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HTML Basic

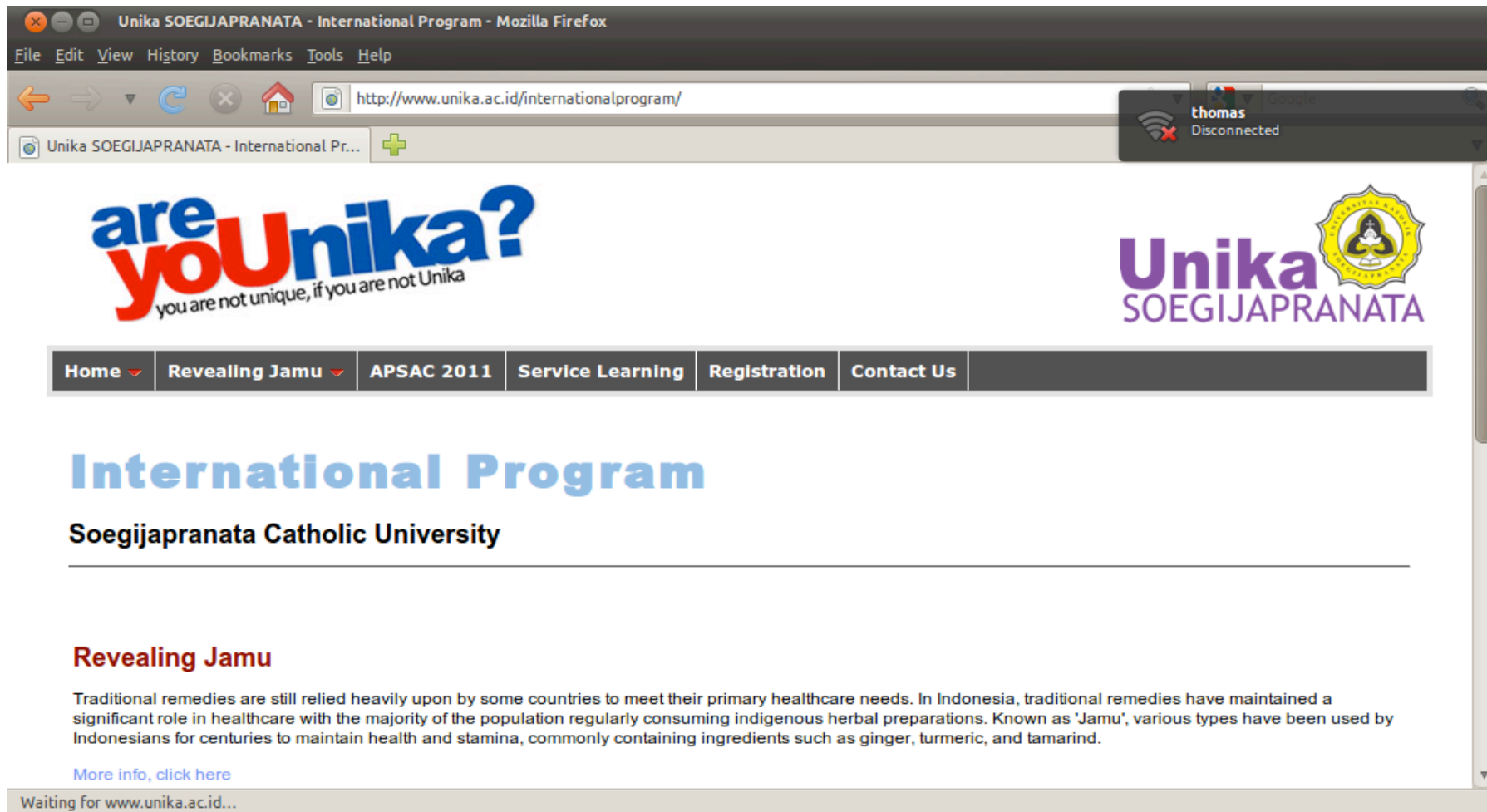
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References: w3schools.com

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HTML Basic



HTML Basic

- Be familiar with HTML Code

```
<html>
```

```
<head>
```

```
<title>My First Page</title>
```

```
</head>
```

```
<body>
```

```
Hello World
```

```
</body>
```

```
</html>
```

HTML Basic

- HTML = HyperText Markup Language
 - All elements are started with “open tag”: <html>
 - And ended with “closing tag”: </html>
 - It must be nested:

<body></body>

<p></p>

<table></table>

HTML Basic

Minimal HTML code: (save it with extension .html)

```
<html>  
<head>  
<title>Title of your page here</title>  
</head>  
<body>  
Your content here (all of visualization)  
</body>  
</html>
```

HTML Basic

- Okay, lets do some experiments. Put this code inside your `<body>...</body>` and try to understand what are the meaning of the tags and how they work

```
<h1>This is heading of the page</h1
```

```
<b>Hello World with Bold</b>
```

```
<br />
```

```
<i>Hello World with Italic</i>
```

```
<hr />
```

HTML Basic

- To show an image:

- For example

```

```

- Or, If the image is placed in the same folder of the file:

```

```

- Use relative path, not static. Started from the folder of current html file

```

```

HTML Basic

- More info about tags, open <http://www.w3schools.com/tags/default.asp>
- Most important rules of HTML:
 - every tag must be nested (open and close tags)
 - Except for empty tags (
, <hr />)

HTML Table

- Table is important to create “room” for your content ==> layout of your page
- HTML table is simple, the structure is:

```
<table>
```

```
<tr>
```

```
<td>First column in the first row</td>
```

```
<td>Second column in the first row</td>
```

```
</tr>
```

```
<tr>
```

```
<td>First column in the second row</td>
```

```
<td>Second column in the second row</td>
```

```
</tr>
```

```
</table>
```

HTML Attribute

- Before we continue learning table, let first see HTML Attribute
- HTML attribute is used to customize the visualization of related tag. For example:

```
<table border="1" width="70%">
```

- **border="1"** will show the border of the table. Bigger number = ticker border
- **width="70%"** will stretch the table to be 70% of parent's width.
- More attribute related to table: http://www.w3schools.com/tags/tag_table.asp

HTML Attribute

- Other common attribute (table):
 - **align="center|left|right"** will align the content of related table/row/column horizontally
 - **valign="top|middle|bottom"** will align the content of related table/row/column vertically
 - **bgcolor="#E0E0E0"** will put the background color of related table/row/column.

HTML Table

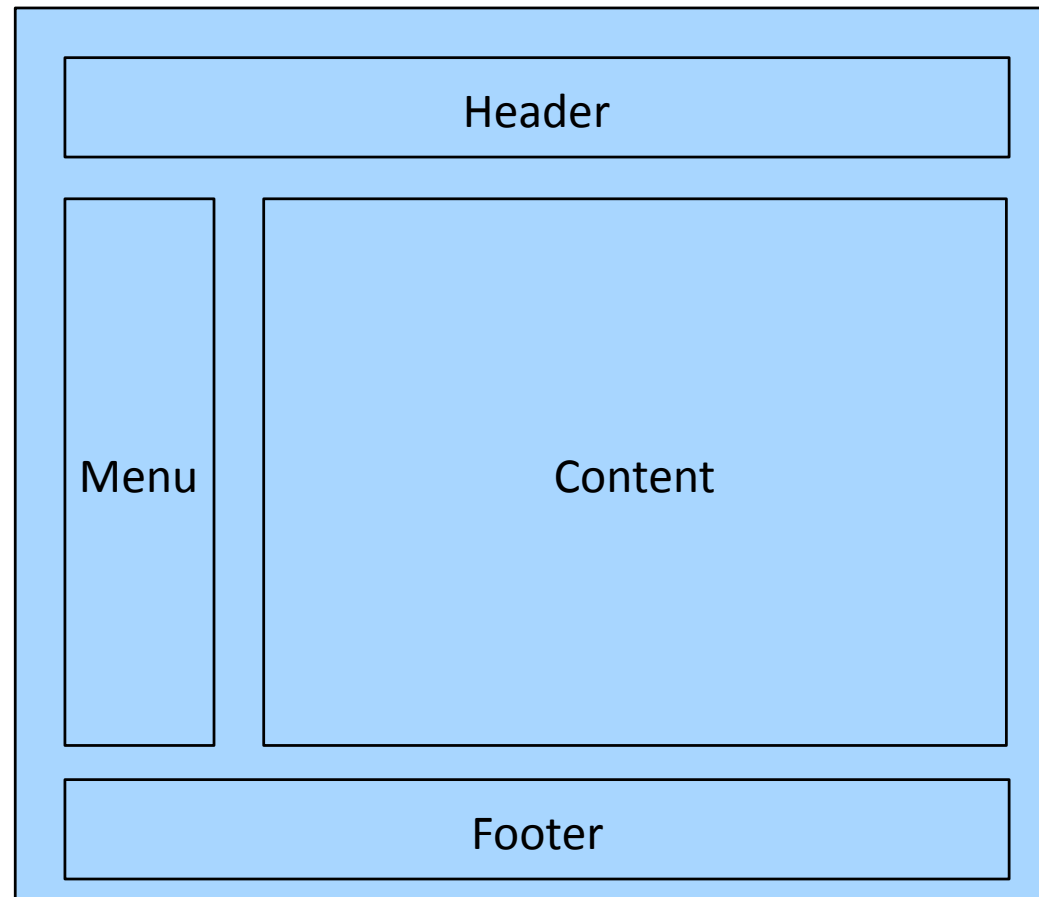
- Sometimes you need to merge two or three columns in some rows. Use **colspan** attribute for this case

```
<table border="1" width="90%">
<tr>
  <td colspan="2">First column in the first row</td>
</tr>
<tr>
  <td>First column in the second row</td>
  <td>Second column in the second row</td>
</tr>
</table>
```

- Create the template of your page
 - Header
 - Menu
 - Content
 - Footer
 - Pooling
 - Pop up advertisement
 - Etc.

Layout a page

- How your layout looks like?



Layout a page

- For a static layout, use **HTML table!**
 - HTML Table will make sure your layout looks the same to all browser
 - Minimize styling on a table
 - Use the given attribute only
 - border="0"
 - Cellspacing, cellpadding, bgcolor, width, height, etc

Layout a page

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>My Layout</title>
</head>
<body>
  <table width="90%" border="0" cellspacing="5" cellpadding="5" align="center">
    <tr><td colspan="2" align="center">Header</td></tr>
    <tr>
      <td width="20%" height="300px" valign="top">Menu</td>
      <td width="80%" valign="top">Content</td>
    </tr>
    <tr><td colspan="2" align="center">Footer</td></tr>
  </table>
</body>
</html>
```


Layout a page

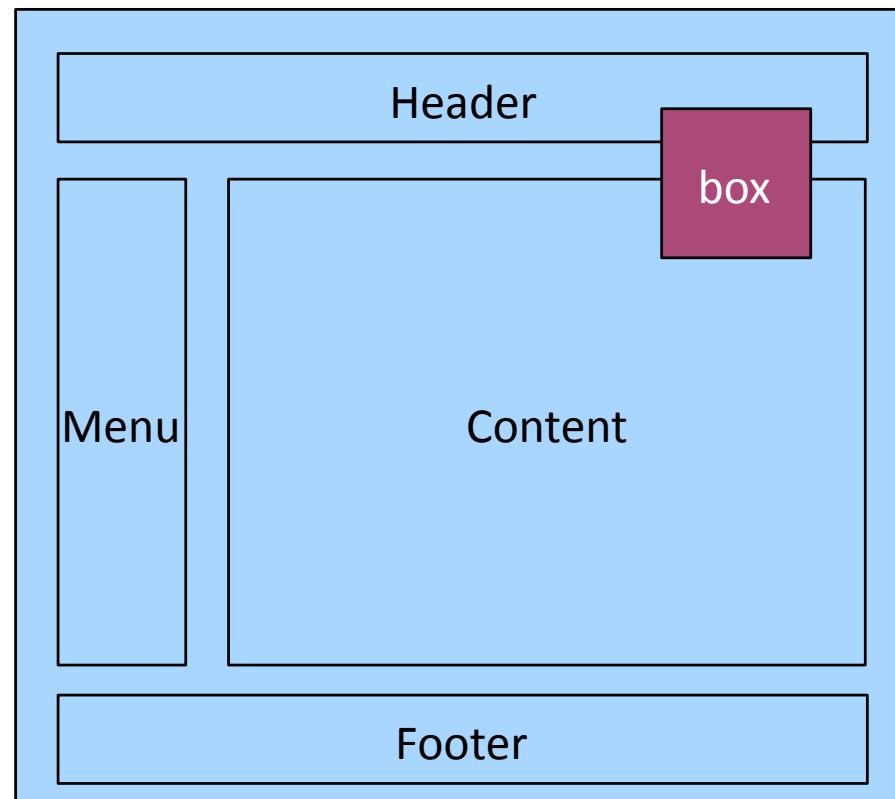
- If static layout is enough... then you should stop with HTML Table
 - More compatible along different browsers
 - As long as it is minimal
- If you need a dynamic or customized layout, use **div**
 - HTML Table will not able (difficult) to do that

Exercise

- Choose any simple web page example,
- Create the structure/ skeleton using html table
- Be creative to improve it
- If you need syntax, w3school.com will provide it

Layout a page

- Suppose you want to have a notification box at your page



Layout a page

- You can't use the HTML table to make the box
 - It is dynamic
 - It is customized
- Use div
 - It has many types of positioning
 - Easy to be customized
 - Use styling for best appearance (CSS)
 - Beware of different appearance on different browser
(test it!!!)

Layout a page

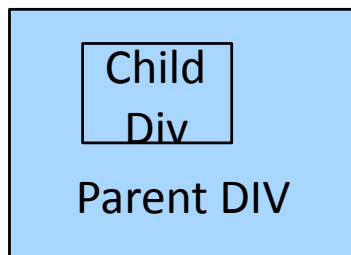
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<html>
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  </table>
  <div style="position:absolute; left:70%; top:8%">
    Box content here
  </div>
</body>
</html>
```

DIV Positioning

- `position:static`
 - Default position for all div
 - If you don't specify any other position
 - Will just follow the rules of HTML positioning

DIV Positioning

- position:relative
 - Position is relative to the parent
 - Specify top, left, bottom, and/or right position
 - The position is measured from the parent (not the browser)



- If it is under other element

<div>

<div style="position:relative;left:20%;top:5%">

Child Div

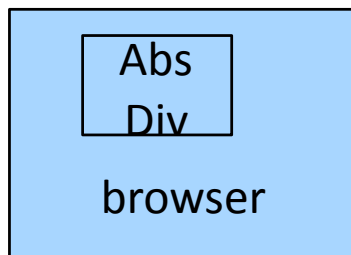
</div>

Parent DIV

</div>

DIV Positioning

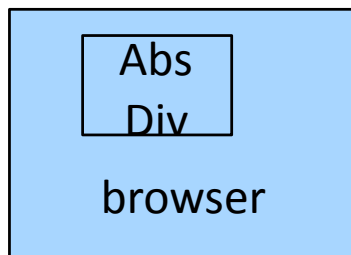
- position:absolute
 - Position is absolute to the document/
browser
 - Specify top, left, bottom, and/or right
position
 - The position is measured from the browser



```
<div style="position:absolute;left:20%;top:5%">  
  Abs Div  
</div>
```


DIV Positioning

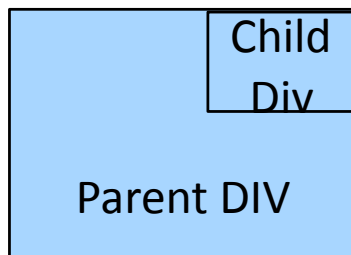
- position:absolute
 - Position is absolute to the document/
browser
 - Specify top, left, bottom, and/or right
position
 - The position is measured from the browser



```
<div style="position:absolute;left:20%;top:5%">  
  Abs Div  
</div>
```

DIV Positioning

- float:right | left
 - Position is floated to left or right of the parent
 - The position is measured from the parent (not the browser)
 - If it is under other element



```
<div>  
  <div style="float:right">  
    Child Div  
  </div>  
  Parent DIV  
</div>
```