

Welcome to Techs in the City. I'm Walter Gajewski from the Office of Academic Technology at the California State University, Long Beach.

Today's episode: Creating a Web Page Using Adobe Contribute (part one, Getting Started). The first time we use Contribute for our home page

we're going to have to create a new website connection -- so I'll click here. We aren't dealing with a pre-existing site so I'm

going to click NEXT at this dialog box. On this campus your address is <http://www.csulb.edu>, slash, tilde, followed by your email user ID. And then you can click NEXT. We connect with FTP on this campus.

I'm going to select FTP, fill in the campus ftp server -- <ftp.csulb.edu>.

My ftp user name, on this campus, is the same as my campus email user name and, as you might have guessed,

my ftp password is the same as my campus email password. Now I can click NEXT.

I'll put my name in here. I can put any email address in here. I'm going to use my campus address

and click NEXT.

If this looks good, I can click DONE.

Contribute is notifying me that there is no home

page here so I'm going to click on NEW to create a new home page. I can use one of the starter pages. I'm going to open this folder by clicking on the plus, come down to Higher Education, select one of these, open up the Faculty folder,

and we're going to select Faculty Home Page for now. We can add others later. The title right now will be my name

and I can click on OK.

Here's the starter page with some place holder information.

I can replace "Faculty Name Here" with my actual name by highlighting that and typing my name.

Similarly, I can highlight "Department" and

start typing the actual name of my department.

We can replace everything in here eventually but right now I'm going to publish this as it is, with some of this place holder information still here.

I'm going to click on the publish button. I'm notified that there are no links that take people to this page.

That's OK for now. Click YES. On this campus, the home page of your website has to have a file name of `index.html`. Now I can click on Publish.

And I'm congratulated. We have it. We have a newly published home page. I'll take a look at it.

I'm back in my web browser. Remember that the address is www.csulb.edu/~ and that's followed by your email user name.

Now I can hit ENTER. There it is. There's my newly published web page.

Thanks for watching and see you next time.