About this Course

CSC 170: Web Design

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Course Review and Expectations

- CSC 170: learn nothing and still get an A?
- Labs just follow the instructions
- Projects use creativity
- UNDO what you think you know about websites
 - Bullet-proof websites not seems-to-work websites
- Assignments build upon each other

Getting Help

- #1: Go to your assigned lab; find a Teaching Assistant (TA)
- #2: CSC 170 Slack Workspace, #help channel (DM only if necessary)
- Email ...not so good

Multiple TAs...

- TA(s) in your lab; help with anything
- One TA will grade your assignments
- Issue with grades? Take it up with your grading TA (not necessarily lab TA)

Grading Policy

- Due dates on or before what's shown on each assignment
- Grading will occur at anytime within two days after you submit it in Blackboard
- If no submission found when the TA looks for it: zero
- Even if zero: you still have to do the assignment
 - Assignments require previous assignments be done

Flexibility:

- BEFORE a due date request an extension (a day or two only)
- Need a provable good reason must be verified
- Semester: one or two times only

Second Attempts

- Resubmit for full credit
- Resubmit within two days else TA will ignore
- Really messed up assignments cannot be resubmitted for credit (but still must be fixed)

Academic Honesty

- Inspection not plagiarism
- Inspiration not stealing

Other Stuff

- Web files only
 - Only files in-use
 - No PDFs, ZIP files; PSDs; whatever

In Blackboard:

- WRONG: file:///Users/rkostin/.../start.html
- CORRECT: http://csc170.org/rkostin/lab02/start.html

Submissions in Blackboard

• If not graded yet, go ahead: fix it!

The Internet and The Web

CSC 170: Introduction to Web Development

Lecture 2

Basics of websites (again)

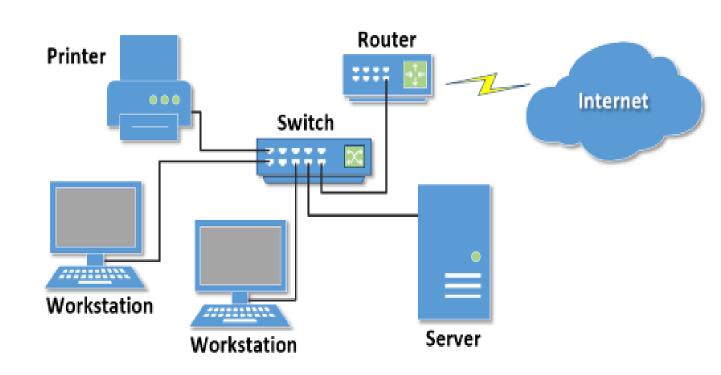
- Three parts to put a website online...
 - 1. Domain name
 - 2. Web server
 - 3. Web page files
- Third Party Hosting Companies

The Internet



The Internet

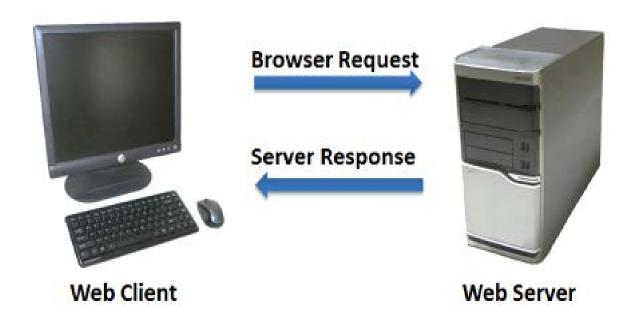
- The Web != the Internet
- Beginning: circa 1969
- "Worldwide network of interconnected computers and related equipment"
- Internet IS a network
- "backbone" for local networks
- Email (1971)
- Telnet (1972)
- FTP (1973)
- Gopher (1991)
- Command-line based (mostly)



Networks

- Computers connected communicating and sharing "resources"
 - Resources: web pages, PDFs, image files, whatever (not just web pages)

- Network Models (typologies)
 - Peer-to-peer
 - Star
 - Hierarchical
 - Client/Server ← important (Internet)
- Client: requests type of service to get to "resources"
- Server: fulfills the request



Protocols

- Rules the describe methods to communicate
 - Computer-to-computer language
- TCP/IP transmission control protocol / internet protocol
 - TCP the envelope
 - IP the address on the envelope
- IP numbers
 - Four "octets" example: 128.151.77.39 = rochester.edu
- FTP File Transfer Protocol
- HTTP Hypertext Transfer Protocol

DNS - Domain Name System

- ICANN assigns domain names
- Translation of numbers into human-friendly names
 - 69.89.31.103 > urcsc170.org
- Uniform Resource Identifiers (URI)
 - Resources on the internet Uniform Resource Locator (URL)
- Example http://www.rochester.edu/college/honesty/index.html
 - http:// ...protocol
 - rochester.edu ...domain name (two parts)
 - .edu ...Top-level Domain (TLD)
 - /college/honesty/ ...path
 - index.html ...resource

Growth of the Consumer Internet and the Web

- Cheap PCs (Apple I: \$666.66*, 1976)
- .com ICANN allowed (March 15, 1985)
- ISPs Internet service providers (CompuServe, 1985)
- The Web (Tim Berners-Lee, 1989)
- Graphical User Interface Web Browser (Mosaic, 1992)