Jackie Robinson Museum style guide



What is the Jackie Robinson Museum?

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The Jackie Robinson Museum is a new museum in New York City that honors the life and legacy of Jack "Jackie" Roosevelt Robinson, the first African American baseball player to play Major League Baseball. The museum consists of a variety of multimedia learning experiences, quotes, and artifacts that serve to educate viewers about the plight of Jackie's experience breaking baseball's color barrier and working for civil rights.

Primary and Secondary Colors

Jackie Robinson played on the Brooklyn Dodgers for his entire Major League Baseball career. Therefore, the color scheme for the museum website will feature the official team colors of the (now Los Angeles) Dodgers. The Dodgers primary color is blue, and it is famously known as "Dodger Blue" so this will be the primary color used in designing the website. The two secondary colors will be the specific red and gray used by the Dodgers. A darker gray will also be used for text clarity.



Font

In the face of blatant racism, violence, death threats, and hatred, Jackie kept himself calm and collected. He was humble and resisted his tormenters by showcasing his talent on the baseball field. He showed resilience and strength without being flashy or ostentatious. In an effort to encapsulate his simple approach, only one typeface will be used in the website's design. The typeface Arimo is great in many circumstances just as Jackie was. Arimo is solid, dependable, and clear.

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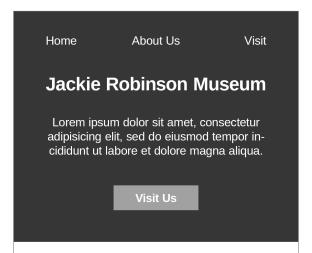
Buttons and Interactivity

All clickable buttons throughout the website will contain white text on a Dodger Blue background with a white stroke. All clickable text will be Dodger Blue to indicate interactivity. The only exception is the text in the navigation bar which is clickable but white. This was done to maintain readability on the darker hero image backgrounds. Navigation items that are currently in use will be indicated with a secondary red-colored bottom border.

Normal Button

Clickable Text

Active Nav Item



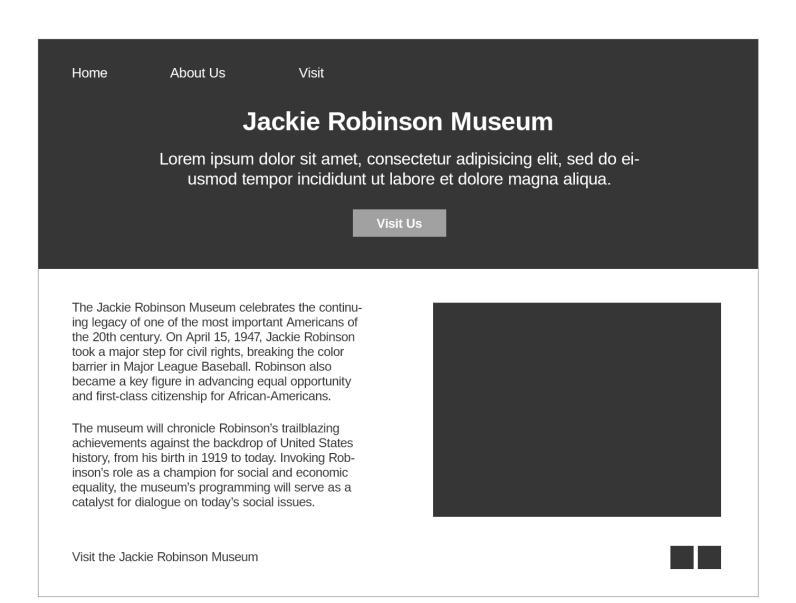
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Mobile Homepage Wireframe



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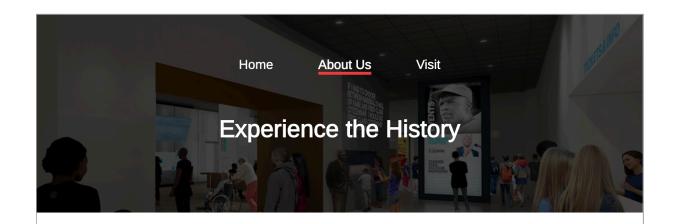
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The Museum

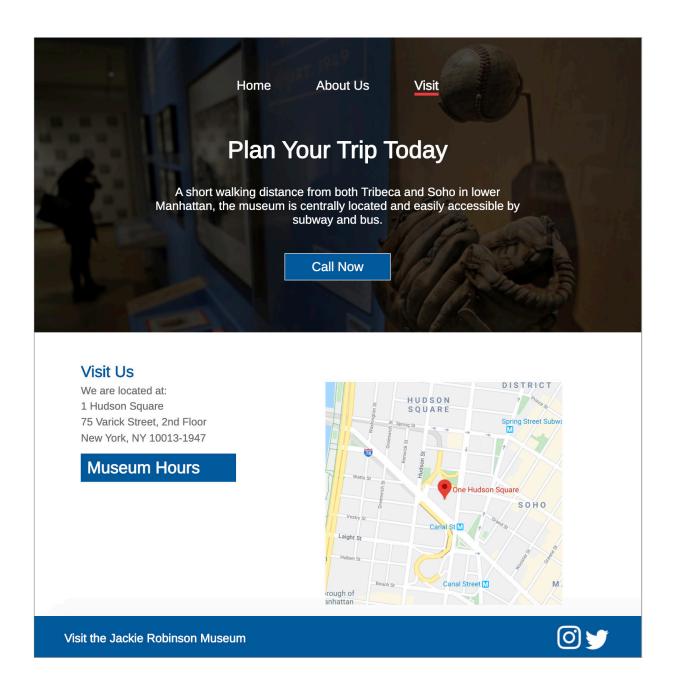
On April 27, 2017, the Jackie Robinson Foundation held a groundbreaking ceremony for the Jackie Robinson Museum, at 75 Varick Street, in lower Manhattan, New York City, US. The 18,500 square-foot space acts as a permanent tribute to Jackie Robinson's pioneering legacy and role as a catalyst for the Civil Rights Movement. The museum will serve as a venue for dialogue on critical social issues and as a destination for innovative educational programming. Read More



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Desktop About Us Page Layout



Desktop Visit Page Layout

UI Elements and Plan

This site will use four different UI elements: a pop-up ad, an accordion, a "read more" open and close button, and an API that will tell the user the day of the week.

Pop-up ad: This ad will tell users arriving on the homepage that the museum is officially open to the public. The user will be able to click on it to acknowledge the message, which will then close the ad.

Accordion: The accordion will hold the headline "Museum Hours" and will open and expand a window downward when clicked. The expanded window will display the days and hours the museum is open. The user will be able to open and close the expanded window by clicking on the headline "Museum Hours" or the blue box holding the headline.

"Read More" button: The "Read More" button will appear at the end of the first paragraph on the "About Us" page. By clicking this button, the user will make a second paragraph appear under the first. This paragraph will provide additional information to the content offered in the first paragraph. When the user clicks the "Read More" button, the button text will change to "Read less" and will allow the user to hide the additional paragraph and restore the page to its original look.

API: The API will be used on the "Visit" page where it will tell the visitor the current day of the week under the "Museum Hours" section of the page. This is so the user will be reminded of what day it is before they look for the hours of the museum, just to make sure they check the right day. The API is sourced from http://worldtimeapi.org/.