



JOHN Manual – Features and tools
A development by Themedutch

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01. How to install theme John Hill

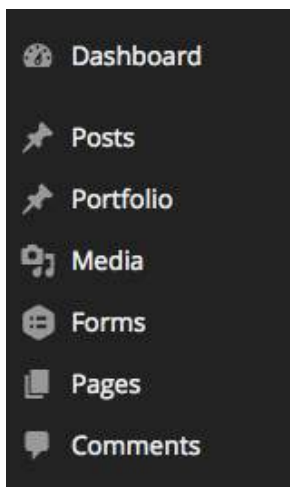
After purchasing theme JOHN, your download contains a zip-file with the file name: “**John – unzip me please**”.

Installing theme JOHN.

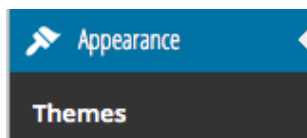
You can install JOHN using several methods. We use the easiest and fastest approach though, and this is via your Wordpress dashboard.

1. Access your Wordpress account, and login.

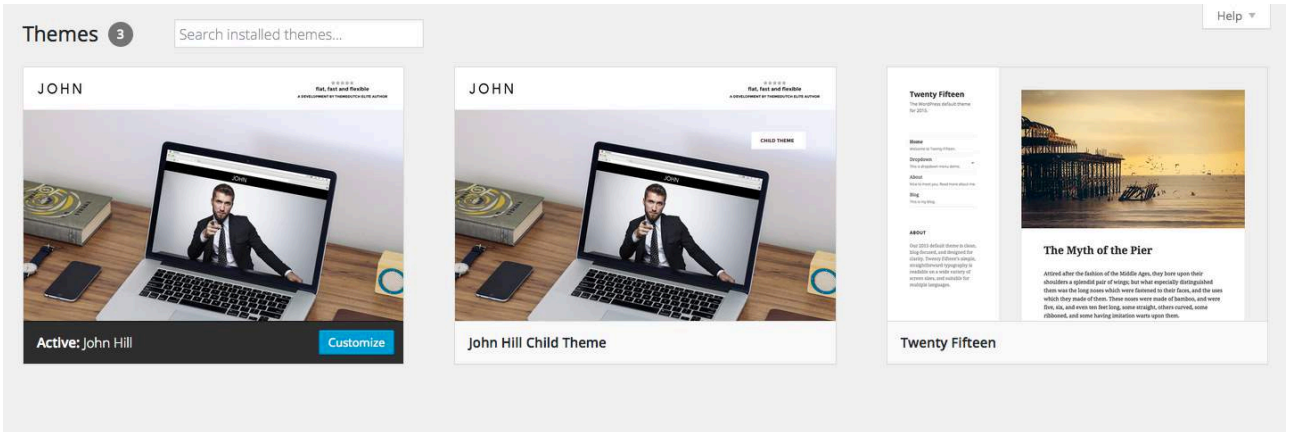
Once you’ve logged in, you’ll be directed to the dashboard.



2. Go to **Appearance** and click **Themes**.



3. Click the **Add New** tab.
4. Next, hit **Upload**.
5. Still remember the JOHN folder you unzipped earlier? **Click the Browse button, locate the said John unzipped folder and then select it.**
6. Click **Install Now**.
7. Wait for the installation to finish and then hit **Activate** link. Then you’ll see this screen.

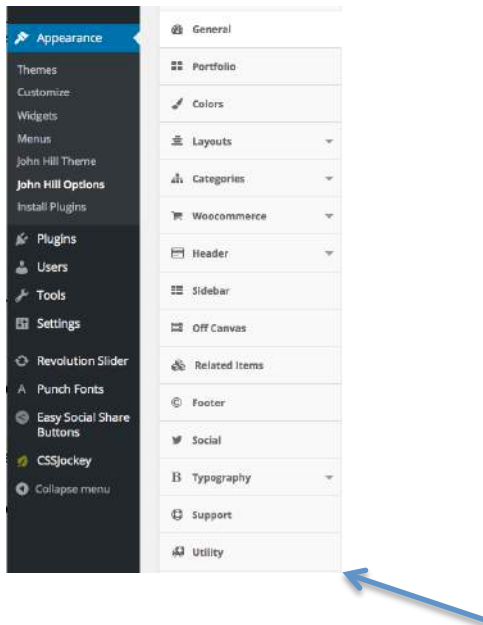


NOTE:

Theme JOHN is now activated. Read the messages, which appear on your dashboard carefully, because they provide important info about “required and recommended plugins” for theme JOHN. The Revolution Slider WP plugin is built-in, and only needs to be activated.

02. How to install dummy content.

The tab “Utility” within **John Hill Options** is created for importing Dummy Content, and/or export your JOHN theme options.



IMPORTANT NOTICE: 1

Importing dummy content ‘may take some time. Installing dummy content will not cause problems if you have “good quality hosting”. In some cases the dummy content will not work, for example if you really have bad hosting.

(You will also need to import the Revolution Slider demo content if you want to make use of the Revolution Sliders) See the JOHN Unzip me please file.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 2

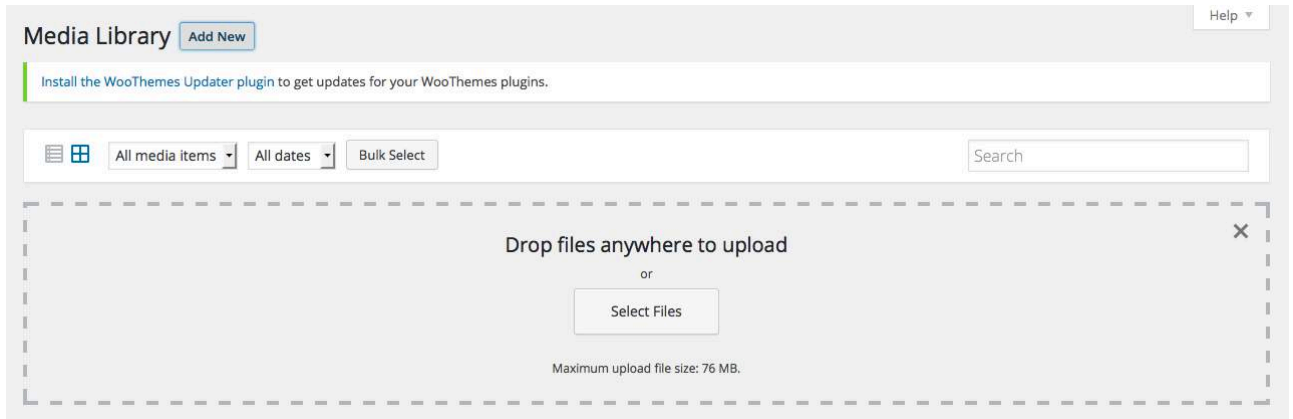
1. After installing ‘dummy content’ you need to assign menus to the main and footer areas. Set your home page via Settings / Reading.

2. Sidebars and Widgets are not included in the dummy content. These you’ll have to create yourself. You can read in the manual how to create Sidebars and Widgets.

3. When installing all Plugins that come with the theme, ensure that no other caching Plugins are installed/activated.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 3

Before installing 'dummy content' you need to check if your Media Library has a Maximum Upload file size of at least: 75 MB. If this not the case for example only 8 MB, the dummy content will not work!

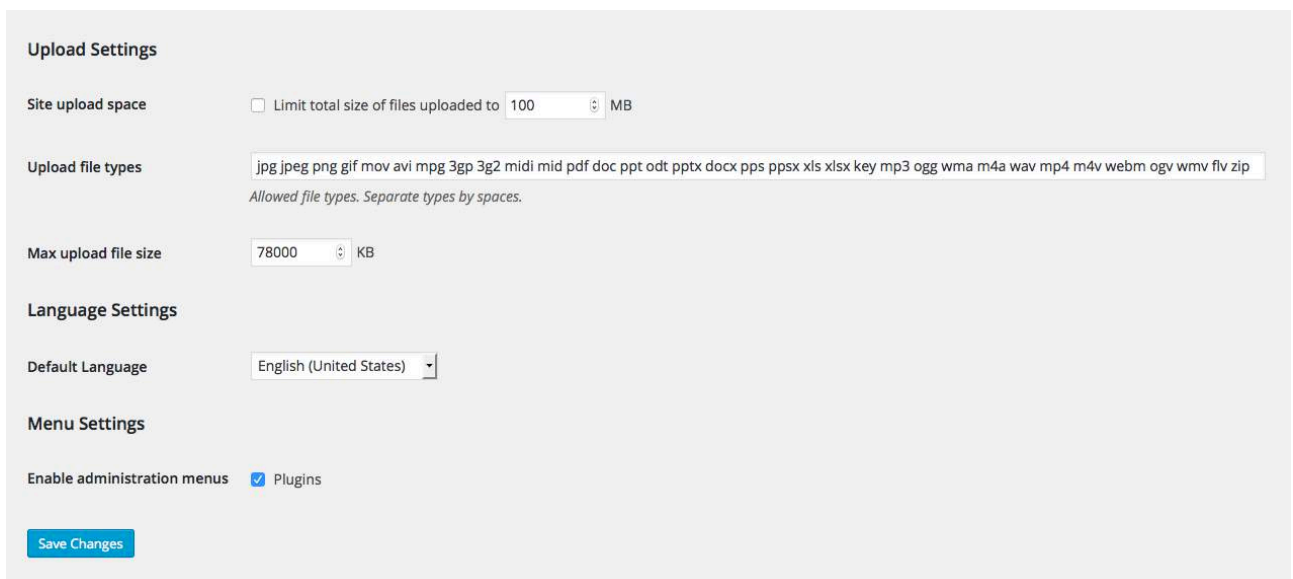


How to increase the Maximum Upload file size?

add this to top of wp-config.php
`define('WP_MEMORY_LIMIT', '75M');`

Multi Site Maximum Upload file size?

In case of a Multi site setup go to the Network settings/ Upload settings / Max upload file size.



IMPORTANT NOTICE: 4

All the content from the John Main Demo is included in you're theme files. This is the best way for having a flawless installation. We have not included the other demos, and when you install one of the other demos, then the content and images will be downloaded direct from our server. This may take some time, despite we have created the other demos as small as possible.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 5

We've made sure that our demo installer will work on most hosting platforms. We are not responsible for installation problems caused by you're server or settings though. It is a time consuming process if we need to check you're server settings and sometimes we even need to discuss this with the hosting provider. Therefore we offer Installation services that are available via our website.

Import Dummy content.

Hit the button 'Install Dummy Content' if you would like to install the official JOHN preview website's content.

The screenshot shows the WordPress admin dashboard with the 'Appearance' menu expanded. The 'Utility' option is selected. The 'Utility' page has a 'Save Changes' button at the top right. It contains sections for 'EXPORT/IMPORT' (Import and Export options), 'DUMMY CONTENT' (Install Dummy Content with a dropdown menu and 'Install Dummy' button), and 'RESTORE DEFAULT' (Restore Default Options with a 'Restore Default' button). A warning message states: '** The import process might take some time. Please do not close your browser.' Another warning message states: '** Please make sure you have already make a backup data of your current settings. Once you click this button, your current settings will be gone.' A 'Save Changes' button is at the bottom right.

Important! All used photo material is copyright protected.

The images used in our preview website are intended for example purposes only. As they're copyright protected, you need to remove them from your media section, before your website goes online. We thank you for your understanding.

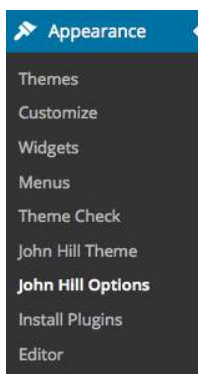
03. JOHN HILL Options – Theme Info

The John Hill Options panel is one of JOHN’s most useful and powerful tools. Besides regular WP features, it contains almost all theme’s controls, settings, options and functionalities.

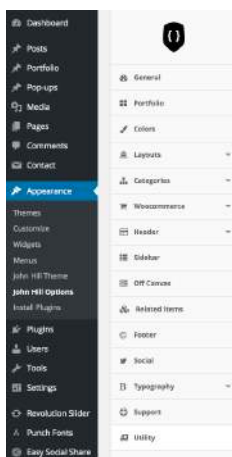
TIP:

If you’re using theme JOHN for the first time, we strongly advice to focus on the John Hill Options Panel first. Learn all about its options and features.

To access JOHN’s Option Panel, select **Appearance** menu and then select **John Hill Options**



JOHN Option Panel contains ‘settings for most theme features’. In here, you can change/set JOHN Options: General, Portfolio, Colors, Layouts, Categories, Woocommerce, Header, Sidebar, Off Canvas, Related Items, Footer, Social, Typography, Support and Utility.



NOTE:

John Hill Options tool ‘Utility’ can be used for installing dummy content, importing and/or exporting your JOHN Options from file, text or URL.

04. John Hill Options – General

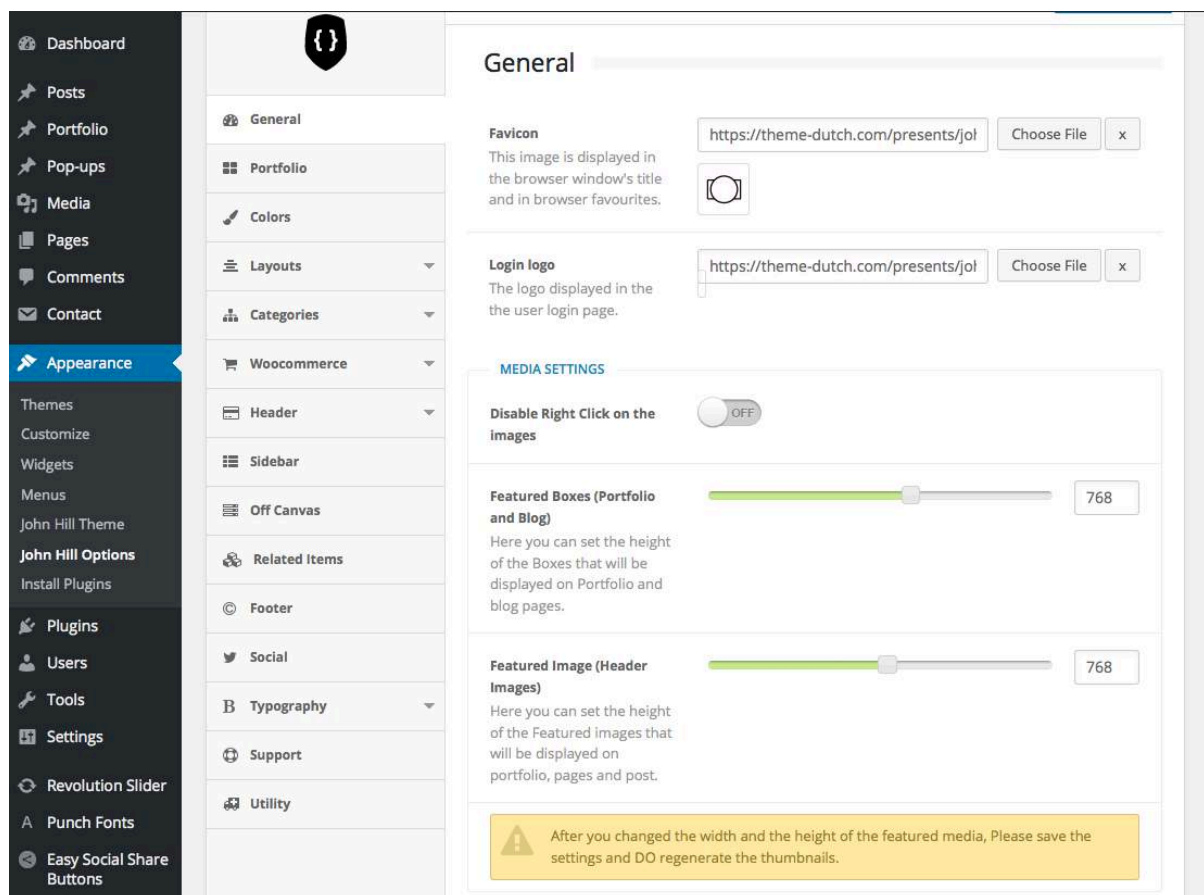
Let's start with the tab **General** theme options. In here you can upload your Favicon, Login Logo, Media Settings, *Media Overlay, Breadcrumbs, Page Loader, Custom CSS Code, Tracking Code, and custom JS Code. All settings are self-explanatory.

NOTE:

*Media Overlay. This option allows you to create a "dotted overlay" on top of your images in order to **speed up the loading time of your site**. You're even able to choose a specific color for background overlay.

This option prevents using the "swipe-effect" on mobile and tablets though.

Don't forget to read/follow the additional suggestions and info, and hit the button 'Save changes' when you're ready.



The screenshot shows the 'General' settings page for the John Hill theme. On the left is a dark sidebar menu with 'Appearance' selected. The main content area is titled 'General' and contains several sections:

- Favicon:** A text input field with the URL 'https://theme-dutch.com/presents/jol', a 'Choose File' button, and an 'x' button. Below it is a small square icon placeholder.
- Login logo:** A text input field with the same URL, a 'Choose File' button, and an 'x' button. Below it is a small square icon placeholder.
- MEDIA SETTINGS:** A section with a toggle switch for 'Disable Right Click on the Images' set to 'OFF'.
- Featured Boxes (Portfolio and Blog):** A slider control with a value of 768. Below the slider is a text box with the value 768. The description reads: 'Here you can set the height of the Boxes that will be displayed on Portfolio and blog pages.'
- Featured Image (Header Images):** A slider control with a value of 768. Below the slider is a text box with the value 768. The description reads: 'Here you can set the height of the Featured images that will be displayed on portfolio, pages and post.'

At the bottom of the settings area, there is a yellow warning box with an exclamation mark icon and the text: 'After you changed the width and the height of the featured media, Please save the settings and DO regenerate the thumbnails.'

- Pages
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- Easy Social Share Buttons
- CSSJockey
- Collapse menu

MEDIA OVERLAY

Background Overlay

Dotted Overlay Size

BREADCRUMBS

Display breadcrumbs

PAGE LOADER

Page Loader

CSS Code
Place your custom css styles here. If the CSS code is invalid, other CSS styles will not work as expected.

Tracking Code
Place your Google Analytics code snippet here and it will be included in every page.

JS Code
Place your custom javascripts here. If the JS code is invalid, other javascript libraries will not work as expected.

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jQuery(document).ready(function(){
});
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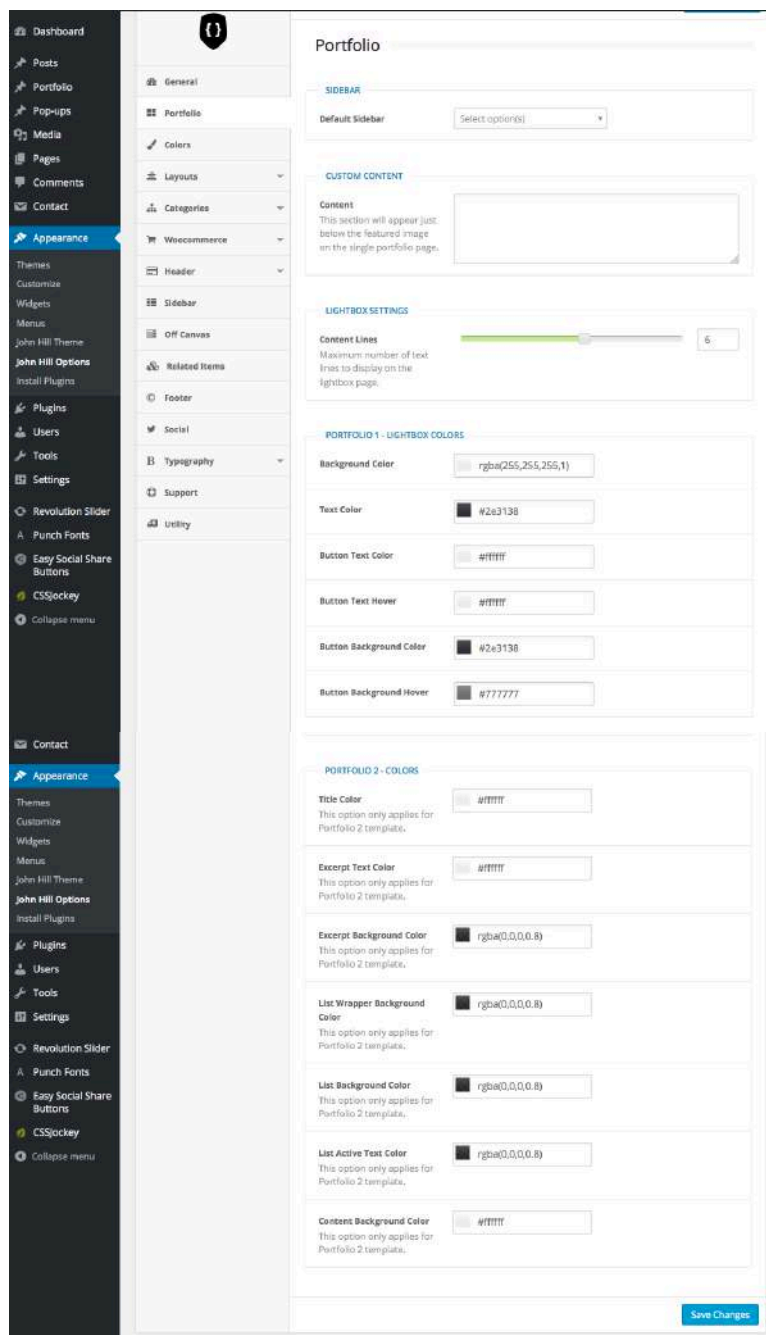
[Save Changes](#)

05. John Hill Options – Portfolio

Via the tab Portfolio you can create 'general' settings for all portfolio pages. All color settings are self-explanatory.

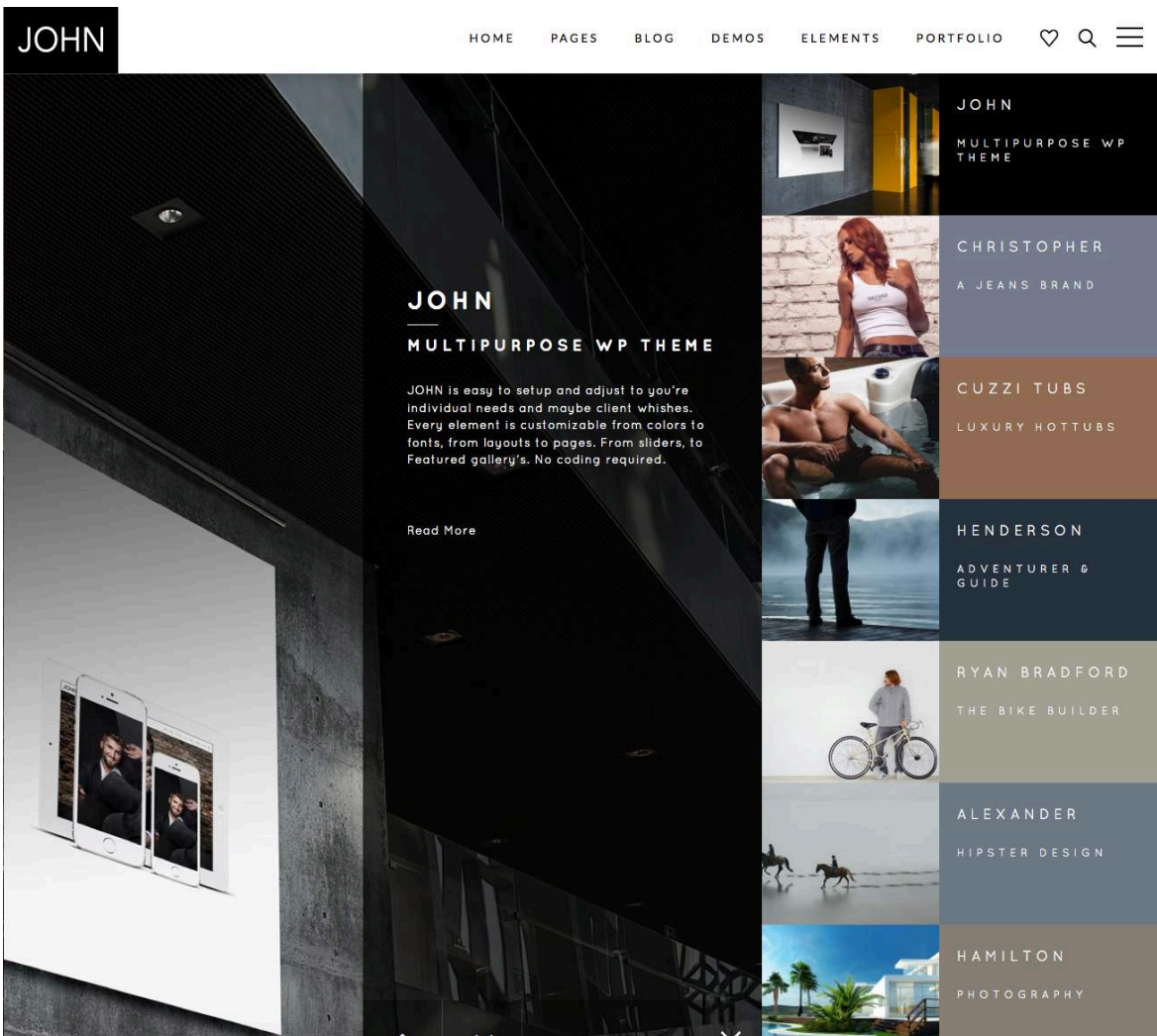
On 'single portfolio pages' you're able to customize all 'PORTFOLIO 2' template colors and make it look like our Home Page Portfolio example. We'll explain how to do this.

Example general settings portfolio

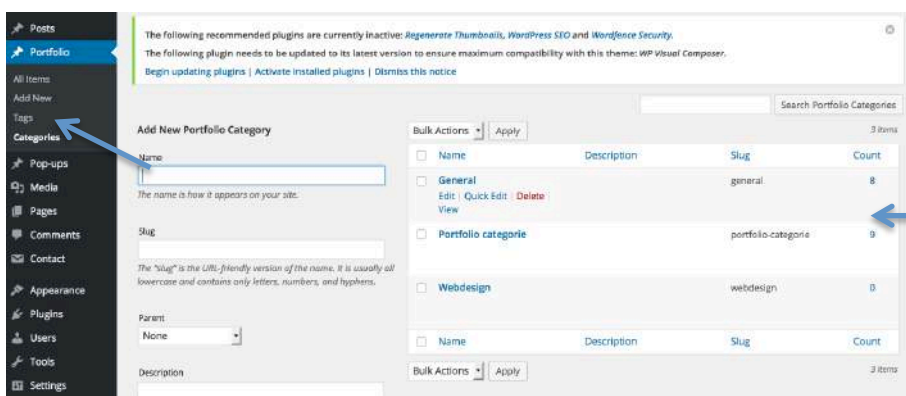


Example portfolio 2 template (Home page portfolio)

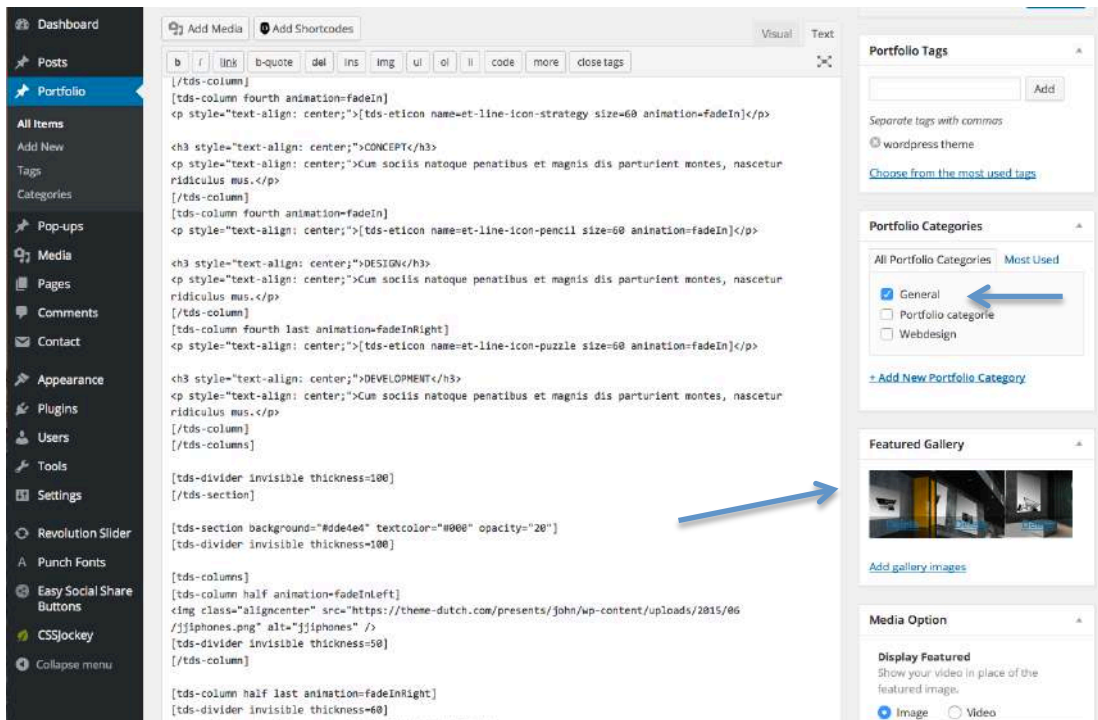
link demo: <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/>



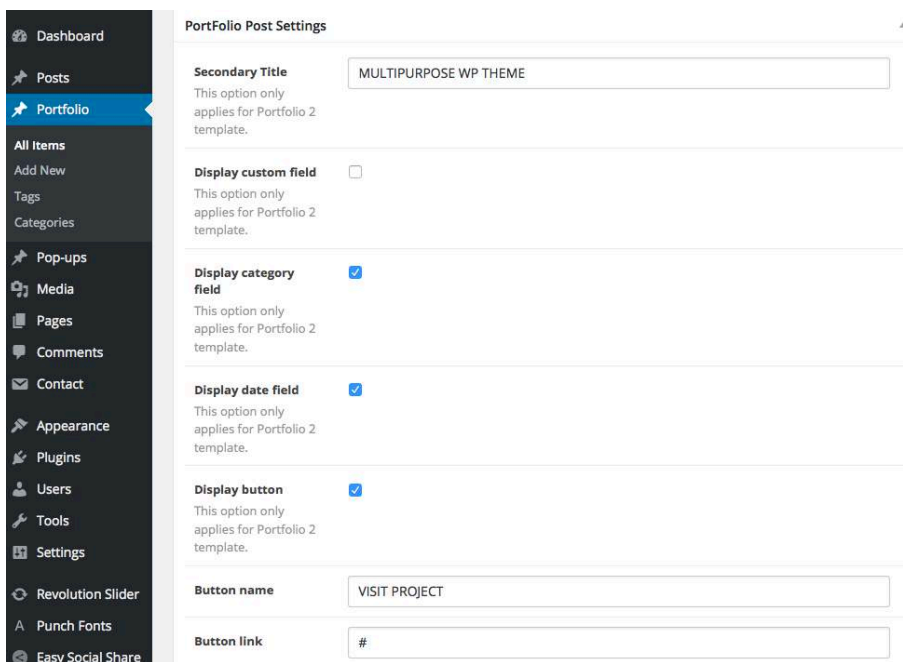
1. Create a category for your home page portfolio; we created category 'General' for John's home page portfolio (portfolio 2 template).



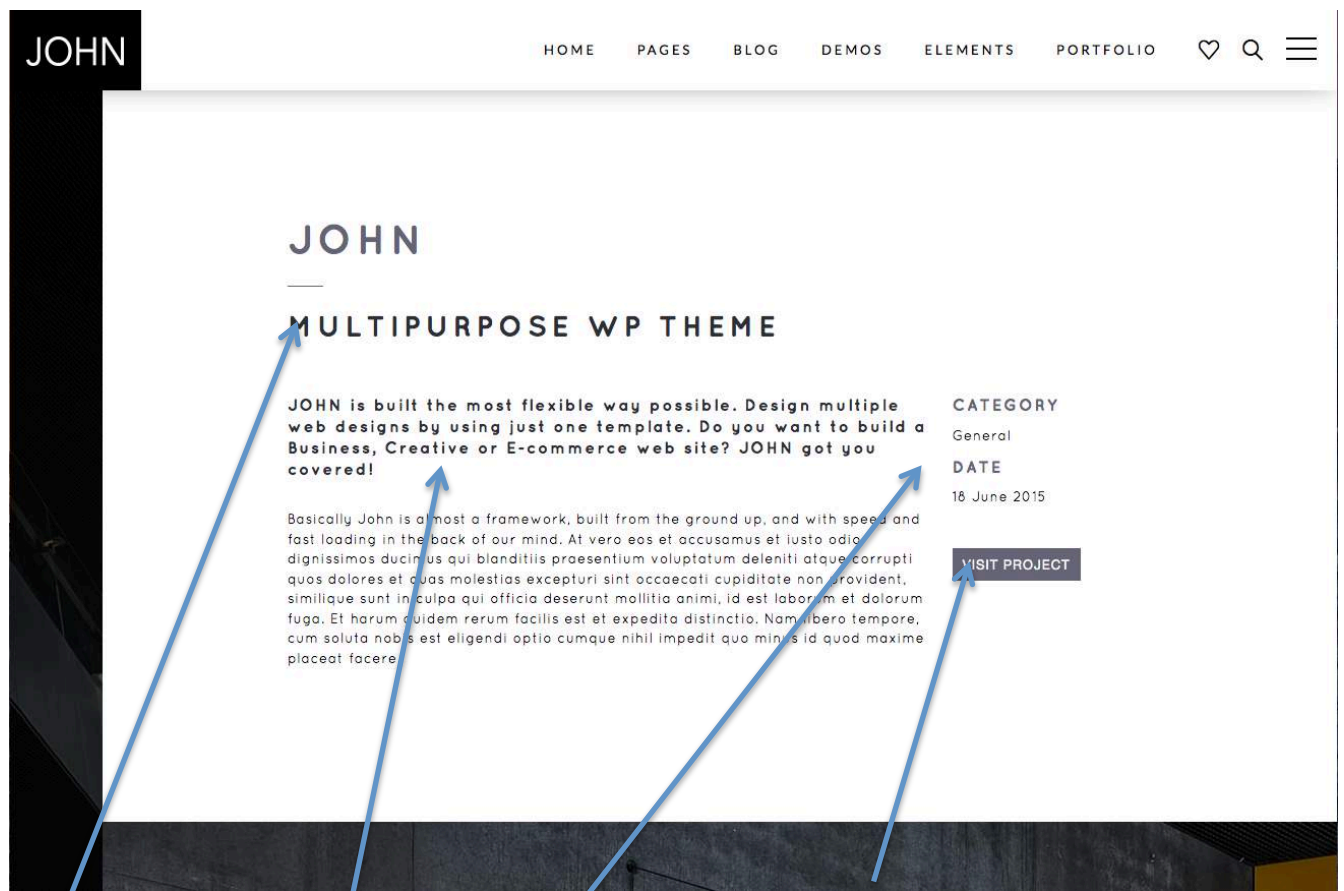
2. Create single portfolio pages including 'your content' for each portfolio-page and add a featured image or featured gallery. Don't forget to 'check' the Portfolio category (we use category General).



Via Portfolio Post Settings you're able to create settings that only apply for the **Portfolio 2 template** (like our home page portfolio example)

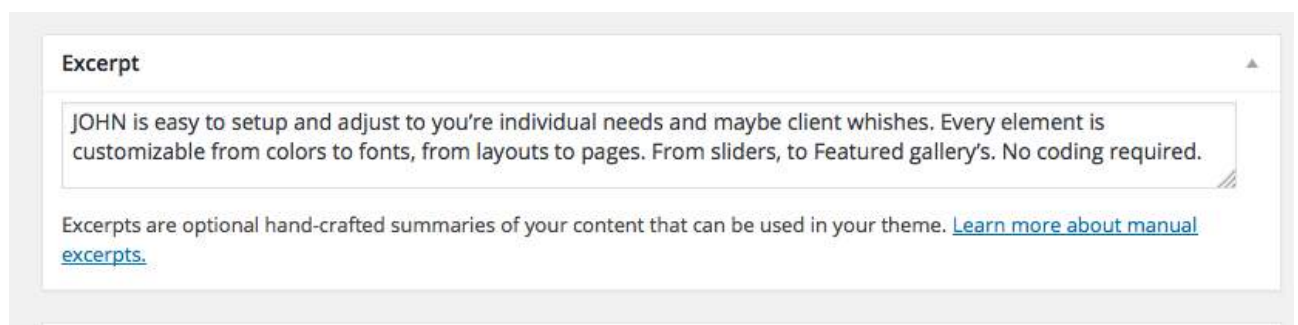


This is how this section looks like at the front-end of our 1st Portfolio Page 'JOHN'

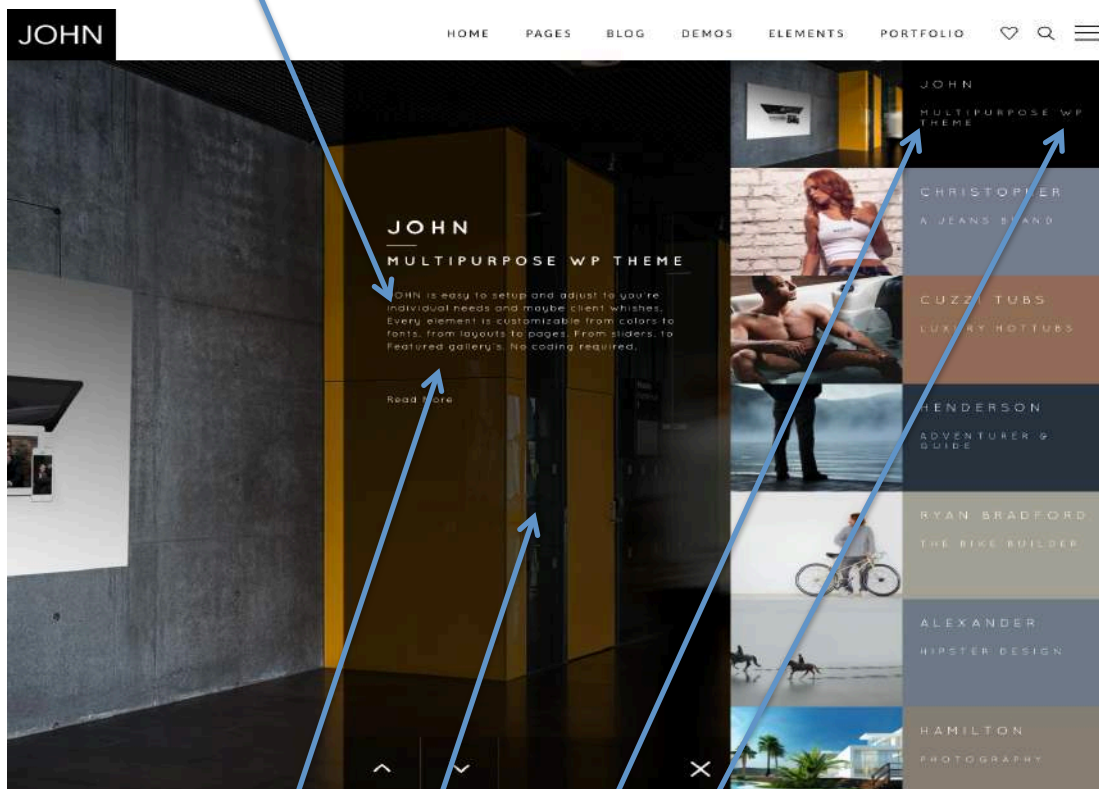


Secondary Title | Custom content | Category 'General' | Date & Button

The 'Excerpt text' will be visible on the home page portfolio category.



Excerpt text portfolio page 'JOHN'.



Title Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Excerpt Text Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Excerpt Background Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

List Background Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

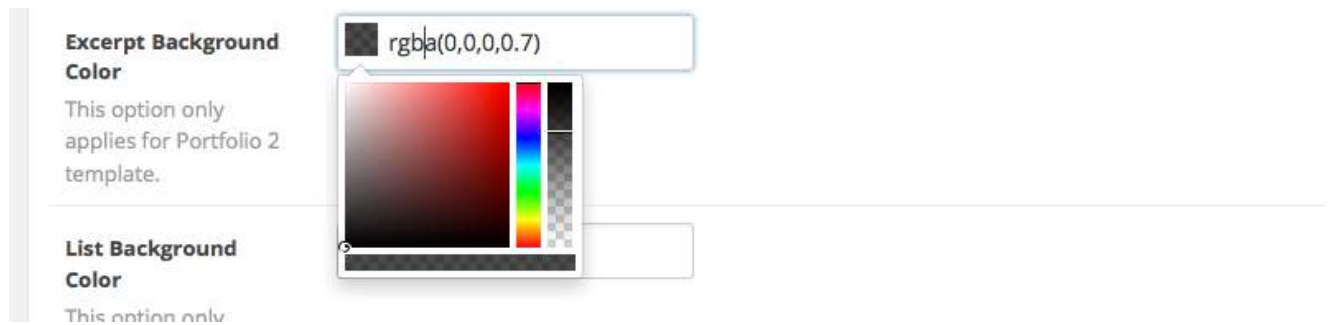
List Active Text Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Content Background Color
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

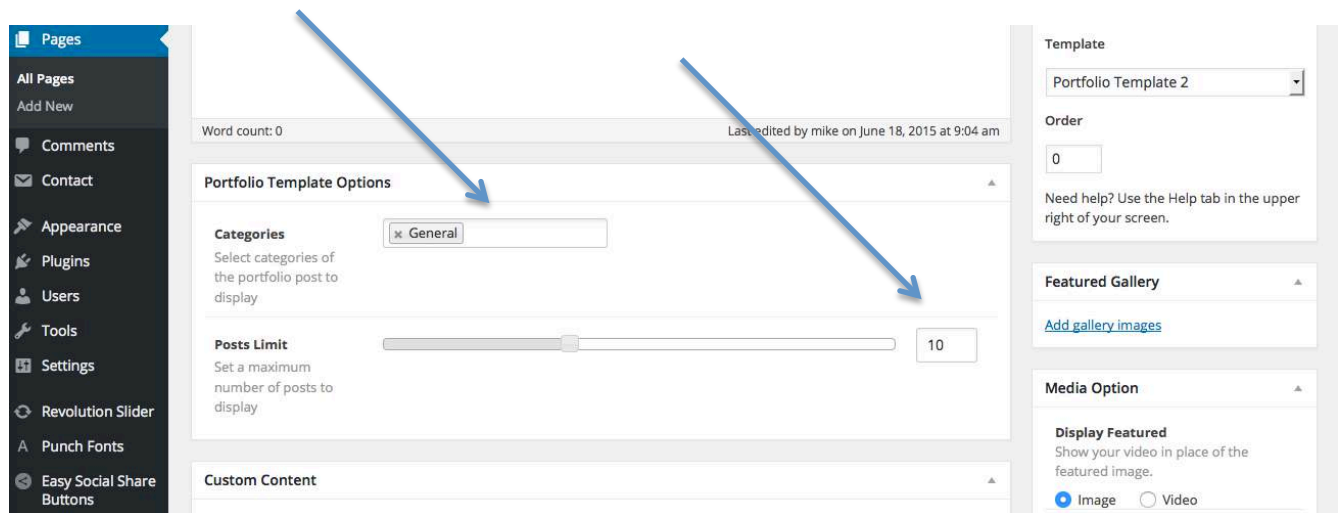
Sidebar
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

*Title color (page title) will be visible on the actual portfolio page.

Colors can be made transparent. This way you can create the 'effects' on the portfolio list items (list background color) on the home portfolio, and create a transparent background color for the 'excerpt text'. (Excerpt background color).



On your **home page** (portfolio) you can set the category for your home page portfolio and the number of portfolio posts you want to show. Select 'Portfolio Template 2' for your home.



06. John Hill Options – Colors

In this Module, you can change / set the theme's colors. (general, main content, sidebar, buttons, and all Heading titles. All settings are self-explanatory.

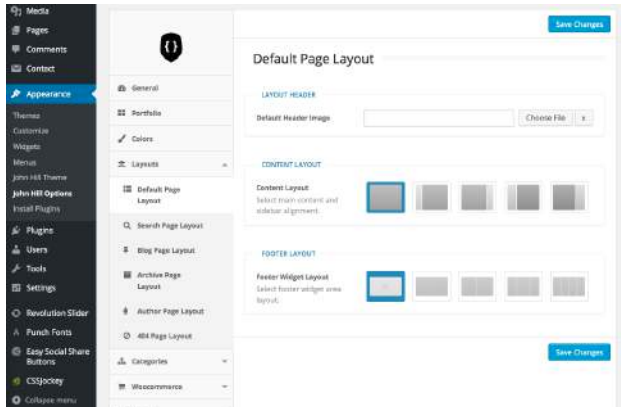
The screenshot displays the 'John Hill Options - Colors' settings page. The left sidebar menu includes: Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Pop-ups, Media, Pages, Comments, Contact, Appearance (highlighted), Themes, Customize, Widgets, Menus, John Hill Theme, John Hill Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Revolution Slider, Punch Fonts, Easy Social Share Buttons, CSSJockey, and Collapse menu. The central navigation pane lists: General, Portfolio, Colors (selected), Layouts, Categories, Woocommerce, Header, Sidebar, Off Canvas, Related Items, Footer, Social, Typography, Support, and Utility. The main content area is titled 'Colors' and is organized into four sections: GENERAL, MAIN CONTENT, SIDEBAR, and BUTTONS. Each section contains color selection fields for Background Color, Text Color, Link Color, and Link Hover, with their respective hex codes.

Section	Setting	Value
GENERAL	Background Color	#e0e0e0
	Text Color	#000000
MAIN CONTENT	Background Color	#ffffff
	Text Color	#000000
	Link Color	#000000
	Link Hover	#777777
SIDEBAR	Background Color	#f0f0f0
	Text Color	#2e3138
	Link Color	#2e3138
	Link Hover	#777777
BUTTONS	Text Color	#ffffff
	Text Color	#ffffff
	Background Color	#000000

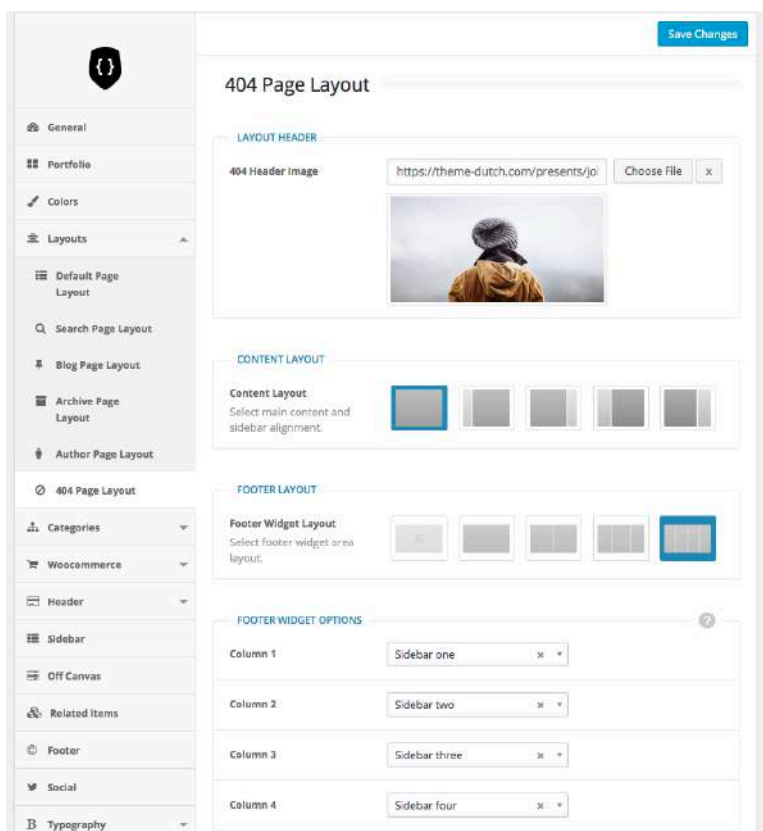
7. John Hill Options – Layouts pages

All settings are self-explanatory.

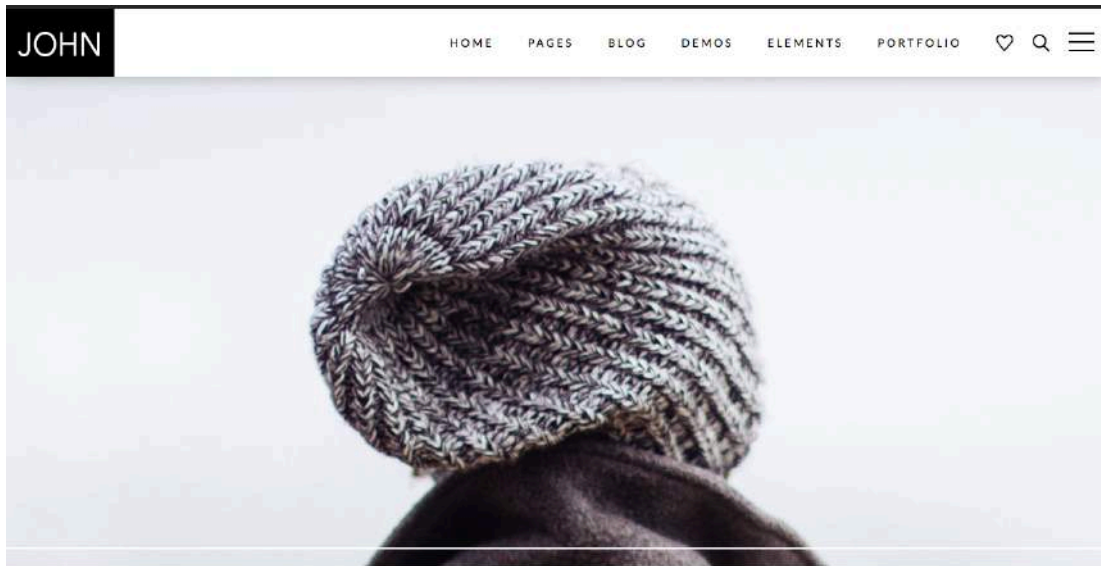
John Hill Options tool ‘Layouts’ provides ultimate freedom in designing your page layouts. Here you’re able to set a “default page layout” and different layouts for default and other pages, like: Search Page Layout, Archive Page Layout, Author Page Layout and 404 Page Layout. All settings are self-explanatory. Additional info is provided within the boxes.



Example 404 page (no sidebars / including 4 column footer widgets)

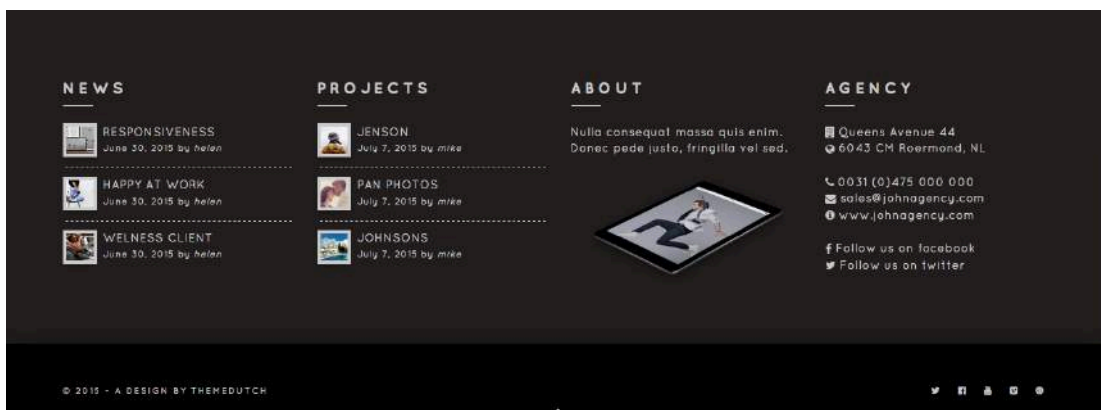


This is how it looks at the front-end of JOHN.



Oops! That page can't be found.

It looks like nothing was found at this location. Maybe try one of the links below or a search?

08. John Hill Options – Category Layout

This section allows you to create a special category layout. You're able to set a category header image, and select the layout for your content and footer (widget area). Set the custom layout to ON, and select the specific category. All settings are self-explanatory.

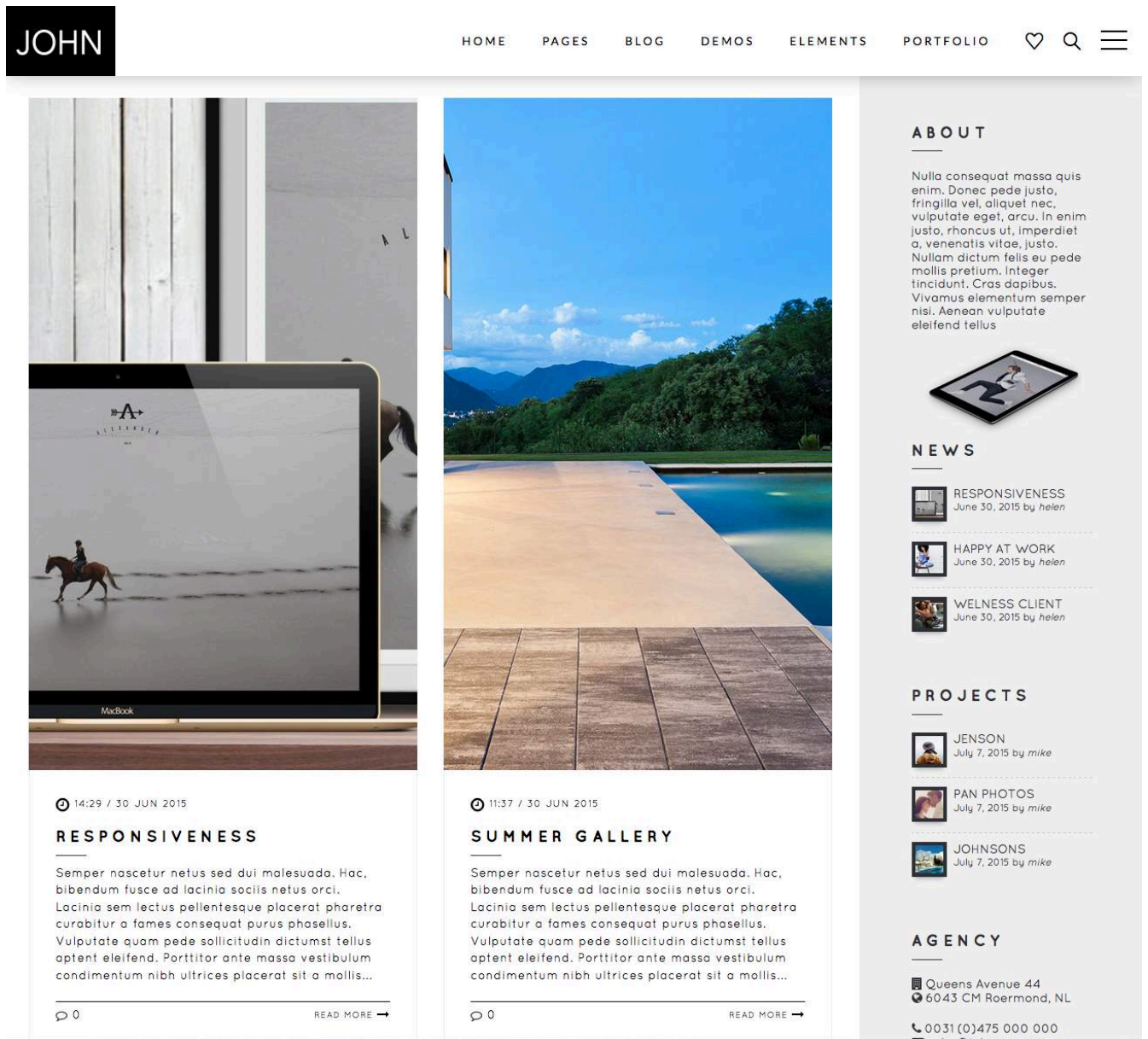
Example: Category Blog 2 columns

The screenshot shows the 'John Hill Options' settings page for the 'Blog 2 columns' category layout. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with categories like Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Pop-ups, Media, Pages, Comments, Contact, Appearance, Themes, Customizer, Widgets, Menus, John Hill Theme, John Hill Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Revolution Slider, A Punch Fonts, Easy Social Share Buttons, CSSJockey, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'Blog 2 columns' and includes several sections for configuration:

- LAYOUT HEADER:** A section for 'Blog 2 columns Header Image' with a 'Choose File' button and a close icon.
- CUSTOM CONTENT:** A section for 'Content' with a description: 'This section will appear just below the featured image on the single portfolio page.' and a large empty text area.
- CONTENT LAYOUT:** A section for 'Content Layout' with the instruction 'Select main content and sidebar alignment.' and five layout icons, where the second icon (two columns with sidebar on the right) is selected.
- COLUMN LAYOUT:** A section for 'Column Layout' with the instruction 'Select main column layout.' and four layout icons, where the second icon (two columns) is selected.
- SIDEBAR OPTIONS:** A section for 'Sidebar' with a dropdown menu set to 'Primary two' and a close icon.
- FOOTER LAYOUT:** A section for 'Footer Widget Layout' with the instruction 'Select footer widget area layout.' and five layout icons, where the first icon (a single widget area) is selected.

A 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the settings area.

This is how it looks like at the front-end



NOTE:

Sidebars (example sidebar: blog) can be created via John Hill Options - Sidebars.
Widgets (for sidebars en footers) can be created created via Appearance / Widgets.

This is an example of a Blog page looks at the front-end of theme John



09. John Hill Options – Woocommerce

All settings are self-explanatory.

This is the shop layout we choose for <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/demo02>

The screenshot displays the WordPress Admin Dashboard with the 'Appearance' menu selected. The 'Shop Layout' settings are visible, including options for Content Layout, Sidebar Options, Footer Layout, and Footer Widget Options. A 'Save Changes' button is present at the top right of the settings panel.

The following recommended plugins are currently inactive: *Contact Form 7*, *Revolution Slider*, *WordPress SEO* and *Wordfence Security*.
The following plugin needs to be updated to its latest version to ensure maximum compatibility with this theme: *WP Visual Composer*.
[Begin updating plugins](#) | [Activate installed plugins](#) | [Dismiss this notice](#)

Shop Layout Save Changes

CONTENT LAYOUT

Content Layout
Select main content and sidebar alignment.

SIDEBAR OPTIONS ?

Sidebar: x ▼

FOOTER LAYOUT

Footer Widget Layout
Select footer widget area layout.

FOOTER WIDGET OPTIONS ?

Column 1: x ▼

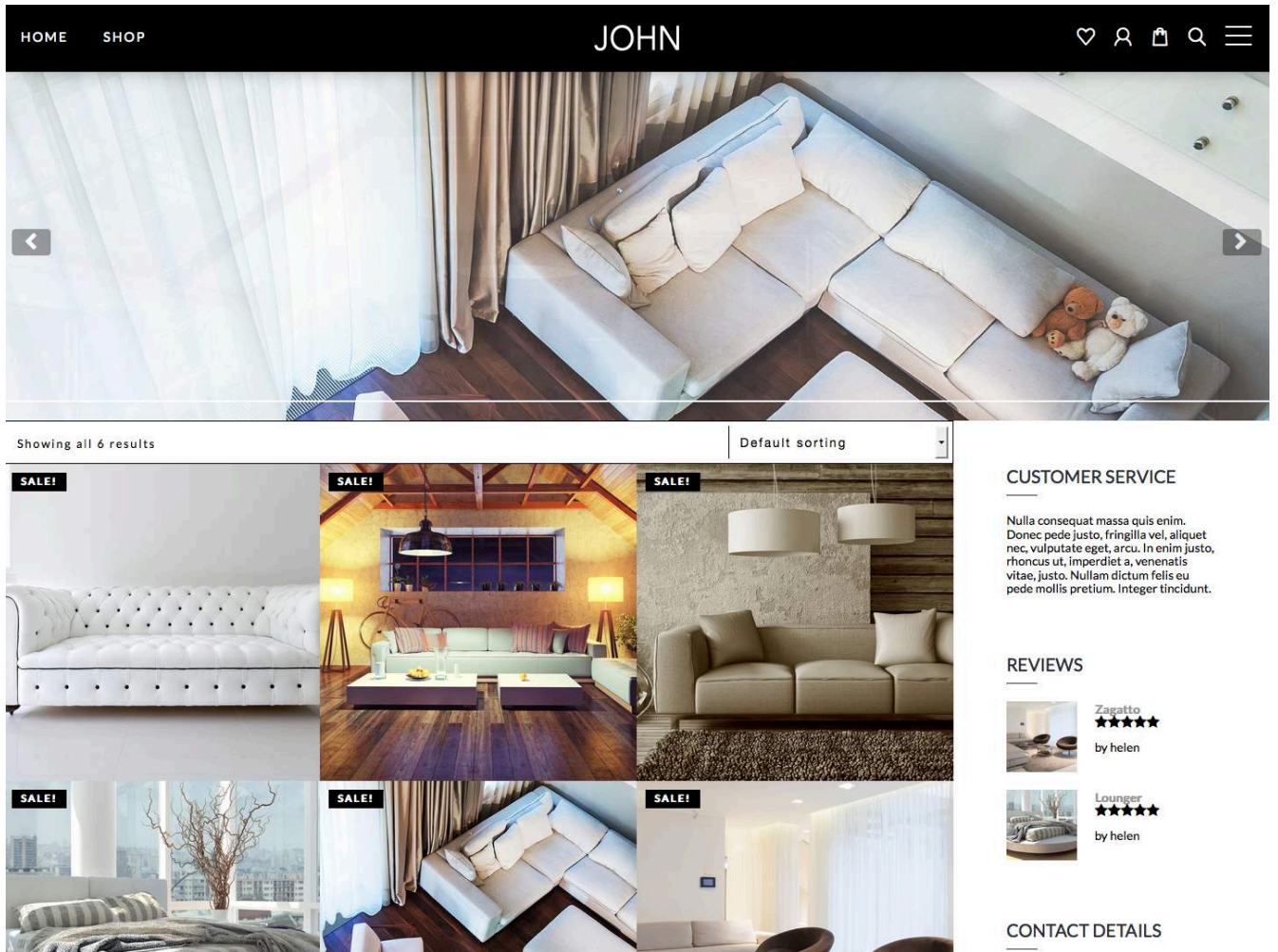
Column 2: ▼

Column 3: ▼

Column 4: ▼

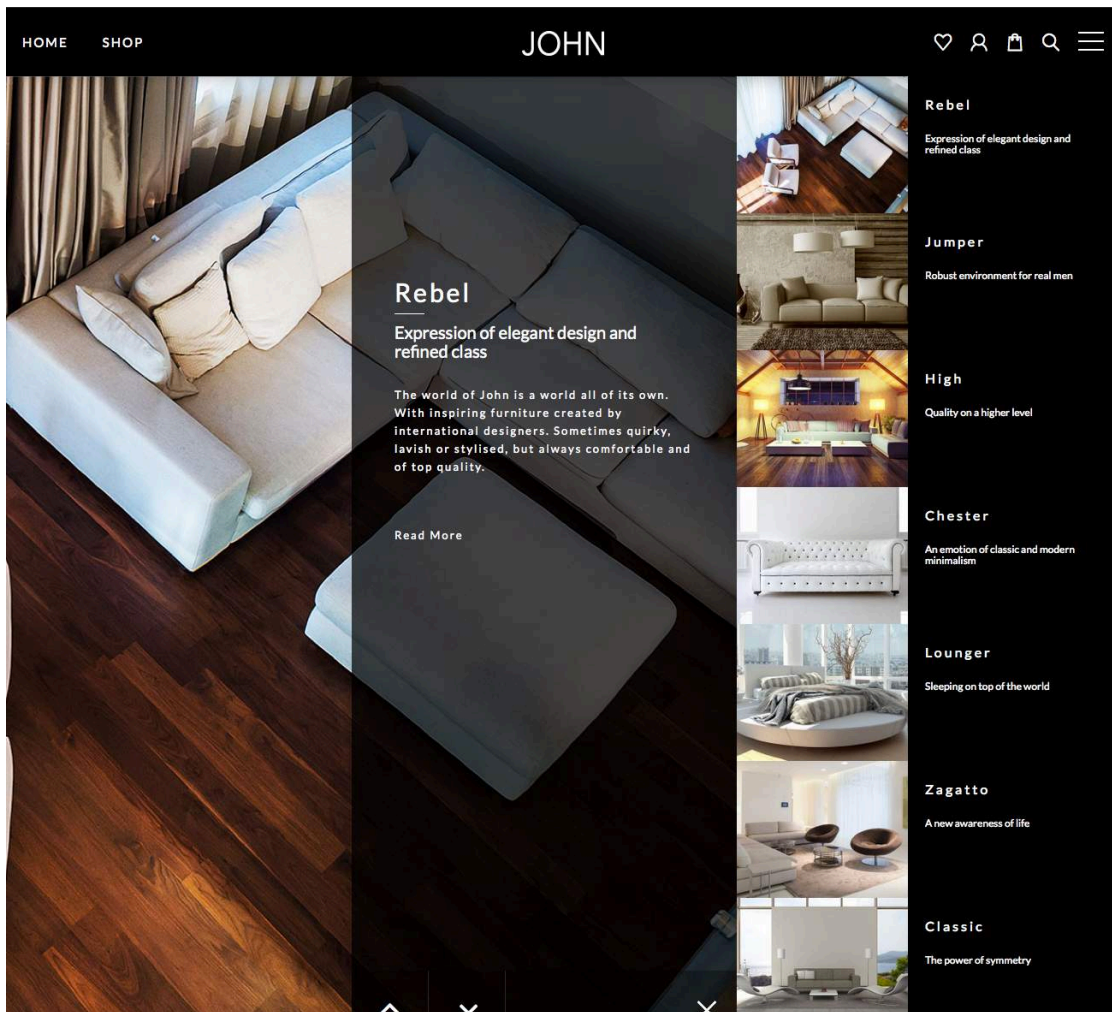
Save Changes

This is how it looks like at the front-end of John:
<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/demo02/shop/>



In this demo we've created a home page portfolio where we present all available products in the Woocommerce shop. We created Portfolio category 'furniture'. How to create a home page portfolio you can read in chapter 05 Portfolio.

This is an example of how the Woocommerce home page portfolio looks like.




All products we've created via Woocommerce / Products.

Name	SKU	Stock	Price	Categories	Tags	Date	Featured Image
Zagatto	006	In stock	£3,000 £1,899	furniture		2015/07/07 Published	
Lounger	005	In stock	£3,500 £2,399	furniture		2015/07/07 Published	
Chester	004	In stock	£5,999 £1,899	furniture		2015/07/07 Published	
High	003	In stock	£4,999 £1,399	furniture		2015/07/07 Published	
Jumper	002	In stock	£3,499 £2,099	furniture		2015/07/07 Published	
Rebel	001	In stock	£3,199 £2,899	furniture		2015/07/05 Published	

This is how a product page looks like at the front-end of John. <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/demo02/product/rebel/>

HOME SHOP JOHN ♥ 👤 🛒 🔍 ☰



SALE!

Home / furniture / Rebel

Rebel

~~£3,199.00~~ **£2,899.00**

Donec quam felis, ultricies nec, pellentesque eu, pretium quis, sem. Nulla consequat massa quis enim. Donec pede justo, fringilla vel, aliquet nec, vulputate eget, arcu. In enim justo, rhoncus ut, imperdiet a, venenatis vitae, justo.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REVIEWS (0)

Additional Information

Terms Of Delivery	<i>Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Aenean commodo ligula eget dolor. Aenean massa. Cum Sociis natoque penatibus et magnis dis parturient montes, nascetur ridiculus mus. Donec quam felis, ultricies nec, pellentesque eu, pretium quis, sem. Nulla consequat massa quis enim. Donec pede justo, fringilla vel, aliquet nec, vulputate eget, arcu.</i>
Warranty	<i>Phasellus viverra nulla ut metus varius laoreet. Quisque rutrum. Aenean imperdiet. Etiam ultricies nisi vel augue. Curabitur ullamcorper ultricies nisi. Nam eget dui. Etiam rhoncus.</i>
Delivery	<i>Between 8 and 10 weeks after ordering.</i>

SKU: 001. Category: furniture.

NOTE:

We refer to Woocommerce for support how to transform your website into a eCommerce store.

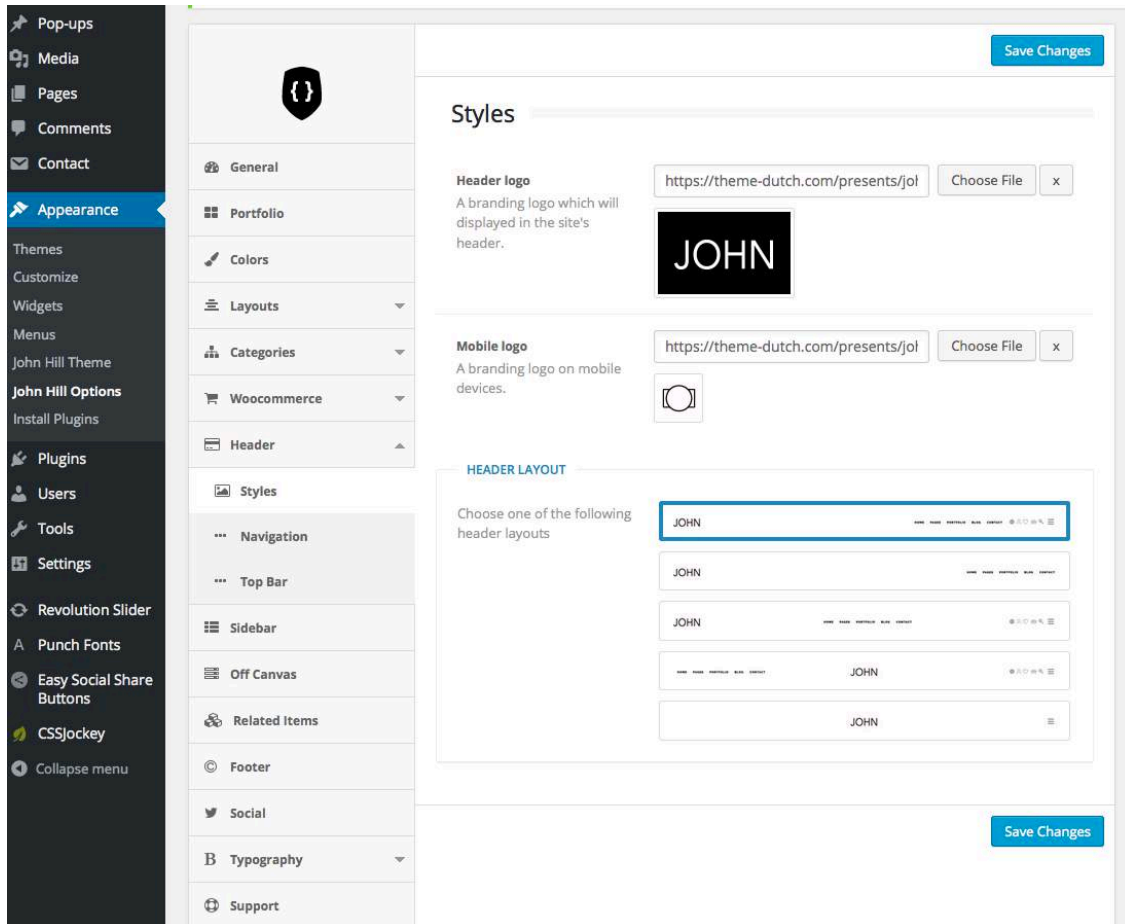
<https://support.woothemes.com/hc/en-us>

10. John Hill Options – Header

1. Styles:

In here you can set your header logo, mobile logo, background color, link color and link hover. All settings are self-explanatory.

There are several header layouts available in JOHN



2. Navigation:

Here you're able to set the colors for Hamburger, Icons, your Main menus and Sub and Secondary sub menus.

3. Top Bar:

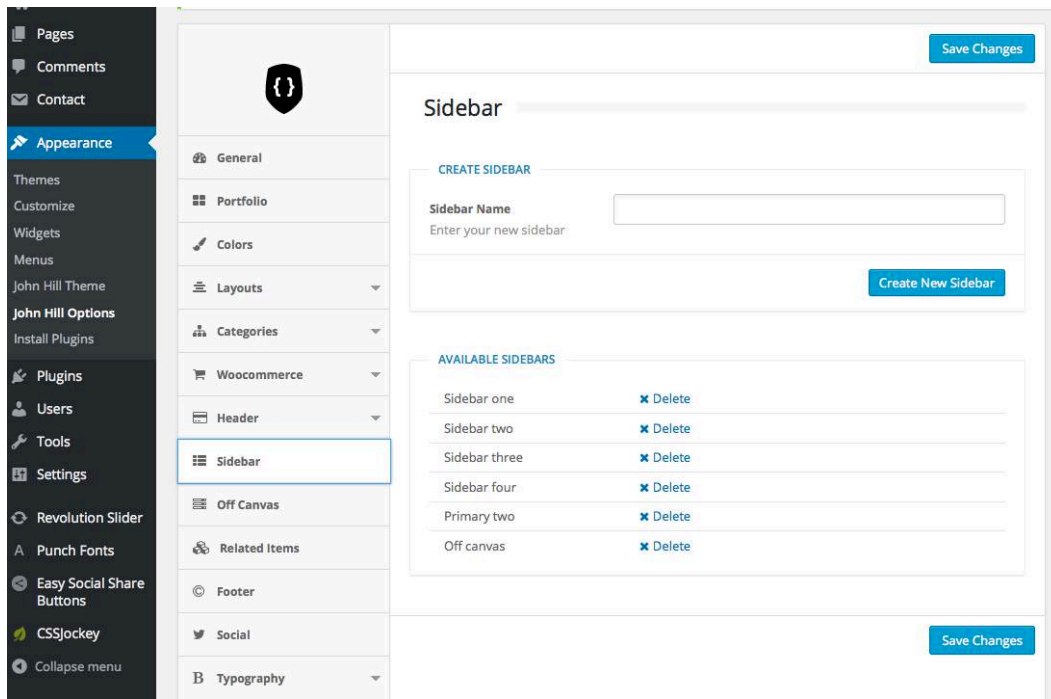
You're able to show a "SEARCH" in your top bar menu.

In here you can also set colors for Top Bar, Search button, and Social icons.

This is how it looks at the front-end of theme JOHN.
Social Icons

11. John Hill Options – Sidebar

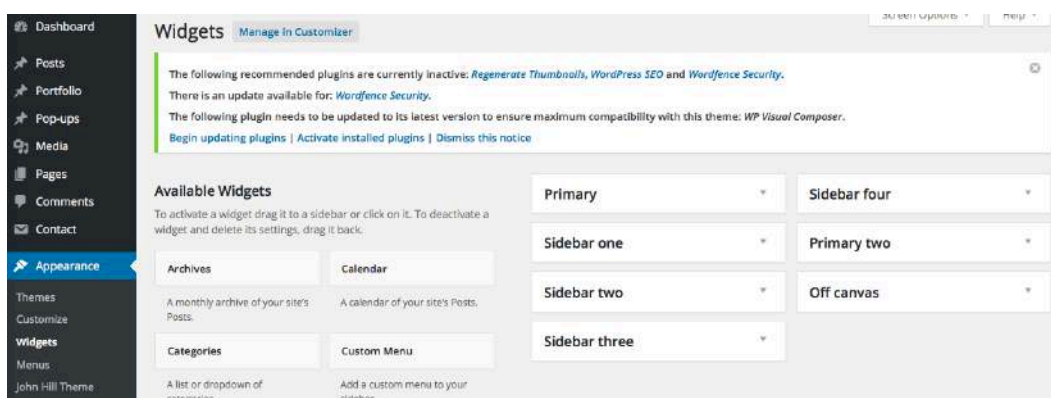
Here you're able to create your sidebar **“names”** (for usage on specific pages or sections). You can fill your sidebars with Widgets later on via Appearance / Widgets. Don't forget to hit changes once you're done.



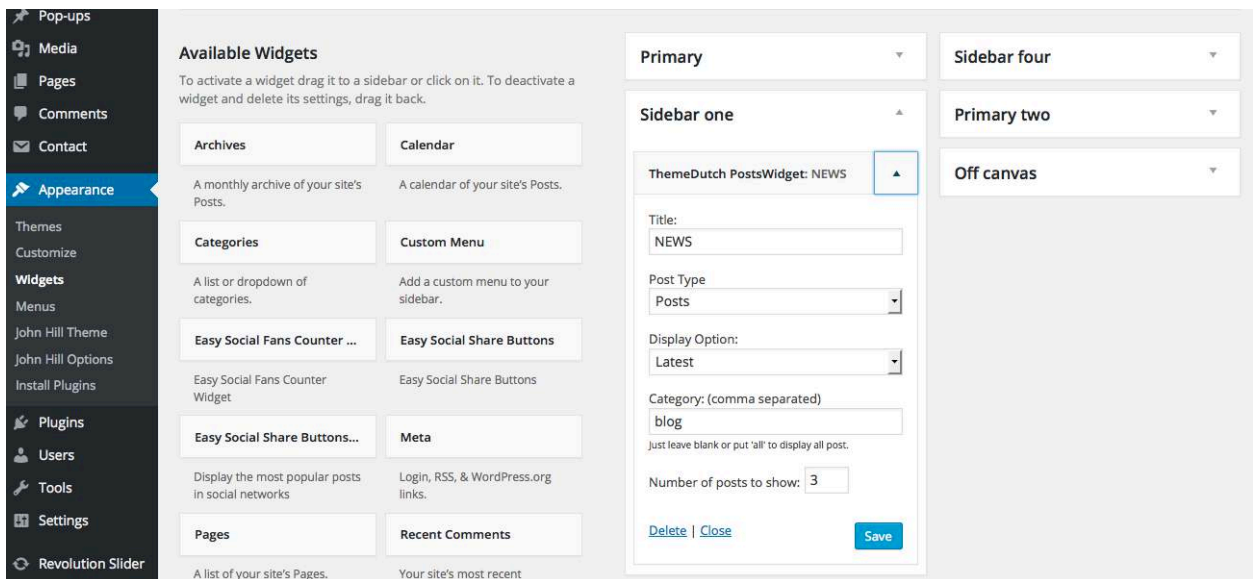
NOTE:

Prevent using punctuation marks when creating a sidebar's title. Don't use characters like: “, : _ and so on in your sidebars titles. Using these characters in titles can cause issues, that are not caused by the theme, but can be caused by conflicts with MsqL and other used programs.

Widgets Sidebars: via Appearance / Widgets



Drag and drop the necessary widgets to your 'assigned' sidebars at the right and fill them with text or any other html content (text, images, video's).



NOTE:

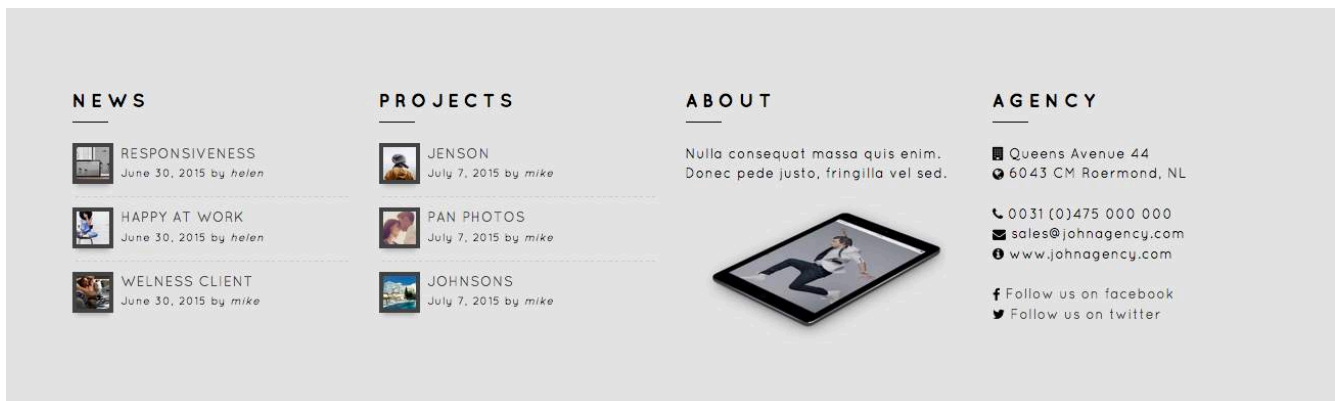
To know more about Wordpress Widgets (how to add and activate widgets, and learn about its use etc.) please read these tutorial pages:

https://codex.wordpress.org/WordPress_Widgets

<http://en.support.wordpress.com/widgets>

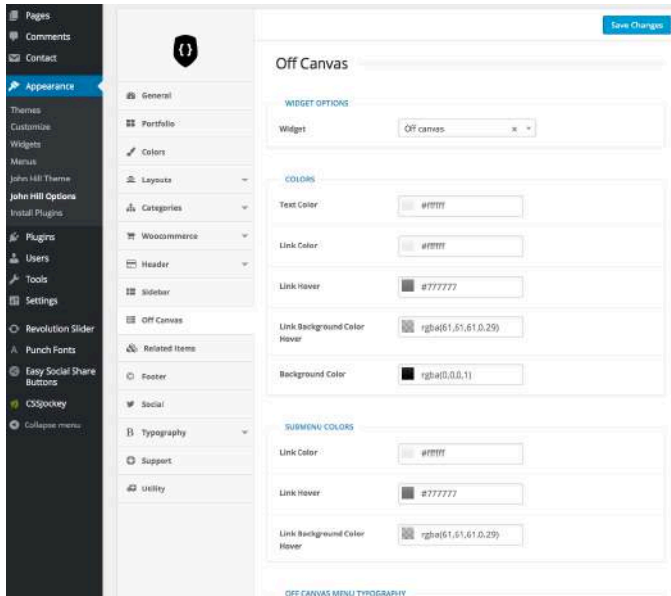
This is how sidebars look like at the front-end of JOHN

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/pagenotfound>

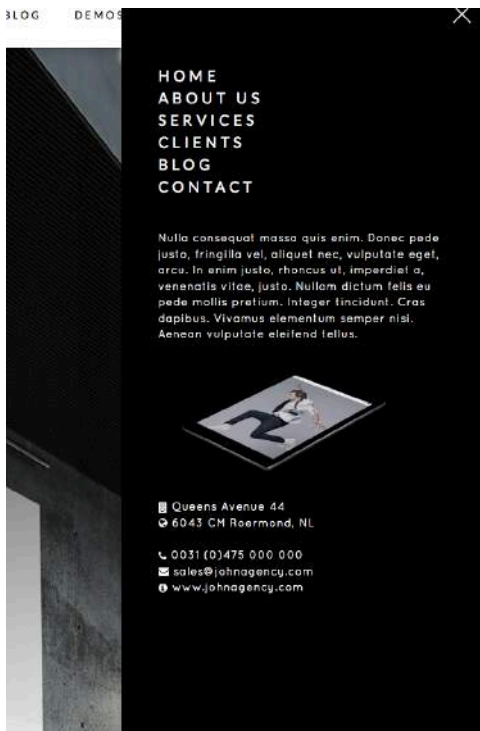


12. John Hill Options – Off Canvas

Here you're able to set a widget, text color, link color, link hover color, background color for JOHN's off canvas menus. All settings are self-explanatory.

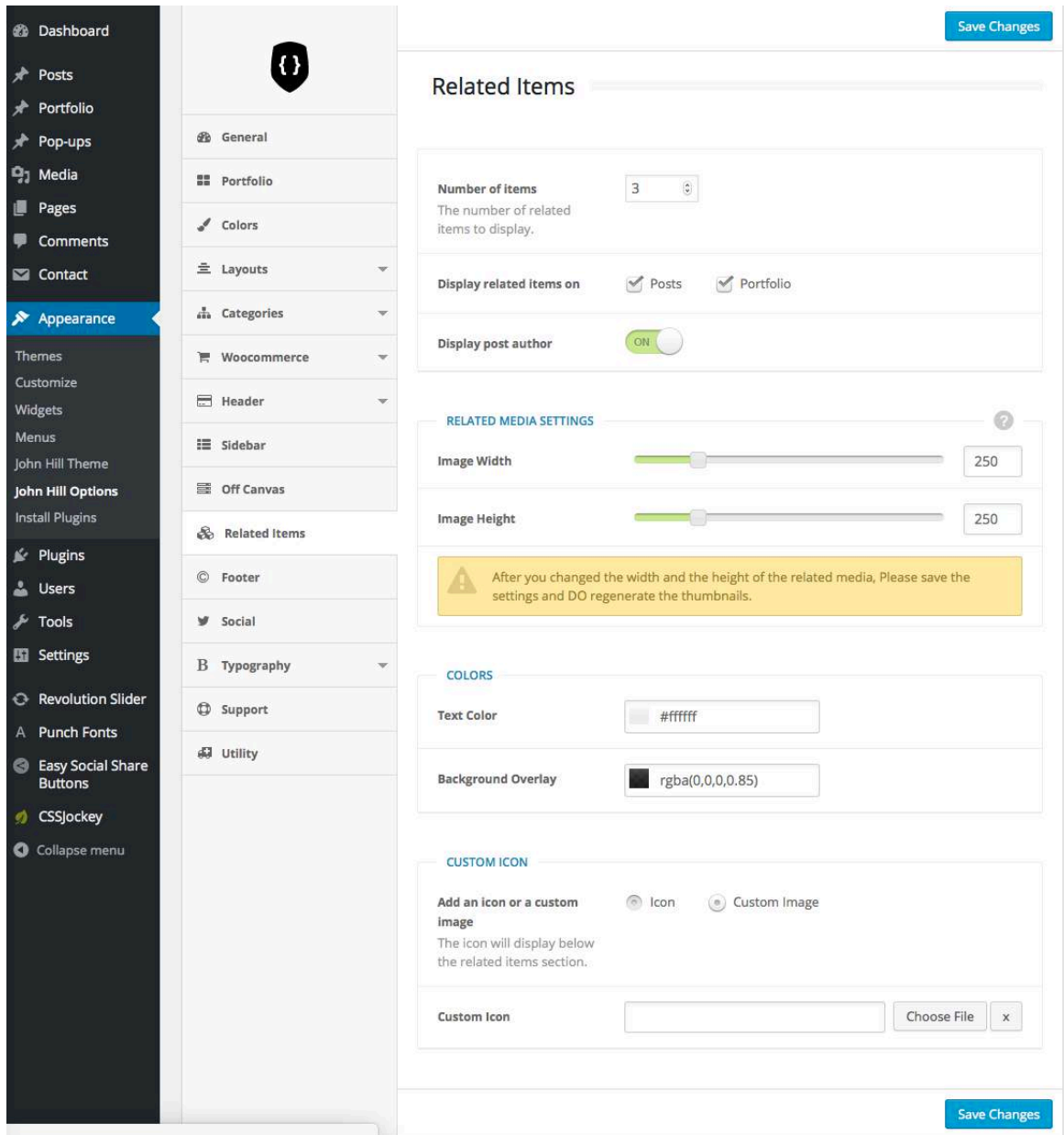


This is an example of how a Off Canvas menus can look at the front-end of theme JOHN.



13. John Hill Options – Related Items

This section allows you to set related items on Posts and Portfolios. All settings are self-explanatory.



This is how it looks like on the front-end of a portfolio page or blog page.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/blog/fun-factor>

Scroll down on the actual (post) page to see it on our preview website.

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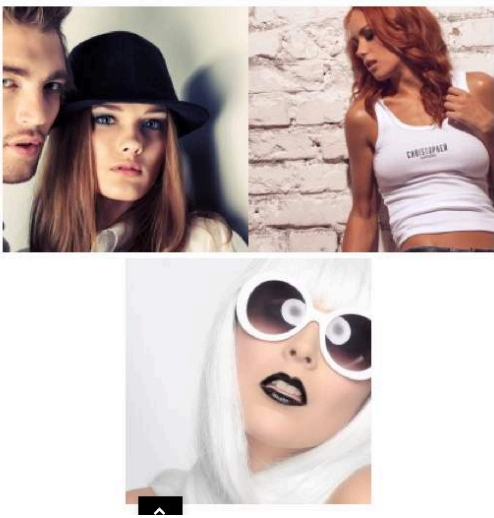


by: Helen

This author has yet to write their bio. Meanwhile lets just say that we are proud Helen contributed a whopping 8 entries.

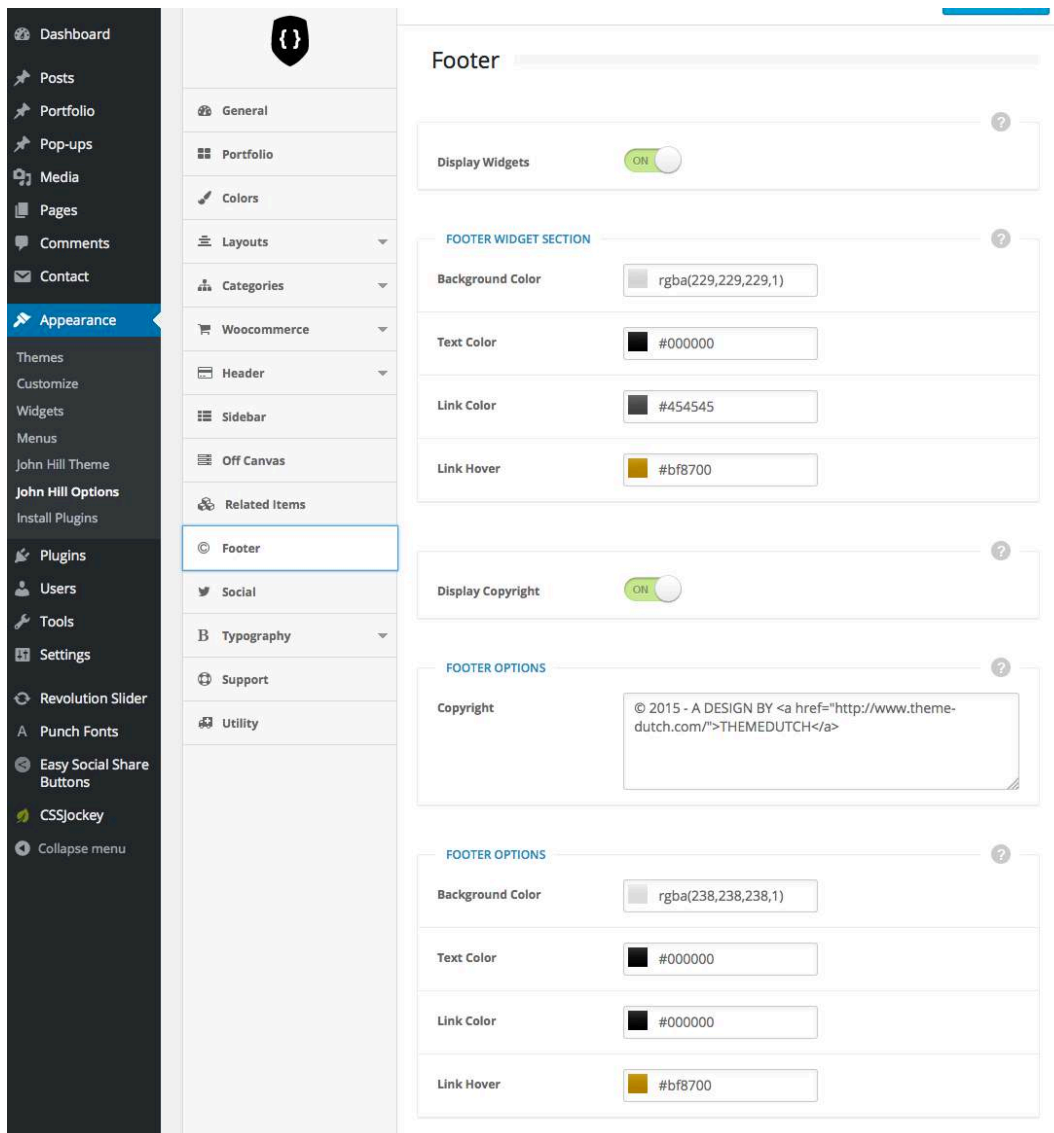


Related Items



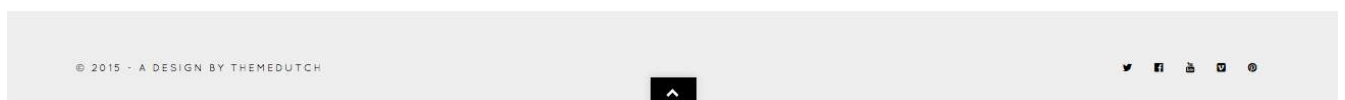
14. John Hill Options – Footer

Use this tab to define all your footer settings. All settings are self-explanatory.



The screenshot shows the WordPress admin interface. On the left is a dark sidebar menu with 'Appearance' selected and 'John Hill Options' expanded to show 'Footer'. The main area displays the 'Footer' settings panel. It features three main sections: 'Display Widgets' with an 'ON' toggle; 'FOOTER WIDGET SECTION' with color pickers for Background Color (rgba(229,229,229,1)), Text Color (#000000), Link Color (#454545), and Link Hover (#bf8700); and 'FOOTER OPTIONS' with an 'ON' toggle and a text area containing the copyright notice: '© 2015 - A DESIGN BY THEMEDUTCH'. A second 'FOOTER OPTIONS' section at the bottom has color pickers for Background Color (rgba(238,238,238,1)), Text Color (#000000), Link Color (#000000), and Link Hover (#bf8700).

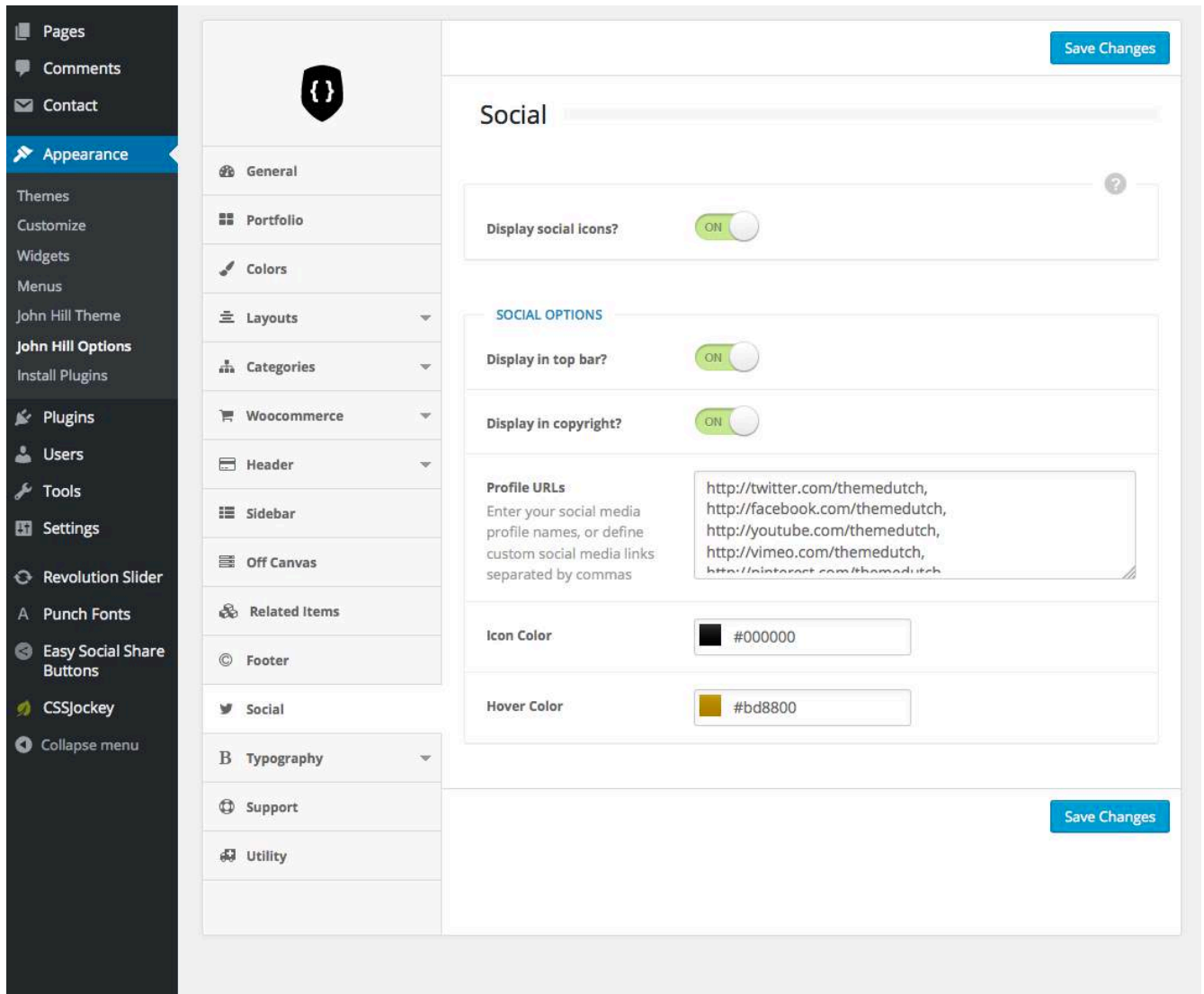
This is how it looks at the front-end of theme JOHN.



15. John Hill Options - Social

In here you can make use of social options, display social icons, and set the colors.

All used social icons will appear in your website's Top Bar and / or in copyright section. All settings are self-explanatory.

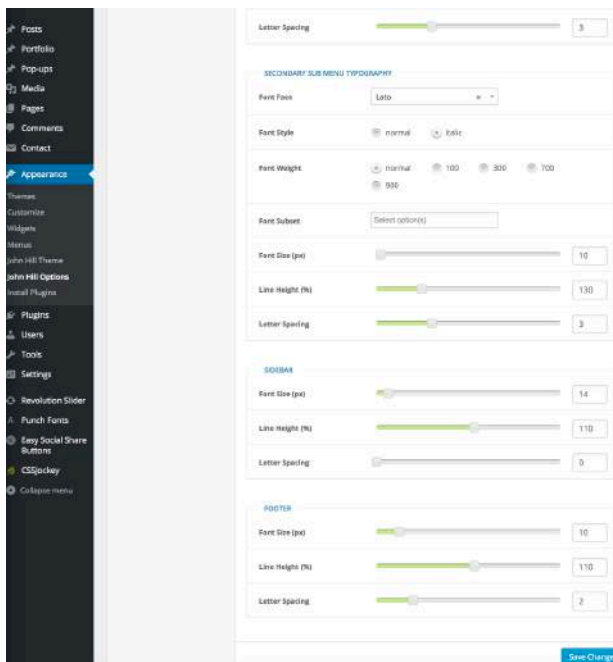
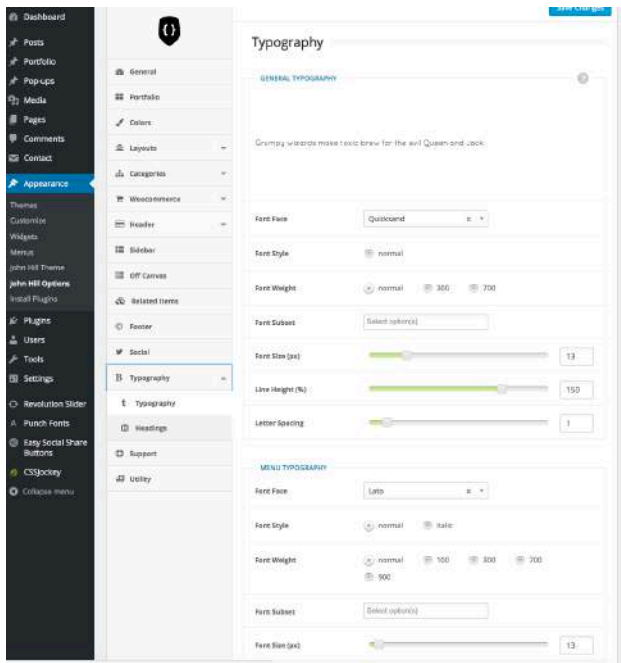


The screenshot shows the WordPress dashboard's 'Appearance' > 'John Hill Options' > 'Social' settings page. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with categories like Pages, Comments, Contact, Appearance, Themes, Widgets, Menus, John Hill Theme, John Hill Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Revolution Slider, A Punch Fonts, Easy Social Share Buttons, CSSJockey, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'Social' and includes a 'Save Changes' button in the top right. The settings are organized into sections: 'General' with a 'Display social icons?' toggle (ON); 'SOCIAL OPTIONS' with 'Display in top bar?' and 'Display in copyright?' toggles (both ON); 'Profile URLs' with a text input field containing social media links; 'Icon Color' with a color picker set to #000000; and 'Hover Color' with a color picker set to #bd8800. A second 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the settings area.

16. John Hill Options - Typography

In here you'll find all options for your websites' typography. (Google fonts): Font face, font style, font weight, font subset, font size, line height and letter spacing.

You're able to select different fonts for 1. Menu, 2. Sub Menu, 3. Secondary Sub Menu, 4. Sidebar, and 5. Footer.
All settings are self-explanatory.



Headings

In here you can set the font face, style, weight, size etc. for all headings. All settings are self-explanatory.

The image shows the WordPress Customizer interface for the 'Headings' section. On the left, a dark sidebar contains a menu with 'Appearance' highlighted. Under 'Appearance', 'Typography' is selected. The main content area is titled 'Headings' and features a 'Save Changes' button in the top right corner. Below the title, there is a section for 'HEADINGS TYPOGRAPHY' which displays a preview of the text: 'Grumpy wizards make toxic brew for the evil Queen and Jack'. Below the preview, there are several settings: 'Font Face' is set to 'Quicksand', 'Font Style' is 'normal', 'Font Weight' has radio buttons for 'normal', '300', and '700' (with 'normal' selected), and 'Font Subset' is a dropdown menu with 'Select option(s)'. At the bottom, there are three sliders for 'H1' settings: 'Font Size (px)' is set to 40, 'Line Height (%)' is set to 130, and 'Letter Spacing' is set to 5.

17. John Hill Options – Support

We provide free support through our forums. Please read this before you ask for support.

The screenshot shows the WordPress admin interface for the John Hill theme. On the left is a dark sidebar menu with options like Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Pop-ups, Media, Pages, Comments, Contact, Appearance (highlighted), Themes, Customize, Widgets, Menus, John Hill Theme, John Hill Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Revolution Slider, Punch Fonts, Easy Social Share Buttons, CSSJockey, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'John Hill - v1.0.0' and contains a notice about inactive recommended plugins (Regenerate Thumbnails, WordPress SEO, Wordfence Security) and an update for Wordfence Security. Below this is the 'Support' section, which is currently selected in the left-hand options menu. The 'Support' section contains a lightbulb icon and text stating that support is available via Themedutch Forums. It details 'Free Support' (24-48 hours) and 'Premium Support' (1-12 hours). A 'Save Changes' button is visible in the top right of the options area.

John Hill - v1.0.0

The following recommended plugins are currently inactive: [Regenerate Thumbnails](#), [WordPress SEO](#) and [Wordfence Security](#). There is an update available for: [Wordfence Security](#).

The following plugin needs to be updated to its latest version to ensure maximum compatibility with this theme: [WP Visual Composer](#). [Begin updating plugins](#) | [Activate installed plugins](#) | [Dismiss this notice](#)

Support

Support for clients is available via [Themedutch Forums](#). Our charming team is always ready to help resolving inconveniences that you may experience with our themes.

Free Support
We provide free support to customers who experience problems with our theme's features and functions that do not require modification and testing, and we do our very best to answer your queries within 24-48 hours.

Premium Support
Are you really in a big rush? A premium support subscription is the alternative route for assistance through support forums, ticket-system and one-on-one assistance within 1-12 hours on work days.

Found a bug? Just [register](#) for free support, report the bug, and we will solve it in an update.

18. John Hill Options – Utility (import dummy content)

The tab “Utility” within **John Hill Options** is created for importing Dummy Content, and/or export your JOHN theme options from file, text or URL.

Import Dummy content.

Hit the button ‘Install Dummy Content’ if you would like to install the official JOHN preview website’s content.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 1

Importing dummy content ‘may take some time. Installing dummy content will not cause problems if you have “good quality hosting”. In some cases the dummy content will not work, for example if you really have bad hosting.

(You will also need to import the Revolution Slider demo content if you want to make use of the Revolution Sliders) See the JOHN Unzip me please file.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 2

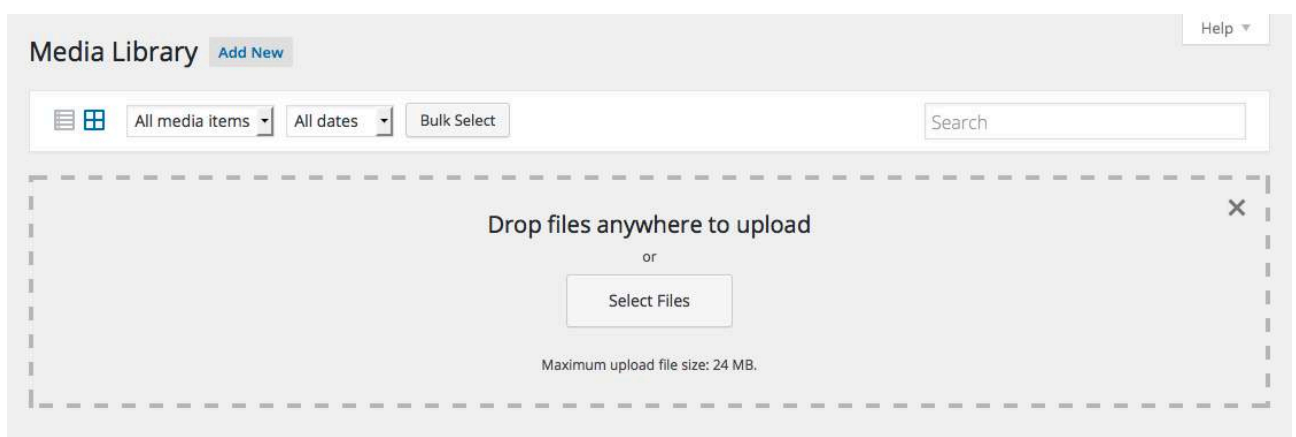
1. After installing ‘dummy content’ you need to assign menus to the main and footer areas. Set your home page via Settings / Reading.

2. Sidebars and Widgets are not included in the dummy content. These you’ll have to create yourself. You can read in the manual how to create Sidebars and Widgets.

3. When installing all Plugins that come with the theme, insure that no other caching Plugins are installed/activated.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 3

Before installing ‘dummy content’ you need to check if your Media Library has a Maximum Upload file size of at least: 64 MB. If this not the case for example only 8 MB, the dummy content will not work!



How to increase the Maximum Upload file size?

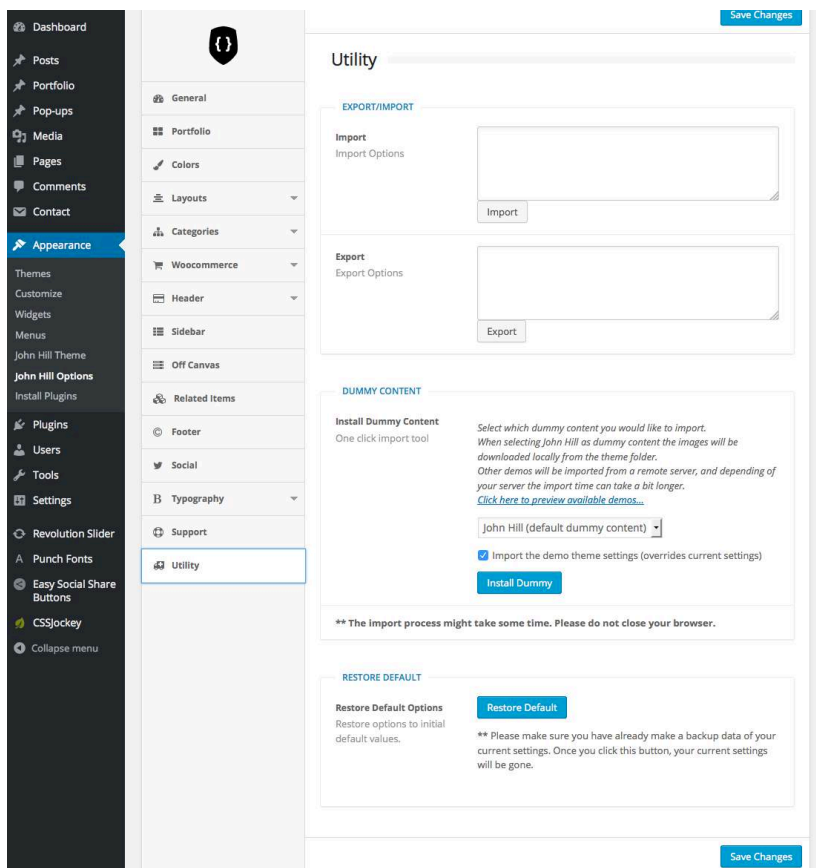
add this to top of wp-config.php
`define('WP_MEMORY_LIMIT', '64M');`

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 4

All the content from the John Main Demo is included in you're theme files. This is the best way for having a flawless installation. We have not included the other demos, and when you install one of the other demos, then the content and images will be downloaded direct from our server. This may take some time, despite we have created the other demos as small as possible.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 5

We've made sure that our demo installer will work on most hosting platforms. We are not responsible for installation problems caused by you're server or settings though. It is a time consuming process if we need to check you're server settings and sometimes we even need to discuss this with the hosting provider. Therefore we offer Installation services that are available via our website.



The screenshot shows the WordPress Admin Utility page. The left sidebar contains the navigation menu with 'Appearance' selected. The main content area is titled 'Utility' and has a 'Save Changes' button at the top right. It is divided into three sections: 'EXPORT/IMPORT', 'DUMMY CONTENT', and 'RESTORE DEFAULT'. The 'EXPORT/IMPORT' section has two sub-sections: 'Import' with an 'Import Options' text area and an 'Import' button, and 'Export' with an 'Export Options' text area and an 'Export' button. The 'DUMMY CONTENT' section is titled 'Install Dummy Content' and includes instructions: 'Select which dummy content you would like to import. When selecting John Hill as dummy content the images will be downloaded locally from the theme folder. Other demos will be imported from a remote server, and depending of your server the import time can take a bit longer. Click here to preview available demos...'. It features a dropdown menu set to 'John Hill (default dummy content)', a checked checkbox for 'Import the demo theme settings (overrides current settings)', and an 'Install Dummy' button. A warning message below states: '** The import process might take some time. Please do not close your browser.' The 'RESTORE DEFAULT' section has a 'Restore Default Options' button and text: 'Restore options to initial default values. ** Please make sure you have already make a backup data of your current settings. Once you click this button, your current settings will be gone.' A 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the page.

NOTE:

For those who don't feel comfortable with databases, we offer Installation Packages via our website. www.theme-dutch.com.

Important! All used photo material is copyright protected.

The images used in our preview website are intended for example purposes only. As they're copyright protected, you need to remove them from your media section, before your website goes online. We thank you for your understanding.

19. The Revolution Slider (Revolution Slider plugin)

You're able to install/activate this powerful plugin via your Dashboard.

NOTE:

For support on Slider Revolution please 'check' the help button on the top right of the Revolution slider tab.

The screenshot shows the Slider Revolution plugin dashboard. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation items: Pop-ups, Media, Pages, Comments, Contact, Appearance, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Revolution Slider (highlighted), Punch Fonts, Easy Social Share Buttons, CSSJockey, and Collapse menu. The main content area has a header with the Slider Revolution logo and 'Global Settings' and 'Help' buttons. Below is a 'Revolution Sliders' table with columns for ID, Name, Shortcode, Source, N. Slides, and Actions. Two sliders are listed: 'Logo_slider (Logo_slider)' with 4 slides and 'landingpage01 (landingpage01)' with 3 slides. Below the table is a 'Create New Slider' button with a dropdown set to '10' and an 'Import Slider' button. The 'Revolution Slider Templates' section shows 'No Template Sliders Found' and a 'Create New Template Slider' button. The 'How To Use the Slider' section provides instructions and code snippets for using the slider in the page editor, theme HTML, and widgets. The 'Information' section contains a note about the plugin's theme compatibility and licensing.

ID	Name	Shortcode	Source	N. Slides	Actions
1	Logo_slider (Logo_slider)	[rev_slider Logo_slider]	Gallery	4	Settings Edit Slides Export Slider [trash] [refresh]
2	landingpage01 (landingpage01)	[rev_slider landingpage01]	Gallery	3	Settings Edit Slides Export Slider [trash] [refresh]

How To Use the Slider

From the **page and/or post editor** insert the shortcode from the sliders table

From the theme html use: `<?php putRevSlider("alias") ?>` example: `<?php putRevSlider("Logo_slider") ?>`
For show only on homepage use: `<?php putRevSlider("Logo_slider","homepage") ?>`
For show on certain pages use: `<?php putRevSlider("Logo_slider","2,10") ?>`

From the **widgets panel** drag the "Revolution Slider" widget to the desired sidebar

Information

Please note that this plugin came bundled with a theme. The use of the Revolution Slider is limited to this theme only. If you need support from the Slider author ThemePunch or you want to use the Revolution slider with an other theme you will need an extra single license available at CodeCanyon.

20. Set up Page and Post options

JOHN 'ABOUT US' page example

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/about-us/>

On your right hand beneath **Page Attributes** you have options to select your desired template into: default, blank full width and more.. This option is available on pages, not on post pages though.

You can create different layouts for each page. We selected 'Fullwidth Page Template: No Title | No Breadcrumbs

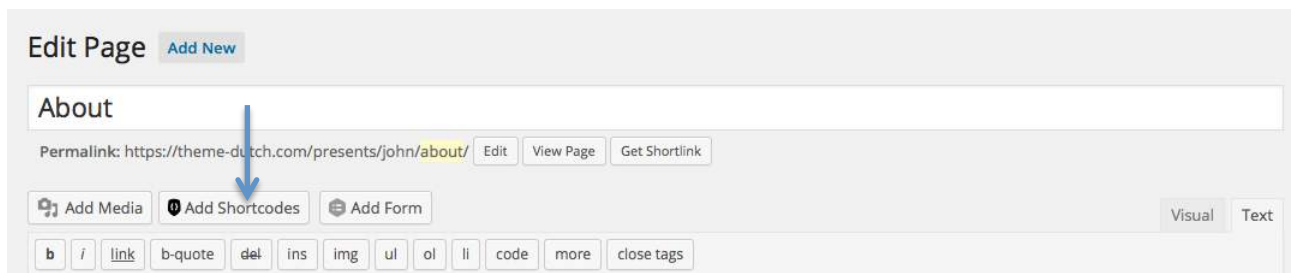
The screenshot displays the WordPress admin interface for editing a page titled 'ABOUT US'. The left sidebar shows the 'Pages' menu selected. The main editor area is in 'Text' mode, showing HTML code for styling and content. The right sidebar shows the 'Publish' section with status 'Published' and a date of 'Jun 23, 2015 @ 11:29'. Below that is the 'Page Attributes' section, where the 'Template' dropdown is open, showing a list of options including 'Fullwidth Page Template: No Title | No Breadcrumbs', which is highlighted in blue.

You can add your text content and images via the visual editor or text editor.

NOTE:

If you want creating full width pages including text content within the 1140 grid, make sure you create a section in which you add your content.

There are several options for content within a section. You're able to create sections on a full width template, blank page template and portfolio templates.



At the top of every page and post you'll find two tabs: **Add Media** and **Add Shortcodes**. Via Add Media you're able to insert your favorite images from your Media Library into your posts and pages. Via Add Shortcodes you're able to insert TD-shortcodes (like columns, buttons, dividers, galleries and much more), which you can use to design your layout and spice up your pages

This is an example of all available section shortcodes in JOHN

TD Shortcodes		
Categories	Shortcodes	Description
Animated Icon Grid	Section Separator	
Animated Image	Section Separator Down	
Boxed Image	Section	
Boxed Slider	Section with a background image	
Buttons	Section with a background image and a parallax effect	
Caption		
Code	Section with a sequence background image and a parallax effect	
Columns		
Columns (divider)	Section Full Screen	
Columns (fullheight)		
Custom Height Columns)		
Counter		
Dividers		
Dropcaps		
Headings		
Icons		
Image gallery		
Image Menu		

Custom Content

In here you can add custom content (via your Visual Editor, within preferred shortcodes) that will appear on your featured image (header) at the front-end.

Custom Content

This section will appear when a featured image/gallery is set.

Paragraph

[tds-rotatorpanel duration="5000" transitionsspeed="4500"] [tds-rotatorblock]

[tds-divider solid color=#FFF thickness=10 width=2% align=center] [tds-rotatorblock] [tds-rotatorblock]

[tds-divider solid color=#FFF thickness=10 width=2% align=center] [tds-rotatorblock] [tds-rotatorblock]

[tds-divider solid color=#FFF thickness=10 width=2% align=center] [tds-rotatorblock] [tds-rotatorpanel] [tds-divider invisible thickness=300]

Revolution Slider Options

Choose Slide Template
default

Status: **Published** [Edit](#)

Visibility: **Public** [Edit](#)

Revisions: **110** [Browse](#)

Published on: Jun 23, 2015 @ 11:29 [Edit](#)

Page Attributes

Parent: [no parent]

Template: Fullwidth Page Template: No Title

Order: 0

Need help? Use the Help tab in the upper right of your screen.

Featured Gallery

[Add gallery images](#)

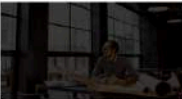
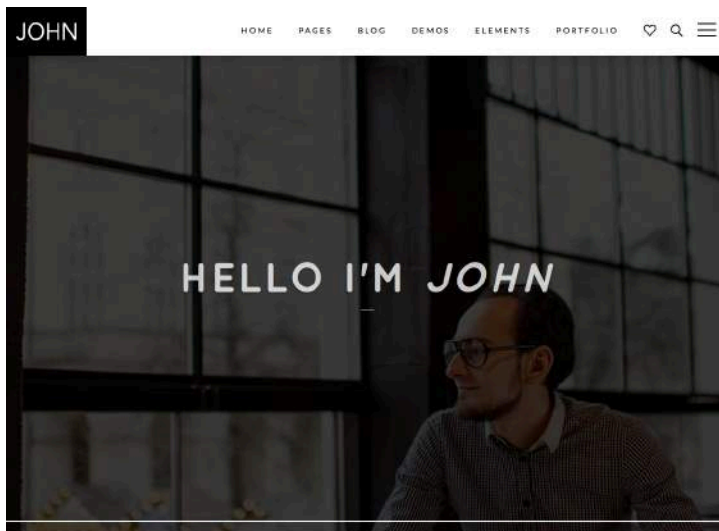
Media Option

Display Featured

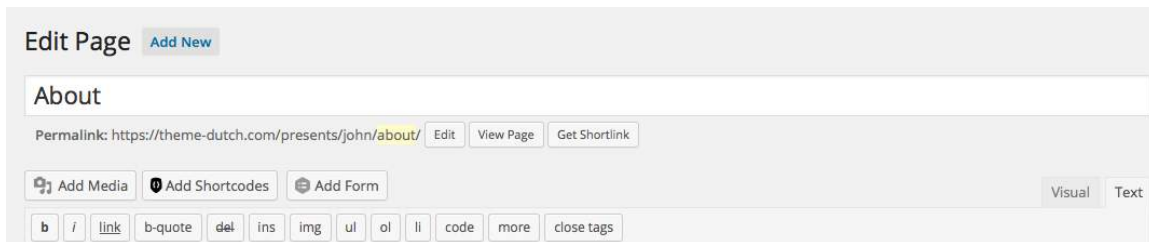
Show your video in place of the featured image.

Image Video

Featured Image

21. How to use TD-shortcodes (plugin)



On the icon bar above the content block of every page or post, you'll find the TD short code manager. (**Regulated via the TD-shortcode Plugin**)

The TD-shortcode manager provides lots of categories and options to make us of shortcodes to spice up your pages and posts via your **text editor**.

Example Buttons: ELEMENTS: <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/john/buttons/>



```
[tds-buttontransparent medium link="http://theme-dutch.com/" textcolor="#ffffff" textcolorhover="#000000" buttoncolor="#000000" buttoncolorhover="#FFF" bordercolor="#FFF" bordersize="1px" bgcolortransparency="0" bgcolorhovertransparency="100" newwindow="true" ]Button text[/tds-buttontransparent]
```

NOTE:

Basically all TD-shortcodes work the same, and 'live example' short codes you'll find on JOHN's Preview website. Install TD-shortcode plugin and 'dummy content' to see how most TD-Shortcodes are used in the backend.

For more examples of TD-shortcodes visit: <http://theme-dutch.com/demo/>

Select other preview websites of Theme Dutch themes to see how they can be used.

22. How to make your website multilingual

JOHN is WPML-ready. Upload, install and activate the (WPML plugin).

Then follow the instructions via your Wordpress admin.

Need support to set up your own WPML site? Visit:
<http://wpml.org/documentation/> and <http://wpml.org/forums/forum/english-support/>



23. How to translate your website

Translation Ready

English, Dutch, French, German or Spanish? Whatever your language is, we've got you covered. That's because we thought about the smallest details when we created JOHN. This theme's content can be translated to any major language you want.

We understand our theme will be sold worldwide. You can translate by using the pot file. Just follow the following steps:

- 1) Download Poedit from <http://www.poedit.net/>
- 2) Install poedit on your computer
- 3) Open poedit
- 4) Choose file > new catalogue from POT-file
- 5) Search your theme folder of JOHN > go to languages > john.pot
- 6) Press ok
- 7) Poedit will ask you where to save the .po and .mo files. Choose the same folder. Name the files your language zone (example: nl-NL for the Netherlands)
- 8) Translate all the options (not all needed)
- 9) Upload the .mo and .po file to the languages folder on your website.
- 10) Change you wp-config-file with your language-code

24. Theme Dutch Support

If you need support, have suggestions, concerns or you just want to ask a question, please go <http://theme-dutch.com/> and register your account. Don't forget to fill out the purchase code or Transaction ID of your Theme Dutch product, which you've received via our marketplace partner after buying our theme. **(We will verify your purchase before we provide support)**. After registering you'll receive an e-mail notification with username and password. Use these to login to your account and to be able posting your queries via <http://theme-dutch.com>.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: PLEASE READ OUR BASIC FORUM RULES FIRST
Login in, and then you're able to access our FREE support forum for JOHN.

We DO NOT provide support via e-mail – only through our 'free' support forum and/or 'premium support forum including ticket system'.

If you have 'sales related' questions about customization jobs, installation programs or otherwise, you're welcome to send an email to sales@theme-dutch.com.

Our support team's goal is to handle every request voluntarily, quickly and correctly. During office hours we will try to answer your queries immediately. However, most of the time, questions are answered within 24-48 hours on Monday to Friday.

25. Services

Our team of web designers and web developers are standby if you want to make adjustments to your website. Check our website for WordPress **Installation plans** and **Customization jobs**. If you need additional info you also can contact us via the contact form on our website.

Wordpress installation plans:

For more detailed information please visit: <http://theme-dutch.com>

Customization plans:

For more detailed information please visit: <http://theme-dutch.com>

26. Warranty

Upon purchase of the theme, JOHN will be given to you as a download file. We guarantee a fully functional JOHN theme if you follow our advice, guidelines and installation instructions.

Updates for JOHN we announce via www.facebook/themedutch and <https://twitter.com/themedutch>

You also can opt for receiving messages regarding updates via your marketplace profile page though.

27. Contacting Theme Dutch

Theme Dutch Limited is based in the Netherlands. Our office address is:

Theme Dutch Ltd.

Koningin Regentesselaan 44

6043 CM Roermond

The Netherlands

www.theme-dutch.com

28. How to set up Permalinks

Editing your WordPress Permalinks is good for SEO purposes. You can make the URL of your website more readable for your visitors. Tweaking your permalinks can also give you an advantage to search engines such as Google, Bing and Yahoo. This way your content can be easily found and indexed.

For more information and details on how to customize your permalinks, please visit:

http://codex.wordpress.org/Using_Permalinks

29. Wordpress information

For all WordPress-related questions, inquiries and concerns (such as; how to create pages or posts, how to disable comments etc.), please visit:

www.wordpress.org