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Personal Website

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"Create a portfolio website which presents you as a dev and IT professional. The purpose is to provide an online portfolio that provides information about you, your skills, interests, professional knowledge and a showcase of your work.
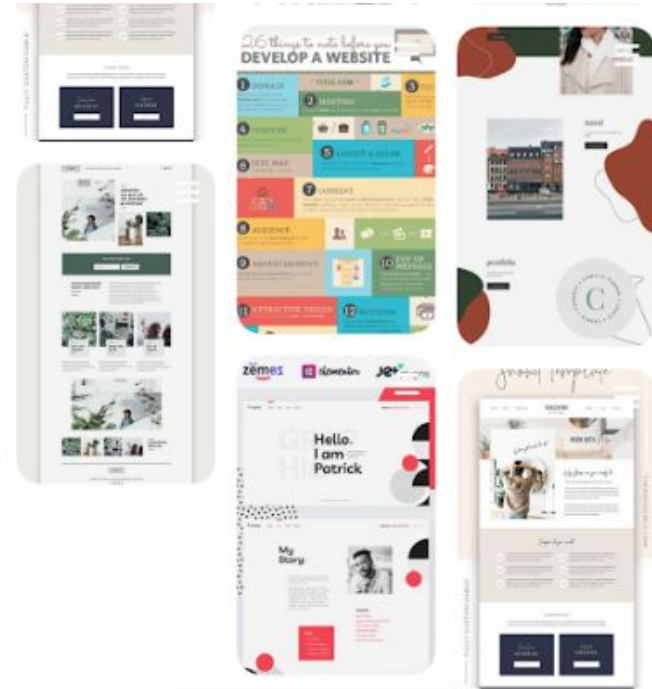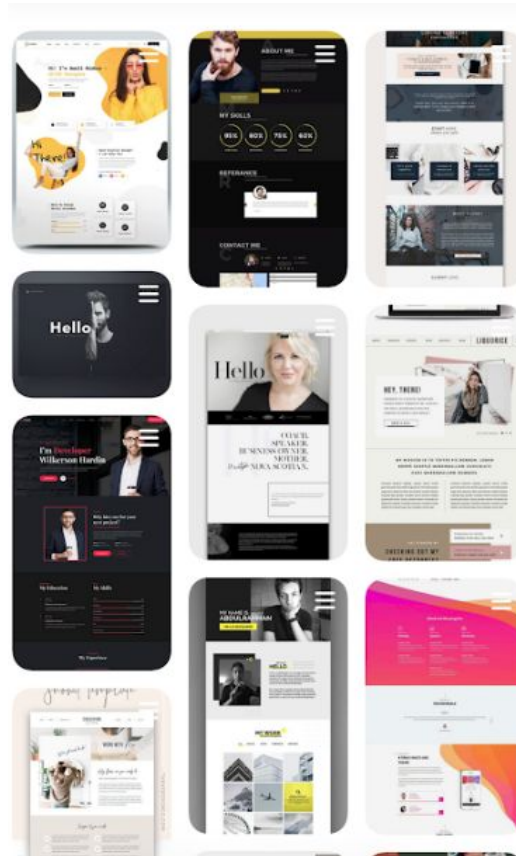
The target audience for the portfolio website is an employer looking to engage a dev and/or IT professional. Expect the employer to have the following knowledge and expectations:

- technical knowledge relating to information technology, software development/coding, programming languages and development stacks
- high expectations of professionalism and a positive work ethic"

Goal

To create a website which would allow me to scale it up as long as I learn more scripts

Inspiration

Typography

Thin 100

Almost before we knew it, we had left the ground.

Light 300

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Regular 400

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Bold 700

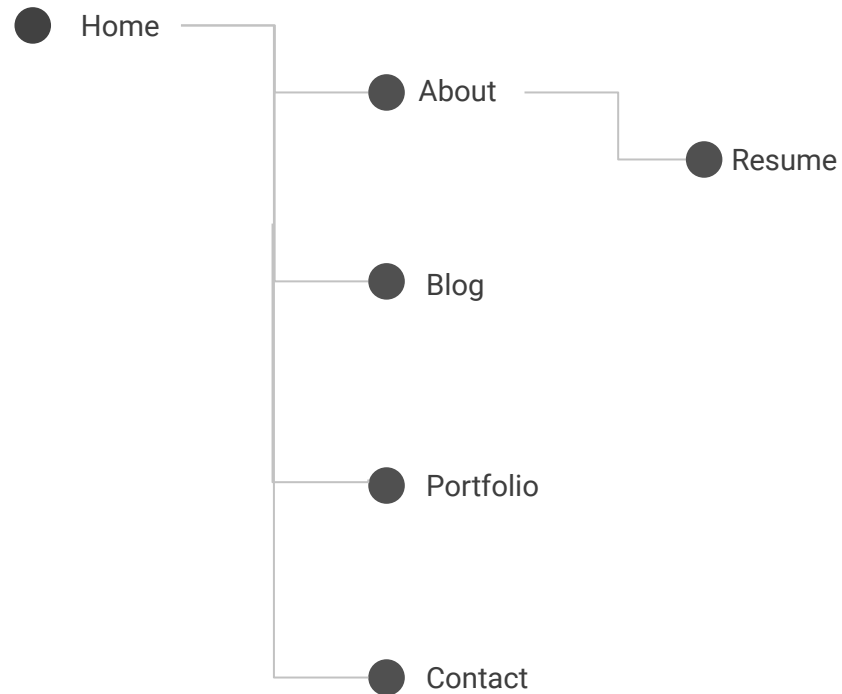**Almost before we knew it, we had left the ground.**

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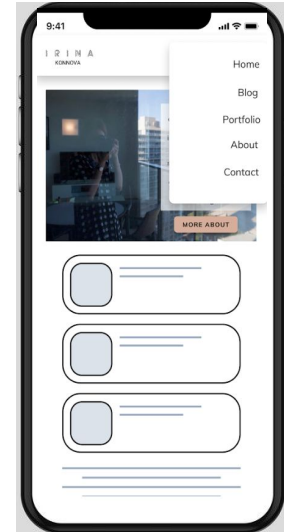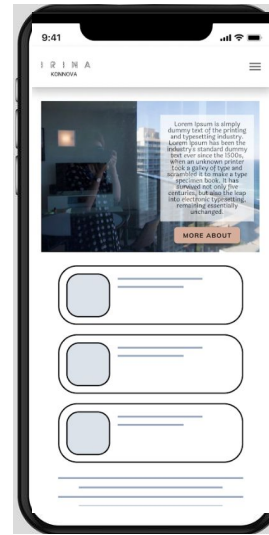
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Site map

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- About
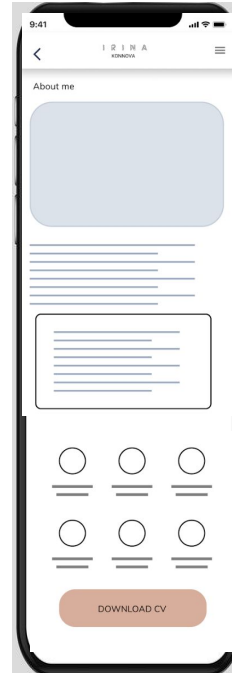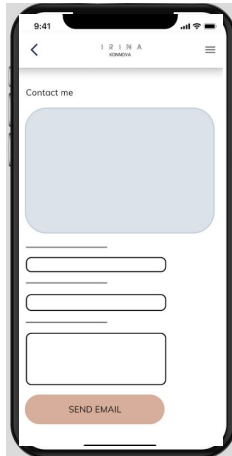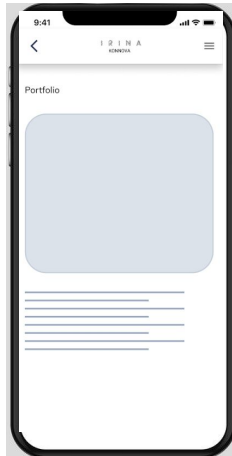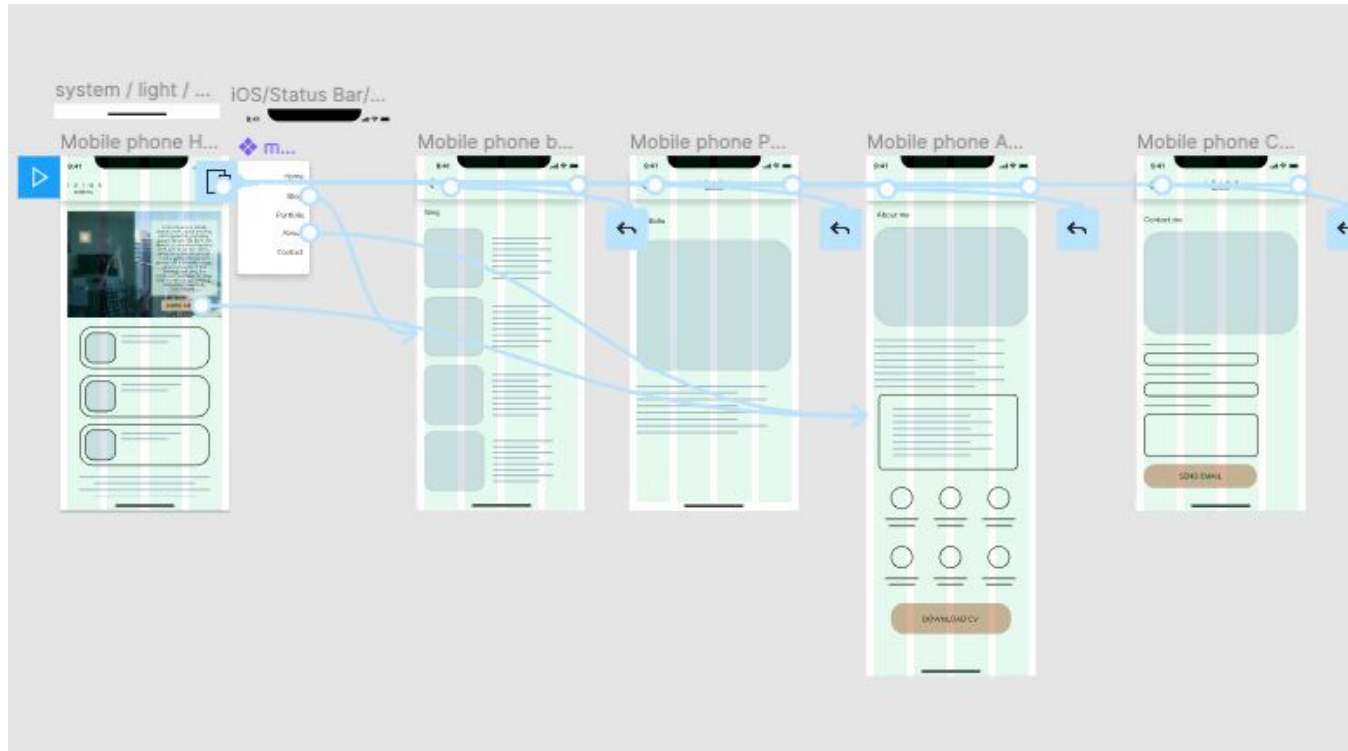 - Resume
- Blog
- Portfolio
- Contact

Wireframes

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A mobile version of wireframes was created for the project.

Figma was used for this part of assignment

Wireframes

Design process

- Color chosen through the hero photo via color wheel
- Selection of potential components to use
  - Nav bar, cards, text over image, form at Contact me page, flexbox in Blog, CSS grid in About me
- Responsive mobile design
  - Pages were built for mobile first and scaled up to desktop screens
- Responsive nav bars
  - Easier navigation with any screen size
- Cards with animations
  - Gives a modern feel and look, highlighting, makes the interaction more pleasant
- Responsive text highlighting
  - Highlighting key elements (text/card/etc)
- Personal photos
  - All photos used on the website were taken by me (will be more on the website than now)

Challenges

- Time, Time, Time! Life gets in the way…
  - Kids, job, other commitments
  - Why everything happens at the same time? argh…
- Low speed of coding
  - It's difficult to code quickly and plantime appropriately without any coding experience before
- When things didn't work out, I had to find other solutions (nav-bar)
- Long process of debugging…
  - It's a great process through!

NB Code along with my course buddies would have been great!

Growth mindset rocks! Heaps of learning along the way! I keep swimming!

What's next

- Finalise responsiveness and design
- Incorporate integrity
- More photos
- Add blog page
- Finalise About me page and add Resume
- Deploy at Github
- Take socials to the footer
- ...

.. still a lot of work to do

And then in the future to update my page as I learn more scripts

Favourite part:

Really liked the process even though it can be quite difficult. Definitely lost track of time while coding

Live demo