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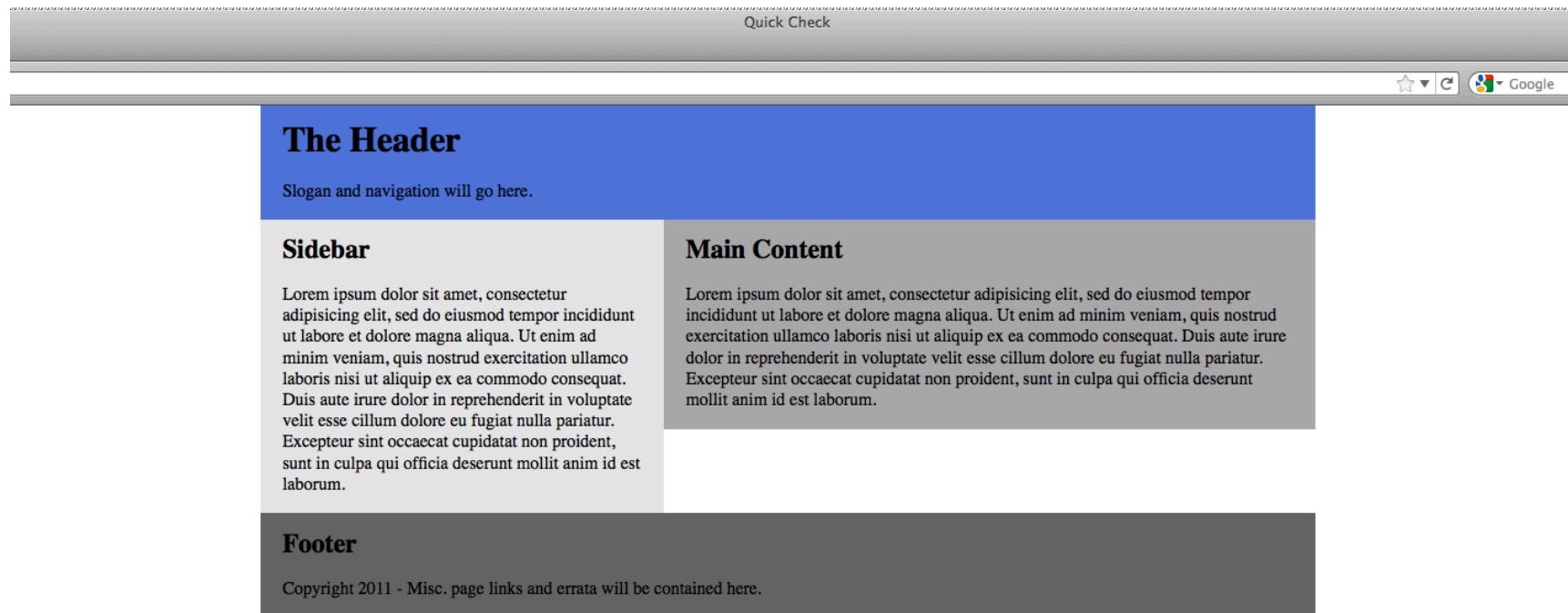
HTML & CSS - Timed assessment for gauging performance

Overview:

Quick Checks are a primary means of reiterating core objectives you have learned thus far in the Designing with Web Standards course while giving you practice with your existing skill set. You will need to have completed all of the previous research and course activities to accomplish this task. This document is only intended to guide you through the sequence of steps. The actual implementation of how to accomplish most steps is left to you and has been covered extensively in your previous lectures, research, reading, and Lynda.com video assignments.

Objective:

Demonstrate your understanding of HTML and CSS. Using this document as a guide, follow the necessary steps to reflect the finished exercise file pictured below.

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Activity Steps:

Please consider following the sequence of steps listed below to complete this activity. **This exercise is intended to be treated as a test.** This is a timed event. You will have ***25 minutes to complete*** this exercise.

Step 1. To start off, rename the directory where we will maintain our site and label it "flast_Quick_Check". Create a new CSS directory within the "flast_Quick_Check" directory and place a new CSS file in that location.

Step 2. Link the external stylesheet you have just created to your HTML document. To do so, you may modify the markup to this end alone.

Step 3. Open the CSS file we created in Step 1. Using your knowledge of CSS that you have gained throughout this course, create the finished site picture previously. To assist you with this exercise, the following help will be given:

Page width is 960px and centered in the browser window

Header color is #5174d5

Sidebar color is #e3e3e3

Sidebar width is 367px

Main Content color is #a9a9a9

Main Content width is 593px

Footer color is #666666

Step 4. Do your best to recreate the referenced picture above. This assessment will only count for GPS participation points. You will not be penalized for failing to succeed in this exercise. Once you have completed your exercise, upload your directory to the dropbox.