

Homework 15: Critique

Due: Wednesday 5/8 @ 4pm on Courseworks.

Submit one PDF with your answers.

Every year, we iterate on this class to make it better. We would like your non-anonymous critique of what worked and didn't work in meeting those goals for you.

Our high-level goals in this class are:

1. **Teaching technical skills.** To teach essential web programming and usability skills, assuming people have general programming experience, but no web programming experience.
2. **Practicing the design process.** To practice the iterative process of building sites that provide value to users by meeting their needs and abilities, even when the needs and abilities are unclear.

New and potentially risky elements we added to this class this year included:

- Weekly assignments (as opposed to bi-weekly assignments)
- No final exam, later final project due date
- Teaching back-end technology (Flask), as opposed to just front-end technology (HTML, JS, CSS, Bootstrap)

Please give us critique on where we achieved those goals and how we could do better. In your write up please include:

1. **Three** things you liked (that we should keep for next year)
2. **Three** things that we should be considering doing differently in the "for me... what if..." format. We really want to know about your personal experience. The "For me" statement is essential.

We realize this is redundant with the course survey, but we want to make sure everyone gets a chance to practice critique in writing, and we also value non-anonymous feedback.