

TECHNICAL SUB-COMMITTEE OF UV-WAC
MEETING NOTES

MEETING DATE: FEBRUARY 27, 2008

Attending: Heather Jenkins, Matt Hill, Phil Taylor, Jeanie Cranney, Ronnett Stutz, Nathan Gerber, Robert Ward, Jared Stein

Absent:

Excused: Brett Michaelis, Anne Arendt

Items of Discussion:

1. Review of Academic Sub-committee recommendations taken to UVWAC last week
 - Approved the Academic wording change on the homepage
 - **Recommended** the title text in green boxes stays text
 - **Recommended** the wording of allowed content and navigation in large header is more descriptive and obvious
2. Animated Gifs
 - **It was decided** that animated gifs are not a technical issue, but a design and marketing issue. We decided that the technical issues should be related to all images, not just animated gifs.
3. Graphics/Images
 - a. **Recommended** that all images are optimized for the web (with high resolution photos as an exception where needed).
 - i. 72 DPI
 - ii. Pixel size of image should be the size on the web page (do not use height and width tags to adjust image size)
4. Use of CSS
 - a. **Recommended** that all pages must pass 508 compliance level 1 when CSS is turned on or off
 - b. Each department has a CSS file for their styles to be stored
5. Use of Javascript
 - a. **Recommended** that all pages must pass 508 compliance level 1 when Javascript is turned on or off
 - b.
6. Accessibilities
 - a. We briefly discussed. Waiting on policy draft from the policy sub-committee

Next Meeting: March 26, 2008 in AB202

NOTE: It was decided in WAC that there will be a second approved template (a smaller header template) available for use on all pages except department homepages. Voted on in WAC on 3/19/2008. Marketing will mock up three options, and then WAC will choose one.