

## **Lesson 8: “Introduction to HTML”**

### **OVERVIEW**

1. What is HTML?/ Definition of terms.
2. Basic Tags
3. HTML format

### **CLASSROOM PREPARATION & MATERIALS**

- PC or MAC with a text editor and internet browser

### **TRAINER TECHNICAL PREPARATION**

- Review accompanying handout

### **KEY CONCEPTS**

- HTML definition and terms
- Basic tags and how to layout an HTML page
- How to create a basic html page using a text editor

### **SUGGESTED AGENDA (90 minutes)**

- 50 minutes: Introduction to HTML lesson I.  
40 minutes: Activity I: Portfolio site homepage

### **ACTIVITIES**

#### **Activity #1: Portfolio site home page**

**Time: 40 minutes**

After learning basic HTML definitions and tags, students will create a basic “About me” page, using the skills they have learned. The page will include a title, headline, and 2-3 paragraphs about the student (their personal statement will be a great addition to this page as well) . The page will use bold or italic text styles, a background, color scheme, and multiple headers with different font styles if necessary. We will then save the file using proper naming conventions and test it on the browser, making changes if desired.

### **SUPPLEMENT MATERIALS**

- Introduction to HTML handout

### **REFERENCES**

- None