Comp 125 - Visual Information Processing

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HTML5 page structure - part 3

- not included <html> and <body> tags in diagrams
 - required for all HTML documents
- divided the page into four logical, semantic divisions
 - header
 - nav
 - main
 - footer
- we could also add a sidebar etc for further division of content

HTML5 - extra elements

intro

- many other interesting and useful new HTML5 elements
 - in addition to semantic elements
- some struggle for browser compatibility
- useful new elements such as
 - graphics and media
- HTML5 APIs introduced as well, including
 - App Cache
 - Drag/Drop
 - Geolocation
 - Local Storage
 - ...
- again, check browser support and compatibility

Browser check

- Can I Use ____?
 - e.g. Can I Use Drag and Drop?

HTML5 - Extra elements - media - part I

video

<video> element

- until HTML5, video playback reliant on plugins
 - e.g. Adobe Flash
- embed video using element tag <video>
- add attributes for
 - height, width, controls...
- not all web browsers support all video codecs
- option to specify multiple video sources
- best supported codecs include
- MP4 (or H.264), WebM, OGG...
- good general support for <video> element
- check browser support for <video> element
 - Can I use____video?

HTML5 - Extra elements - media - part 2

video example

<video> - a quick example might be as follows,

Demo - HTML5 Video playback

HTML5 - Extra elements - media - part 3

audio

<audio> element

- HTML5 also supports standardised element for embedded audio
- supported codecs for <audio> playback include
 - MP3 and mp4
 - WAV
 - OGG Vorbis
 - 3GP
 - m4a
- again, check browser support and compatibility
 - Can I use ____audio?
- fun test of codecs
 - HTML5 Audio

HTML5 - Extra elements - media - part 4

audio example

<audio> - a quick example might be as follows,

```
<audio controls>
  <source src="media/audio/audio.mp3" type="audio/mpeg">
    Your browser does not support the audio tag.
</audio>
```

■ Demo - HTML5 Audio playback

HTML5 - Extra elements - graphics - part I

canvas

- graphics elements are particularly fun to use
- use them to create interesting, useful graphics renderings
- in effect, we can draw on the page
- <canvas> element acts as a placeholder for graphics
 - allows us to draw with JavaScript
- draw lines, circles, text, add gradients...
 - e.g. draw a rectangle on the canvas

HTML5 - Extra elements - graphics - part 2

canvas example

<canvas> will be created as follows,

```
<canvas id="canvas1" width="200" height="100">
  Your browser does not support the canvas element.
</canvas>
```

then use JavaScript to add a drawing to the canvas

```
<script type="text/javascript">
var can1 = document.getElementById("canvas1");
var context1 = can1.getContext("2d");
context1.fillStyle="#000000";
context1.fillRect(0,0,150,75);
</script>
```

Result is a rendered black rectangle on our web page.

Demo - HTML5 Canvas - Rectangle

HTML5 - Extra elements - graphics - part 3

canvas example

A square can be created as follows,

```
<script type="text/javascript">
function draw() {
  /*black square*/
var can1 = document.getElementById("canvas1");
var context1 = can1.getContext("2d");
context1.fillStyle="#000000";
context1.fillRect(0,0,50,50);
}
</script>
```

Again, we end up with the following rendered shape on our canvas.

■ Demo - HTML5 Canvas - Square

HTML5 - Extra elements - graphics - part 4

canvas examples

- modify drawing for many different shapes and patterns
 - simple lines, circles, gradients, images...
 - I. shows different rendered shapes on a canvas.
- Demo HTML5 Canvas Assorted Shapes
 - 2. little retro games
- Demo HTML5 Canvas Retro Breakout Game