

Getting Started, Containers & Segments

# CSS frameworks

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

**CSS frameworks** are pre-prepared software frameworks that are meant to allow for easier, more standards-compliant web design using the Cascading Style Sheets language. Most of these frameworks contain at least a grid. More functional frameworks also come with more features and additional JavaScript based functions, but are mostly design oriented and unobtrusive. This differentiates these from functional and full JavaScript frameworks.

Some notable and widely used examples are Bootstrap or Foundation.

CSS frameworks offer different modules and tools:

- reset style sheet
- grid especially for responsive web design
- web typography
- set of icons in sprites or icon fonts
- styling for tooltips, buttons, elements of forms
- parts of graphical user interfaces like accordion, tabs, slideshow or modal windows (Lightbox)
- equalizer to create equal height content
- often used css helper classes (left, hide)



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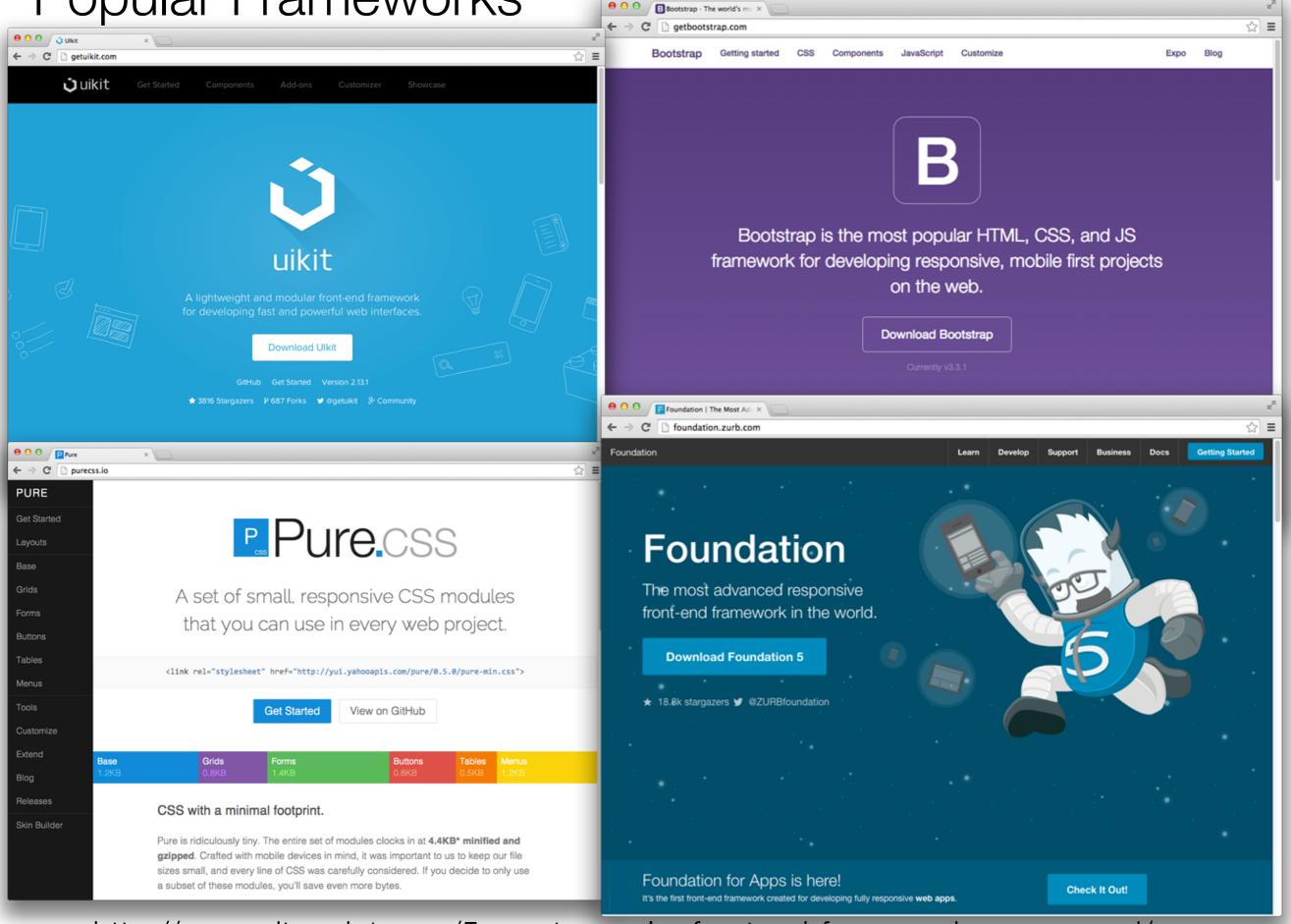
# What is a CSS Framework?

"framework is defined as a package made up of a structure of files and folders of standardized code (HTML, CSS, JS etc.) which can be used to support the development of websites, as a basis to start building a site."

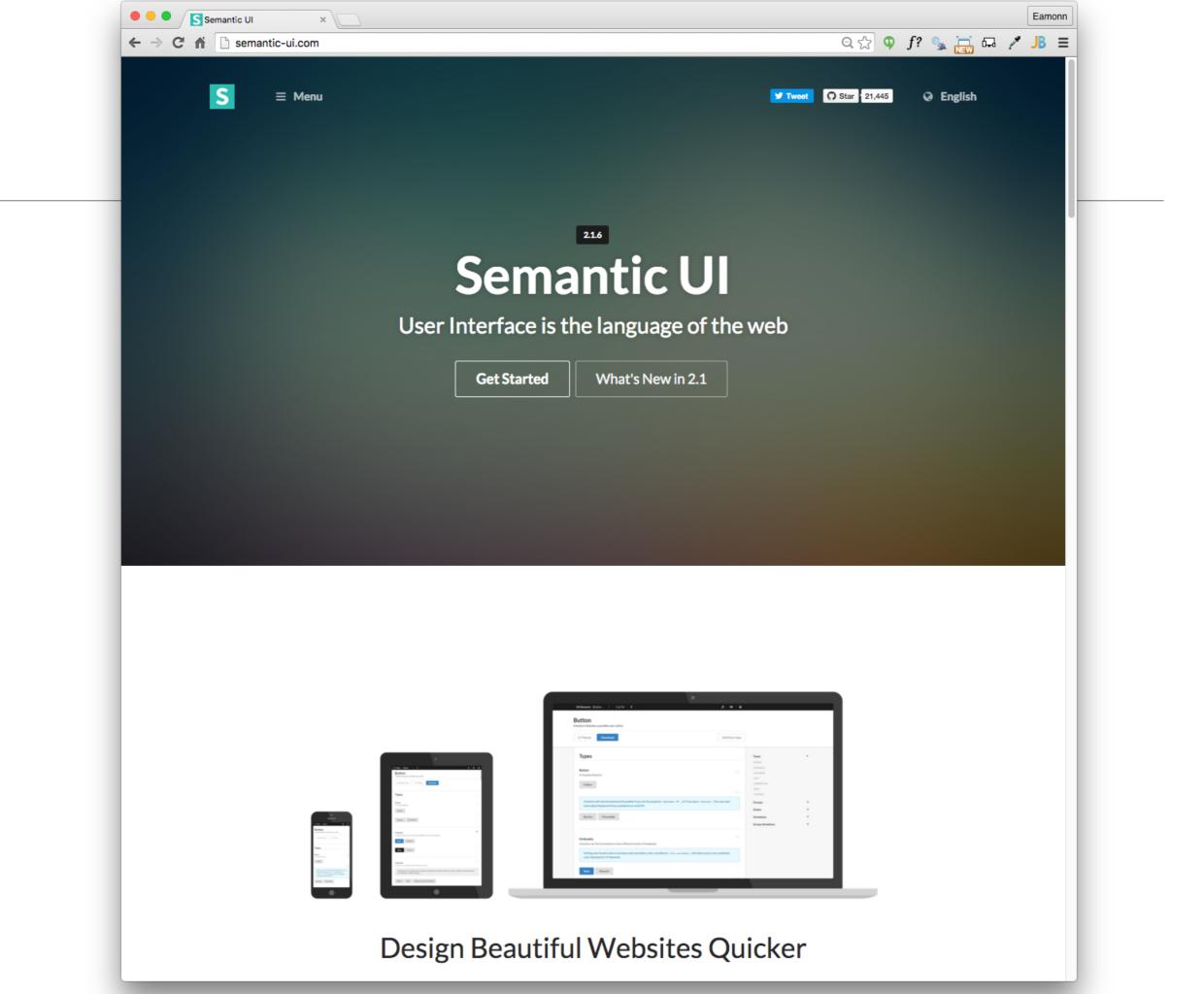
"The aim of frameworks is to provide a common structure so that developers don't have to redo it from scratch and can reuse the code provided"



## **Popular Frameworks**



http://www.sitepoint.com/5-most-popular-frontend-frameworks-compared/



# Semantic UI Starter

- Semantic css defines a large number of classes
- Your elements take on Semantic-UI styles by adopting specific classes
- All classes are preceded by "ui" to mark them as part of the framework

class ="ui container"

class ="ui segment"

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class="ui header"
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class="ui image"
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class ="ui grid"
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class "ui row"

class="ui column"

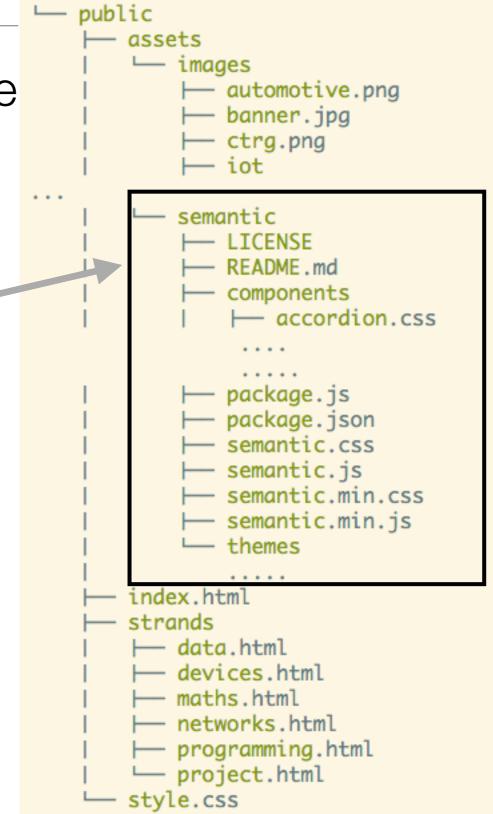
# **Typical Project Structure**

- public
  - assets folder
  - includes folder
  - other content folder(s)
  - index.html
  - style.css

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| project.html              |  |  |  |  |  |
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# Incorporating Semantic-UI into a project

- Download the semantic-ui archive
- unzip and copy to the assets folder - inside a css folder
- The semantic-ui archive is provided in the lab
- (dont try to build it from the semantic-ui instructions)



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First Steps...
```

```
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8">
    <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="http://fonts.googleapis.com/css?family=0pen+Sans"
    <link rel="stylesheet" href="/assets/css/semantic.css">
        <link rel="stylesheet" href="stylesheet" href="style.css" media="screen"/>
        <title>BSc in the Internet of Things</title>
    </head>
```

- Link to the semantic.css stylesheet we have just included.
- This makes most of the Semantic-UI components available to your project

# First Steps - remove existing stylesheet

- Delete almost all CSS rules we have built up in the page so far
- Leave just the 'banner' rule:

```
.banner {
   background: url("/assets/images/banner.jpg") top center;
   background-position: top center;
   color: white;
   height:300px;
}
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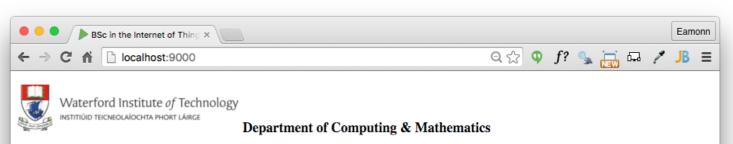
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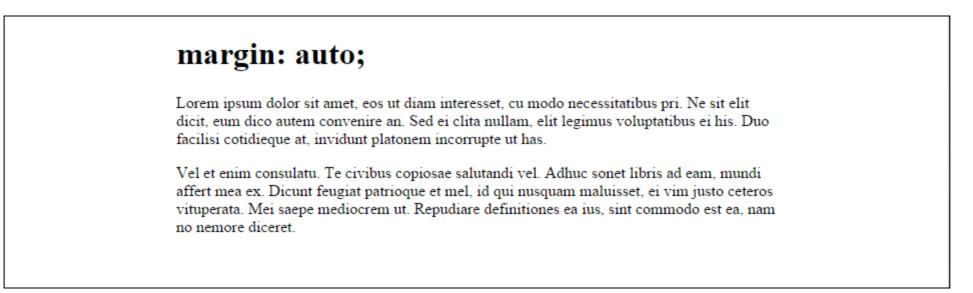
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### margin: auto;



 Setting the width of a block-level element will stop it stretching out to the edges left and right. Then set the margin to auto left and right. This horizontally centres that element within its container.



### ui container

 Replaces the need for "margin:auto" if we are using Semantic-UI



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### index.html

### <section class="ui container">

<header id="header">

... as before

</footer>

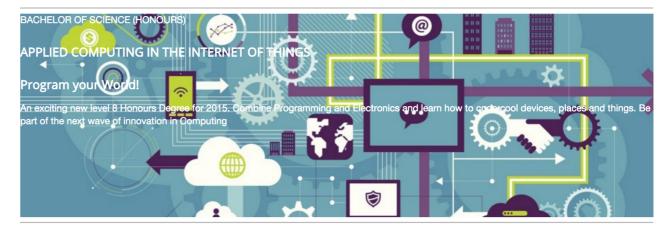
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### When To Use

A container is an element designed to contain page elements to a reasonable maximum width based on the size of a user's screen. This is useful to couple with other UI elements like grid or menu to restrict their width to a reasonable size for display.

### **Container Sizes**

Containers are designed to responsively adjust their maximum width based on the size of the screen they are appearing.

|                       | Mobile         | Tablet         | Small Monitor         | Large Monitor         |
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| Width                 | 100%           | 723px 🕜        | 933px 🕜               | 1127px 🕜              |
| Gutter Size           | 1em            | Fluid          | Fluid                 | Fluid                 |
| Responsive Visibility | mobile<br>only | tablet<br>only | small monitor<br>only | large monitor<br>only |
| Device Width          | below 768px    | 768px - 991px  | 992px - 1200px        | above 1200px          |

# ui segment

- Use to group
   related content
- remove all of the ids and classes currently all files.

Give the enclosing articles/ sections the class "ui segment":

#### header

```
<header class="ui segment">
  <h2>
    <img class="header-crest-img" src="assets/images/wit-crest.png" alt="WIT Crest">
    Department of Computing & amp; Mathematics
  </h2>
  <h3> BSc (Hons) the Internet of Things </h3>
</header>
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footer

```
<footer class="ui segment">

    <a href="http://www.facebook.com/witcomp"> facebook </a>
    <a href="http://twitter.com/ComputingAtWIT"> twitter </a>
    <a href="http://twitter.com/ComputingAtWIT"> twitter </a>
    <a href="https://ie.linkedin.com/pub/computing-at-wit/a9/221/1b6"> linkedin </a>

</footer>
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### ui segment

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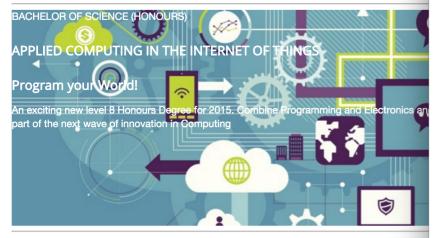
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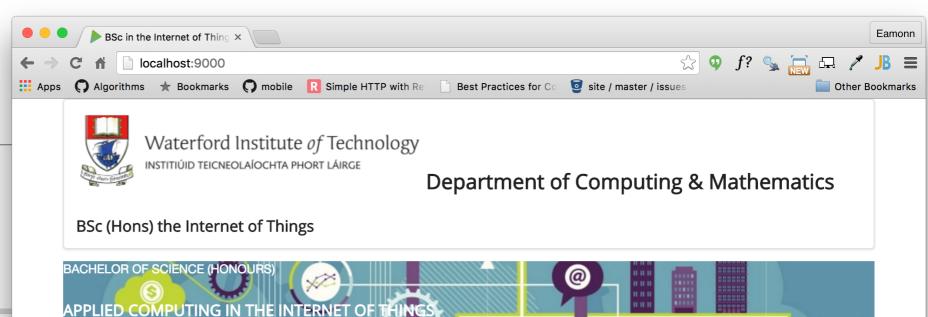
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### Layout of 'Strand' Pages

### Include semantic.css

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<link rel="stylesheet" href="../assets/semantic/semantic.css">

<link type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="style.css" media="screen"/>

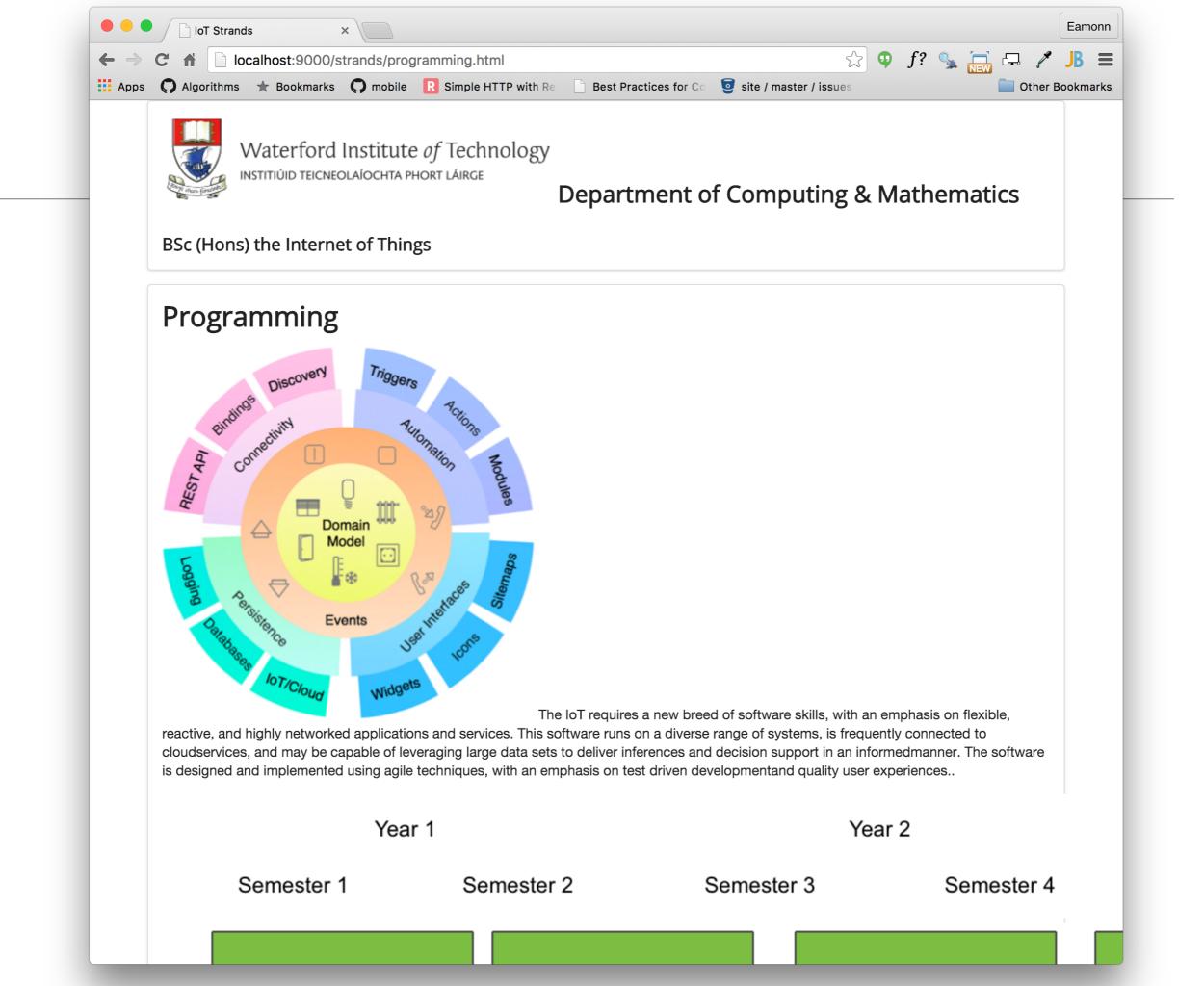
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```

```
<body>
<section class="ui container">

... existing headder section
<section class="ui segment">
... the article and figures on the page
</section>
... existing footer section
<section>
</body>
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• Introduce container + segment



# Segment Types

### Raised

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# Eg: Raised Segments

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