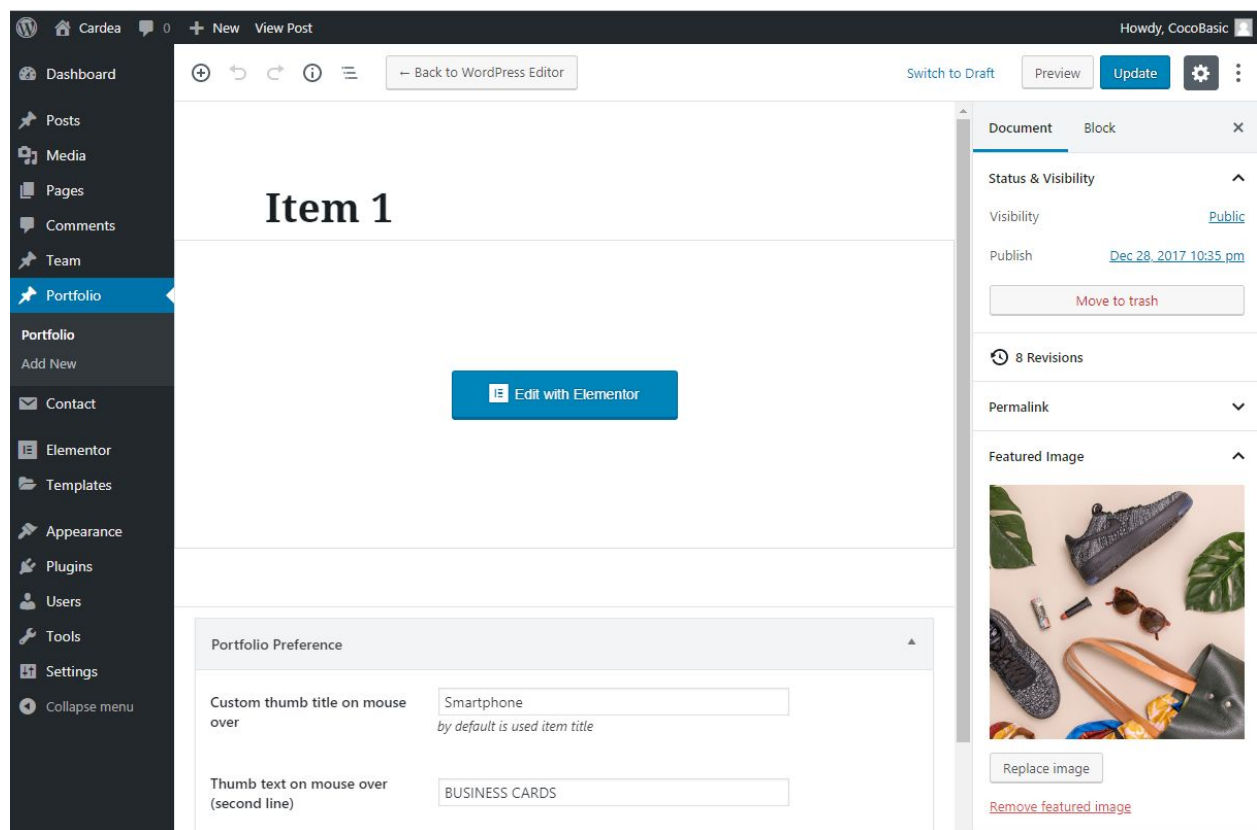


Add/Edit Portfolio Item

To Add a new Portfolio Item you need to open

Dashboard > Portfolio > Add New

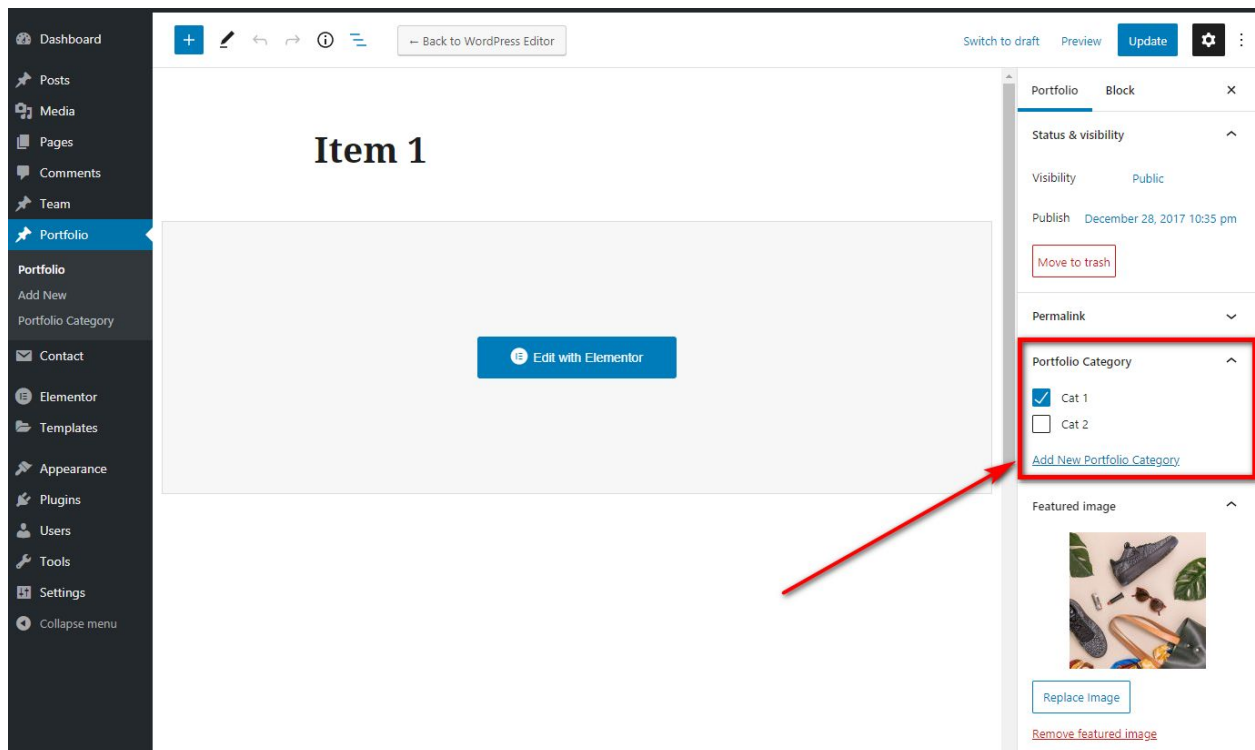
Enter a Title and after that you need to set **“Featured Image”**



After you have set the image, you need to add/edit item content.

Update from ver 2.0

From version 2.0 there is also an option to add a Portfolio Category Filter. Take a look on image below how to add Category for each portfolio item:



Also, below the editor, there is **“Portfolio Preference”**:

Portfolio Preference

Custom thumb title on mouse over

Smartphone

by default is used item title

Thumb text on mouse over (second line)

BUSINESS CARDS

Thumb image size


100% ▼

Link thumb to

This post ▼

Link thumb to Image:

Upload Image



Link thumb to Video

For example: <http://vimeo.com/XXXXXX> or <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XXXXXX>

Link thumb to External URL:

Set URL to external site

Here you can set “Thumb title on mouse over text”, size of featured image and where to link when you click on portfolio item.

If you link to **“This Post”** when you click on featured image it will load via ajax content on **“Portfolio”** page.

If you link to **“Image”** you need to set **“Link thumb to image”** with

image URL - it will open image in pop-up when you click on featured image.

If you link to **"Video"** you need to set **"Link thumb to video"** with:

YouTube video in format:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XXXXXX>

or Vimeo video in format:

<http://vimeo.com/XXXXXX>

Now, when you click on featured image it will open video in pop-up.

If you link to **"External URL"** you need to set URL in **"Link thumb to External URL"** in format **<http://yoururl.com>**

Now, when you click on featured image it will open your URL.

Contact

On this page you will find shortcode for contact form. It is shortcode from **Contact Form 7** plugin which looks like this:

```
[contact-form-7 id="149" title="Contact form 1"]
```

To set your contact form you need to open **Dashboard>Contact>Contact Forms** and to edit the contact form.

Our demo code for contact form looks like this:

The screenshot shows the WordPress dashboard with the 'Contact' menu item selected in the sidebar. The 'Contact Forms' section is active, and the 'Form' tab is selected. The main content area displays the 'Contact form 1' settings. A text box contains the shortcode `[contact-form-7 id="149" title="Contact form 1"]`. Below this, there are tabs for 'Form', 'Mail', 'Messages', and 'Additional Settings'. The 'Form' tab is active, showing a text area with the following shortcode: `[text* your-name placeholder "Name"]`
`[email* your-email placeholder "Email"]`
`[textarea your-message placeholder "Message..."]`
`[submit "Send"]`

Code for contact form:

```
[text* your-name placeholder "Name"]
```

```
[email* your-email placeholder "Email"]
```

```
[textarea your-message placeholder "Message..."]
```

```
[submit "Send"]
```

Plugins

CocoBasic - Cardea WP plugin

User interface for Cardea WP. It will add Portfolio and Team post types and also will add shortcodes.

CocoBasic - Cardea Elementor Widgets

Custom widgets for ELementor used in Cardea WordPress theme.

Elementor Page Builder

The most advanced frontend drag & drop page builder. Create high-end, pixel perfect websites at record speeds. Any theme, any page, any design.

<https://wordpress.org/plugins/elementor/>

Contact Form 7

Contact Form 7 can manage multiple contact forms, plus you can customize the form and the mail contents flexibly with simple markup.

<https://wordpress.org/plugins/contact-form-7/>

Source & Credits

Special thanks to creators and contributors of these awesome libraries, we couldn't done this without them.

Images used in theme

<https://unsplash.com>

Video used in template

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=15cplHjEsWI>

<https://vimeo.com/199192931>

TGM-Plugin-Activation

<https://github.com/thomasgriffin/TGM-Plugin-Activation>

jQuery Isotope Plugin

<http://isotope.metafizzy.co>

OwlCarousel2

<https://owlcarousel2.github.io/OwlCarousel2/>

HTML5 Fallback Support

<https://code.google.com/p/html5shiv>

Respond JS

<https://github.com/scottjehl/Respond>

jQuery

<http://jquery.com>

Google Web Fonts

<http://www.google.com/webfonts>

Easing jQuery Plugin

<http://gsgd.co.uk/sandbox/jquery/easing>

Smart Menus

<http://www.smartmenus.org/>

Sticky

<http://stickyjs.com/>

Sticky-Kit

<http://leafo.net/>

Font Awesome

<http://www.fontawesome.io/>

Resize

<https://github.com/sdecima/javascript-detect-element-resize>

FitVideo.js

<http://fitvidsjs.com/>

PrettyPhoto

<http://www.no-margin-for-errors.com/>

We are sorry if we forgot to mention someone.

Questions?

We tried to help you out with this documentation. So please read carefully. If we fail here, you can always go to our [support forum](#) and post a new discussion in appropriate category. Our developers will try to solve your issue.

Thanks for understanding.



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