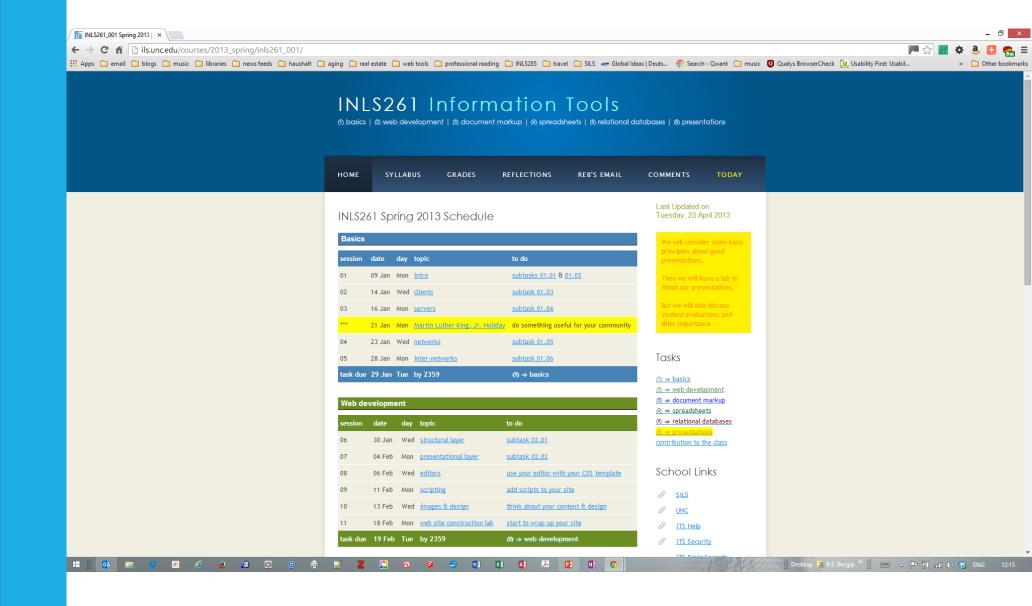
Using a CSS Template

QUICKLY AND EASILY

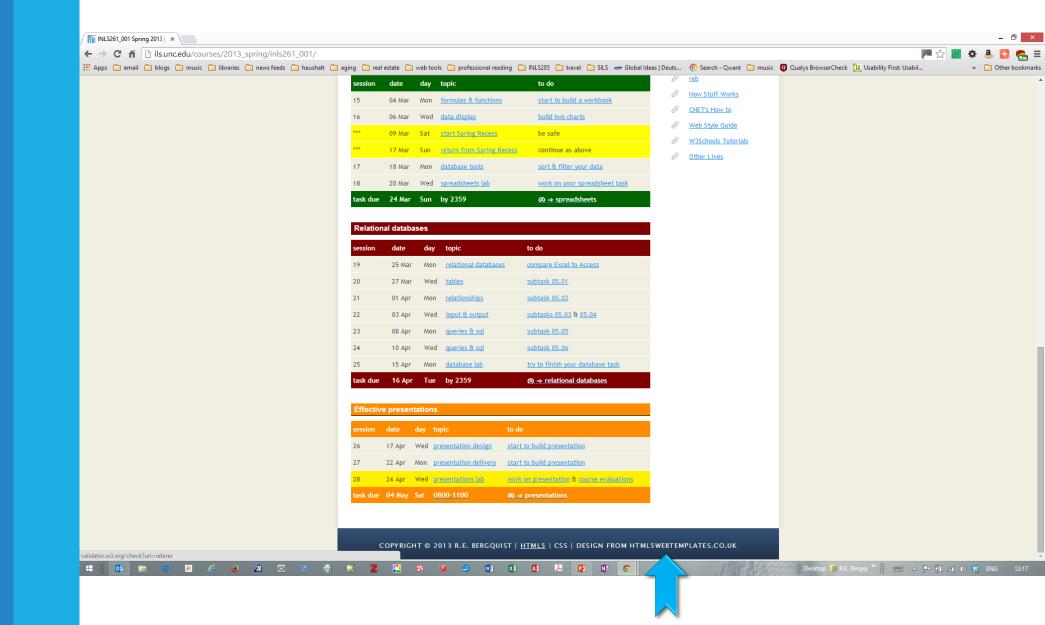
Find a template

this page has a link to them



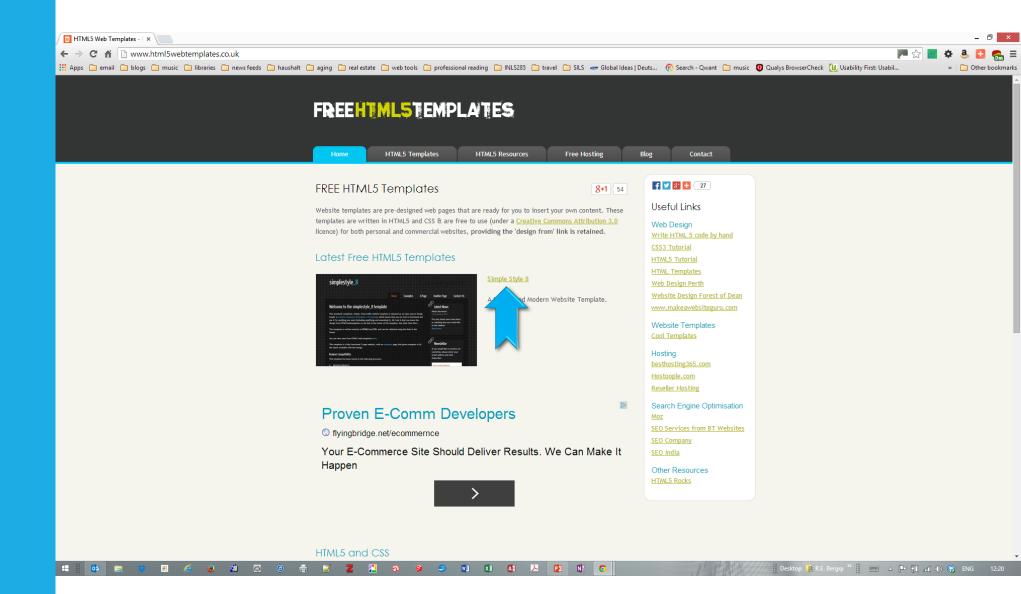
Find a template

this page has a link to them at the bottom of the page



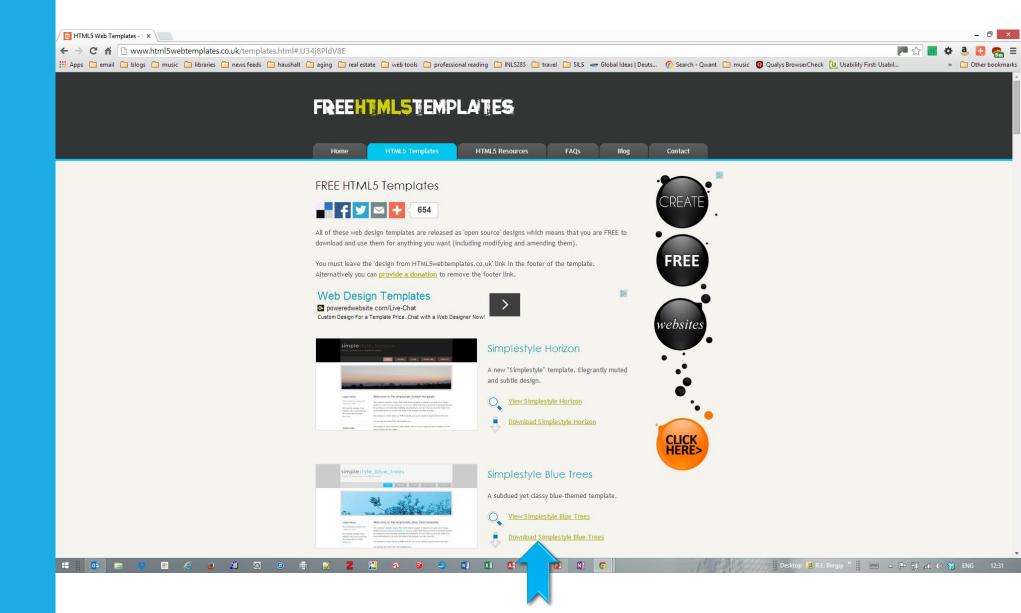
Which takes you to a source of templates

Browse until you find one you like



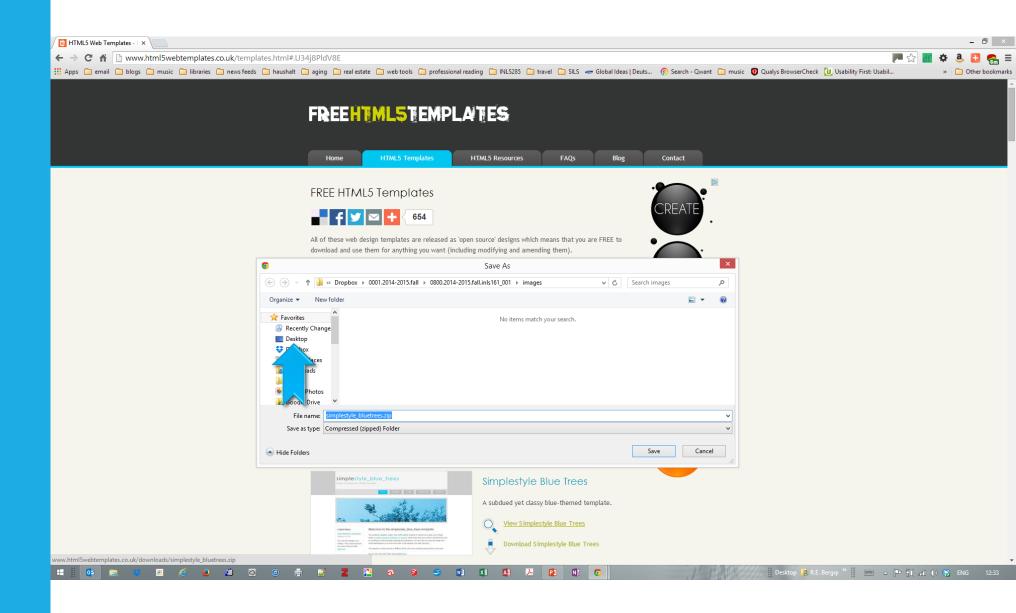
Which takes you to a source of templates

We'll use this one as an example



It will come in a zipped file

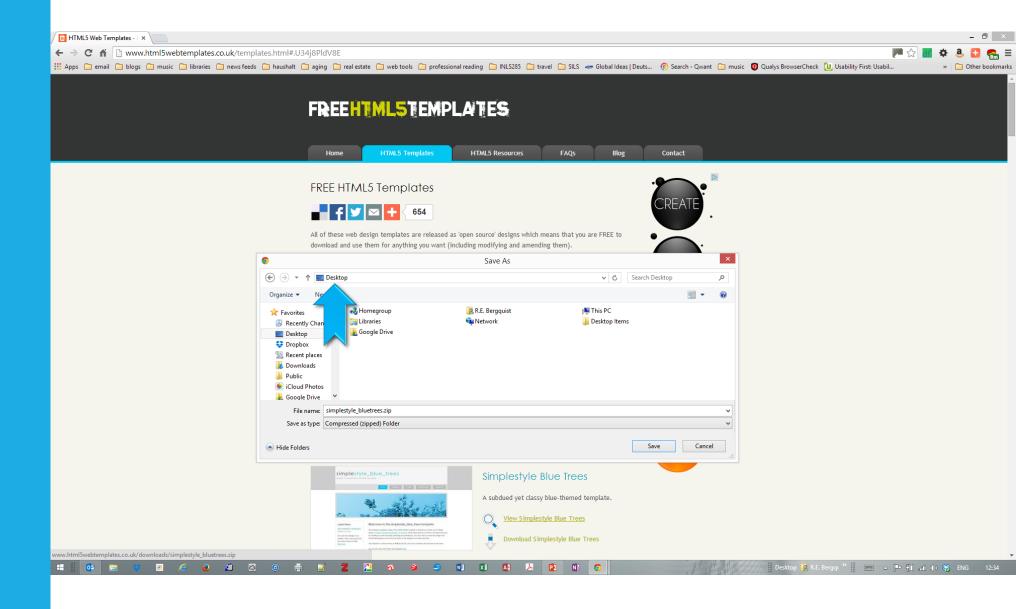
Save it to the location where you want your website to be stored



It will come in a zipped file

Save it to the location where you want your website to be stored

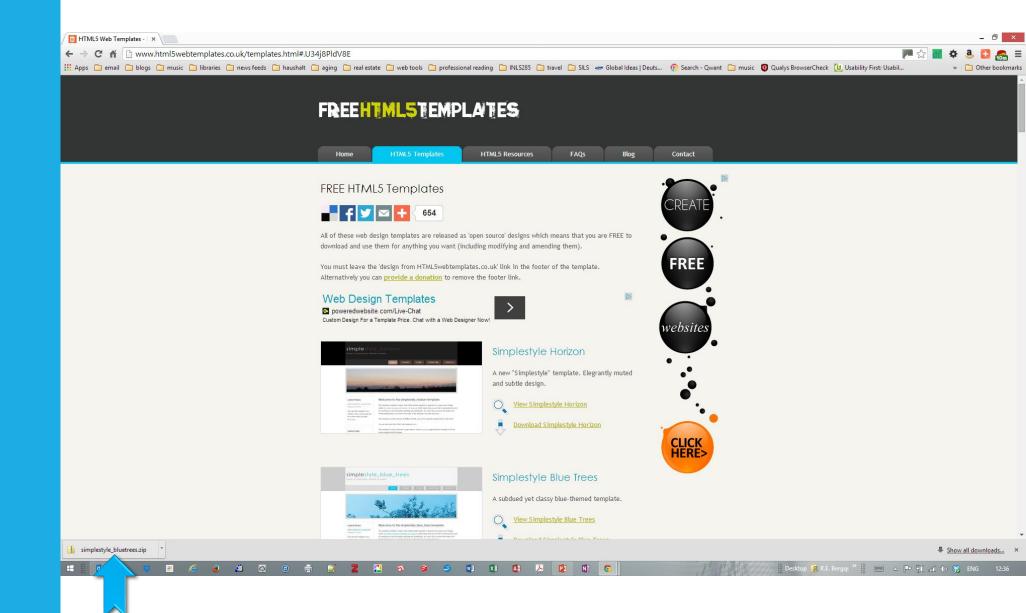
In this case it is to be placed on the desktop



It will come in a zipped file

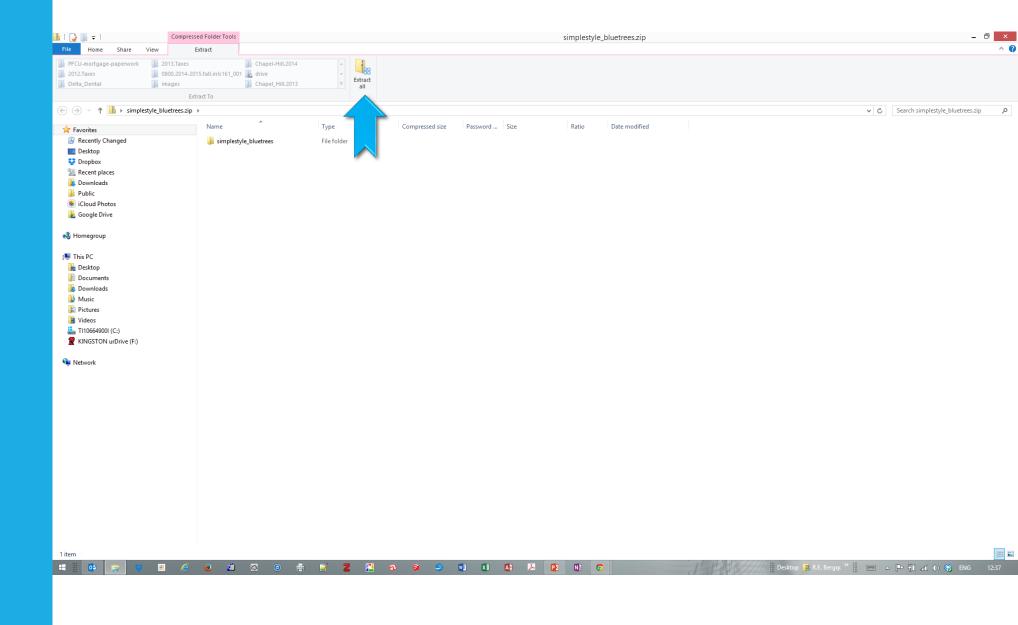
The zipped file is saved to the desktop.

Now to open it



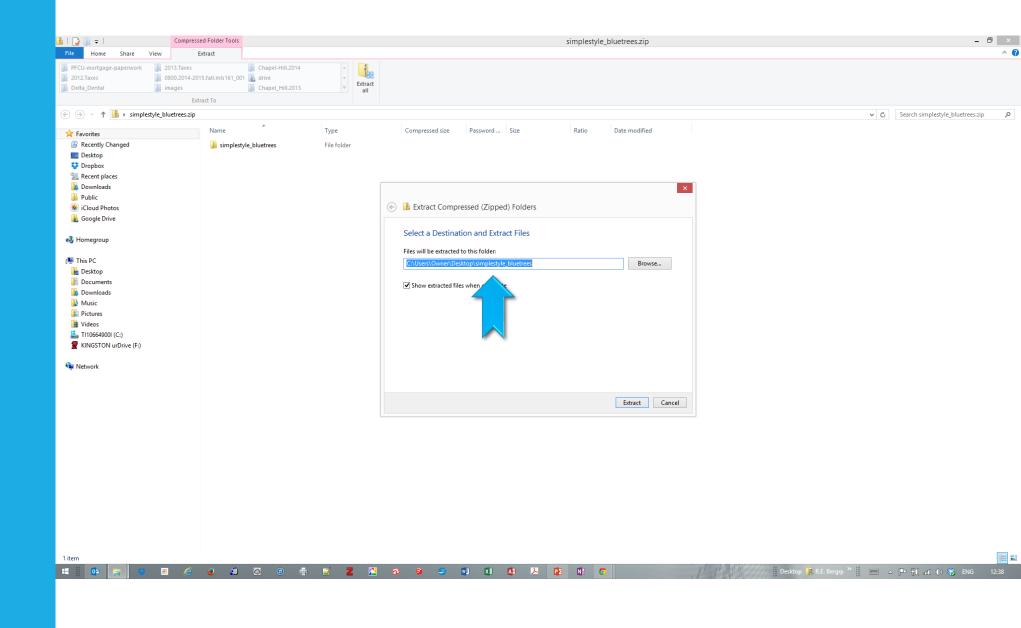
It must be unzipped

Extract the zipped files to a new folder



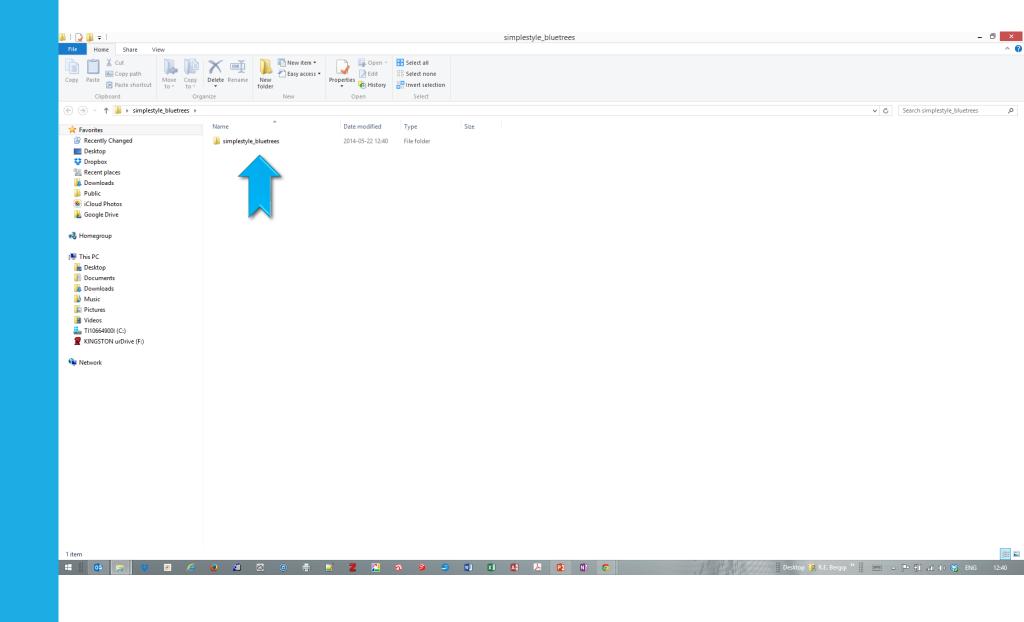
It must be unzipped

It will be extracted to a folder with the same name, in the same location



Once extracted

You can begin to explore the folder

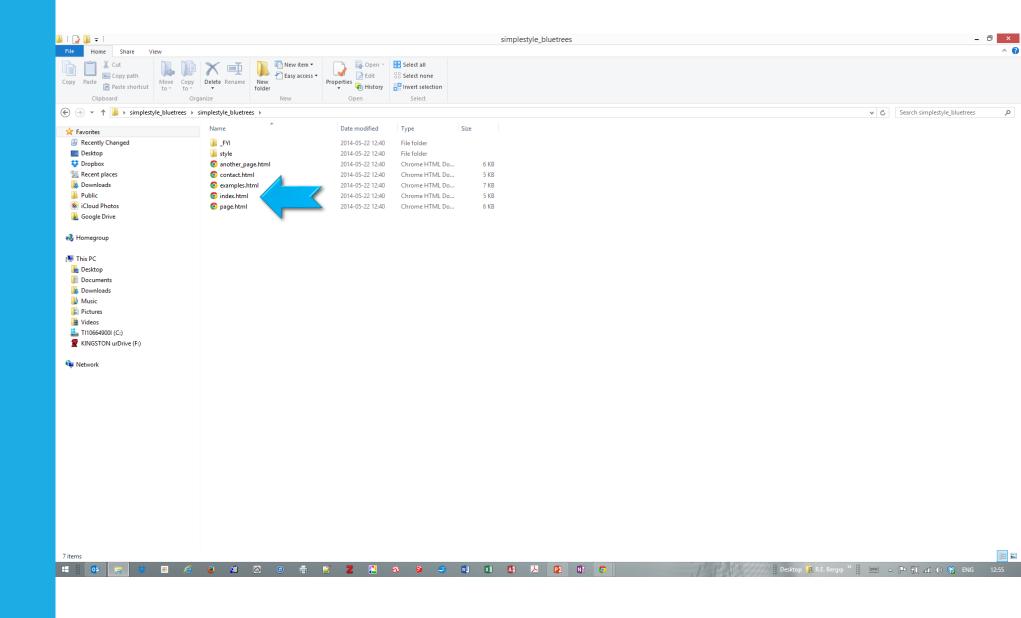


This is my folder

I can see that I have five sample pages and a folder for the CSS info.

I'll focus on the sample pages first.

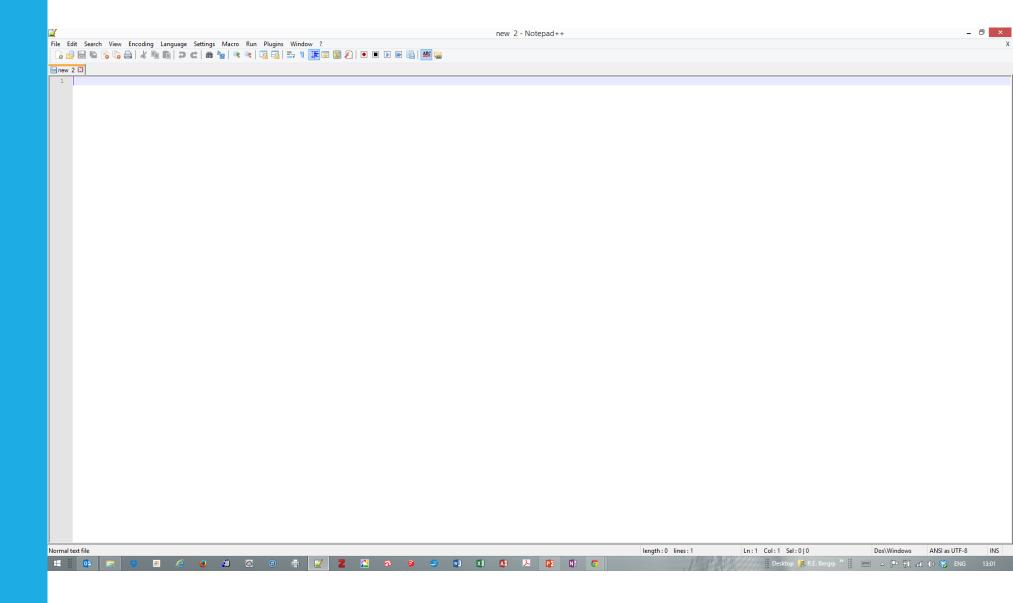
I will use a text editor to open the index page.



Text editor

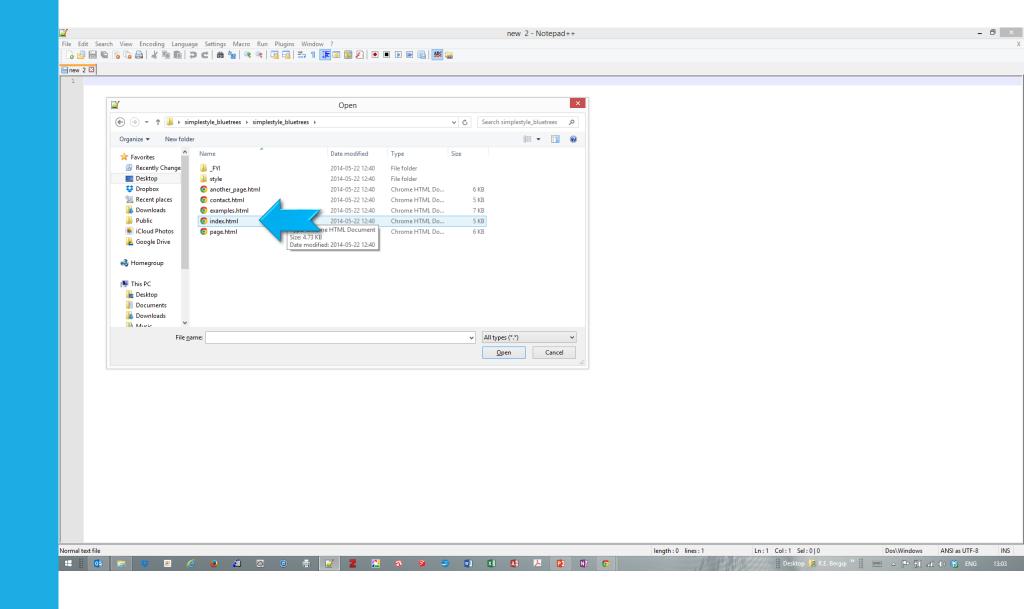
I'm going to use Notepad ++ as my text editor

First I need to open the index page by using the keyboard shortcut CNTL+O



To navigate to the folder

And select the page to open.



Now I have the page open in an editor

Look over the code to see what is where.

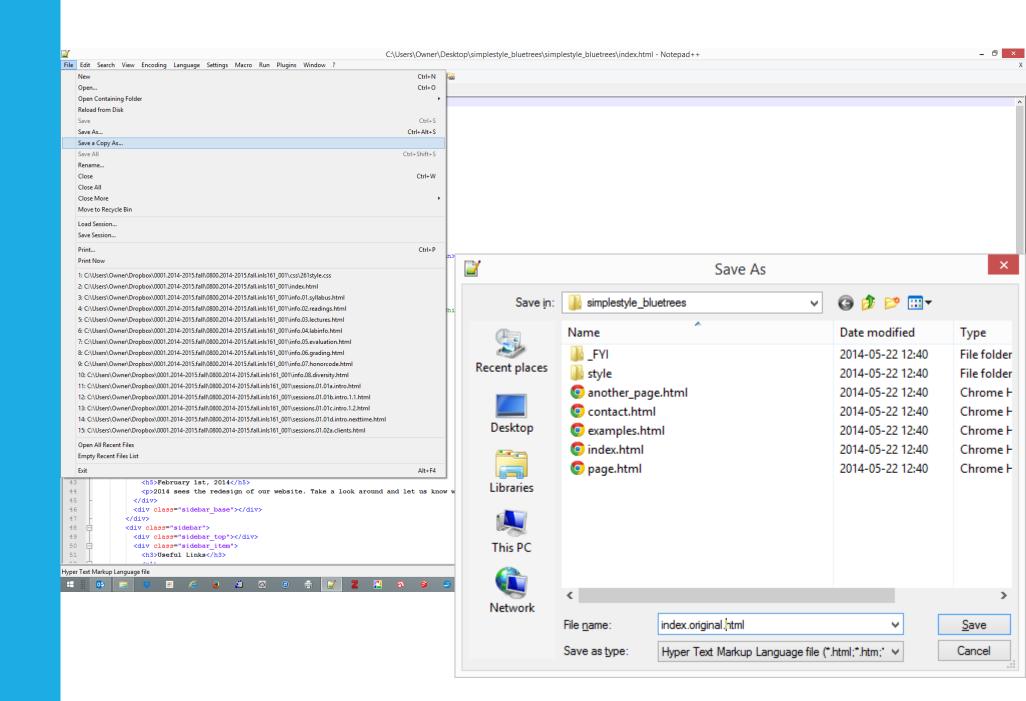
But before you do anything, save a copy of this file, in case you need the original later.

Go to the file menu

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      <!DOCTYPE HTML>
  <title>simplestyle blue trees</title>
         <meta name="description" content="website description" />
         <meta name="keywords" content="website keywords, website keywords" />
         <meta http-equiv="content-type" content="text/html; charset=windows-1252" />
         <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style/style.css" />
        <div id="main">
          <div id="header":
            <div id="logo">
              <div id="logo text">
               <!-- class="logo_colour", allows you to change the colour of the text -->
                <h1><a href="index.html">simple<span class="logo_colour">style_blue_trees</span></a></h1>
                <h2>Simple. Contemporary. Website Template.</h2>
            </div>
            <div id="menubar">
              <!-- put class="selected" in the li tag for the selected page - to highlight which page you're on -->
                <a href="index.html">Home</a>
                <a href="examples.html">Examples</a>
               <a href="page.html">A Page</a>
                <a href="another page.html">Another Page</a>
                <a href="contact.html">Contact Us</a>
              </div>
          </div>
          <div id="content header"></div>
          <div id="site content">
            <div id="banner"></div>
            <div id="sidebar container">
              <div class="sidebar">
                <div class="sidebar top"></div>
                <div class="sidebar item">
                 <!-- insert your sidebar items here -->
                  <h3>Latest News</h3>
                  <h4>New Website Launched</h4>
                  <h5>February 1st, 2014</h5>
                  <2014 sees the redesign of our website. Take a look around and let us know what you think.<pr /><a href="#">Read more</a>
                </div>
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                <div class="sidebar item">
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Save a copy as

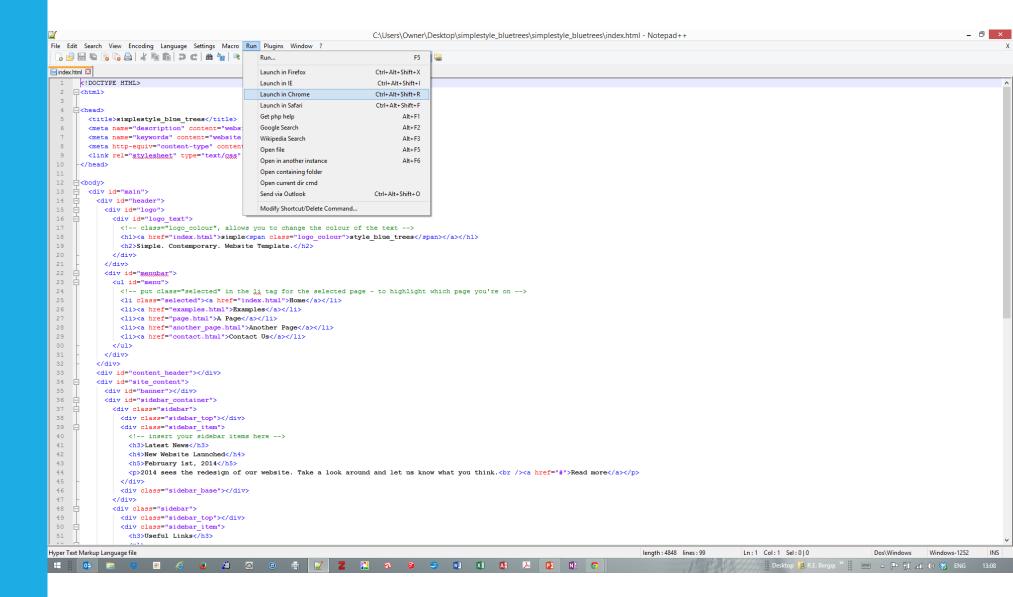
To keep the original in case it is needed later, save it as index.original.html



With that done, test the page in a browser

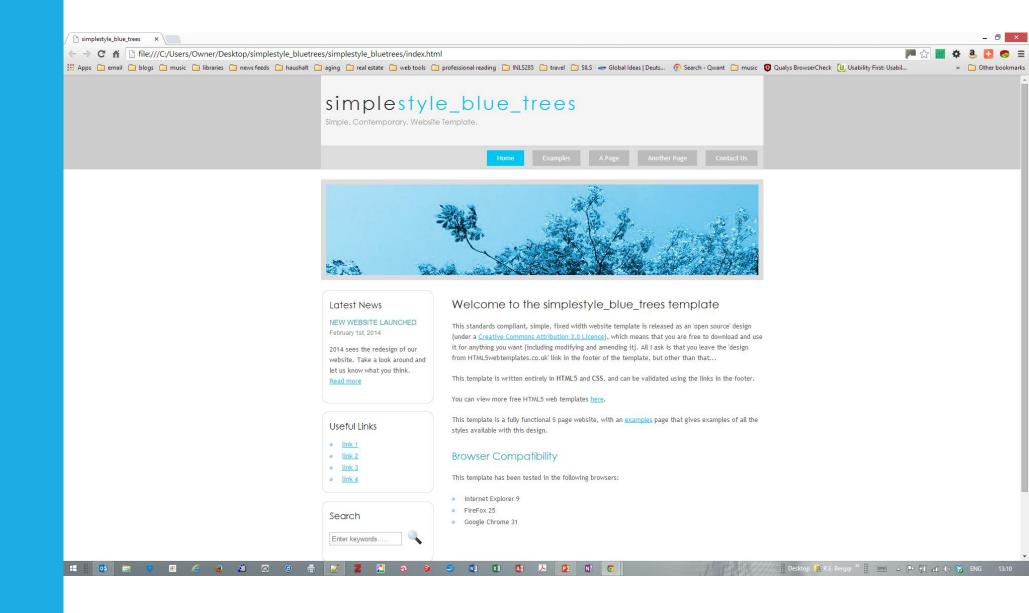
Go to Run, then pick the type of browser you wish to use to launch the page.

I'm using Chrome.

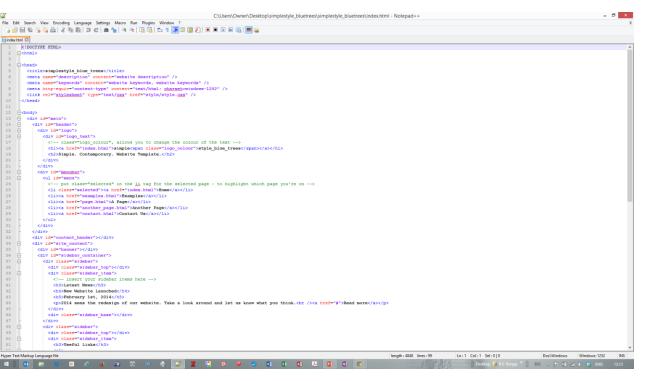


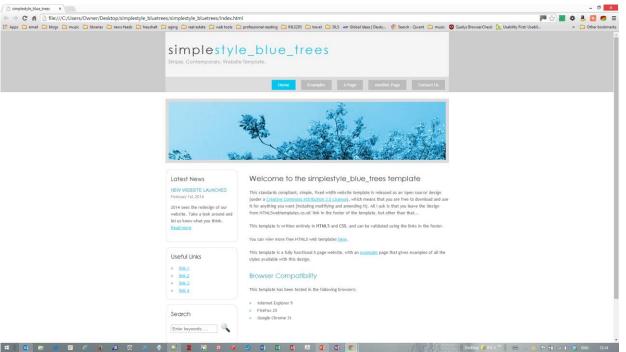
Now I see the page

I have it open in Notepad++ for editing, and in Chrome to see the results of the edits

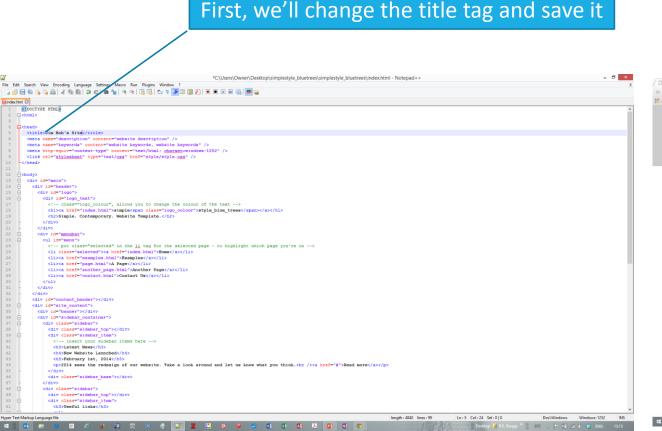


Both applications open side by side



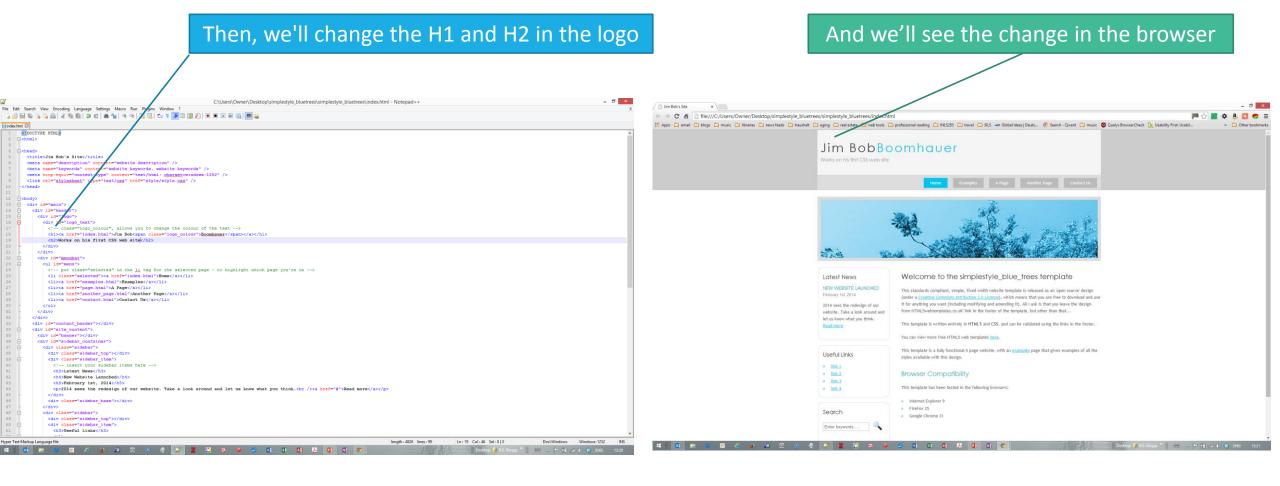


Change something in the text editor, then check to see the change in the browser

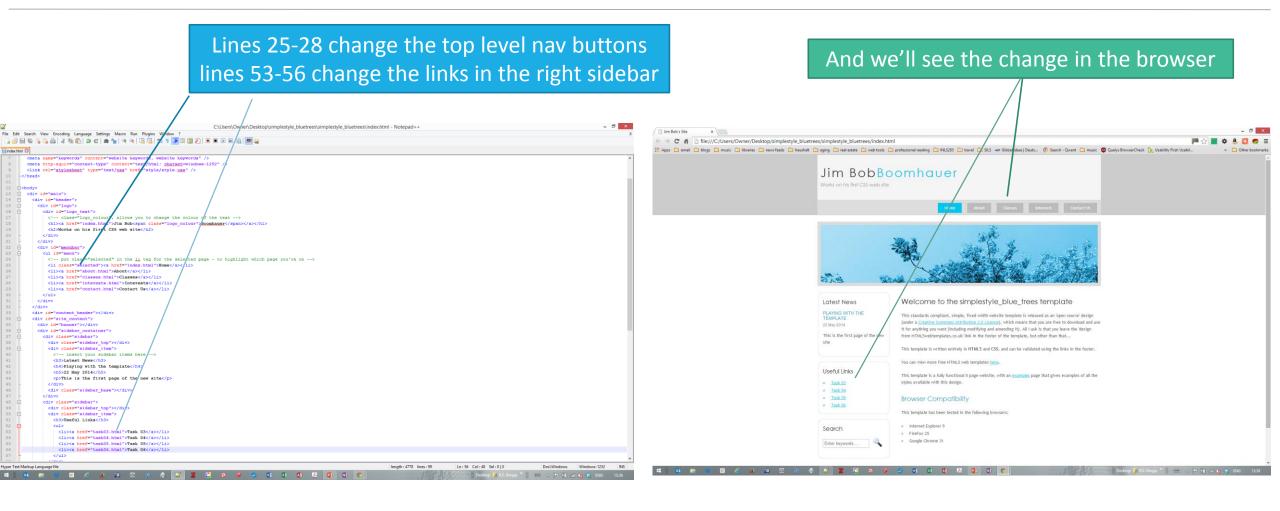


Then we'll see the change in the browser ← → C 🐧 🖰 file:///C:/Users/Owner/Desktop/simplestyle_bluetrees/simplestyle_bluetrees/index.html P ☆ B C 6 = Apps 🗀 email 🗀 blogs 🗀 music 🗀 libraries 🗀 news feeds 🗀 haushalt 🗀 aging 🛅 real estate 🗀 web tools 🗀 professional reading 🗀 IRLS285 🗀 travel 🗀 SLS 🐭 Global Ideas J Deuts... 👩 Search - Qwant 🗀 music 🔞 Qualys BrowserCheck 🔱 Usability First Usabil. simplestyle_blue_trees Latest News Welcome to the simplestyle_blue_trees template NEW WEBSITE LAUNCHED This standards compliant, simple, fixed width website template is released as an 'open source' design February 1st 2014 (under a Creative Commons Attribution 3.0 Licence), which means that you are free to download and use it for anything you want (including modifying and amending it). All I ask is that you leave the 'design website. Take a look around and from HTML5webtemplates.co.uk' link in the footer of the template, but other than that... let us know what you think. This template is written entirely in HTML5 and CSS, and can be validated using the links in the footer. You can view more free HTML5 web templates here. This template is a fully functional 5 page website, with an examples page that gives examples of all the Useful Links styles available with this design. a link 2 Browser Compatibility a link 3 This template has been tested in the following browsers: a link 4 Search

Change something in the text editor, then check to see the change in the browser



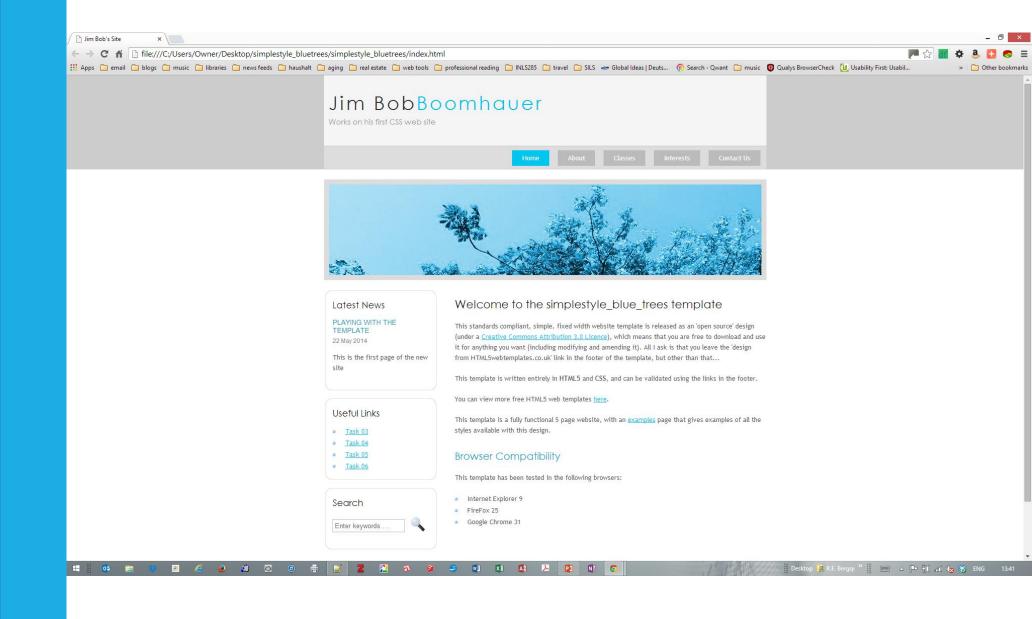
We changed the top level nav buttons, and the links in the right sidebar



Now we are set

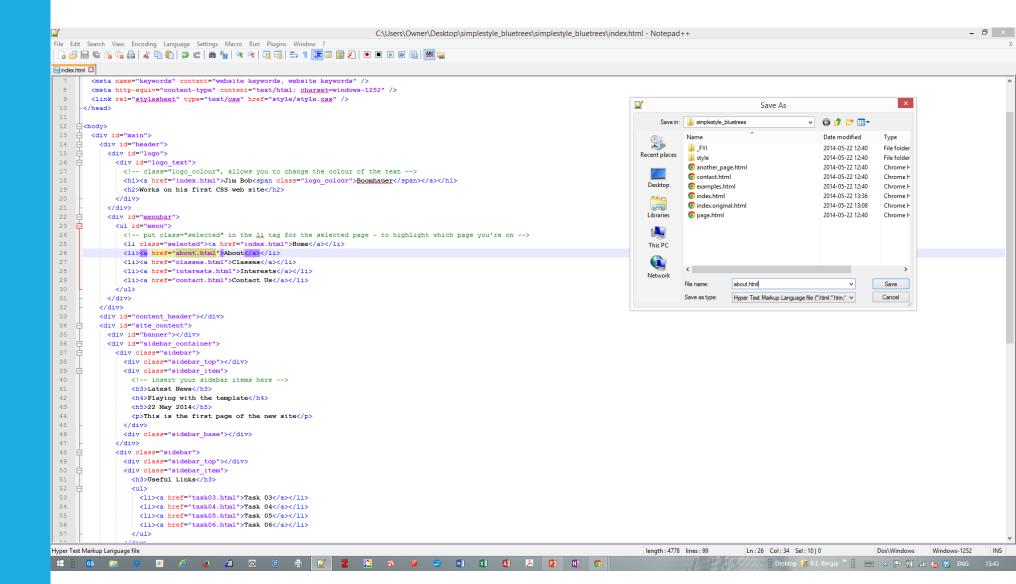
We can save this index page multiple times, each time with a new name that corresponds to the filenames we put on lines 25-28 to change the top level nav buttons and on lines 53-56 to change the links in the right sidebar

Let's make an About page first



Using the text editor

Save the index page as about.html



In the about page

We modified lines 5, 19, 25 and 26, and 77

In line 25, we replaced the tag class="selected"> with the tag li>

In line 26, we replaced the tag with the tag

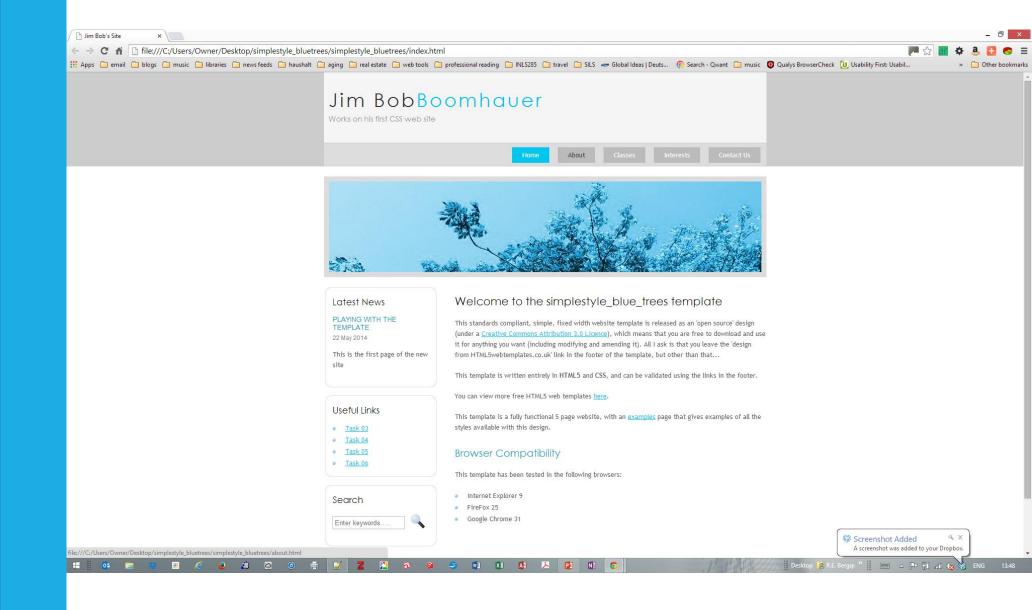
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      <!DOCTYPE HTML>
  <title>Jim Bob's About Page</title>
         <meta name="description" content="website description" />
         <meta name="keywords" content="website keywords, website keywords" />
         <meta http-equiv="content-type" content="text/html; charset=windows-1252" />
         k rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style/style.css" />
        <div id="main">
          <div id="header">
            <div id="logo">
              <div id="logo text">
               <!-- class="logo_colour", allows you to change the colour of the text -->
                <h1><a href="index.html">Jim Bob<span class="logo_colour">Boomhauer</span></a></h1>
               <h2>Things you need to know about him</h2>
            </div>
            <div id="menubar">
              <!-- put class="selected" in the li tag for the selected page - to highlight which page you're on -->
                <a href="index.html">Home</a>
                <a href="about.html">About</a>
               <a href="classes.html">Classes</a>
                <a href="interests.html">Interests</a>
                <a href="contact.html">Contact Us</a>
            </div>
          <div id="content header"></div>
           <div id="site content">
            <div id="banner"></div>
            <div id="sidebar container">
              <div class="sidebar">
                <div class="sidebar top"></div>
                <div class="sidebar item">
                 <!-- insert your sidebar items here -->
                  <h3>Latest News</h3>
                  <h4>Playing with the template</h4>
                  <h5>22 May 2014</h5>
                 This is the first page of the new site
                <div class="sidebar base"></div>
              <div class="sidebar">
               <div class="sidebar_top"></div>
                <div class="sidebar item">
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Then back in the browser

On the index page, we mouse over the word "about" on the nav button.

Since we now have a page named about.html, the link here will take us to that page.

Note the changes on the page when we get there.

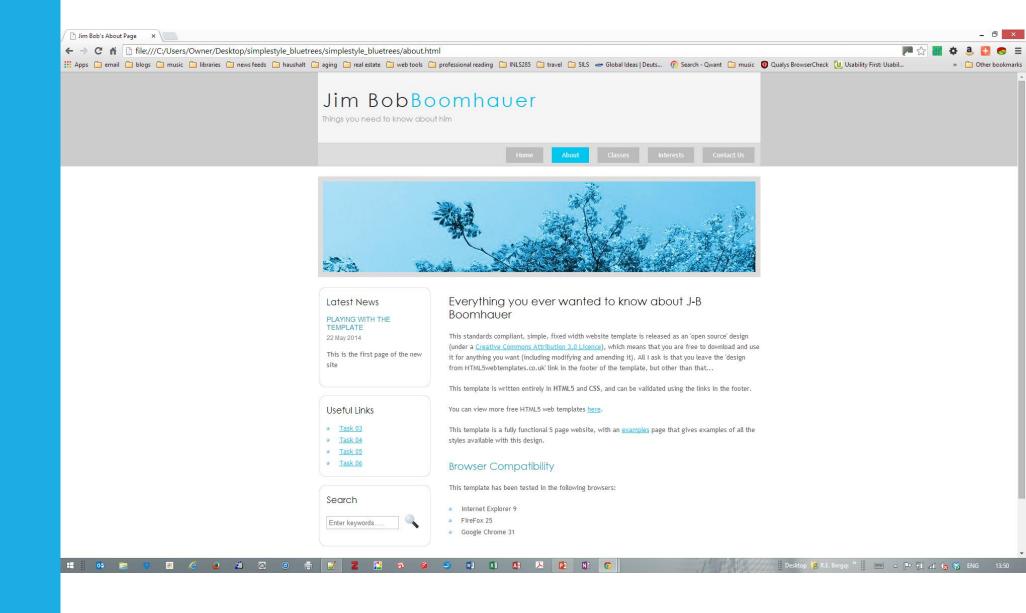


If we remembered to save our changes in the editor

This is what we see.

Note that the Heading 2 on line 19 has changed.

Note that the tag cli class="selected"> on line 26 makes the About button blue on this page.



Now it's yours

KEEP SAVING THE INDEX PAGE AS A NEW PAGE, MAKE THE NECESSARY CHANGES ON THE NEW PAGE, AND GENERATE ALL EIGHT CONNECTED PAGES.