I learned from the websites on careers in web design and development that there is quite a variety of jobs out there in this field. It seems that pretty much every company needs a website. Depending on the company, there can be pretty specific applicant requirements to be able to accomplish what they need done. There is also a big range in salaries that can be made. Obviously, people without previous work experience will probably start at a lower pay, but there is lots of room for growth. Many, if not most of the jobs I looked at wanted the applicant to have a bachelor’s degree. Some jobs didn’t require previous experience, but some did. Most of the jobs preferred experience or knowledge in several areas including html, CSS, JavaScript, and others.

I’ve learned a variety of things in this class. First of all, I learned that I still have a lot to learn. I am very much a beginner in all this. I have always enjoyed designing invitations and Christmas cards on PowerPoint and I feel like designing websites has a similar feel. I like the creative aspect to it and all the little details involved. I’ve learned the basics of how to create a website. I’ve learned about how it’s important to make a website accessible for people with different needs. I’ve learned that with HTML and CSS there are sometimes many ways a person can do something and still achieve a similar outcome. However, there can be a “best” way to accomplish certain tasks.

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