

GOOD SEO DOESN'T (HAVE TO) EQUAL FUGLY DESIGN

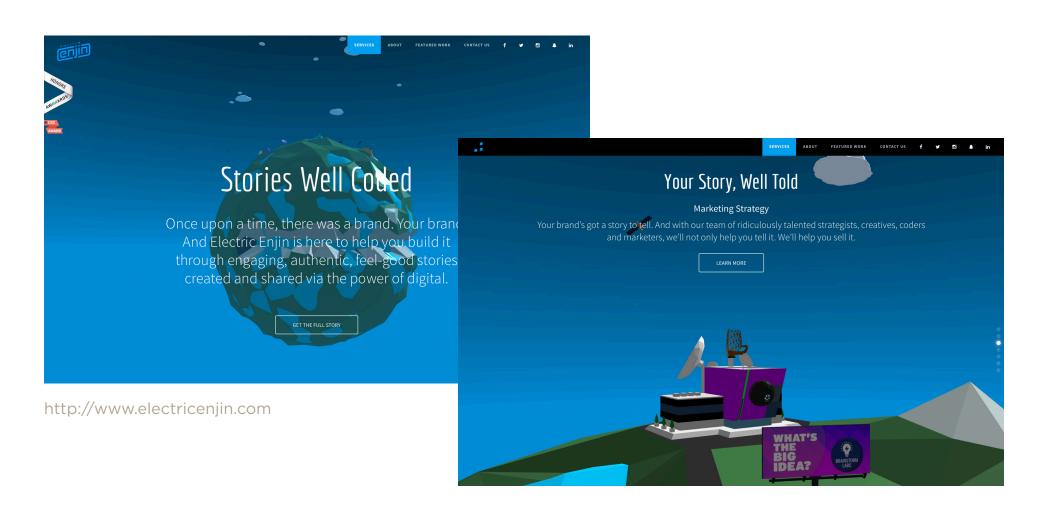
WHAT'S "GOOD" WEB DESIGN?

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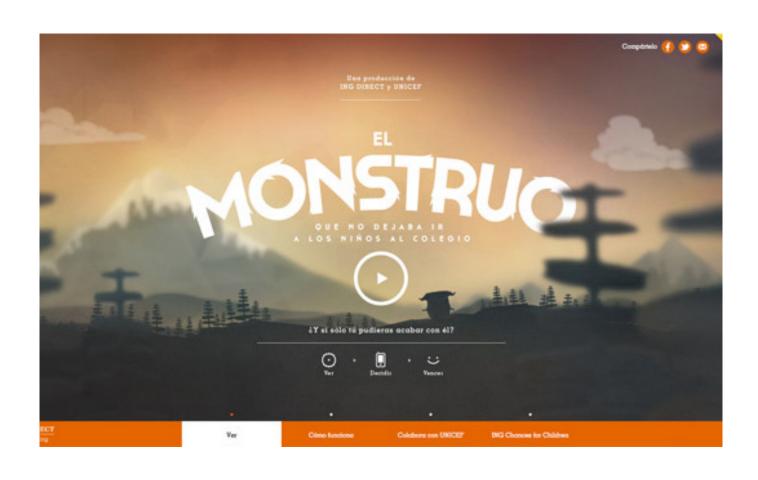




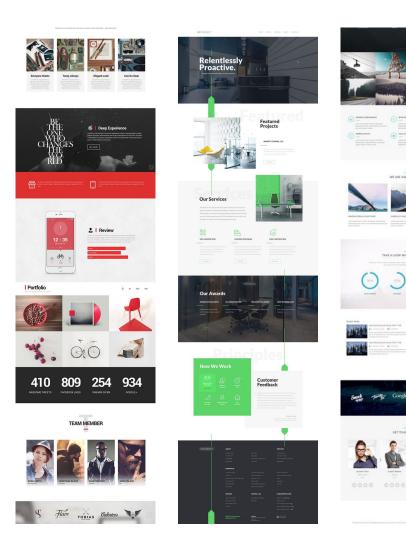
Animation: HTML 5



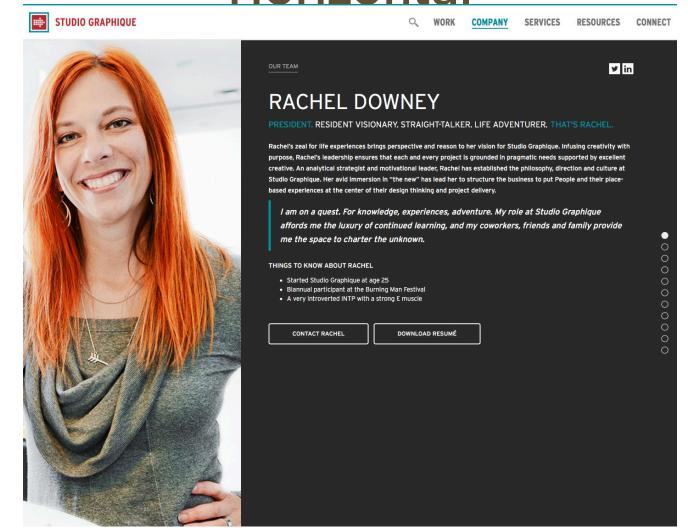
Full Screen Visuals: Background video or photo



Scrolling Pages: Vertical



Scrolling Pages: Horizontal



Typography Accents: Typekits, CSS3 styles



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SEO Best Practices

- + Keywords: url, h1, links
- + Page load speed: good code, limited plugins, optimized images
- + Incoming links: quantity, quality
- + Relevant content: topic, length
- + Mobile Friendly: simplified menu, finger-friendly buttons, resized content

A website only concerned with {pick one} design or SEO will suck.

It's about balance to create the best possible experience for the user.

Balanced Design & SEO = Best Experience for the User

- + Design: use animation responsibly
 - motion sickness
 - slow page load speed
- + SEO: too many keywords in text
 - people don't read...they bounce
 - reads like a robot...and Google knows

Balanced Design & SEO = Best Experience for <u>YOUR</u> User

+ Higher Ed: prospective student

- expects social media
- viewing on smartphone

+ Library: senior citizen

- confused by non-traditional navigation
- sensitive to poor text color contrast

Challenges for edUi Attendees

- + Industry can be less progressive than B2C
- + Lots of internal politics/decision makers
 - designer: make it pretty
 - developer: make it work
 - marketing: make it rank/convert
- + Large websites lead to retrofitting vs. a full redesign

Aim for Gradual Evolution

- + Small changes are less scary
 - landing page
 - A/B split major pages
- + Prove/test effectiveness through data
 - bounce rate
 - time on page
 - conversions/events





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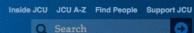
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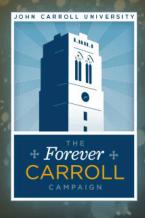
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News @ JCU

New England Patriots Feature JCU Alumni



Many JCU alumni lead NFL teams on and off the field, and nowhere is that more prevalent than in New England. The team recently came to campus

to explore this special connection.

John Carroll University Ranked as a "Top 10" University in the Midwest: U.S. News & World Report's 2017 "Best Colleges" Guide



John Carroll University earned an overall of ranking of #7 in the Midwest in the latest U.S. News & World Report "Best Colleges" guide. This marks

the 28th consecutive year that the University has been recognized in the "top 10" among regional universities.

Events @ JCU



Northeast Ohio Suburban College Fair

Dolan Center for Science & Technology



"Violence and the Sacred Scriptures of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam: How Do We Handle That Legacy?" John R. Spencer, Ph.D., Professor **Emeritus of Biblical Studies**



Admission PSAT Visit Day



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- Summer Reading Program
- Annual Library Events

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- Teen Space
- Teen P.O.V. (Reviews)

For Adults

- . Web Sites for Book Lovers
- Forthcoming Books
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About the Library

Welcome to the Goochland Branch Library



3075 River Road West Goochland, Virginia 23063 Phone: 804-556-4774 Fax: 804-556-2941 Branch Manager, Janet Melton

Directions and map to the Goochland Branch Library

Hours of Operation

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

See what's happening at the Goochland Branch Library this month.

Please see the <u>Library's Facebook page</u> for the latest branch closure information and other important announcements.

Branch History

In 1973, the Goochland Branch opened in a portion of the former Bank of Goochland building. The library outgrew the entire building by 2002 and plans were made for a new building to be built not far away. Erected in 2003, the new library includes a meeting room for book discussion groups and meetings of various community organizations, a Storytime well for children's story hours, colorful murals painted by local artist Patti Rosner, and much more as it expands its collections and services.

See pictures of Moving Day, the Grand Opening and Dedication, and more!

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Branch Libraries

Richard S. Gillis, Jr.

Ashland Branch Library

201 S. Railroad Avenue

804-798-4072

directions/map

Atlee Branch Library 9161 Atlee Road 804-559-0654 directions/map

Goochland Branch Library 3075 River Road West 804-556-4774 directions/map

Hanover Branch Library 7527 Library Drive 804-365-6210 directions/map

King & Queen Branch Library 396 Newtown Road 804-769-1623 directions/map

Mechanicsville Branch Library 7461 Sherwood Crossing Place 804-746-9615 directions/map

Lois Wickham Jones Montpelier Branch Library 17205 Sycamore Tavern Lane 804-883-7116 directions/map

Cochrane Rockville Branch Library 16600 Pouncey Tract Road 804-749-3146 directions/map

Upper King William Branch Library 694-J Sharon Road 804-769-3731 directions/map

West Point Branch Library 721 Main Street 804-843-3244 directions/map







Library Is Now: OPEN

9:00 AM - 9:00 PM -Drive-Thru Hours: 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM ▼ Search books, movie, music...

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Website

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A VERY **IMPORTANT DATE!**

Friday, Nov. 11, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The Hudson Library & Historical Society cordially invites you to celebrate the grand re-opening of the Children's Room.

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HIGHLIGHTS

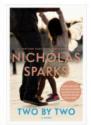
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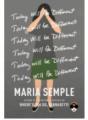
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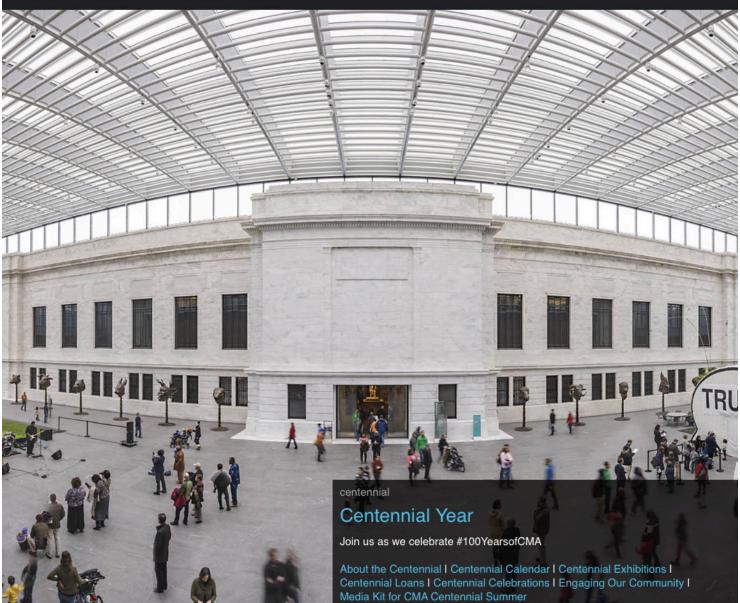


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3 SEO Usability Tips (that won't make your site fugly)

- + Set up a CDN (content delivery network)
 - WordPress: W3 Total Cache plugin



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+ Check image file size

- Resolution: 72 dpi
- Dimensions: actual size
- Metadata: technical info
- Existing uploads: WP Smush
- New uploads: ImageOptim (Mac) or RIOT (Windows)

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+ Install an SSL certificate

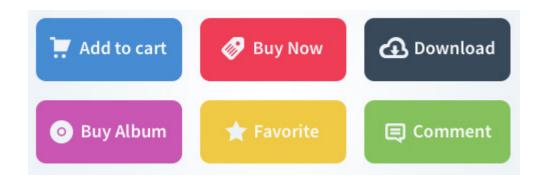
- establishes a secure encrypted connection between browser and server
- used to be just for e-commerce, now good for Google
- trust factor for users
- free through letsencrypt.org

3 Design Usability Tips (that won't tank your rankings)

- + Un-Web 2.0 buttons
 - flat design
 - square or subtly rounded edges
 - icon for added clarity

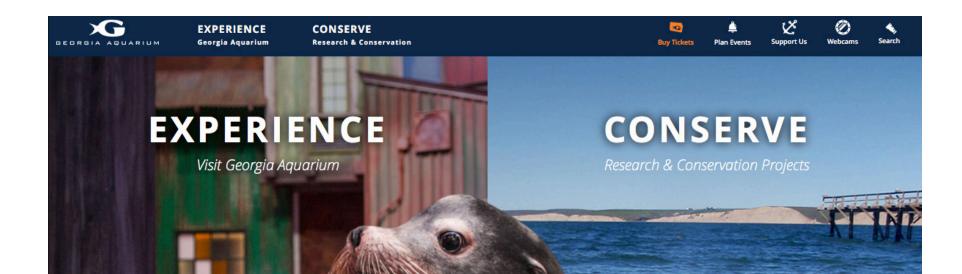
Crazy Glossy Web 2.0 Buttons

These Were So Awesome



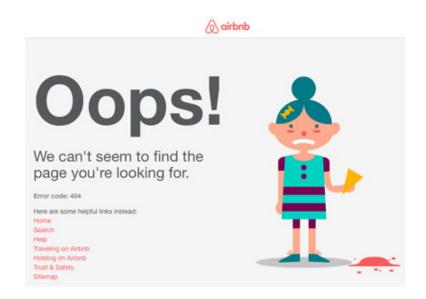
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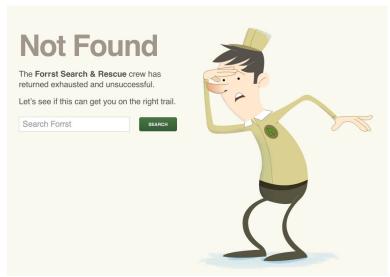
- + Add icons (w/ alt. text!)
 - adds visual interest
 - accessibility = label with action, not image descriptor



3 Design Usability Tips (that won't tank your rankings)

- + Custom 404 error page
 - apology message
 - search box and/or links to pages



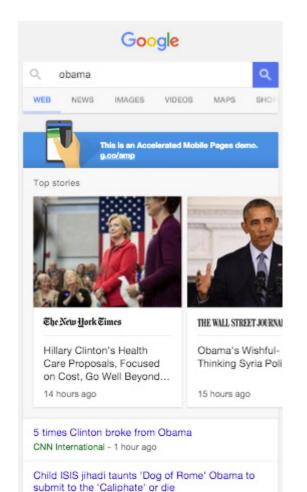


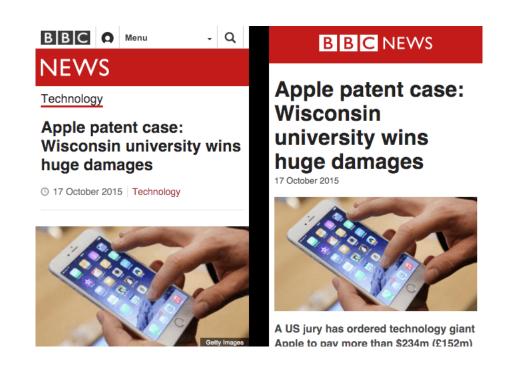
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+ AMP = accelerated mobile pages





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