

CSIT884: Web Development

CSS with JavaScript CSS Transitions, and Transforms

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Objectives

- use JavaScript to manipulate CSS property
- producing animated interactive effects with CSS properties

Change style by JavaScript

- **Step 1:** give the HTML element that we want to change an **ID**
- **Step 2:** use the function

```
var e = document.getElementById("the-id");
```

to get the HTML element that we want to change

- **Step 3:** change the style of the HTML element

```
e.style.[cssProperty] = "the-new-style-value";
```

for example:

```
e.style.color = "pink";
e.style.fontSize = "25px";
e.style.fontStyle = "italic";
...
```

Change style by JavaScript

- Original CSS properties are written in **hyphen convention**, when we translate them to JavaScript code, we need to use **camel case convention**:

Original CSS property	Translate to JavaScript code
font-size	e.style.fontSize
font-style	e.style.fontStyle
background-color	e.style.backgroundColor
border-bottom-style	e.style.borderBottomStyle
border-left-color	e.style.borderLeftColor
padding-right	e.style.paddingRight

Example: change text style

The web page displays 3 text fields for user to enter **color**, **font size** and **font style**. When the user clicks the button, then we will change the style of the “Hello world” text.

Enter color: such as orange, pink, blue, ...

Enter font size: such as 40px

Enter font style: such as normal, italic, oblique,...

Hello world

Example: change text style

```
<input type="text" id="colorInput" />  
<input type="text" id="fontSizeInput" />  
<input type="text" id="fontStyleInput" />  
<button onClick="changeStyle();">Change style</button>  
<span id="hello">Hello world</span>
```

Example: change text style

```
<script>
    function changeStyle(){
        // get user input from text fields
        var colorTf = document.getElementById("colorInput");
        var colorValue = colorTf.value;

        var fontSizeTf = document.getElementById("fontSizeInput");
        var fontSizeValue = fontSizeTf.value;

        var fontStyleTf = document.getElementById("fontStyleInput");
        var fontStyleValue = fontStyleTf.value;

        // get the Hello World span
        var helloSpan = document.getElementById("hello");

        // change color, font size and font style
        helloSpan.style.color = colorValue;
        helloSpan.style.fontSize = fontSizeValue;
        helloSpan.style.fontStyle = fontStyleValue;
    }
</script>
```

Example: change image style

The web page displays a text field for user to enter **image opacity** value. When the user clicks the button, then we will change the image style.

Enter image opacity value (from 0 to 1):



Example: change image style

```
<input type="text" id="opacity" />
```

```
<button onClick="changeOpacity()">  
Change Image Opacity  
</button>
```

```
<img id= "cat" src= "cat.png" />
```

Example: change image style

```
<script>

function changeOpacity() {

    // get the opacity value

    var opacityField = document.getElementById("opacity");

    var opacityValue = Number(opacityField.value);

    // set the image opacity

    var image = document.getElementById("cat");

    image.style.opacity = opacityValue;

}

</script>
```

Example: change paragraph style

The web page displays text fields for user to enter **font size, padding, text color, background color, border style**. When the user clicks the button, then we will change the paragraph style.



Enter font size:

Enter padding:

Enter text color:

Enter background color:

Enter border style:

Example: change paragraph style

```
<p id="city">Wollongong 17 ° - 25 °</p>  
<input type="text" id="fontSizeInput" />  
<input type="text" id="paddingInput" />  
<input type="text" id="colorInput" />  
<input type="text" id="bgInput" />  
<input type="text" id="borderInput" />  
<button onClick="changeStyle();">Change style</button>
```

Example: change paragraph style

```
<script>
    function changeStyle() {
        // get user input from text fields
        var fontSize = document.getElementById("fontSizeInput").value;
        var padding = document.getElementById("paddingInput").value;
        var color = document.getElementById("colorInput").value;
        var bgColor = document.getElementById("bgInput").value;
        var border = document.getElementById("borderInput").value;

        // change style
        var cityPar = document.getElementById("city");
        cityPar.style.fontSize = fontSize;
        cityPar.style.padding = padding;
        cityPar.style.color = color;
        cityPar.style.backgroundColor = bgColor;
        cityPar.style.borderStyle = border;
    }
</script>
```

CSS Transitions

- Often called tweening
- Smooth out changes to property values between two states over time by filling in the frames in between
- CSS Transitions can enrich interfaces and improve usability
- Transitions require a beginning state and an end state
 - the end state needs to be triggered by a state change such as :hover, :focus, or :active

CSS Transitions

- When applying a transition, needs to be taken into account:
 - transition-property: which CSS property to change (required)
 - transition-duration: duration of change (required)
 - transition-timing-function: how transition accelerates (ease, linear, ease-in, ease-out, ease-in-out)
 - transition-delay: is there a pause before it starts
- Shorthand transition property combines all of these properties into one declaration
 - *transition: property duration timing-function delay;*

CSS Transitions

what is the output?

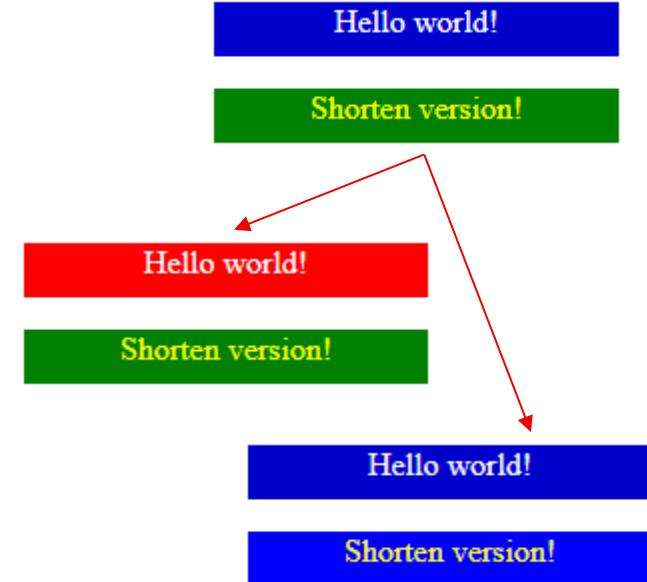
```
<style>
    .trans1 {
        text-align: center;
        padding: 1px;
        height: 25px;
        width: 200px;
        color: white;
        background-color: mediumblue;
        transition-property: background-color;
        transition-duration: 3s;
        transition-timing-function: ease-in-out;
        transition-delay: 1s;
    }
    .trans1:hover {
        background-color: red;
    }

    .trans2 {
        text-align: center;
        padding: 1px;
        height: 25px;
        width: 200px;
        color: yellow;
        background-color: green;
        transition: background-color 3s ease-in-out 1s;
    }
    .trans2:hover, .trans2:focus {
        background-color: blue;
    }
</style>
```

```
...
<p class="trans1">Hello world!</p>

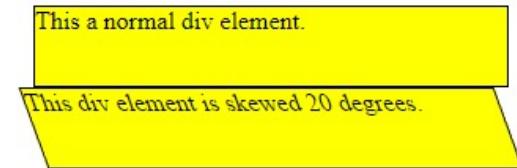
<p class="trans2">Shorten version!</p>

...
```



CSS Transforms

- The CSS3 Transforms allows to rotate, relocate, resize, and skew HTML elements in two- and three-dimensional space
- Transforms can be applied
 - to the normal state of an element (so it appears in its transformed state when the page loads), or
 - when users interact with the element (for example via :hover or a JavaScript event)
- The two-dimensional transform functions include: rotate(), translate(), scale(), and skew()



CSS Transforms

what is the output?

```
<div>  
This a normal div element.  
</div>  
  
<div id="myDiv">  
This div element is skewed  
20 degrees.  
</div>  
  
  
<p>cat that rotate</div>
```

```
<style>  
div {  
    margin-left:100px;  
    width: 300px;  
    height: 50px;  
    vertical-align: middle;  
    background-color: yellow;  
    border: 1px solid black;  
}  
  
div#myDiv {  
    transform: skew(20deg) ;  
}  
  
div#myDiv:hover {  
    transform: skew(20deg) scale(1.5) ;  
}  
  
img {  
    margin-left: 100px;  
    height: 100px;  
    width: 100px;  
}  
  
img:hover {  
    transform: rotate(-50deg) ;  
}  
</style>
```

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