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March 12, 2010 WEBMASTER MEETING

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• www.olemiss.edu/webmaster/meetings.html

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R.I.P. IE6

IE6 laid to rest March 1
Microsoft sent flowers
Visitor comments include:

- RIP IE6, long life to firefox! :D
- Goodbye. You will survive in our hearts forever.
- I'm glad you're dead.
- さようなら IE6 (;_;)/~~~ 良く頑張ったよ。
 DOM や CSS の非互換には参ったけど。
- Burn in hell.
- الله يرحمه 🔹
- I never wanted to see anybody die, but there are a few **obituary** notices I have read with pleasure



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- Newsdesk (needs work)
- Calendar
- Weather (weather.com)
- Area Map (Google map)
- iTunes U
- E-mail (Webmail)
- Contact Info
- Other Suggestions?

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Service Directory

SERVICE DIRECTORY

O UM Medical Center (Jackson)

UM (Oxford, Tupelo, Southaven)

List only current projects (uncheck to list all projects)

List Projects



"At The University of Mississippi, we have the opportunity and responsibility to move beyond the transformation of individual lives. We must purposefully participate in transforming our community, state, nation, and world."

- Chancellor Daniel W. Jones

In preparation for the inauguration of Chancellor Dan Jones, the UM community took the opportunity to reflect on the ways in which its members transform the lives of others through service. To showcase this important aspect of our mission, IT created this service directory. It is a place where our campus community can showcase the important ways in which we serve our community, nation, and world and where people can come to find opportunities to become involved. Many of these activities are hosted by people at the University, and others are sponsored by external entities and members of our community participate by volunteering.





Webmaster Camp 2010

Six hours of seminars and hands-on training each Tuesday for six weeks

- April 20 Basics
- April 27 Template
- May 4 Media
- May 11 Interactivity
- May 18 Mobile
- May 25 Tricks



Webmaster Camp 2010

 Participating webmasters are sponsored by their department heads, and along with the training they each receive Adobe Web Premium CS4 and books (valued at \$450).

 In exchange, sponsoring departments agree to adopt the UM Web template, with most of the work being completed during the camp sessions.

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Department Name



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Department Name

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Expand this list

Department Page | Bottom Link | Bottom Link | Bottom Link | Contact Us



UM Web Template Examples

 Blank template (www.olemiss.edu/share/template)
 Webmaster site (www.olemiss.edu/webmaster)
 Center for Writing & Rhetoric - development (www.olemiss.edu/cwr)



- Seed files provided for growing a site:
- index.html
- header.htm
- footer.htm
- meta.htm
- navinclude.htm
- secondary.html
- images folder
- mystyle.css

Other files shared by all template users:

- Common styles
- Javascripts (jquery, slideshow, expand, sortbuttons)
- Common footer
- Search function
- Common graphics

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index.html

Include meta.htm for site title, favicon, common style links, and other meta tags. Since index.html is the only page with the horizontal navigation, embed button widths and offset values.

1	html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Transitional//EN" "http</th
2	<html xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml"></html>
	<head></head>
4	#include virtual="meta.htm"
5	<:#include virtual= meta.num>
6	Required for index pages only
	<link css"="" href="http://www.olemiss.edu/share/template/index.css" text="" type="t</th></tr><tr><th></th><th></th></tr><tr><th></th><th><style type="/>
10	/* Style the widths of the top menu items*/
11	<pre>#navigation li#head1 {width:120px;}</pre>
12	<pre>#navigation li#head2 {width:184px;}</pre>
13	<pre>#navigation li#head3 {width:170px;}</pre>
14	<pre>#navigation li#head4 {width:170px;}</pre>
15	<pre>#navigation li#head5 {width:150px;}</pre>
16	<pre>#navigation li#head6 {width:150px;}</pre>
17	/* Compensate for submenu alignment */
18	<pre>#navigation li#head1 ul {left:0px;}</pre>
19	<pre>#navigation li#head2 ul {left:-121px;}</pre>
20	<pre>#navigation li#head3 ul {left:-306px;}</pre>
21	<pre>#navigation li#head4 ul {left:-477px;}</pre>
22	<pre>#navigation li#head5 ul {left:-648px;}</pre>
23	<pre>#navigation li#head6 ul {left:-799px;}</pre>
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index.html

3. Pull in any required javascripts **4.** Include header.htm which includes UM banner, search form, and department name.

 Include navinclude.htm as single navigation file.

26	Required for any jQuery operations
27	<script 1<="" language="javascript" src="http://www.olemiss.edu/js/jquery.js" th=""></tr><tr><th>28</th><th><! Required for slideshow.js; sequence='random' or 'ordered'></th></tr><tr><th>29</th><th><script language="javascript" type="text/javascript">var sequence='randor</th></tr><tr><th>30</th><th><! Required for slideshow to run></th></tr><tr><th>31</th><th><script src="http://www.olemiss.edu/share/js/slideshow.js" language="java</th></tr><tr><th>32</th><th><pre><script src="http://www.olemiss.edu/js/sortbuttons.js" language="javascr:</pre></th></tr><tr><th>33</th><th></head></th></tr><tr><th>34</th><th><body id="index"></th></tr><tr><th>35</th><th><div id="container"></th></tr><tr><th>36</th><th><!#include virtual="header.htm"></th></tr><tr><th>37</th><th><div class="shadow"> </div></th></tr><tr><th>38</th><th></th></tr><tr><th>39</th><th>Skip to Content</th></tr><tr><th>40</th><th><!#include virtual="navinclude.htm"></th></tr><tr><th>41</th><th><div class="shadow"> </div></th></tr><tr><th>4.0</th><th></th></tr></tbody></table></script>

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index.html

- Specify "mygallery" or "myphoto"
- Right area scrolls for additional content.
- Include footer.htm to pull in bottom row buttons and common footer code.

	(div id= midsection >
44	<pre><div id="mygallery"> <!-- <div id="myphoto"--> For use with a single,</div></pre>
	non-captioned photo>
45	<img alt="Photo slideshow" rel="<h3>Duis</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>Facilisis Scelerisque</h3>Proin egestas posuere pellentesque." src="images/photo1.jpg"/>
46	<img alt="Photo slideshow" rel="<h3>Duis</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>Facilisis Scelerisque</h3>Proin egestas posuere pellentesque." src="images/photo2.jpg"/>
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49	<pre><div id="maintext"></div></pre>
	<h2>News & Events</h2>
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52	<pre>>Fusce auctor accumsan sapien, vitae iaculis diam consequat vel.</pre>
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	diam. Donec eu odio justo, at tincidunt tortor.
54	Aliquam erat volutpat. Aenean sit amet gravida augue. Nullam sed
	<pre>quam orci, id dapibus dolor.</pre>
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57	
	#include virtual="footer.htm"
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<div id="midsection">

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navinclude.htm

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<a class="toplevel" href="secondary.html" id="li1">First Button</a>
          id="li1a" rel="a"><a href="secondary.html">Link #1</a>
             id="li1b" rel="d"><a href="secondary.html">Link #2</a>
             id="li1c" rel="g"><a href="secondary.html">Link #3</a>
             id="li1d" rel="j"><a href="secondary.html">Link #4</a>
             id="lile" rel="b"><a href="secondary.html">Link #5</a>
             id="li1f" rel="e"><a href="secondary.html">Link #6</a>/li>
             id="li1q" rel="h"><a href="secondary.html">Link #7</a>
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             id="li1h" rel="k"><a href="secondary.html">Link #8</a>
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             id="li1i" rel="c"><a href="secondary.html">Link #9</a>
             id="li1j" rel="f"><a href="secondary.html">Link #10</a>
             <a href="secondary.html">Link #11</a>
          17
       <a class="toplevel" href="secondary.html" id="li2">Second Button</a>
          id="li2a"><a href="secondary.html">Link #1</a>
             id="li2b"><a href="secondary.html">Link #2</a>
             id="li2c"><a href="secondary.html">Link #3</a>
          23
       24
       <a class="toplevel" href="secondary.html" id="li3">Third Button</a>
          d="list3">
             id="li3a"><a href="secondary.html">Link #1</a>
             id="li3b"><a href="secondary.html">Link #2</a>
             id="li3c"><a href="secondary.html">Link #3</a>
          id="head4"><a class="toplevel" href="secondary.html" id="li4">Fourth Button</a>
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secondary.html

- Include same meta.htm, but specify secondary.css.
- Include javascript if needed.
- 3. Specify page id for menu functionality <body id="pg1" class="pg1">

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<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Transitional//EN"
"http://www.w3.org/TR/xhtml1/DTD/xhtml1-transitional.dtd">
<html xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml">
<head>
<title>University of Mississipi: Graduate School</title>
<!--#include virtual="meta.htm"-->
<!--Required for secondary pages only -->
k href="http://www.olemiss.edu/share/template/secondary.css" ty
"stylesheet" />
< --- Required for any jQuery operations -->
<script src="http://www.olemiss.edu/js/jquery.js" language="javascr</pre>
"text/JavaScript"></script>
< --- Required for expand/collapse operations -->
<script src="http://www.olemiss.edu/js/expand.js" language="javascr</pre>
"text/JavaScript"></script>
</head>
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<body id="pg1" class="pg1">
<body id="container">
<div id="container">
<div id="container">
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UM Web Template Considerations

- Search engines are delivering visitors to your site.
 - They could arrive at your home page, but most likely they'll be dropped on the page they were looking for.
 - Without easily understood navigation, it might not be clear to them where they are on your site.
 - Is that necessarily important?
 - How important is the home page if so many visitors bypass it via search engine?

UM Web Template Considerations

- Necessity of a refined site navigation
 - Huge amounts of content must be organized. Some may not be needed. Some may be necessary but only rarely needed.
 - Too many links overwhelms people intent on making fast decisions.
 - Requires rational organization using easily understood heading names.
 - Check again to make sure nothing is left out.

UM Web Template Considerations

Possible customizations

- In order to follow UM branding conventions, some customization ideas must be reined in.
- Do not underestimate the power of photos and colors to help users identify your unique branding within the bigger scheme.

 Be wary of spending too much time on the slideshow just to make the site more interesting.
 "To make your site more interesting, add substantive content or features." (webstyleguide.com)



Updates Still Upcoming

Coming to Secure5 and Cedar:
Apache Server 2.2.11
MySQL 5.0.67 & 5.1
PHP 5.2.9

Tests are still underway...

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Next Meeting...

April 9