

TECHNIQUES FOR WEB INTERFACES

FINAL PROJECT: DATES AND GRADING

Your final project is due on the last day of class (12/1). Points will be given in the following manner (out of 65 total):

- 10: **Design Writeup:** A brief writeup about your design decisions. Include a sketch of your grid (see the *Visual Design* lecture), a brief paragraph explaining why you chose the colors and other elements that you chose, etc. I don't expect you to be a design major; I just want you to get used to consciously thinking about design and expressing your ideas in that realm. *Submit this in class on Dec. 1 or during office hours; no electronic version is required.*
- 20: **Checkpoints:** Attending all meetings or showing me what you have so far for all checkpoints. Basically this is an easy twenty points.
- 5: **Final Revisions:** During the last checkpoint before the due date, I'll ask you to send me what you have so far. Although you don't have to be done by this point, I'll review your HTML, CSS, etc. and offer suggestions to clean it up. Five points will be awarded based on how well you do so.
- 30: **Final Project:** Actually completing your final project. I'll likely comment on things like semantics and usability while I examine your project; however, it's unlikely that I'll grade by these criteria. The most important thing is for *you* to be happy with your project.

Your checkpoints will be on or around 9/25 (already completed), 11/13, and 11/20. Meeting me formally rather than discussing through email will be an option, but is not required (though I encourage it, especially if you have questions or are having technical difficulties). On the last checkpoint, you need to submit a rough draft of what you have so far (see *Final Revisions* above).

If you have any questions about anything, remember to email me!