Design Document

Name of Company

- Warm Butter Records (WBR): warmbutterrecords.com
- WBR is an online company that sells vinyl records, stereo equipment and accessories, i.e., turntables, speakers, amplifiers, and shares concert dates, articles and industry news via their blog.

Description of the design concept/approach

- A *simple* and *aesthetically* pleasing design for the users
- Pages dedicated to record shopping/stereo equipment, a Blog with industry news, company Contact and About.

What I hope to accomplish the design concept

- A S*imple* design, meaning once you land on the page you can easily find the information you're searching for and Accessible for all.
- An *Aesthetic* design, so the content is presented in a beautiful way and brings the pages to life. The intent is to make the UX enjoyable and entice users to return to the site.
- Simplicity makes the site easy to use and find products/information without any hassle coupled with an Aesthetic layout that makes the overall UX fun.

Other sites looked at for inspiration

- <u>Nike News</u> is the perfect site for what I would like my site to reflect. It has a very clean and crisp layout with black font against a white background. The content is present in a way that's convenient to find and scan through. Also, all the pics are very colorful and vibrant, which smartly makes the site pages enticing.
- <u>Amazon's</u> site is a perfect example of how the IA allows users to find products easily and not get overwhelmed with the UX experience.

Other sites for comparable businesses

- <u>Sub Pop</u> is a Seattle record label. Their site is very similar to Nike News and to final project, in regard to the layout.
- <u>Ear Candy Music</u> in Montana. Another site that reflects what I plan to design.