

CS212: Web Programming – Spring 2019

Homework	Points	Announced	Due
#4	20 ¹	Feb-11	Feb-15

Introduction

In this homework, we will practice creating CSS stylesheets. CSS is concerned with styling of HTML elements including colors and fonts.

References

1. Chapter 3 of the textbook; Web Programming Step by Step
2. CSS: Cascading Style Sheets; [MDN Web Docs](#)
3. CSS Reference; [W3Schools](#)

General Guidelines

Read the following guidelines carefully before working on this assignment.

1. This is an *individual* homework assignment. You may discuss ideas, ask questions or explain things to your colleagues. Nevertheless, you should solve the problem(s) independently.
2. You should submit your *own work*. Material brought from elsewhere (e.g. the Internet², a classmate, submission at a previous offering...) is not acceptable.

Submission Instructions

1. Submissions via email will not be accepted. The homework should be submitted via BBLearn by the due date.
2. For question #1, upload index.html, index.css and any other files needed for your page such as images, to your CEFNS/CEIAS homepage inside a folder named hw4. If your CAS ID is id123, then navigating to (<https://cefns.nau.edu/~id123/hw4>) should display your index.html file. Also, submit index.html, index.css and any other files your page uses such as images, via BBLearn *and* include the link of your hw4 folder in the submission comment box. You may compress your files and upload a single archive. Only .zip archives are allowed.

Questions

[20 points] Question #1

You will change the visual appearance of the personal web page that you have developed in homework 2 by using *external* CSS rules. Your CSS should introduce the following changes:

- a. The line with your name should be bold, centered, and twice as big as the browser default font size. *Don't use HTML formatting elements.*
- b. Use a small image as the page background. The image should be repeated horizontally and vertically to cover the entire page background.
- c. The hyperlinks should not be underlined by default. When the mouse pointer hovers over a link, the underline should appear (*Hint: lookup CSS "pseudo-classes"*)
- d. Make all paragraphs start with a drop-cap. A drop-cap is a large initial letter that is 1.5 times the normal paragraph font size (*Hint: lookup CSS "pseudo-elements"*)

¹ The homework will be graded out of 20 points, but it is worth 2% (i.e. 2 points) of the overall course score.

² Unless explicitly asked to do so.

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- e. Make the text of all list items alternate between two different colors (Hint: lookup CSS “pseudo-classes”)

Hints:

- Avoid using tags/attributes that are deprecated in HTML5

Grading Rubric	
Component	Points
Implementing requirement a	4
Implementing requirement b	4
Implementing requirement c	4
Implementing requirement d	4
Implementing requirement e	4
Page is inaccessible via CEFNS/CEIAS URL	-4

With best wishes

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