

Portfolio Journal

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Journey while building my portfolio

I had never built a website or worked with html/CSS/Bootstrap in my CS journey, and I was really excited to learn and build amazing things that I could share on the internet



Github repository: <https://github.com/guhilot/Portfolio>

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The portfolio was the best idea to start off building a website as it did not need me to think too much for an idea of what I wanted to build, and I knew clearly what the requirements were

Some of the issues I faced during the build:

I understood the box model in CSS however if I wanted to make any changes to any of the layers I was doing it on the outermost layer which did not provide the desired results, I finally figured out what I was doing wrong and then started following the box model religiously to avoid any further issues.

While working with bootstrap, I got the concept of media queries and why we use them, however I was not practically using them correctly I was mixing two different sizes in a row as I thought sm will make the box small and lg will make the box large (width), this was creating all sorts of problems while changing screen size, I brought the issue to you and you helped me figure what I was doing incorrectly which solved all my assignment issues as well as portfolio issues.

I think layouts was my biggest issue which took me the longest time to figure out but now it's all good hopefully

Also, while creating the contact form, I wanted to do it like assignment3 Ex1 which specifies to create the form only using bootstrap, but I was making the mistake of using CSS, I got it fixed after speaking with you and got it done only with html and bootstrap