Intro to Web Design and Development, Class 5

Your Personal Website

Schedule

Part 1
1. Questions and Confusions **~ 15 min**
2. Today's Goal - Final CSS/HTML Review
3. Mockups - Drawing a mockup, converting a mockup to HTML/CSS

Part 2
1. Website Project Workshopping

Homework - For Tuesday, Oct 1

Goals

1. Practice turning mockups into code
2. Practice semantically describing content with HTML
3. Practice HTML and CSS coding for maintainability

Assignment
IWDD Website Project

For our first project, you'll be creating your very own web site! NYCDA will be providing a domain name and 1-year's worth of web hosting for each of you, so the goal here is to create something you would be proud to display on the internet. For example, a homepage all about you - or, if there's something else you'd like to make a site about, that's cool too.

Step 1: Draw mockups (we will do this in class) and identify the key components of your site. (We're not looking for anything fancy with these - no need to go crazy with Photoshop - we just want to see that you've sketched out a plan for your site)
Step 2: Create your content and tag it with HTML
Step 3: Add styling and flair with CSS!
Step 4: Deploy to the internet! (We will do this in class) Please e-mail us the domain name of your choosing by _____.

	1 - Needs improvement	2 - Satisfactory	3 - Good	4 - High Level
HTML Code Quality				
CSS Code Quality				
Design/Aesthetics				
Mockups				

Design Resources
http://thenextweb.com/dd/2013/04/12/25-incredibly-useful-tools-for-web-designers/

Color
http://colorschemedesigner.com/

Fonts
http://www.google.com/fonts/
http://cufon.shoqolate.com/generate/

Icons
http://thenounproject.com/
http://webdesignledger.com/freebies/50-amazing-free-icon-sets

Grid Frameworks
http://960.gs/
http://getbootstrap.com/2.3.2/