Final Project

Name ____________________________

As your final project you will build an entirely new multipage website to promote vacation destinations of your choice. This project will contain several beautifully designed pages and have a consistent design.

- Your will build this site from scratch using only a text editor and graphics program like Photoshop. You may not use iWeb, Dreamweaver, Frontpage, or other WYSIWYG tools!
- You must do all the work yourself
- In order for you to get a grade for this project, your final web site must be uploaded to http://mysite.tc.uvu.edu/youname.
- You may NOT include code that you have not written. This assignment is about what you can do NOT what you can copy. (-5 for violation)

HOME PAGE

- Home Page with information you create.
- Header with company name
- Footer with copyright and date
- Description about the travel agency history, targeted clients, popular destinations, testimonials, etc. You can get copy from other sites and tweak it for yours.
- Based on a color scheme ex: http://www.colorsheme.com/schemes/

DESTINATIONS GALLERY PAGE

The Destination Gallery page should include a minimum of 6 destinations displayed in two columns using an ordered list. Each photograph should have a description with it

- A minimum of six destinations listed. (DO NOT USE TABLES -4 if used)
- Shown in two columns
- Each is labeled with the destination name BELOW the image.
- Each has a line separating it from the others
- Photographs are all the same format and size! *(consistency)*
- Numbers removed from the ordered list

PACKAGES PAGE

This page will contain 3 vacation packages complete with a description, destination, hotel name, cost, and rental car company. Use the built in h1, h2, p to layout these pages. (DO NOT USE TABLES)

- At least three vacation packages listed with a short description
- Each package has a photo (use a real photo of this place)
- Hotel accommodations for all three (href links to the real hotel)
- Rental car/truck type and company included (href links to the rental company)
- Cost of the package.

VIDEO CLIP PAGE

- Find a video of this destination and include it in this page.

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CONTACT US PAGE
Request additional information page complete with fieldsets, ledged and labels. This form must validate and send an email back to you.

- Include at least three text fields
- Include a dropdown with at least 3 options
- Include at least three radio buttons
- Include one comment box (large box for comments)
- Include a submit button
- Style all these using CSS so they look awesome.
- NO TABLES! Use style sheets instead

EMAIL & JavaScript Validation
Request additional information page complete with fieldsets, ledged and labels. This form must validate and send an email back to you.

- Use the PHP formToEmail script we learned in class to send an email.
- Include a thank you page that is different than the home page.
- Using JavaScript, prevent the form from processing until the required fields have been filled out.
- Using JavaScript, identify at least THREE required fields for the user

EXTRA STUFF

- Appropriately use drop shadows.
- Appropriately use rounded corners
- Appropriately use at least two different readable Google fonts

ALL PAGES
All pages must share the look and feel of the home page.

- The menu must visually show the current page using CSS and class="active".
- Website design is attractive. The design should not be cumbersome to the user.
- Use one external CSS to control the entire site.
- Navigation is consistent across all the pages.
- Navigation items are coded using an unordered list

AVOID CLASSIC MISTAKES
Please avoid some of the typical mistakes I see from new web designers.

- AVOID using large photographs as the background of a page. It makes everything hard to read and increases the page load time.
- AVOID changing the menus items around. Some students eliminate the menu for the page that is being show but it is confusing to have the menu bar change.
- AVOID page layouts that fall apart when browser width is changed.
- AVOID using blue text or links on a black background. It is too difficult to read.
- AVOID having the user scroll sideways to see your page.
- AVOID using in-line styles. Keep it all in one external style sheet.

PEER EVALUATION
During the 2-hour final exam block you will demonstrate your site and your peers will grade it. You must also be present to review their sites (-5 if missed)

- Exceptional (very few of these awarded)
- Meets expectations (what you would expect from a great student)
- Average (what you would expect from a typical student)
- Below Average (Not quite finished, rough, inconsistent)
- Needs Improvement (very few of these)