

Assignment 0: Course Technology
INFO/CS 1300
Fall 2016

Overall Goals

This is a simple, brief assignment meant to make sure that you gain basic comfort with the technology environment for the course. All items will be scored on an all-or-nothing basis.

Tasks

- Log in to Piazza.
- Use a plain text editor to create a file named test.txt (use correct case in file name). The file should contain your name.
- Use FileZilla or a similar SFTP client to create a directory named *assignment00* on the server (Note: the directory name is assignment-zero-zero, not assignment-oh-oh). Use the correct case in the directory name.
- Upload test.txt to directory assignment00.

Deliverables

- Successful login on Piazza.
- Creation of a directory named assignment00 on the server.
- Upload of a file named test.txt to the assignment00 directory. The file should contain your name.

Due Date: Tuesday, August 30th at 5 p.m.

General Assignment Policies:

- You are free to go beyond assignment requirements, but make sure that your extra work does not interfere with those requirements. For example, adding an extra script that creates invalid HTML5 code will result in a lower grade.
- Late work will be penalized 10% per day, including holidays and weekends.
- Assume all assigned file and directory names should be used with the correct case. E.g., if the assigned file name is “index.html”, “Index.html” is not acceptable.
- **All** media files must be credited in an HTML comment adjacent to the img or other media tag **every** time they are used. The credit must include a specific URL for the media file.
 - Failure to do this will result in the following penalties:
 - 25% deduction the first time.
 - 50% deduction the second time.

- 100% deduction the third time, with possible referral for violation of Cornell's Code of Academic Integrity.
- Note: this includes media generated by an API, e.g., an icon generated by the Facebook API.
- Note: individual assignments may require additional credit for media files.
- If you create a media file yourself, credit yourself by name, not by a general statement like, "I made this."
- If any of the assignment files, directory names, or variable names include one or more spaces, there will be a 5% deduction.
- The presence of unneeded files in an assignment directory that make it difficult to grade your work may result in a 5% penalty.
- You are free to find and adapt code from sources that *allow you to use the code*, but you must provide credit for the code, including a specific URL or citation for the source.
 - You may not use large blocks of unmodified code and receive full credit for the assignment. If you have any doubt about your use of borrowed code, you should consult with a TA or me.