Freelancer

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Creating your portfolio

**BEFORE YOU START**

1. Make sure you have an unedited copy of the template saved on your computer, as the instruction uses line numbers to identify the position where a change should be made. It will be much easier for you to follow the instructions if you have an unedited version of the template.
2. All images used in the website should be stored in the *img* folder of the website.
3. Do not change any files other than *index.html* and images unless you know what you are doing

**CHANGING THE PLACEHOLDERS *(index.html)***

1. Change the title of the page (e.g.: Kristijonas Žalys – portfolio) on line 13
2. Change the title on the navigation bar on line 36
3. Change the profile picture at the top of the page by changing the *src* value on line 62
4. Change the title under the profile picture on line 66
5. Add your skills and interests on line 71
6. Add more information about yourself in the about section:
   1. Change the paragraph text on line 111
   2. If you want to add more paragraphs, copy lines 109-113 and paste them before the “End of about section” line and repeat steps a-b
7. Update the *action* value to redirect messages to your email on line 128 (e.g.: <https://formspree.io/kristijonas.zalys@student.manchester.ac.uk>)
8. Update the links to your social media accounts on lines 173, 179 and 185 (change the href values with links to your accounts)
9. Add your name to the footer by changing “Your Website” to your name on line 199

**ADDING YOUR PROJECTS (index.html)**

1. Configure the card in the portfolio section by changing the *src* value on line 95 to direct to a picture for your project
2. Configure the modal for the project (the view that appears when you click on the picture of a project):
   1. Change the *href* value on line 88 to the *id* you are going to use for the modal (e.g.: *portfolioModal1*)
   2. Change the *id* value on line 216 with the *id* you created in step a.
   3. Change the title of the modal on line 229
   4. Change the picture in the modal by updating the src value on line 232
   5. Update the project’s description on lines 234-238
3. If you want to add more projects, copy lines 85-98 and paste them before the “End of the portfolio grid“ line, then copy lines 216-250 and paste them before the “End of the modals list” line. Repeat steps a-e.

**FINISHING UP**

1. Run *git add \** to stage all changes to the repository
2. Commit the changes with *git commit -m “your message”*
3. Run *git push* to publish the website on *GitHub Pages*
4. Check if the contact form works correctly. You will probably need to confirm your email on *Formspree.* When you try to send an email with the contact form, *Formspree* will send an email to your inbox with the confirmation instructions.
5. You’re done! Congratulations!