

Dynamic AJAX Image Slideshow - Liteshow

Suggested Schedule

Steps and tentative dates	Objective	Activities
1. Start-up (Mid October 06)	Form goals for the semester	- Writing abstract and features, requirements and schedule
2. Data-Access (End October 06)	Retrieve the image data from a XML file	- Writing basic code for AJAX interaction, prototyping and XML parsing
3. API for the Views (Mid November 06)	Create a simple but complete interface to display the images and navigate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • - Preloading of the next images - Navigational with mouse or keyboard - Bookmarking-Possibility
4. Default Slideshow View (End November 06)	Create a default view where the next image "flies" in from the right edge	- Default Look & Feel - First working version of the application
4. Non-Interaction Mode (Mid December 06)	Slideshow should run without having the user to click on the next image	- Create timers to automatically walk through the image list - Have a randomize-option
5. Gallery List (End December 06)	Output all images of a slideshow as a list (like a gallery)	- Output all images of a slideshow to have a gallery-like feeling - Start the slideshow at any image
6. User Input (Begin January 07)	Establish a commenting system	- Create a safe and especially easy way to let every user add a comment during the slideshow
7. Additional View (Mid January 07)	Create an alternative view inspired by Apples Front-Row	- Experimentally create a 3D – Circle with all the images displayed in correct size
8. Finish-Up (End January 07)	Format code, documentation and presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Make code readable and easy to use and extend - Clean up documentation - Create packages and source-forge project to open - Put code under GPL - Create website for the public - Create presentation for MediaNight