Inclusive Design: Access for All

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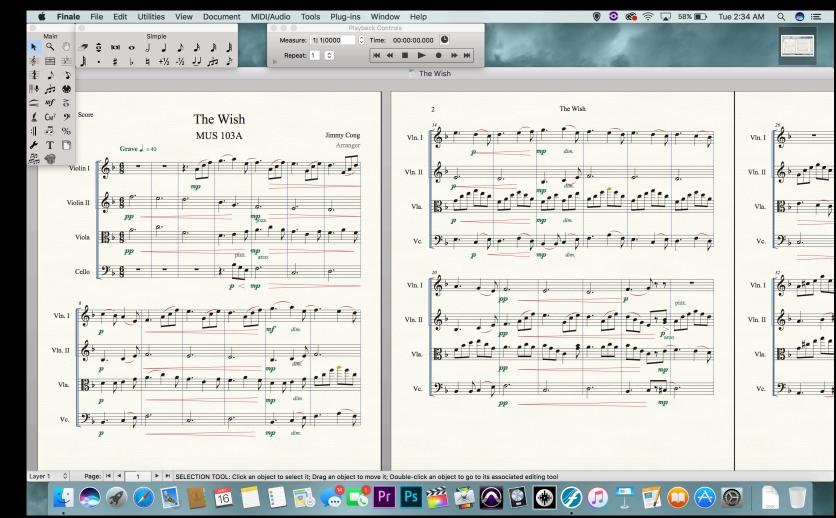
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Use Industry Standard Technology

- Stability
- More support
- More jobs

Notation Programs





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Screenreader Demo

Screenreaders

- Navigate Linearly
- No spatial recognition
- No default software accessibility

Software Demo

Apple Final Cut Pro/Serato DJ Pro

Linear Navigation

- No drag and drop
- No mouse hovering
- "Click here" isn't helpful

How can you help?

- Keep accessibility in the mind from the start of projects
- Avoid complex designs
- Label buttons and objects with descriptive tags

Accessibility at a Glance

- Quick Test: Can you navigate the site/application using the keyboard?
- Use headings to structure content
- Use descriptive hyperlinks
- Describe images or graphics

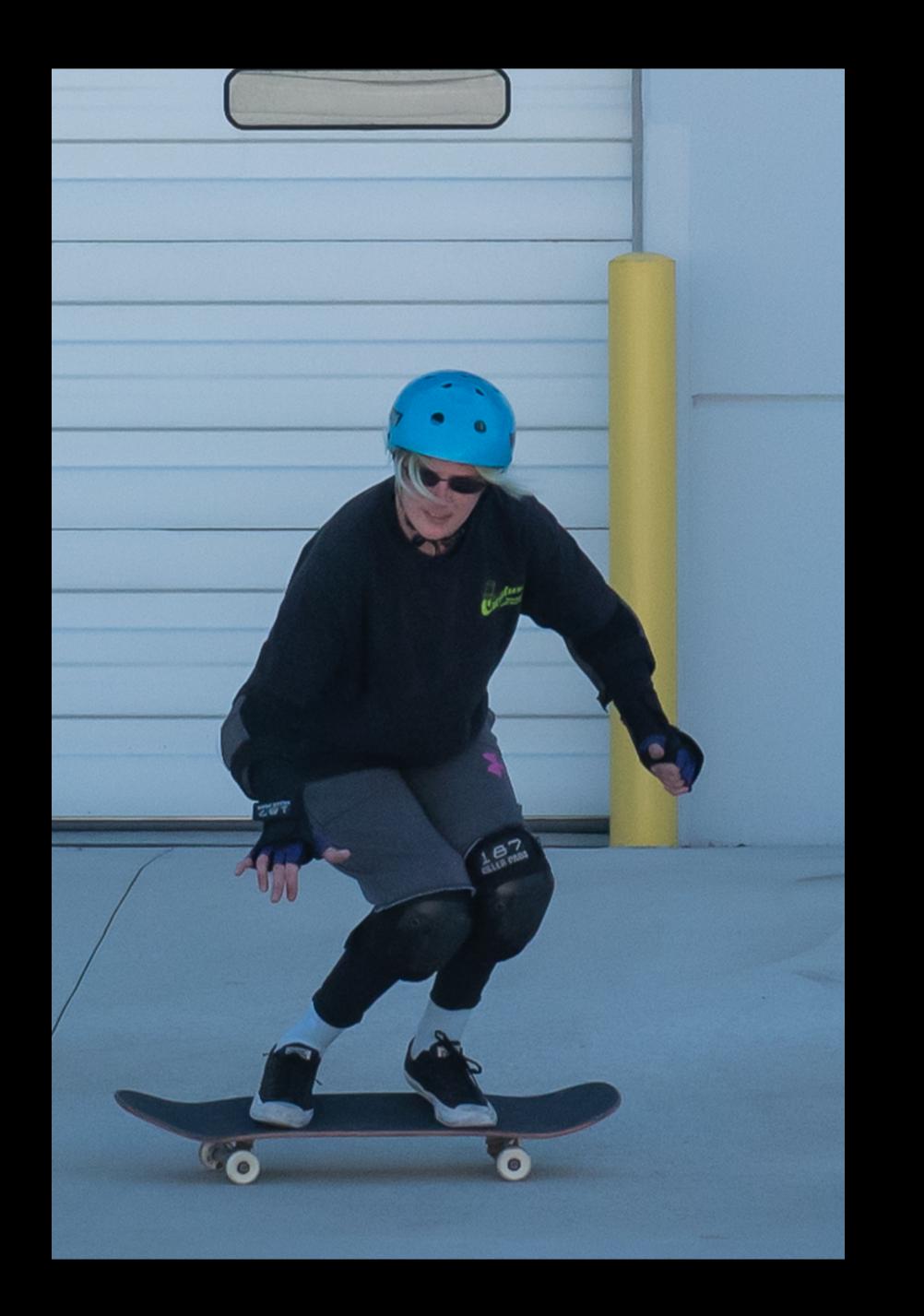
Accessibility is Essential

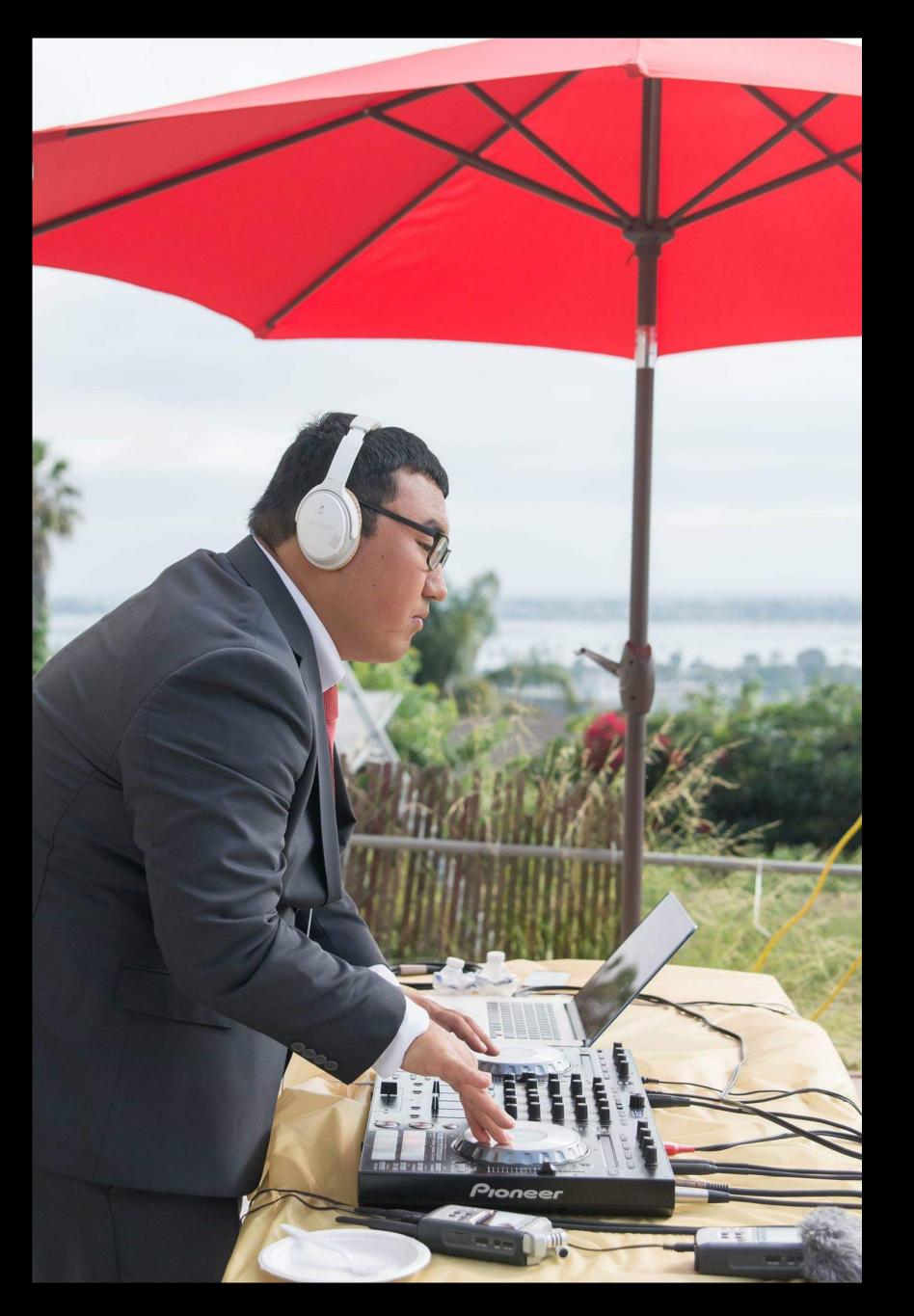
- More employment opportunities for people with disabilities
- More social engagement and participation by people with disabilities
- Accessibility is good for everyone... improving accessibility provides a better user experience for everyone

"The power of the Web is in its universality. Access by everyone regardless of disability is an essential aspect."

-Tim Berners-Lee, W3C Director and inventor of the World Wide Web

Q&A





Links & Resources

- Apple: https://developer.apple.com/accessibility/
- Library: http://lib.ucsd.edu/webaccessibility
- Office for Students with Disabilities: http://osd.ucsd.edu
- GAAD: https://library.ucsd.edu/news-events/events/2019gaad/