# CSS Layout Part 2

Web Development

# Mobile Web Design Best Practices



 The global internet report by internetsociety.org states there are almost 2 billion mobile Internet users Dec 2013 <a href="http://www.internetsociety.org/sites/default/files/Global\_Internet\_Report by">http://www.internetsociety.org/sites/default/files/Global\_Internet\_Report by</a>

• Three Approaches to Mobile Web:

- Create a separate website hosted within your current domain targeted for mobile users e.g. m.itworld.com
- Use CSS to configure your current website for display on both mobile and desktop devices.
- Develop a mobile app which resides on the device

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## Mobile Web Limitations

Small Screen Size Low bandwidth Poor connectivity No hover states Slow error prone typing Less context Inaccurate clicks Slow hardware Awkward controls Limited processor and memory



# Approaches to mobile web

- Make web sites that work well on a variety of screens (presentation)
- Adjust your content for mobile users (content)
- Give your users a smooth experience even on a slow connection (performance)

# Design Techniques for Mobile Web

Single column design wrapper Avoid floats, tables, frames

Descriptive page title

Descriptive heading tags

Optimize images

Descriptive alt text for images

Eliminate unneeded images

Navigation in lists

Em or percentage font size units

Common font typefaces

Good contrast between text and background colors

Provide "Skip to Content" hyperlink





## Design Techniques for Mobile Web

- Set most padding and margin to 0.
- Background images may have to be adjusted so they have no-repeat and are positioned in the right top of the screen.
- Logos may also need modifying.

Viewport Meta Tag

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 Default action for most mobile devices is to zoom out and scale the web page



- Created as an Apple extension to configure display on mobile devices
- Configures width and initial scale of browser viewport

<meta name="viewport" content= "width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0">



## Media queries

- The second part of responsive design is CSS3 media queries, which currently enjoy decent support across many modern browsers. They basically allow you to gather data about the site visitor and use it to conditionally apply CSS styles. For our purposes, we're primarily interested in the min-width media feature, which allows us to apply specific CSS styles if the browser window drops below a particular width that we can specify.
- The set of pixel widths I recommend targeting are as follows:
- 320px, 480px, 600px, 768px, 900px, 1200px

### CSS3 Media Queries

## Media Query

- Determines the capability of the mobile device, such as screen resolution
- Directs the browser to styles configured specifically for those capabilities
- Example:

link href="lighthousemobile.css" rel="stylesheet"
media="only screen and (max-device-width: 480px)">



## Lab 07: Learn CSS Layout Part 2

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And I'm bigger!	

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We're the same size no	w!	 	
Hooray!			

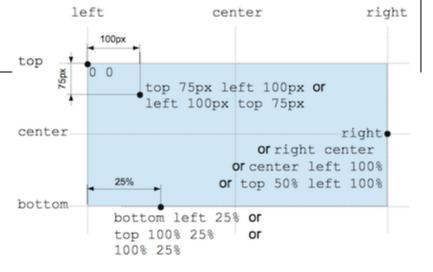
# CSS Layout Part 2

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- Float layout example
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- Media queries
- Inline-block
- Inline-block layout
- Column
- Flexbox
- Css frameworks

### Clearfix hack

#### 11. the clearfix hack

```
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```



```
img {
   float: right;
}
.clearfix{
   overflow: auto;
}
```

In this case an image overflows the container, we used float right for the image within the , however because it is taller than the text it overflows.

# Float layout example

```
<h1> 12. float layout example </h1>
<div class="clearfix">
  <nav>
   <l
     <a href="#">Home</a>
                                   <a href="#">Taco Menu</a> 
     <a href="#">Draft List</a> 
     <a href="#">Hours</a>
     <a href="#">Directions</a> 
     <a href="#">Contact</a> 
   </nav>
  <section>
     This example works just like the last one. Notice we put a clearfix on the container. It's not needed in this
     example, but it would be if the nav was longer than the non-floated content.
   </section>
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     pulvinar nibh tempor porta. Cras ac leo purus. Mauris quis diam velit.
   </section>
</div>
```

```
nav {
   float: left;
   width: 200px;
   border: solid 1px;
}

section {
   margin-left: 200px;
   border: solid 1px;
}

.clearfix {
   overflow: auto;
}
```

#### 12. float layout example

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## percent width

```
article img {
  float: right;
  width: 50%;
}

nav {
  float: left;
  width: 25%;
  border: solid 1px;
}

section {
  margin-left: 25%;
  border: solid 1px;
}

.clearfix {
  overflow: auto;
}
```

```
<article class="clearfix dashed">
 <img src="css-positioning.png" alt="an image">
   You could even use <code>min-width</code> and <code>max-width</code> to 1
 </article>
<nav>
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 </nav>
<section>
```

#### 13. percent width

You could even use min-width and max-width to limit how big or small the image can get!

top

top

top 75px left 100px or left 100px top 75px

center

or right

or right

or right

or right

or right

or right

or top 50% left 100%

bottom left 25% or top 100% 25%

or 100% 25%

or 100% 25%

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## media queries

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    Draft List

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#### 14. media queries

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## inline-block

```
.box {
  display: inline-block;
  width: 200px;
  height: 100px;
  margin: 1em;
  border: solid 1px;
}

.after-box {
  border: solid 1px;
}
```

#### 15. inline block

I'm floating!	I'm floating!	I'm floating!	
I'm floating!	I'm floating!	I'm floating!	
I'm floating!	I'm floating!	I'm floating!	

```
I'm using clear so I don't float next to the above boxes.
```

```
<div class="box">
     I'm floating!
   </div>
 <div class="box">
    I'm floating!
  </div>
   <div class="box">
    I'm floating!
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   <div class="box">
    I'm floating!
   </div>
 </div>
   <div class="box">
    I'm floating!
   </div>
 <section class="after-box">
    I'm using clear so I don't float next to the above boxes.
   </section>
</body>
```

## inline-block layout

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<div class="dashed">
 <nav class="dashed">
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     <a href="#">Home</a>
                                    <a href="#">Taco Menu</a> 
     <a href="#">Draft List</a> 
     <a href="#">Hours</a>
                                    <a href="#">Directions</a> 
     <a href="#">Contact</a>
                                   </nav>
  <div class="column dashed">
  <section>
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     container. It's not needed in this example, but it would be if the nav was
     longer than the non-floated content.
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   </section>
  </div>
</div>
```

```
nav{
    display: inline-block;
    vertical-align: top;
    width: 25%;
}
.column{
    display: inline-block;
    vertical-align: top;
    width: 74%;
}
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#### column

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<br/>
<section><br/>
class="three-column">
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```
</section>
</body>
```

```
.three-column {
  padding: 1em;
  -moz-column-count: 3;
  -moz-column-gap: 1em;
  -webkit-column-count: 3;
  -webkit-column-gap: 1em;
  column-count: 3;
  column-gap: 1em;
}
```



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