

What am I trying to accomplish?

I would like to accomplish a portfolio to showcase my strongest skills and what I can do. I would like to not only create an online portfolio but also a paper portfolio to showcase my print projects.

What are the different ways that portfolios are used?

A portfolio is a compilation of academic work and other forms of educational evidence assembled for evaluating coursework quality, learning progress, and academic achievement,

Determining whether students have met learning standards or other academic requirements for courses, grade-level promotion, and graduation.

Helping students reflect on their academic goals and progress as learners.

Creating a lasting archive of academic work products, accomplishments, and other documentation.

Working Portfolios

A working portfolio is so named because it is a project “in the works,” containing work in progress as well as finished samples of work.

Display, Showcase, or Best Works Portfolios

Probably the most rewarding use of student portfolios is the display of the students' best work, the work that makes them proud.

Assessment Portfolios

The primary function of an assessment portfolio is to document what a student has learned. The content of the curriculum, then, will determine what students select for their portfolios.

College Admission

Many colleges now request samples of student work from candidates for admission. Portfolios of best works are well suited to this purpose. Anything may be included in such a portfolio, including written work, videos, or projects, and the contents may be customized to suit the purposes of the student and the institution.

Skill Area Portfolios

It is often desirable to demonstrate that students have acquired skills in specific areas, such as public speaking, problem solving, or the use of technology.

Employment

Some employers request samples of work from prospective employees. As with portfolios prepared for college admissions, students can use employment portfolios to document those features of their preparation that they believe would best convince an employer of their expertise in areas such as basic skills, problem solving and adaptability, and collaborative work skills.

Personal Statement

I myself find myself as a graphic design in the way of logo design and print and a website designer. Those are what I enjoy doing the most. I know that if I was to get a job and it was one of those skill sets I would be satisfied.

Portfolio Strategy

My strategy for my portfolio is to rework all my class pieces that I feel I did the best on and tweak them to make them not look so much like an assignment I completed in class and I also want to re-vamp some of my other projects to get them up to quality.

Portfolio Content Plan

My plan is to showcase my illustrator (logo design mostly) InDesign (print work as in Ads and stationary and typography) Photoshop (a few of my painted pieces and some photo retouching) and Web and web documents that go along with the process of creating the websites I have done.

Portfolio Building Options

For my online portfolio, I have researched some options for building. There are a few templets for bootstrap I am interested in.

This is a theme I am considering using.

<https://themewagon.com/themes/avana-free-responsive-bootstrap-personal-portfolio-template/>

Also, I have found some Portfolio showcasing website I looked at.

<https://carbonmade.com/>

Carbonmade offers a supremely well-designed, professional canvas on which you can showcase your work and content. You can personalize your portfolio anywhere from the style and logo to the domain name. It's easy to use, with no HTML knowledge necessary, and you have the added benefit of a stable, reliable, secure environment to host your work.

<https://dunked.com/>

Dunked is a free, simple-to-use solution, and it requires no coding knowledge. You can create a site, upload your images, embed your video or audio, choose a beautiful retina-enabled responsive template, and customize it to suit your own style and taste. Dunked looks after the servers, security, software and updates, leaving you completely free to concentrate on client work.

And of Course I do plan on making a paper portfolio.

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WHO AM I?

Currently I am a Full Time student working on two degrees at Macomb Community College. I am currently one semester away from graduation! YAY GO ME!



WHAT ARE MY SKILLS?

**Photoshop, Illustrator,
InDesign, Flash**

HTML, CSS, JS



WHAT I LOVE TO DO?

Web Design

Illustration

Print

Traditional Art



CAREERS IN MIND?

Visual Designer

Graphic Artist

Interaction Designer

Web Designer