

Class 08: Accessibility

National guidelines and recommendations

W3C guidelines and testing

Assistive technologies

Good practice: Coding

WAI-ARIA landmark roles

Good practice: Visual design and Video

Alternate style sheets (Firefox & IE8)

Navigation techniques

Accessibility statements and support

References

Web Accessibility by Jim Thatcher et al.

Inclusive Design Patterns by Heydon Pickering

Accessibility for Everyone by Laura Kalbag

Accessibility

<http://webaim.org/>

<https://www.nomensa.com/blog/category/web-accessibility/>

<https://www.w3.org/WAI/>

<http://a11yproject.com/>

<http://wave.webaim.org/>

Homework

Read: General background reading on accessibility. In particular, visit the A11Y website and make sure you know what it has to offer so you can return to it in the future. If you read only one book on the subject, make it Heydon Pickering's Inclusive Design Patterns.

Continue work on the Small Business Website Revised project and think how you will implement accessibility features. Landmark Roles should be on your list, but you should consider all options in an effort to move towards WCAG 2.1 compliance.