Final Website and Report

Band Genesis

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**The Subject of the Website:**

The Subject of my Website, *Band Genesis*, was the instructions on how to create a successful band. Whether that band is a cover band. Or, if that band is an Original band that would make original music.

**Intended Audience:**

The Audience that I created this website for, was anyone who was looking to create a band of their own. They were not part of a specific age group, gender, or musical genre demographic. I simply only targeted those with a musical interest in creating their own music.

**Completed Website Address:**

<https://jaarhday.github.io/WDD130/newband_personal/index.html>

**Goals and Objectives:**

With this website, I wanted to make a clear way how to make a successful band. The user simply chooses the band type that they want to create, then follows what is written on those pages. By doing so, I made it a simple and easy process for anyone who would find the site to follow. My goal was thus achieved, by making a simple website on how to create a successful band. My objectives were also in line with my goals. I wanted to make a sleek and appealing website that you could look at without getting a headache. I feel that I have achieved this by choosing simple dull colors. Overall, I believe that I achieved both my goals and objectives.

**Design Process:**

The design process was quite simple, to say the least. I made a simple header and footer with the bare minimum of details. Then I created the home page to make it look simple. I then used the same header and footer for my child pages. I used roughly the exact same layout for both pages. I did this, so it would be less work for me to style the pages later on in my project. I used free-to-use wireframe software to design the wireframes for the pages. For the smaller details, I picked a color scheme that seemed like a rock and roll type color. I then added some light accents and created my color scheme out of that. For the fonts, I wanted a retro-rocker type look, so I went with Chango and Roboto Condensed for easy light reading.

**Conclusion:**

In the end, I learned that I absolutely will never work on front-end projects again. I simply do not like working with HTML and CSS. I attribute this mainly, though, to the way this class ran. I did not feel like we got adequate support from our instructor. I also felt that most of the learning was done through youtube videos. I thought this to be preposterous. Why would I attend a university, only to learn through youtube videos? The skills that I acquired during this were simply learning how to handle a heavy workload, and learning the HTML and CSS languages quickly. I assume that throughout our careers as computer scientists, we will come in contact with more challenging, and frustrating, tasks. This was a good start to learning what exactly that frustration might feel like in the future. Do I think this class should be offered again? No. Why? Because it is too overwhelming and there is not enough support for this *entry-level* class. I believe entry-level classes should have better structure than whatever happened in this class. I rest my case.