

## SWE 209-Homework1

### **Homework-1 Description: Personal Blog Website**

#### **Purpose:**

In this homework, you will create a personal blog website that shares articles, thoughts, and multimedia content on topics of personal interest. The website will allow users to read blog posts, explore categories, and engage through comments.

#### **Pages:**

##### **1. Home Page**

- Provides an overview of the blog.
- Displays featured or recent blog posts.
- Includes a navigation menu or links that guide users to other pages (e.g., categories, about, contact).

##### **2. Blog Posts**

- Presents a list of recent or popular blog posts.
- Includes the date, author, category, and a brief description of each post.
- Allows users to click on a post to access full details.

##### **3. Post Details**

- Contains detailed information about the selected blog post.
- Includes the article content, author bio, and related tags or categories.
- Features a comment section where users can leave feedback or engage in discussions.

##### **4. Gallery**

- Contains photos, videos, and other media related to blog content or topics of interest.
- Offers visual content that adds depth to the articles and allows users to experience the blog's aesthetic.

##### **5. About**

- Includes information about the blog owner, their background, and the purpose of the blog.
- May contain a small personal bio, links to social media profiles, and any additional context about the blog's theme.

## 6. Contact

- Contains a form for users to get in touch with the blog owner.
- Lists contact information such as email and social media links.
- Optionally, includes a map or visual of the blog's geographical context if relevant.

### Technical Requirements:

1. **HTML:**  
To structure the layout and content of all pages.
2. **CSS:**  
For styling and maintaining a cohesive visual theme across the site.
3. **JavaScript:**  
To enhance interactivity, enabling dynamic elements like slideshows or form validation.
4. **Server-Side Programming (Optional):**  
For handling form data, managing comments, and generating dynamic content if a database is used.
5. **Responsive Design:**  
Implement responsive design techniques to ensure the website is adaptable to various screen sizes.

### Additional Features:

- **Subscription Form:**  
Provides users with an option to subscribe to the blog for updates on new posts.
- **Comment System:**  
Stores user comments in a database and displays them dynamically on post detail pages.
- **Search Feature:**  
Allows users to search posts based on keywords, categories, or dates.

### Report:

Prepare a report that describes the details of your project. The report should include the following sections:

1. **Cover Page**
2. **Contents**
3. **Introduction**
4. **Theoretical Information** (optional for your inspiration and topic focus)
5. **Technologies Used and Technical Requirements**
6. **Additional Features**

7. **Project Planning Process**
8. **Conclusion and Discussion**
9. **References**
10. **Program Codes** (for structure and features)

**Submission:**

- Place your project and report in your GitHub account or cloud storage (e.g., Google Drive) and share the link via Olearn.