

“Portfolio”

Final Web Site Report

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1. Introduction

1.1 The subject of my “Portfolio” website:

The “Portfolio” website is the electronic business-card with a description of my activity. An online business card is the face of the person, the first thing your potential employer pays attention to.

1.2 The audience of my “Portfolio” website:

My current and future employers, friends, classmates and people who want to me better.

1.3 URL for completed website:

<https://olenaslob.github.io/wdd130/portfolio/index.html>

2. Goals/Objectives

My Portfolio website will help me to find my dream-job and help employers to know me better. It will describe my work experience, skills and achievements in the fields of accounting, programming and web design. It will also help my friends, classmates and other people to know get more information about me.

3. Design Process

Creating a site plan is a good tool which helps to visualize the site I wanted to create.

I started with picking up the fonts and colors, because I wanted the eye-catching Portfolio.

After that I looked for the images and photos which I needed. The main goal in site design was to make it interesting, visually appealing, but not overloaded. I have also created the logo with help of the logo-constructor.

I wanted to have three sections on my site:

- the home page, which introduces me to the visitors,
- The page, which describes what I do,
- The page which gives my contacts.

The next step was to fill these three pages with the content. When creating a business card site, I remembered the principle "the simpler - the better."

I have created a wireframe for each page to make the design process easier and not to forget necessary information while my work.

4. Conclusion

While completing this project I learned the basics of web technology and web design and development principles. I became familiar with how to host my web pages on the Internet and basic troubleshooting techniques including validation of HTML and CSS code. Also, I have got to know that images need to be optimized for the better use of the web site, they need to be resized to fit my layout without losing its quality. I learned to apply CSS to improve the styling and my pages look organized and appealing, for example: how to change fonts, add paddings and margins, to implement web page layout with CSS Grid.

I want to conclude with one important thought which is on my mind. Every year Google gets the same question: "Should I learn HTML, CSS and JavaScript?". I understand that the same requests will be made during the next years and for a long time. But the answer will not change - "Yes, it's worth it!" HTML + CSS + JS (which I will learn later during my studying) is the backbone of web development, from which almost all modern IT professionals begin their professional journey. And, no matter how trite it sounds, it is HTML and CSS are the entrance ticket to IT that everyone is so actively looking for. I know that if I decided to try myself at IT, I have to be ready to learn something new, starting with HTML and CSS.