1st-semester exam

This exam assignment description consists of two sections:

First, the 1st-semester portfolio website exam submission and then the 1st-semester portfolio website oral exam. Make sure to read the entire exam assignment description carefully and several times during your exam period. Also, read the [theme description](#) regarding formalities.

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Part 1: The portfolio website

The portfolio website is a student portfolio presenting the projects you have worked on during the semester. It is NOT a professional portfolio. The portfolio website is an exam product and its content, code and design is part of what is being assessed.

Requirements for the portfolio website

- The portfolio website must be "hand-coded" using html, css, and javascript. I.e. you are NOT allowed to use a CMS or frameworks such as Wordpress or Bootstrap.
- All pages of your portfolio website must validate for both html and css
- The portfolio website must be responsive.
- Your portfolio website should at least have the following pages:
    - A homepage
    - An "About me" page
    - Your portfolio — one or more pages presenting your 1st-semester projects

At the exam, you will use the portfolio website to demonstrate that you've met the learning objectives of the semester. You do this by presenting projects and assignments from the semester and explaining how you through these have achieved knowledge, skills, and competencies corresponding to the learning objectives of the curriculum.

Present every project or assignment with illustrations and a concise description of your project's or your assignment's focus, your role in it, and what you learned.

A few description format examples:

- *In theme X we learned different layout principles: [principle A, …, principle G]. I chose to use principle F when solving the following assignment Y in this [specific] way. I chose this solution instead of another because of [reason].*
- *In project X our goal was to make a redesign for an improved user experience of solution Y. My part was [insert main role and responsibilities] which I did [specific way using particular tools or methods]. This taught me the importance of learning Z which I later applied in [future iteration or project]. You can see the developing process of iterations in the [visualisation or illustration] figure 1.*
- *In assignment X we were introduced to test method Y. I conducted the test in [specific way] resulting in the to change the following [list of changes] in my design. In the subsequent group project [hyperlinked] we used the test method again in relation to examining Z.*

Assignments and projects in your portfolio

As a *minimum**, you should have the following assignment submissions from the semester in your portfolio section:

- Theme 02: Basic Web
  - 02.04.01 Responsive website
- Theme 03: Basic UX
  - 03.01.01 - Data collection
  - 03.03.01 - Prototype
  - 03.04.01 - Design sprint
- Theme 04: Basic Animation
  - 04.01.01 Sprite animation on a background
  - 04.02.01 Javascript controlled animation
  - 04.03.01 Project pool 1 or 04.03.02 Project pool 2
  - 04.04.01 Link to your Onboarding
- Theme 05: Basic Content
  - 05.02.01 "Foodsharing Copenhagen". A campaign site including a video.
  - 05.02.03 "Storyboard". A pdf document with your drawn storyboard.
  - 05.02.04 "Customer pitch".

*Other projects might be just as relevant for you personally to demonstrate individual learning.

What if I didn't manage to submit all the assignments?

Most important it is to demonstrate the competencies that you have achieved within the programme's subject areas. A good way to do this is to show that you've solved all assignments given in a good way and being able to describe, explain and elaborate on how you made them.

Of course, everyone can fall ill and not submit an assignment or two. Is this the case, we recommend that you try to solve them on your own but it is not a formal requirement.

However, it is hard to demonstrate to us that all learning objectives have been achieved if you've only submitted half of the assignments. This will be seen as an inadequate portfolio, and then you must make an extra effort to ensure that you make a convincing case at the oral exam.

Version control
Your site must be online hosted on your domain. You will "commit" and "push" to a GitHub repository created for the purpose of developing your exam portfolio website.

Submission format

You must submit a pdf with two links:

1. A link to the homepage of your portfolio website on your own domain.
2. A link to your GitHub repository with the files for your portfolio website.

The portfolio website and the GitHub repository must be identical with no changes in the GitHub repository after the deadline.

Procedure for handing in on WISEflow
- You will receive an email about submitting via WISEflow from Student Affairs.

- **WISEflow step 1 — Submission:** Submit a pdf that includes two links:

    1. 'URL' to your website copy-pasted from the browser to avoid broken links.

    2. 'URL' to your GitHub repository with the files for your portfolio website.

- **WISEflow step 2 — Cover sheet:** Fill in the cover sheet. You MUST add a 'URL' to website.

- **WISEflow step 3 — Hand in the state:** Press 'Hand in' on WISEFlow when you've completed everything and are ready to submit!

- When you've handed in, you can ask WISEflow for a receipt to confirm your submission.

- Remember to TEST the link after handing in!

NB! There will be no exemptions from this deadline. If you fail to deliver before the deadline, you will be contacted by the Administration of Multimedia Design about your reexamination.

Part 2: The oral exam

Requirements to take the oral part of the 1st-semester exam

To take the oral exam, you must submit on WISEflow as described above.

The oral exam period

It will take place during the period from 13 January to 17 January - 2020 from 8:30 to 16:30. A detailed exam plan with time slots for the individual students will be available on WISEflow after the submission deadline and no later than 9 January before noon.

Preparing for the oral exam

In the days after submission and up until your oral exam you should prepare a 5-minute presentation. You also might need to prepare yourself a bit more on projects and related topics.

5-minute presentation

It is important that you prepare and organise your presentation so that you focus on what you want or need to demonstrate. You must choose yourself how to best demonstrate what you have learned using selected projects in your portfolio. You do not need to show all the projects in the five minutes. Pick 2 to 4 projects that you want to focus on.

Before the exam, the teachers have seen your portfolio website so you can benefit from going into details or adding to the information about the projects.

15-minute discussion

After your presentation, we will ask you questions related to both your presentation, your portfolio website and your first semester. This involves both what we have seen and what might be missing in what we have seen so far. Answer the best you can using terminology learned and examples from your 1st-semester projects and experiences.

Good Luck!

As soon as the KEA Student Affairs has received all submissions, they will make a timetable for the oral exams. As mentioned above, this will be published on WISEflow.

Until then, we wish you good luck! :)

Kind regards,

The teaching staff on the first semester