

BEST RESOURCES FOR WEB **DESIGN** AND **DEVELOPMENT** WITH HTML5 & CSS3



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WELCOME TO THIS E-BOOK

In this e-book, I share a lot of resources with you, in order to make your life as a web designer a lot easier! I found all of these tools and resources over a period of years, spending days of my precious time looking for things that I needed. So I decided to pack all of them into this e-book, so that you don't have to go through the same hassle!

1 INTRODUCTION TO WEBDESIGN

Design course in form of articles:

<https://hackdesign.org/lessons>

Learn more about flat design:

<http://www.webdesignerdepot.com/2013/12/infographic-flat-design-vs-skeuomorphism/>

2 TYPOGRAPHY

Google fonts: tons of free, easy to use webfonts:

<https://www.google.com/fonts>

Fonts for free download:

<http://www.fontsquirrel.com/>

List of best free fonts for designers:

<http://www.creativebloq.com/graphic-design-tips/best-free-fonts-for-designers-1233380>



Very good for finding good font combinations:

<http://www.fastprint.co.uk/blog/the-art-of-mixing-typefaces.html>

Find even more good font combinations:

<http://fontpair.co/>

learn even more about typography:

<http://www.typogui.de/>

3 COLORS

Cool Flat UI colors:

<http://flatuicolors.com/>

Even more cool colors:

<http://getuicolors.com/>

Find variations of colors (very good):

<http://www.0to255.com/>

Adobe Color CC, play around with colors:

<https://color.adobe.com/create/color-wheel/>

Paletton, play around with colors:

<http://paletton.com>

Beautiful gradients for webdesign:

<http://uigradients.com/>

Learn about colors:

<http://www.rocket-design.fr/color-template/>

Learn even more about colors:

<http://webdesign.tutsplus.com/articles/an-introduction-to-color-theory-for-web-designers--webdesign-1437>

4 WORKING WITH IMAGES

Basically all free images in one place:

<http://thestocks.im/>

Images from many sources:

<http://www.pexels.com/>

Unsplash, a must see:

<https://unsplash.com/>

Food images:

<http://foodiesfeed.com/>

A curated collection of free resources:

<http://www.imcreator.com/free>

Huge pattern library:

<http://thepatternlibrary.com/>

Subtle patterns:

<http://subtlepatterns.com/>

Free videos:

<http://mazwai.com/>

Techniques for working with images in CSS:

<http://css-tricks.com/design-considerations-text-images/>



5 WORKING WITH ICONS

Beautiful icon font:

<http://ionicons.com/>

Another beautiful icon set:

<http://entypo.com/>

Font awesome icons:

<http://fontawesome.io/icons/>

Big collection of SVG fonts:

<http://iconmonstr.com/>

Yet another icon font:

<http://icon-works.com/>

6 USER EXPERIENCE

UX crash course in 31 days

<http://thehipperelement.com/post/75476711614/ux-crash-course-31-fundamentals>

UI tricks that can lead to higher conversion rates:

<http://www.goodui.org/>

7 GETTING INSPIRED

Find beautiful websites:

<http://www.siteinspire.com/>



Dribbble, show and tell for designers:

<https://dribbble.com/>

Behance:

<https://www.behance.net/>

Inspiration for one-page websites:

<https://onpagelove.com/>

Even more webdesign inspiration:

<http://www.admiretheweb.com/>

Flat design inspiration:

<http://flatdsgn.com/>

Collection of specific design elements and patterns:

<http://patterntap.com/>

Another collection of design elements:

<http://calltoidea.com/>

Google fonts inspiration:

<http://femmebot.github.io/google-type/>

Some amazing designers on Dribbble:

<https://dribbble.com/victorerixon>

<https://dribbble.com/benske>

<https://dribbble.com/peterfinlan>

<https://dribbble.com/Radium>



8 EVEN MORE RESOURCES

Huge list of front-end development resources:

<https://github.com/dypsilon/frontend-dev-bookmarks>

Curated resources for everything creative:

<http://oozled.com/>

9 KEEPING UP WITH THE WEB INDUSTRY

Treehouse show, weekly video about new things in webdesign and development:

<http://teamtreehouse.com/library/the-treehouse-show>

Sidebar: the 5 best design links, every day:

<http://sidebar.io/>

Codrops, webdesign blog with lots of freebies:

<http://tympanus.net/codrops/>

Webdesignerdepot, webdesign blog:

<http://www.webdesignerdepot.com/>

Smashing magazine, webdesign blog:

<http://www.smashingmagazine.com/>

1st webdesigner, webdesign blog:

<http://www.1stwebdesigner.com/>

Hey designer, curated list of webdesign articles:

<http://heydesigner.com/>

