Assignment 8 – Implementing a Web Portfolio/Tool Project (Final Project Pt. 2)

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Links
https://leila071497.github.io/PUI-2021Fall/assignment_8/index.html
https://github.com/leila071497/PUI-2021Fall/tree/main/assignment_8
https://github.com/leila071497/PUI-2021Fall

Part 1

My purpose of my website is to present my previous work. It's a documentation of my major work and the process. I would like to convey information about my design thinking process coupled with implementation along the way. Besides, I also want to let readers know my design philosophy and skills as a designer. The website might be interesting and engaging in context since it's primarily informative, but I used more images than text to engage readers to reach my goals.

As for my target audience, I'm currently doing job hunting, so my audience is hiring managers and other designers in the industry. Therefore, I would focus on what they expect to see and how I can convince them that I'm a candidate in their team.

Part 2
- Animation fading up in welcome page-people click index page and my introduction show up immediately.
- Hovering on navigation bar-people hover navigation tag (projects, about, resume) and color changes to indicate where their mouse on.
- Hovering on project thumbnail-people hover project images and background color changes to black with text indicates project names and category.

Part 3
- Animate.css
  - It's very easy to implement (install npm, add to class name) and I can customize the animation itself. It's also a very common

animation effect I expect for many websites, so I can follow the design pattern.

- o I install the library in terminal. I added the cdn link in header and added class name to intended components.
- o In index page, my intro shows and button to project page show up as animation.

Part 4

I added a welcome page due to one feedback I got from a current designer. She said it's more engaging to state who you are instead of directly showing everything I did. Another change would be more aware of accessibility (color contrasting and alt text) I forget to mention in homework 7.

Part 5

I think responsive design is the most challenging part. I learned for this project I should always have mobile first mindset to let my website responsive to mobile device.