



Brian Davis Manual – Features and tools
A development by Themedutch

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01. How to install theme BRIAN

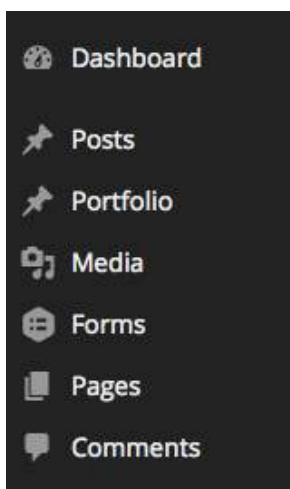
After purchasing theme Brian, your download contains a zip-file with the file name: **“Brian – unzip me please”**.

Installing theme Brian.

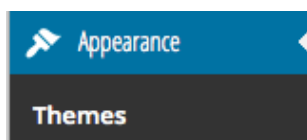
You can install Brian using several methods. We use the easiest and fastest approach via your Wordpress dashboard.

1. Access your Wordpress account, and login.

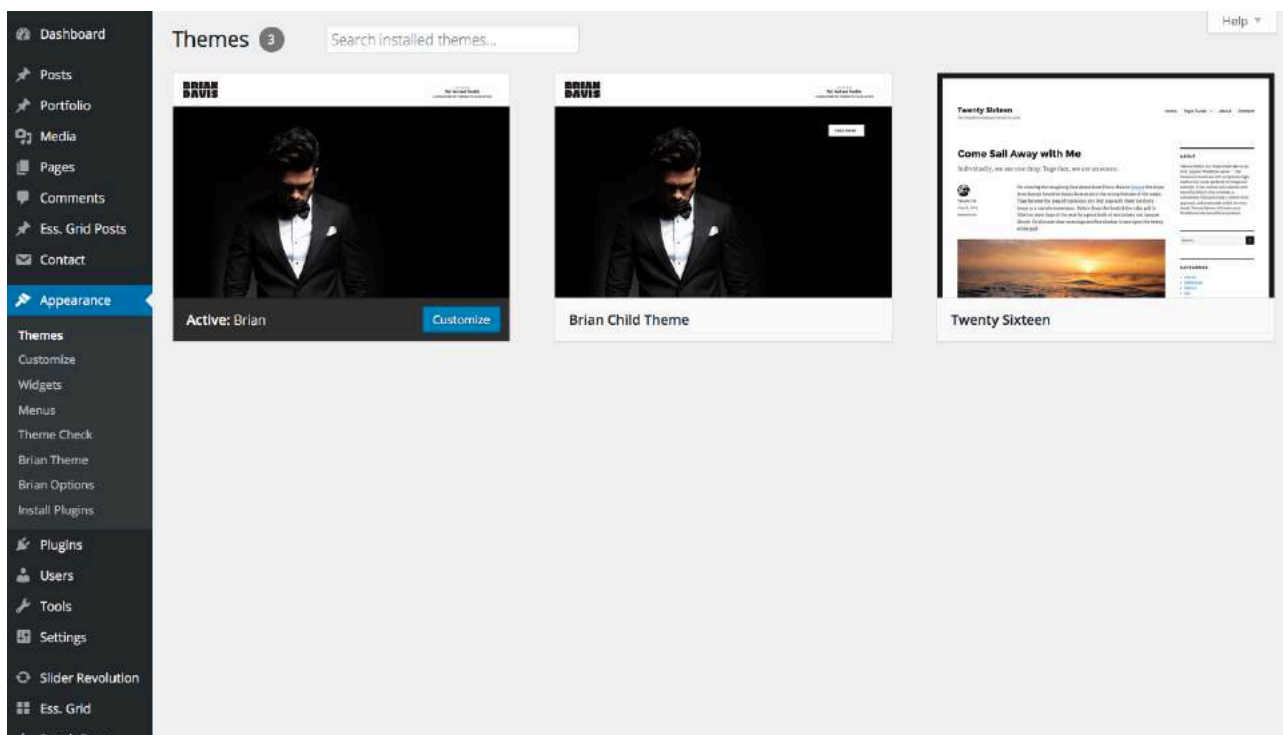
Once you’ve logged in, you’ll be directed to the dashboard.



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



3. Click the **Add New** tab.
4. Next, hit **Upload**.
5. Still remember the BRIAN folder you unzipped earlier? Click the Browse button, locate the **Brian 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.



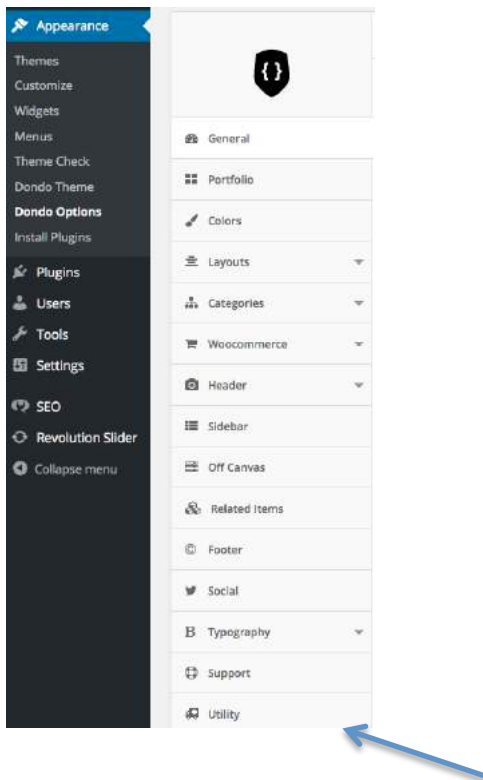
NOTE:

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

02. How to install dummy content.

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

Please read all ‘IMPORTANT NOTICES FIRST’ before you install BRIAN.



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 have a bad quality hosting.

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

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 2.

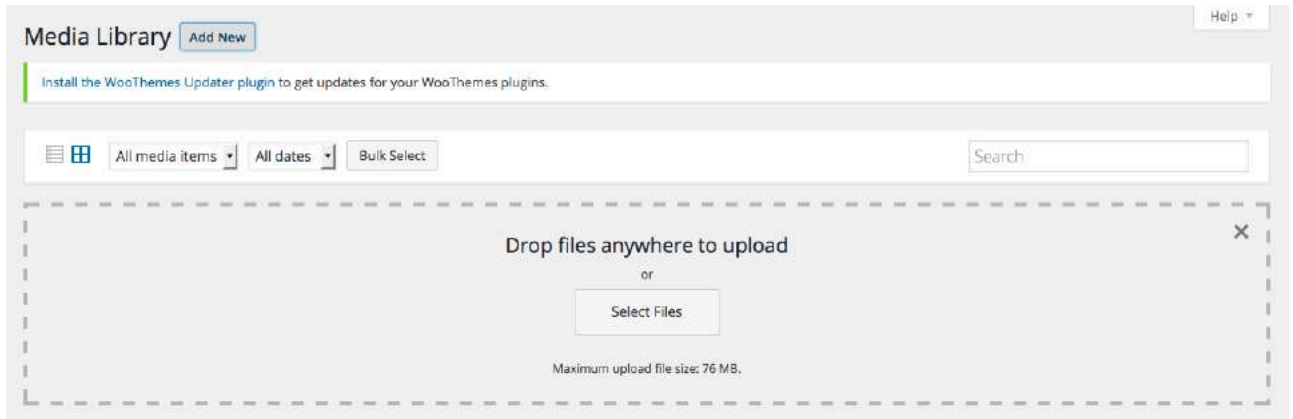
1. After installing ‘dummy content’ you still need to assign menus to the main and footer areas yourself. Set your home page via Settings / Reading.

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: 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 demos will be imported from a remote server, and depending on your server it can take some to import the dummy content. Please be patient, because some servers need more time than others to import dummy content.

Make sure WordPress Importer is installed and activated!

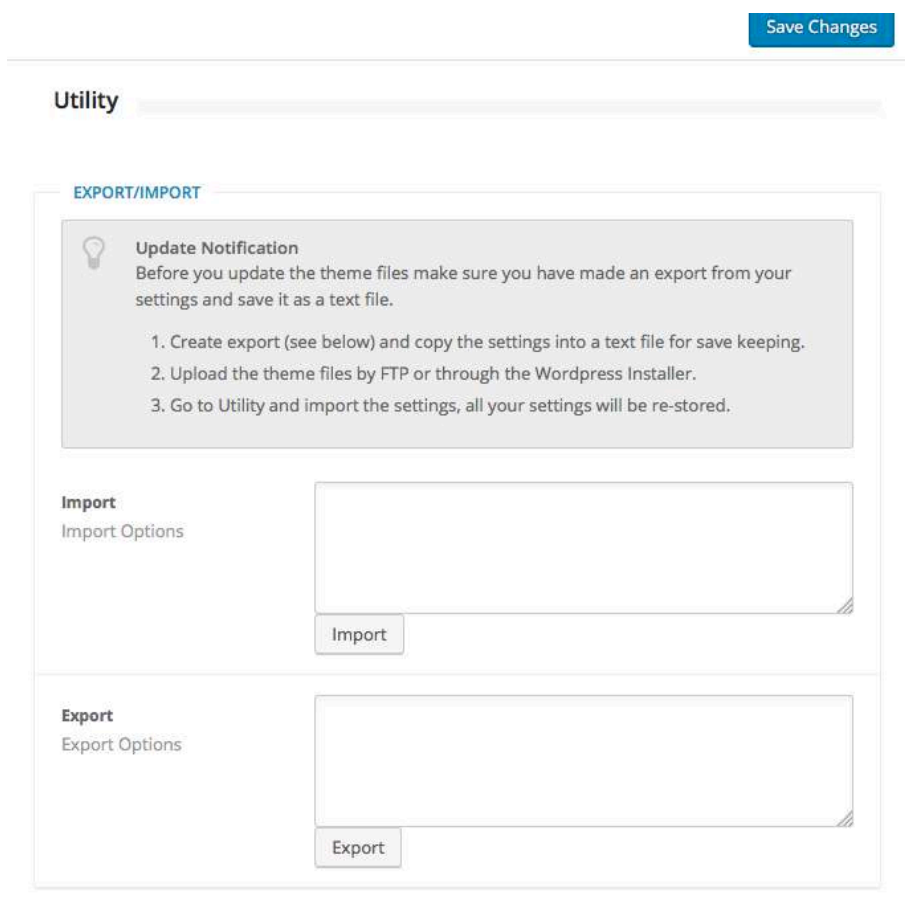
When using Woocommerce, first install and activate the plugin.

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 your server or settings. It can be a time consuming process if we need to check your server settings and sometimes we even need to contact your hosting provider. Therefore we offer affordable Installation services that are available via our website.

Import Dummy content.

Hit the button 'Install Dummy Content' if you want to install the official BRIAN preview website's content.



The screenshot shows the 'Utility' page in a WordPress dashboard. At the top right, there is a blue 'Save Changes' button. Below the 'Utility' header, there is a section titled 'EXPORT/IMPORT'. Inside this section, there is a light gray box with a lightbulb icon and the text 'Update Notification' followed by instructions: 'Before you update the theme files make sure you have made an export from your settings and save it as a text file.' Below this are three numbered steps: 1. Create export (see below) and copy the settings into a text file for save keeping. 2. Upload the theme files by FTP or through the Wordpress Installer. 3. Go to Utility and import the settings, all your settings will be re-stored. Below the notification box, there are two main sections: 'Import' and 'Export'. Each section has a label 'Import Options' or 'Export Options' next to a large text area for input. Below each text area is a button labeled 'Import' or 'Export' respectively.

DUMMY CONTENT

Demo

Select which dummy content you want to import.

All demos will be imported from a remote server, and depending on your server it can take some to import the dummy content. Please be patient, because some servers need more time than others to import dummy content.

1. First read Chapter 02 – How to install dummy content (server requirements)
2. Make sure WordPress Importer is installed and activated!
3. When using Woocommerce, first install and activate the plugin.

[Click here to preview available demos...](#)

In case you want us to install your demo content, we offer installation services through our website.

brian (default dummy content) ▾

- Import the dummy content (overrides current settings)
- Import the demo theme settings (overrides current settings)

Install Dummy

**** The import process might take some time. Please do not close your browser.**

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.

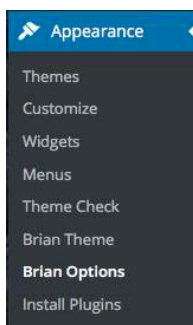
03. BRIAN Options – Theme Info

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

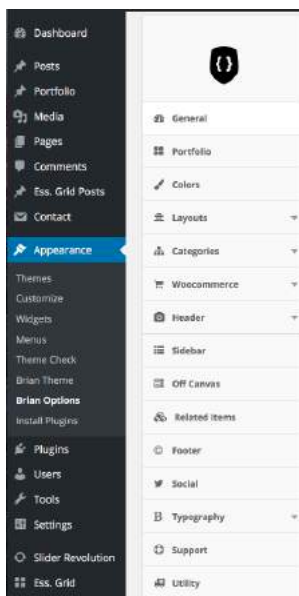
TIP:

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

To access BRIAN’s Option Panel, select **Appearance** menu and then select **BRIAN Options**



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



NOTE:

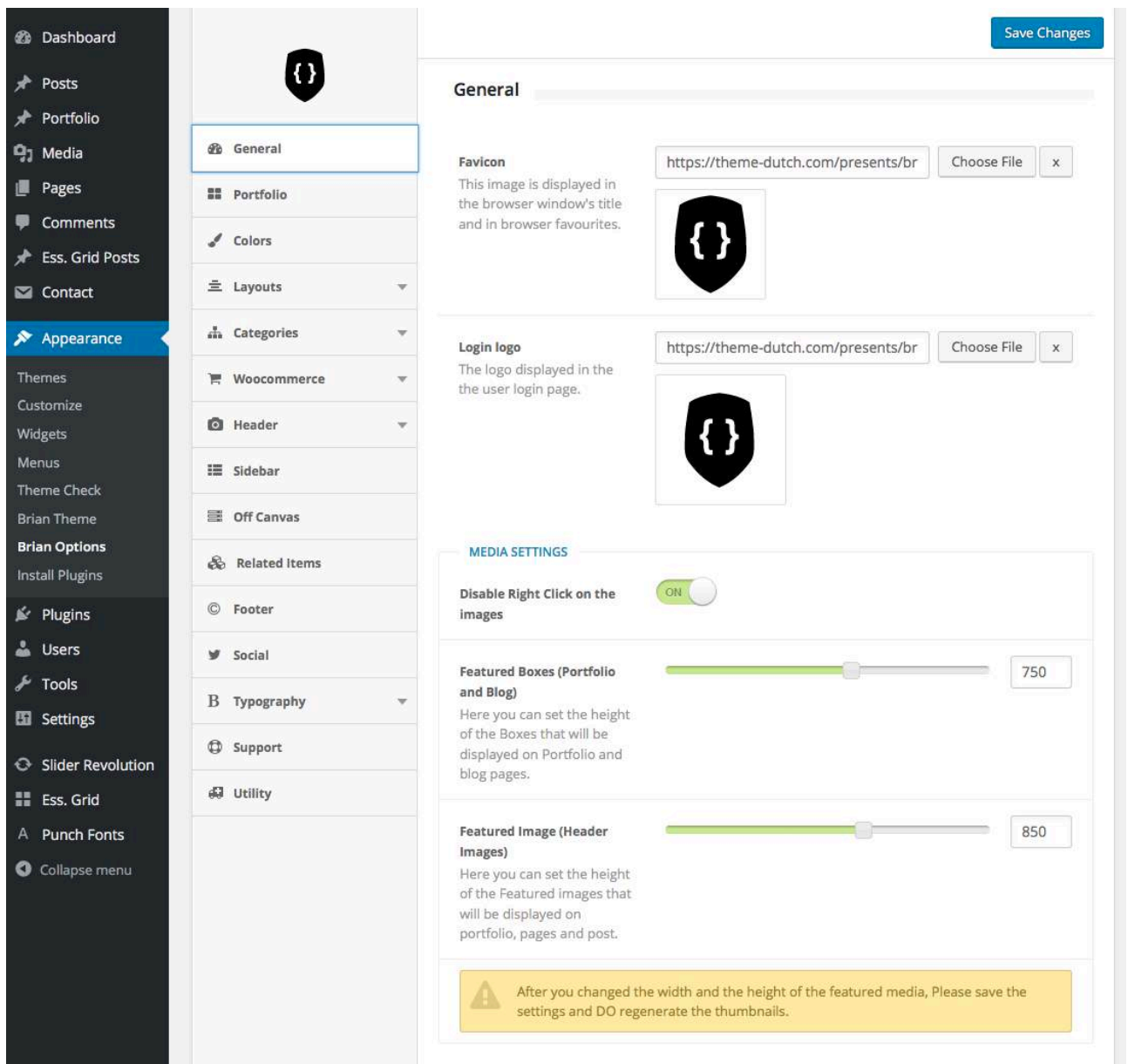
BRIAN Options tool ‘Utility’ can be used for installing dummy content, importing and/or exporting your BRIAN Options from file, text or URL.

04. BRIAN Options – General

Let's start with the tab **General** theme options. In here you can upload your Favicon and Login Logo.

Here you enable and set Media Settings, *Media Overlay, Breadcrumbs, Page Loader, and Smooth Scroll.

In here you also can place your Custom CSS Code, Tracking Code, and custom JS Code. All settings are self-explanatory.



The screenshot displays the 'General' settings page for the Brian theme. On the left is a dark sidebar menu with options like Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Media, Pages, Comments, Ess. Grid Posts, Contact, Appearance (highlighted), Themes, Customize, Widgets, Menus, Theme Check, Brian Theme, Brian Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Slider Revolution, Ess. Grid, Punch Fonts, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'General' and includes a 'Save Changes' button in the top right. It features two sections for image uploads: 'Favicon' and 'Login logo', both with a text input field containing 'https://theme-dutch.com/presents/br', a 'Choose File' button, and a small 'x' icon. Below these are 'MEDIA SETTINGS' with a toggle for 'Disable Right Click on the images' (set to ON), a slider for 'Featured Boxes (Portfolio and Blog)' set to 750, and a slider for 'Featured Image (Header Images)' set to 850. A yellow warning box at the bottom states: 'After you changed the width and the height of the featured media, Please save the settings and DO regenerate the thumbnails.'

- [Dashboard](#)
- [Posts](#)
- [Portfolio](#)
- [Media](#)
- [Pages](#)
- [Comments](#)
- [Ess. Grid Posts](#)
- [Contact](#)
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- [Collapse menu](#)

MEDIA OVERLAY

Background Overlay

Dotted Overlay Size

BREADCRUMBS

Display breadcrumbs

PAGE LOADER

Page Loader

Background Color

Text Color

Page Loader on all pages?

SMOOTH SCROLL

Smooth Scroll

CSS Code

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

```
.your-class{
margin: 0 auto;
}
```

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.

```
jQuery(document).ready(function(){
});
```

[Save Changes](#)

Media settings:

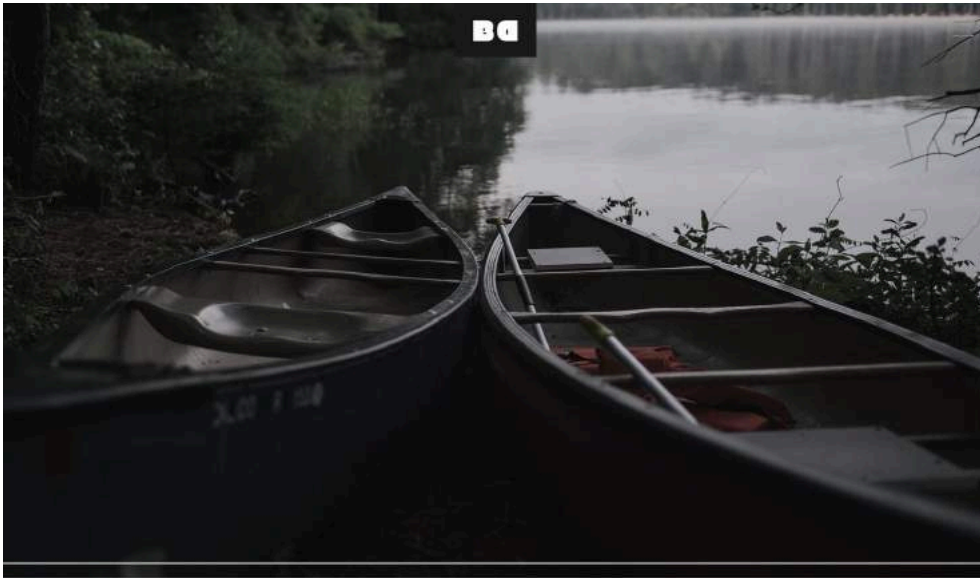
Example Featured Image on Post Pages (header images)

Featured Image (Header Images)

Here you can set the height of the Featured images that will be displayed on portfolio, pages and post.

850

This is how it looks like on the front-end of a Post Page.

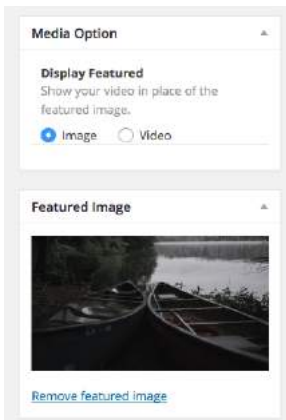


Film Small river Duden

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Far far away, behind the word mountains, far from the countries Vokalia and Consonantia, there live the blind texts. Separated they live in Bookmarksgrove right at the coast of the Semantics, a large language ocean. A small river

Select your featured image on a Post Page, and it will show up like the example above.



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.

05. BRIAN Options – Portfolio (not used in Brian)

We have not created a Portfolio in Brian by using this feature, therefore there're no images/demo examples available.

Via the tab Portfolio you can create 'general' settings for all portfolio pages.

Portfolio 1: light boxes

Portfolio 2: Colors (when used portfolio template 2 on your portfolio page)

Settings portfolio 1 and portfolio 2

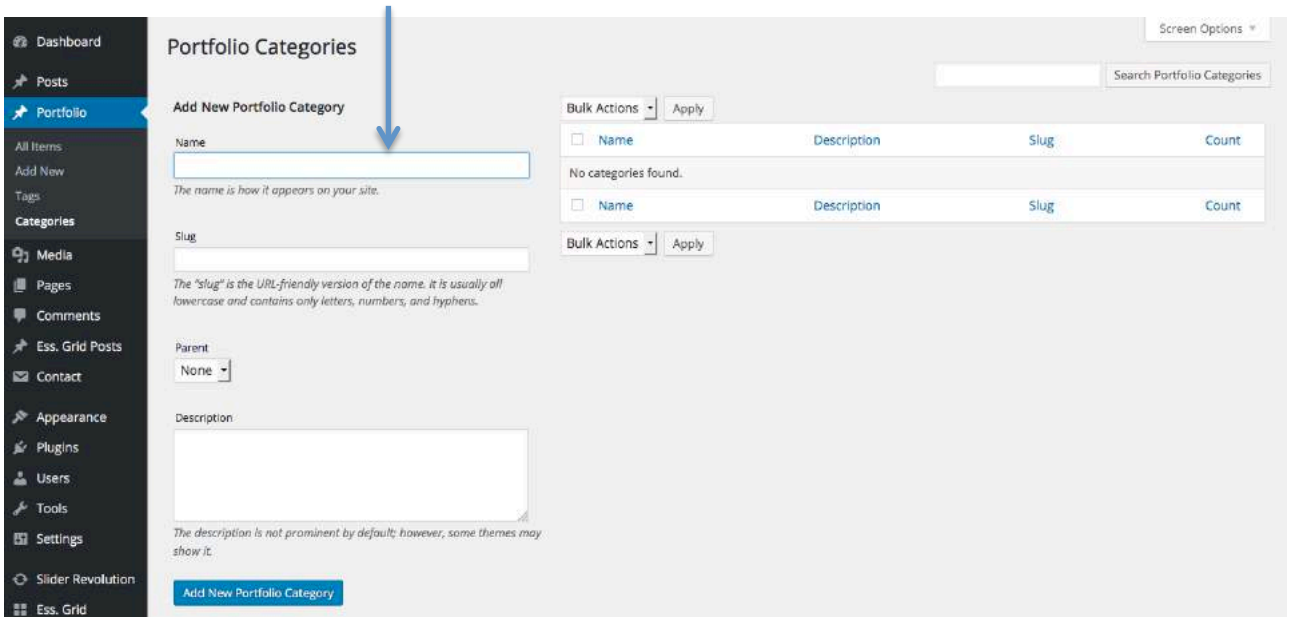
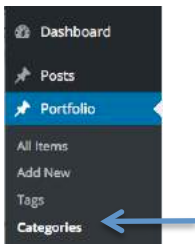
The screenshot shows the 'Portfolio' settings page in the Brian theme. The left sidebar contains navigation options like Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Media, Pages, Comments, etc. The main content area is titled 'Portfolio' and includes a 'Save Changes' button in the top right. The settings are organized into several sections:

- General**: Includes 'Default Sidebar' with a dropdown menu labeled 'Select option(s)'.
- CUSTOM CONTENT**: A text area for custom content with a description: 'This section will appear on top of the featured image (HTML shortcodes allowed)'. It contains a code snippet: `<p style="text-align: right;">[if:popup text="SHARE" bgcolor="#000000" textcolor="#ffffff" bgoverlay="rgba(0,0,0,0.85)" textoverlay="ffffff"]</p>`
- LIGHTBOX SETTINGS**: A slider for 'Content Lines' with a value of 6 and a description: 'Maximum number of text lines to display on the lightbox page.'
- PORTFOLIO 1 - LIGHTBOX COLORS**: A group of color pickers for 'Background Color' (rgba(255,255,255,1)), 'Text Color' (#2e3138), 'Button Text Color' (#ffffff), 'Button Text Hover' (#ffffff), 'Button Background Color' (#2e3138), and 'Button Background Hover' (#777777).
- PORTFOLIO 2 - COLORS**: A group of color pickers for 'Title Color' (#ffffff), 'Excerpt Text Color' (#ffffff), 'Excerpt Background Color' (rgba(0,0,0,0.8)), 'List Wrapper Background Color' (rgba(0,0,0,0.8)), 'List Background Color' (rgba(0,0,0,0.8)), 'List Active Text Color' (rgba(0,0,0,0.8)), and 'Content Background Color' (#ffffff).

Each color picker includes a small color swatch and a text input field. The 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the settings area.

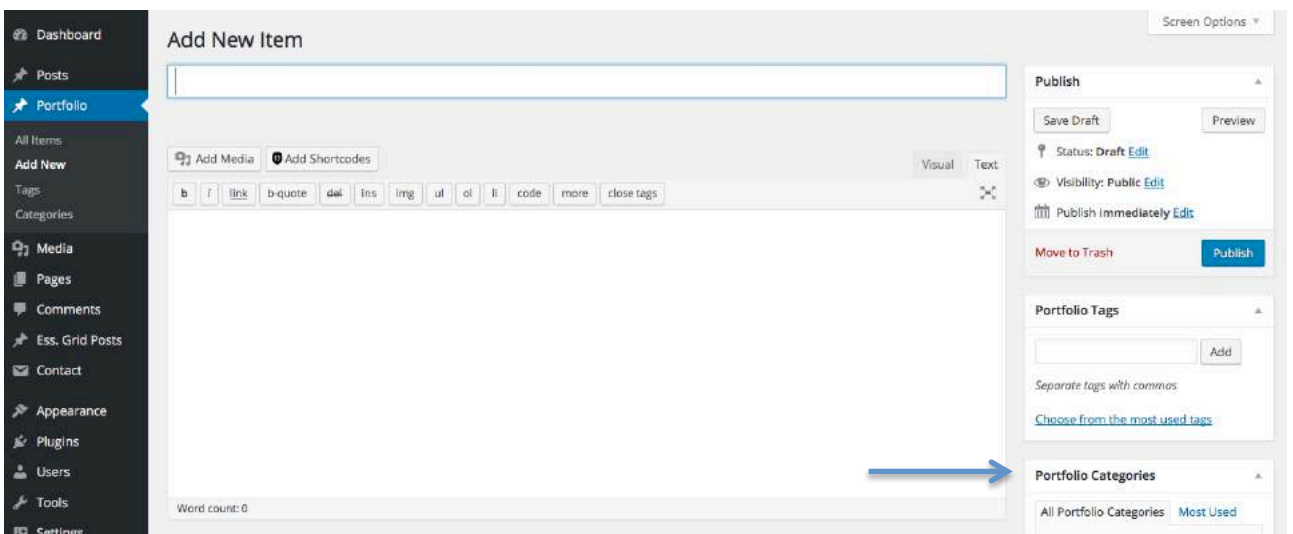
Creating a portfolio

1. Create a category for your portfolio.



2. Create single portfolio pages

Add content for each portfolio-page and add a featured image or featured gallery. Don't forget to 'select/check' the Portfolio category you've created earlier.



Via Portfolio Post Settings on 'single portfolio pages' you're able to create settings that **only apply for the Portfolio 2 template** (your overall portfolio page, accessible via your menus).

Portfolio Post Settings

Secondary Title
Put Your Secondary Title Here
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Display custom field
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Custom field Title
Client

Custom field Value
Apple

Display category field
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Display date field
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Display button
This option only applies for Portfolio 2 template.

Button name
Visit Project

Button link
http://google.com/

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.

Custom Content
This section will appear on top of the featured image & below the title on the content page for portfolio 2 template (HTML, shortcodes allowed).

Post Options

Display post author Yes No Default

Display related items Yes No Default

Featured Gallery
[Add gallery images](#)

Override Sidebar
Only applied when a content layout with sidebar is enabled.

Custom Header

Override Menu Background

Menu Background Color

Sticky Header
 Enable sticky header

Media Option

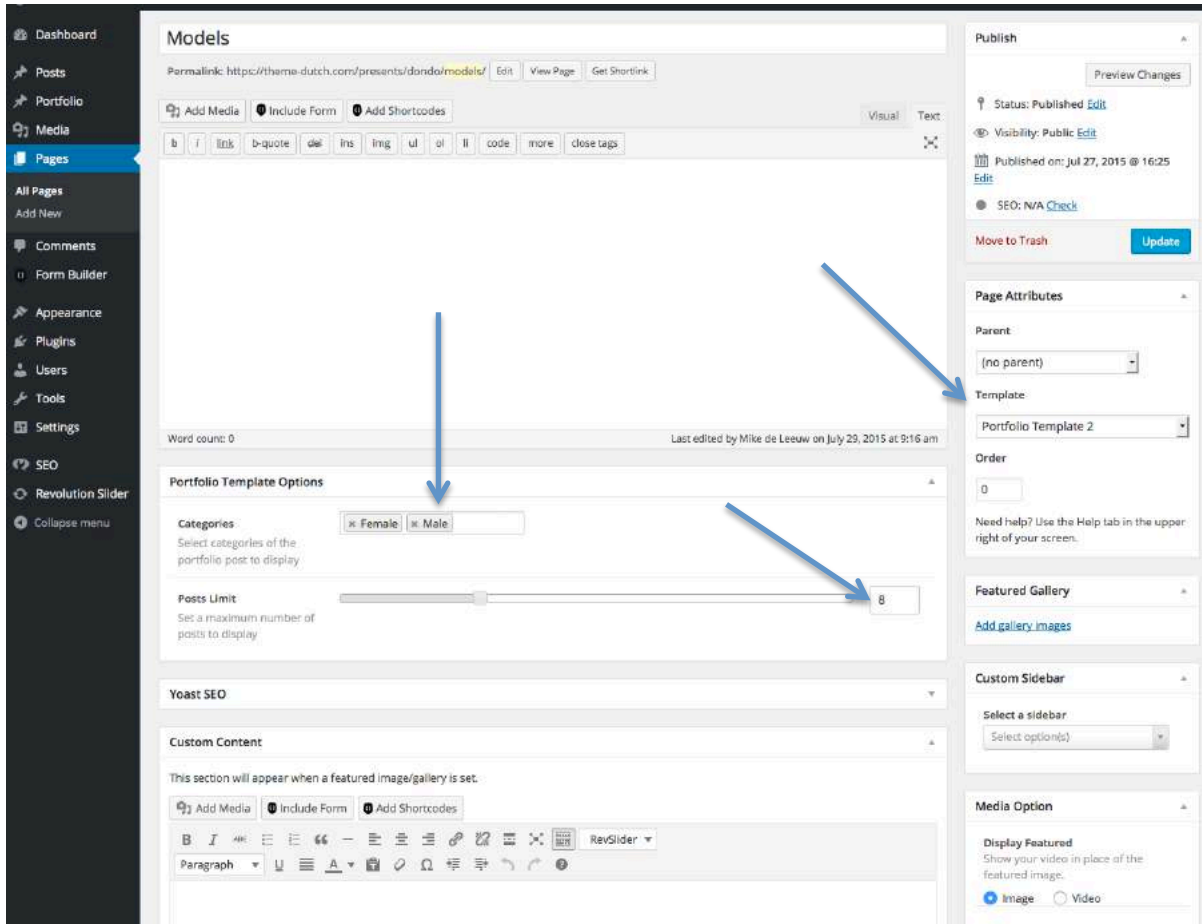
Display Featured
Show your video in place of the featured image.

Image Video

Featured Image
[Set featured image](#)

On your actual Portfolio page (**portfolio, accessible via main menus**), you can set the category for your portfolio and the number of portfolio posts you want to show.

Select '**Portfolio Template 2**' for your portfolio page if you want to make use of all portfolio 2 template features (in this example we named the page 'Models').

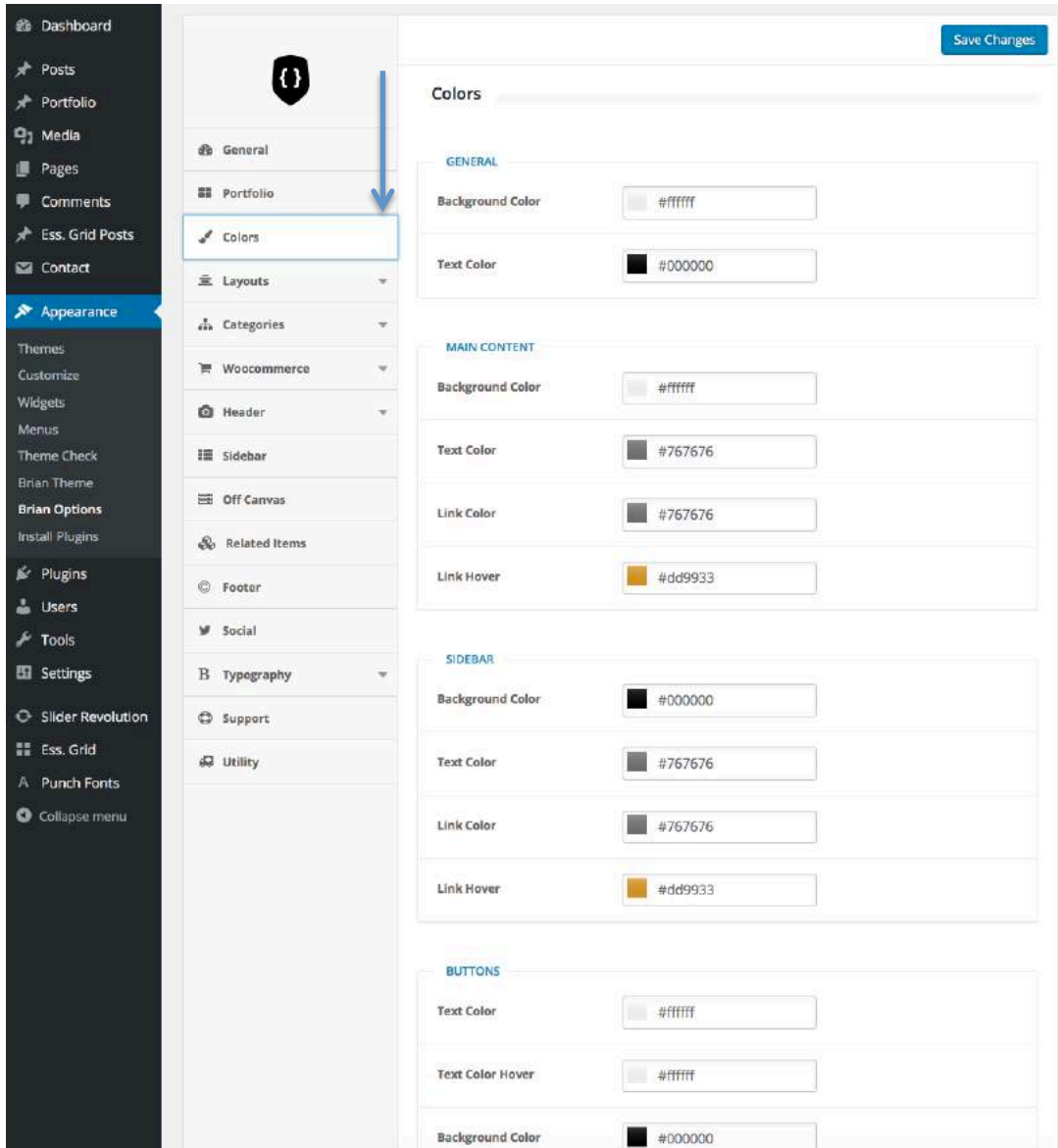


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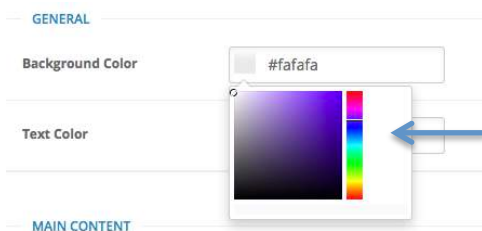
We have not created a portfolio in Brian Davis using this built-in portfolio feature. Therefore, we can offer no precise examples of the layout at the back, and how it looks at the front-end. This portfolio feature is used in other Themedutch demos though.

06. BRIAN 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.



Colors can be changed via color picker.

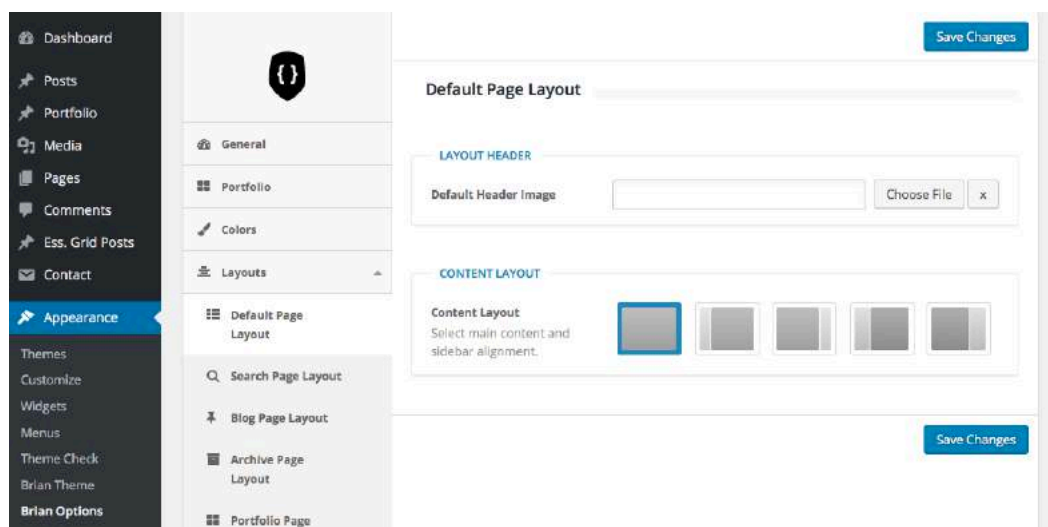


7. BRIAN Options – Layouts pages

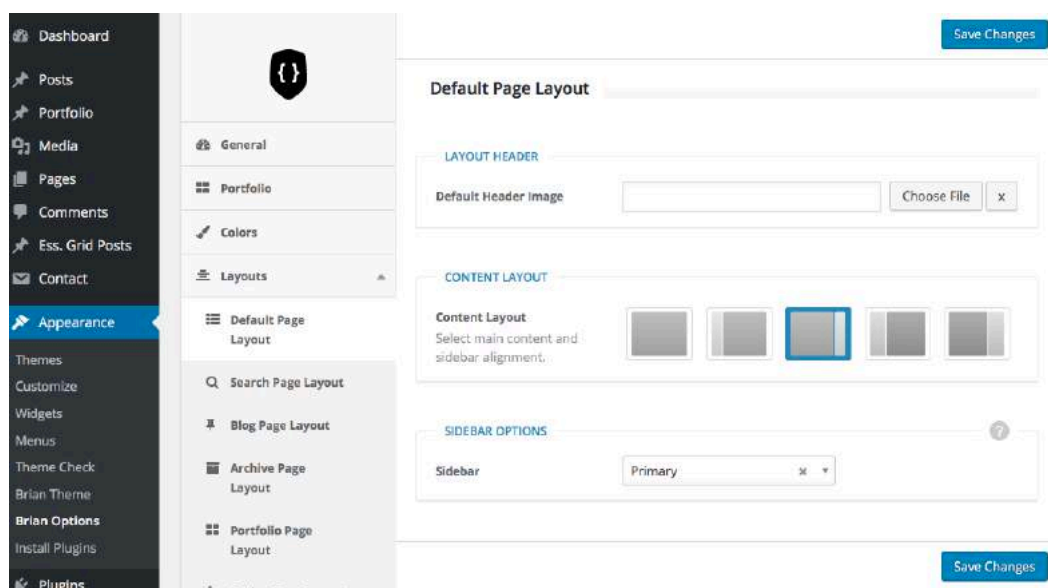
All settings are self-explanatory.

BRIAN 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. Additional info is provided within the boxes.



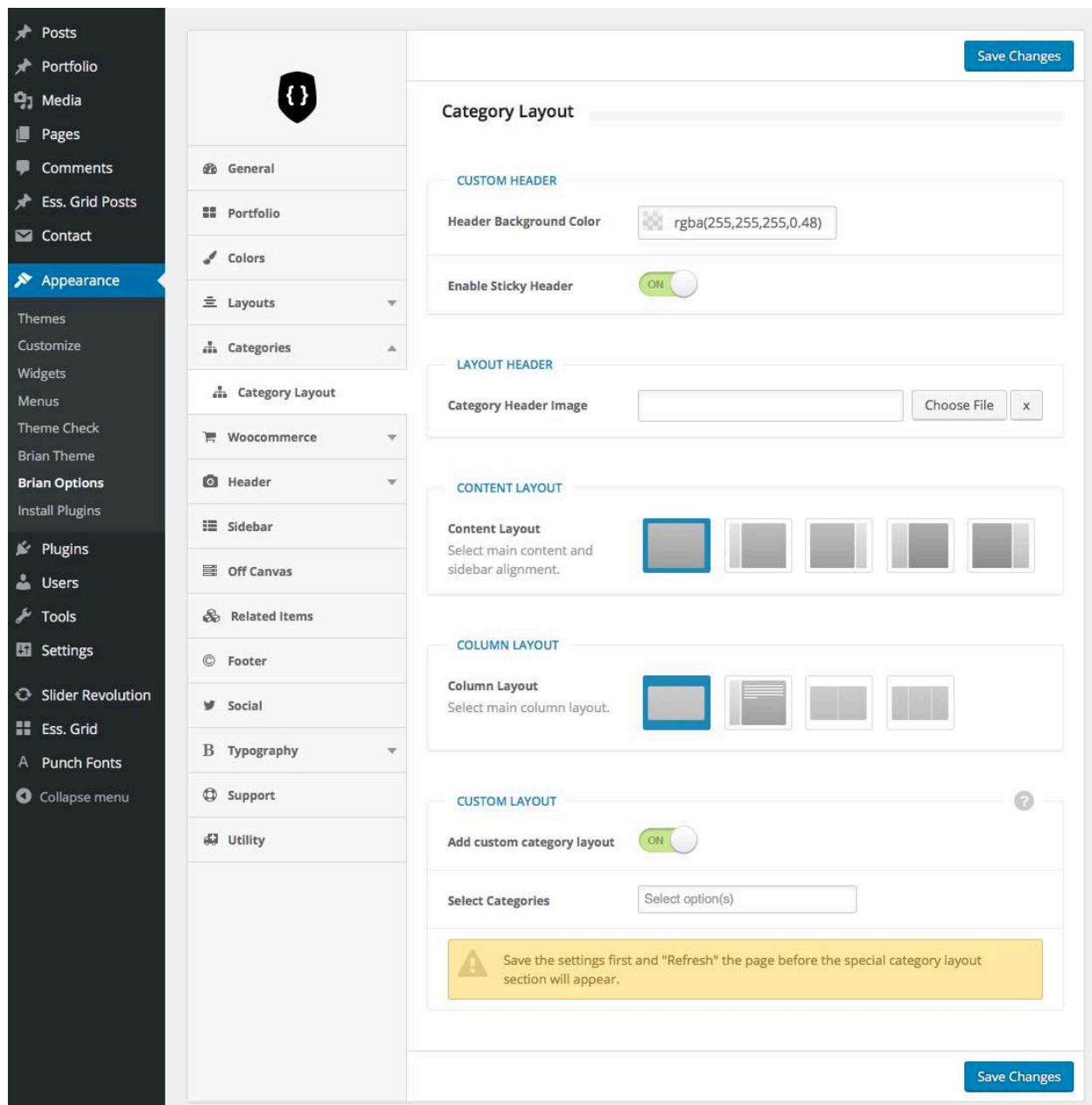
If you want default pages including sidebar, ‘check’ the preferred box, and select your preferred sidebar widget.



You’re able to select a default header image for all page layouts if you want to. How to create sidebars, we’ll explain in chapter 11.

08. BRIAN Options – Category Layout

This section allows you to create (custom) category layouts. You're able to set a category header image and the layout for your content and footer (widget area). Set the custom layout to on, and select the specific category.



The screenshot displays the 'Category Layout' settings interface. On the left, a dark sidebar contains navigation links such as 'Posts', 'Portfolio', 'Media', 'Pages', 'Comments', 'Ess. Grid Posts', 'Contact', 'Appearance', 'Themes', 'Customize', 'Widgets', 'Menus', 'Theme Check', 'Brian Theme', 'Brian Options', 'Install Plugins', 'Plugins', 'Users', 'Tools', 'Settings', 'Slider Revolution', 'Ess. Grid', 'Punch Fonts', and 'Collapse menu'. The 'Appearance' menu is expanded, and 'Category Layout' is selected. The main content area features a 'Save Changes' button at the top right. Below it, the 'Category Layout' section is titled. Under 'CUSTOM HEADER', the 'Header Background Color' is set to 'rgba(255,255,255,0.48)' and 'Enable Sticky Header' is turned 'ON'. The 'LAYOUT HEADER' section includes a 'Category Header Image' field with a 'Choose File' button and an 'x' icon. The 'CONTENT LAYOUT' section shows 'Content Layout' options with five icons, the first of which is selected. The 'COLUMN LAYOUT' section shows 'Column Layout' options with four icons, the first of which is selected. The 'CUSTOM LAYOUT' section has 'Add custom category layout' turned 'ON' and a 'Select Categories' dropdown menu. A yellow warning box at the bottom of the settings area reads: 'Save the settings first and "Refresh" the page before the special category layout section will appear.' A second 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the settings area.

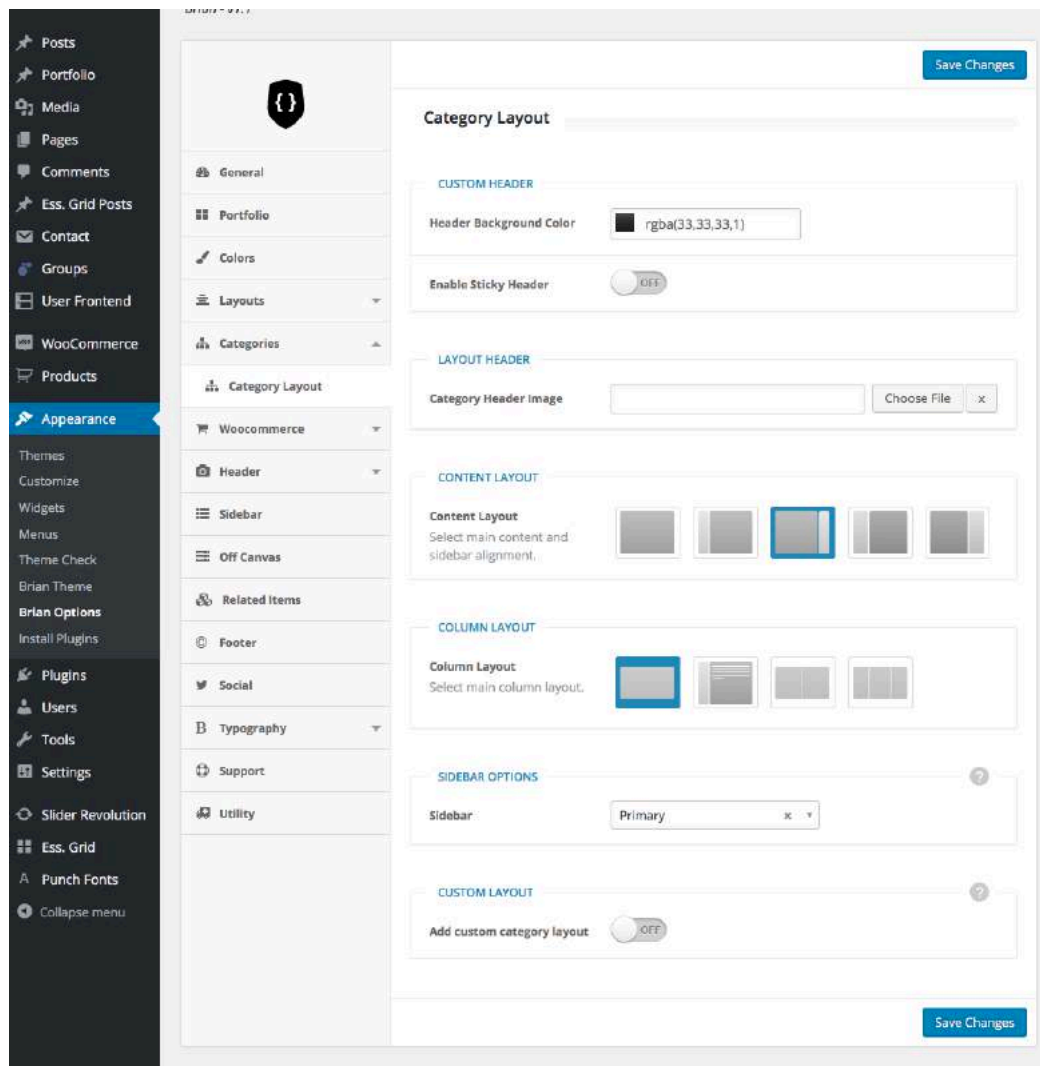
Per example: create a category layout for your 'category' blog.

Note:

In our **Brian main demo and demo 01,02,03,04** we've used '**Essential Grid**' to create our News Category Page and inserted a pre-made Essential Grid shortcode on our actual 'NEWS' page. We'll discuss Essential Grid later on.

For now, we'll use examples of other Brian demos to explain category layouts.

In **Brian demo 07**, we've created a category layout for Post Pages.
(Used categories: actor & personal coach).



Content layout:

Here you choose your preferred page layout
No sidebar, Sidebar right, Sidebar left.

Column layout:

Here you choose how many columns you want for your categories' posts.
1 column, One column + text, 2 columns or 3 columns.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo07/category/actor/>

Submenus: LISTINGS

Example category: ACTOR

This is how category layout looks at the front-end.



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Alicia Keynote

A small river named Duden flows by their place and supplies it with the necessary regellalia. It is a paradisematic country, in which roasted parts of sentences fly into your mouth. Even the all-powerful Pointing has no control about the blind texts it is an almost unorthographic life One day however a small line of L.]

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- Personal coach

Recent Posts

- Alicia Keynote
January 27, 2016 by mike
- Jim Bold
January 27, 2016 by mike
- David Haroldis
January 27, 2016 by mike

Recent Comments

- helen on Alicia Keynote
- mike on Barry James

Listing

Lifetime Listing
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Jim Bold

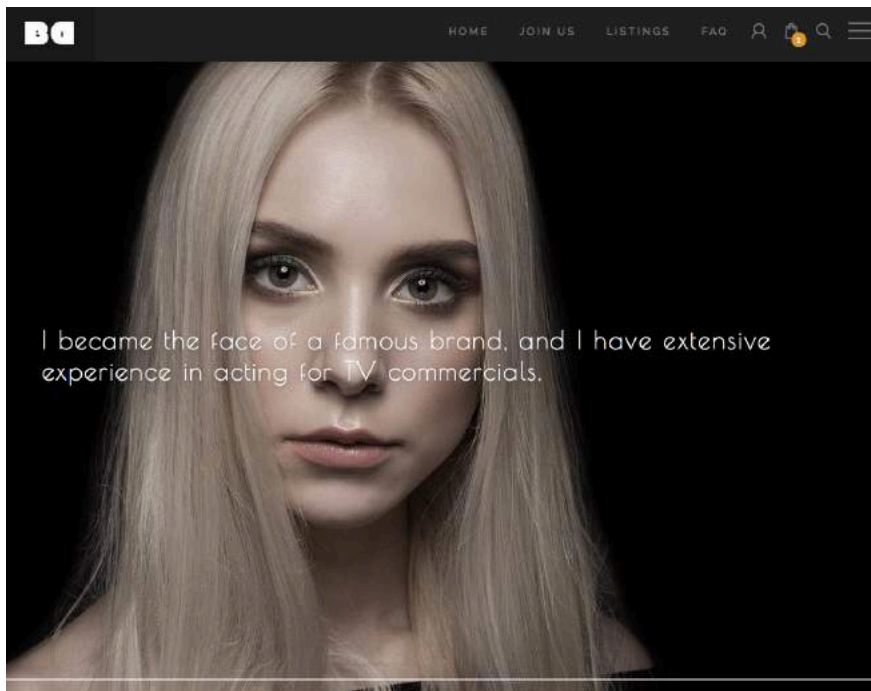
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This is how a Post Page looks at the front-end (Brian Davis demo 07)



Alicia Keynote

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A small river named Duden flows by their place and supplies it with the necessary regalia. It is a paradisematic country, in which roasted parts of sentences fly into your mouth. Even the all-powerful Pointing has no control about the blind texts it is an almost unorthographic life One day however a small line of blind text by the name of Lorem Ipsum decided to leave for the far World of Grammar. The Big Oxmox advised her not to do so, because there were thousands of bad Commas, wild Question Marks and devious Semikoli, but the Little Blind Text didn't listen.

“ Far far away, behind the word mountains, far from the countries Vokalia and Consonantia, there live the blind texts.

She packed her seven versalia, put her initial into the belt and made herself on the way. When she reached the first hills of the Italic Mountains, she had a last view back on the skyline of her hometown Bookmarksgrove, the headline of Alphabet Village and the subline of her own road, the Line Lane. Pityful a rethoric question ran over her cheek, then she continued her way. On her way she met a copy. The copy warned the Little Blind Text, that where it came from it would have been rewritten a thousand times and everything that was left from its origin would be the word "and" and the Little Blind Text.

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Categories

Actor
Personal coach

Recent Posts

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January 27, 2016 by
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Jim Bold
January 27, 2016 by
mike

David Haroldis
January 27, 2016 by
mike

Recent Comments

helen on Alicia Keynote
mike on Barry James

Listing

Lifetime
Listing
€243.80

Sidebars (example) can be created via Brian Options - Sidebars. Widgets for sidebars en footers can be created via Appearance / Widgets. We'll discuss sidebars and widgets later on.

Other example categories <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo09/>

We've created a Custom Category layout for categories: Business, Environment, and Lifestyle. The actual categories we already created via Dashboard / Posts / Categories.

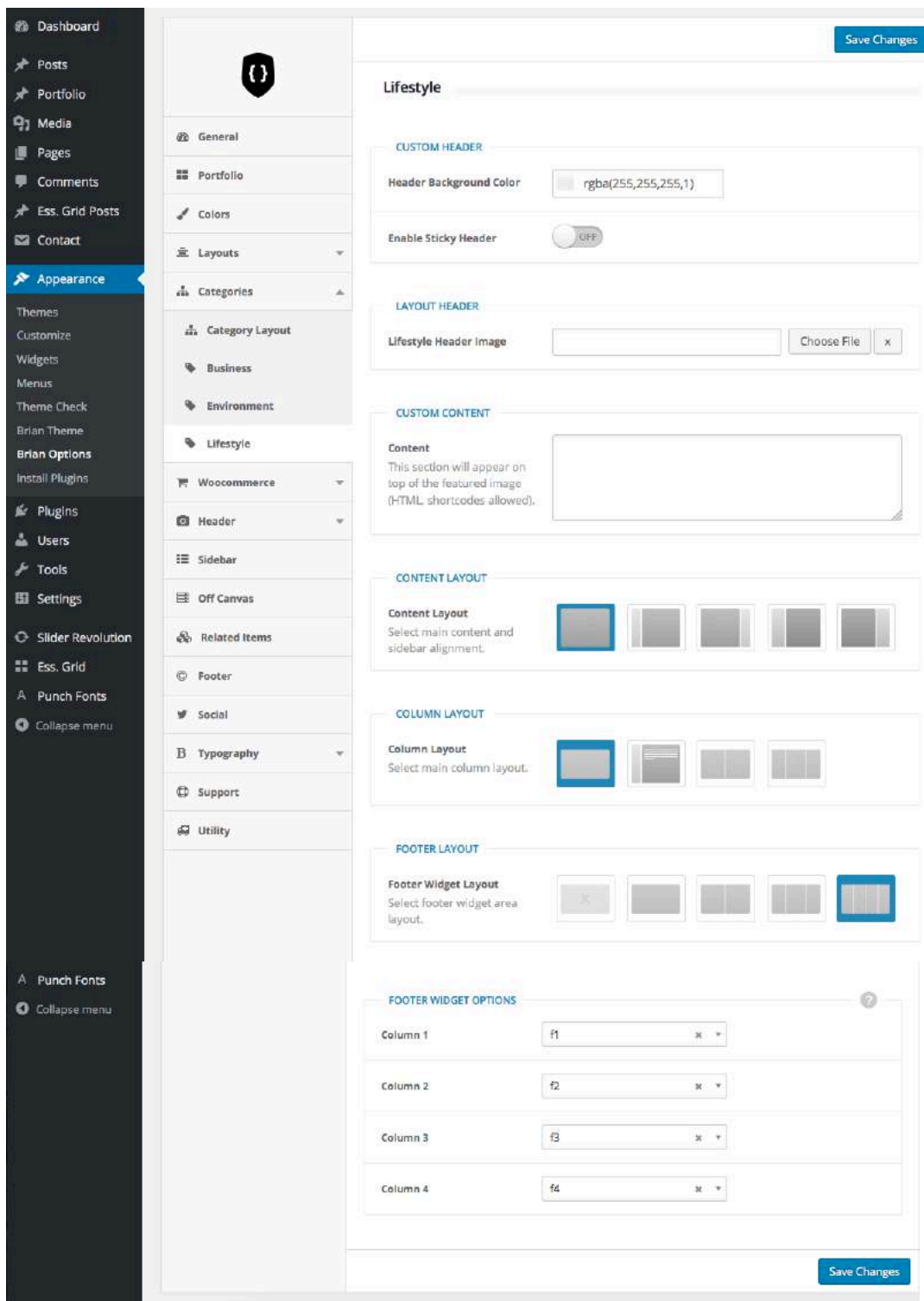
The screenshot displays the 'Category Layout' settings for three categories: Business, Environment, and Lifestyle. The settings are organized into several sections:

- CUSTOM HEADER:** Header Background Color is set to `rgba(255,255,255,1)`. The 'Enable Sticky Header' toggle is turned OFF.
- LAYOUT HEADER:** Category Header Image field is empty, with a 'Choose File' button and a close icon (x).
- CONTENT LAYOUT:** Select main content and sidebar alignment. Five layout options are shown, with the first one (a single column) selected.
- COLUMN LAYOUT:** Select main column layout. Four layout options are shown, with the first one (a single column) selected.
- FOOTER LAYOUT:** Select footer widget area layout. Five layout options are shown, with the first one (a single column) selected.
- CUSTOM LAYOUT:** This section is highlighted with a blue arrow. The 'Add custom category layout' toggle is turned ON. Below it, the 'Select Categories' field contains three selected categories: Business, Environment, and Lifestyle, indicated by blue arrows.

A yellow warning box at the bottom states: "Save the settings first and 'Refresh' the page before the special category layout section will appear."

Next we will discuss the category 'Lifestyle'.

Our next example shows how we set the category layout for 'Lifestyle'



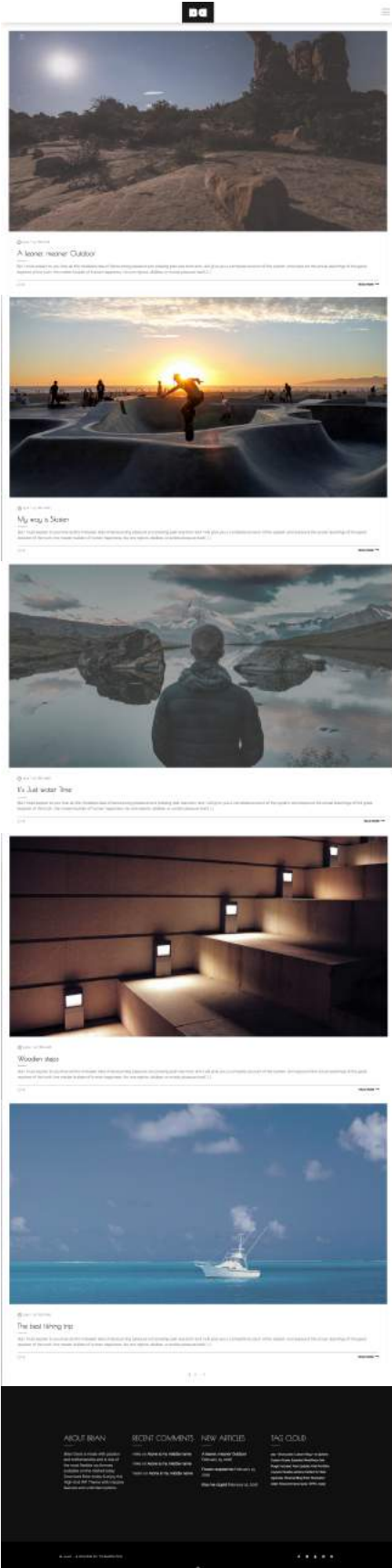
Content layout full width, no side bar.

Column layout 1 column.

Footer widget options 4 columns (widgets f1, f2, f3 and f4 we've already created via Appearance widgets).

This is how it looks at the front-end.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo09/category/lifestyle/>



Our next example shows how we set the category layout for 'Business'

The screenshot shows the WordPress theme customizer interface. On the left is a dark sidebar menu with options like Dashboard, Posts, Portfolio, Media, Pages, Comments, Ess. Grid Posts, Contact, Appearance, Themes, Customize, Widgets, Menus, Theme Check, Brian Theme, Brian Options, Install Plugins, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, Slider Revolution, Ess. Grid, Punch Fonts, and Collapse menu. The 'Appearance' menu is expanded, showing sub-menus for Portfolio, Colors, Layouts, Categories, and Category Layout. The 'Category Layout' sub-menu is selected, and the 'Business' category is highlighted. The main area shows settings for the 'Business' category layout, including: Header Background Color (rgba(255,255,255,1)), Enable Sticky Header (OFF), LAYOUT HEADER (Business Header Image), CUSTOM CONTENT (Content), CONTENT LAYOUT (Content Layout), COLUMN LAYOUT (Column Layout), FOOTER LAYOUT (Footer Widget Layout), and FOOTER WIDGET OPTIONS (Column 1, Column 2, Column 3, Column 4).

Content layout: full width, no sidebar

Column layout: 2 columns

Footer layout: 4 columns

This is how this custom category looks like at the front-end of Brian's demo 09

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo09/category/business/>



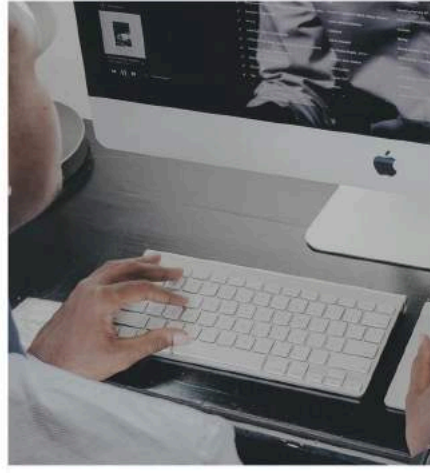
15:12 / 15 FEB 2016

Business suit, this is it!

But I must explain to you how all this mistaken idea of denouncing pleasure and praising pain was born and I will give you a complete account of the system, and expound the actual teachings of the great explorer of the truth, the master-builder of human happiness. No one rejects, dislikes, or avoids pleasure itself. I.

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Working on my music

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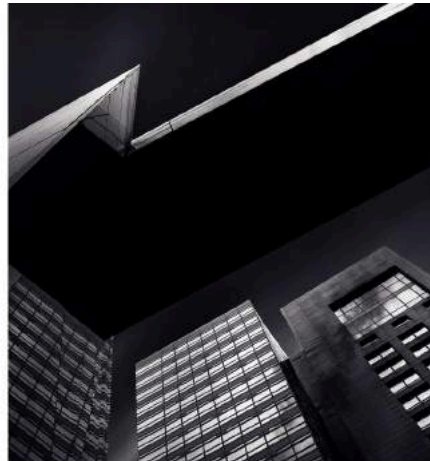
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Streets of London

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09. BRIAN Options – Woocommerce + Essential Grid

Brian Davis is Woocommerce-ready.

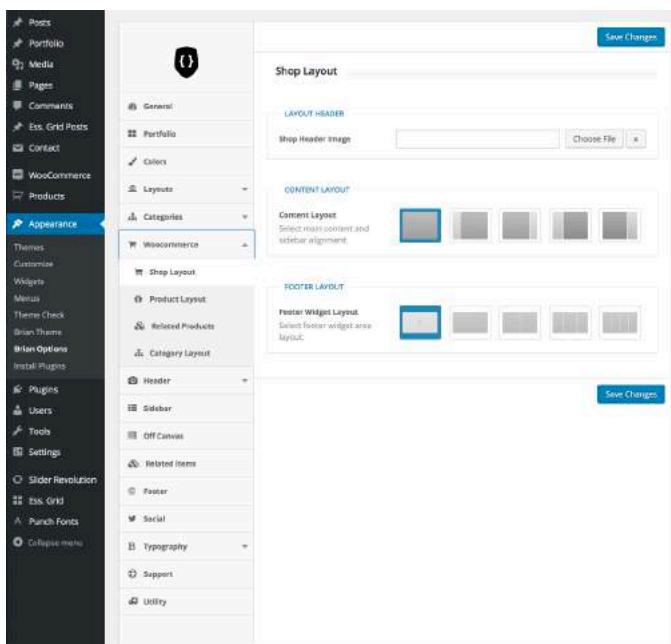
We have integrated Woocommerce in demos 07 and 08.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo07/> (subscriptions)

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo08/> (shop)

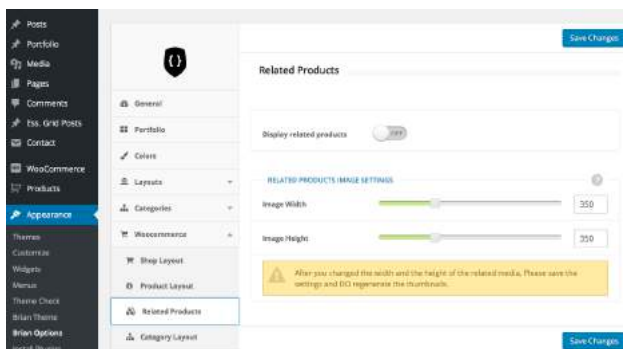
We'll discuss Brian's demo 08 in our manual.

Creating a Shop Layout works in a similar way. You're able to select a Shop Header image, and choose your preferred content layout, sidebar option and footer layout.



On all shop page and product page examples in our demo we selected a content layout without sidebars and no footer layout.

We did not set related products, which are visible on your product page once set to on. (display button set to off)

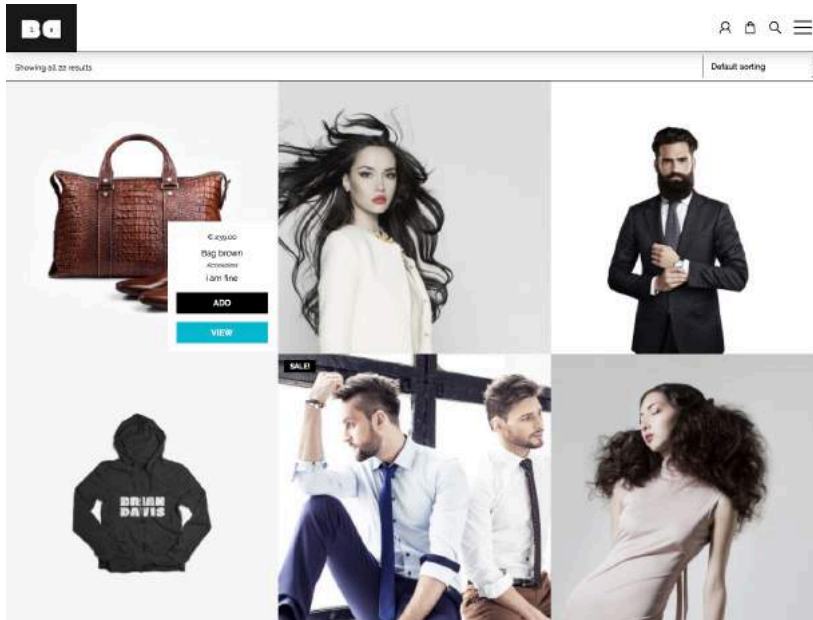


We did **not** create a custom category layout for Woocommerce pages.

We've created a **Default Store** "page" in Brian, and we've selected a **Default Page template**.

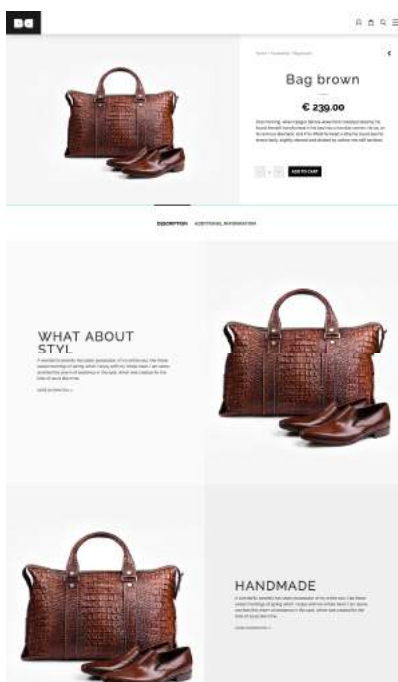
This is how it looks like at the front-end of Brian.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo08/shop/>



On the next page you can see that we've added custom content to our product pages. In this example we show product 'Bag brown'.

We have used **tds-customheightcolumns** shortcode to create the content which is visible beneath description / additional information.



- Dashboard
- Posts
- Portfolio
- Media
- Pages
- Comments
- Ess. Grid Posts
- Contact
- WooCommerce
- Products**
 - Products
 - Add Product
 - Categories
 - Tags
 - Shipping Classes
 - Attributes
- Appearance
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Permalink: <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo08/product/bag-brown/> Edit

Add Media Add Shortcodes Visual Text

Essential Grid Custom Settings

Custom Meta
Alternative Sources
Skin Modifications

Brian.Subtitle:

brian.sale.slogan:

Brian.Filter:

[Create New Meta Keys](#)

Product Data: **Simple product** Virtual: Downloadable:

General	SKU	008
Inventory	Regular Price (€)	239
Shipping	Sale Price (€)	<input type="text"/> Schedule
Attributes	Tax Status	Taxable
Advanced	Tax Class	Standard

Revolution Slider Options

Choose Slide Template: **default**

Product Short Description

Add Media Add Shortcodes Visual Text

Reviews

Add comment

No comments yet.

Preview Changes

Status: **Published** Edit

Visibility: **Public** Edit

Published on: Jan 31, 2016 @ 09:33 Edit

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Product Categories

All Product Categories Most Used

- Accessories
- Examples
- Female
- Jacket
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- Men
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Product Tags

Separate Product Tags with commas


[Choose from the most used Product tags](#)

Product Image Layout

Enables you to display fullwidth single product image.

Default Fullwidth

Product Image



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Product Gallery

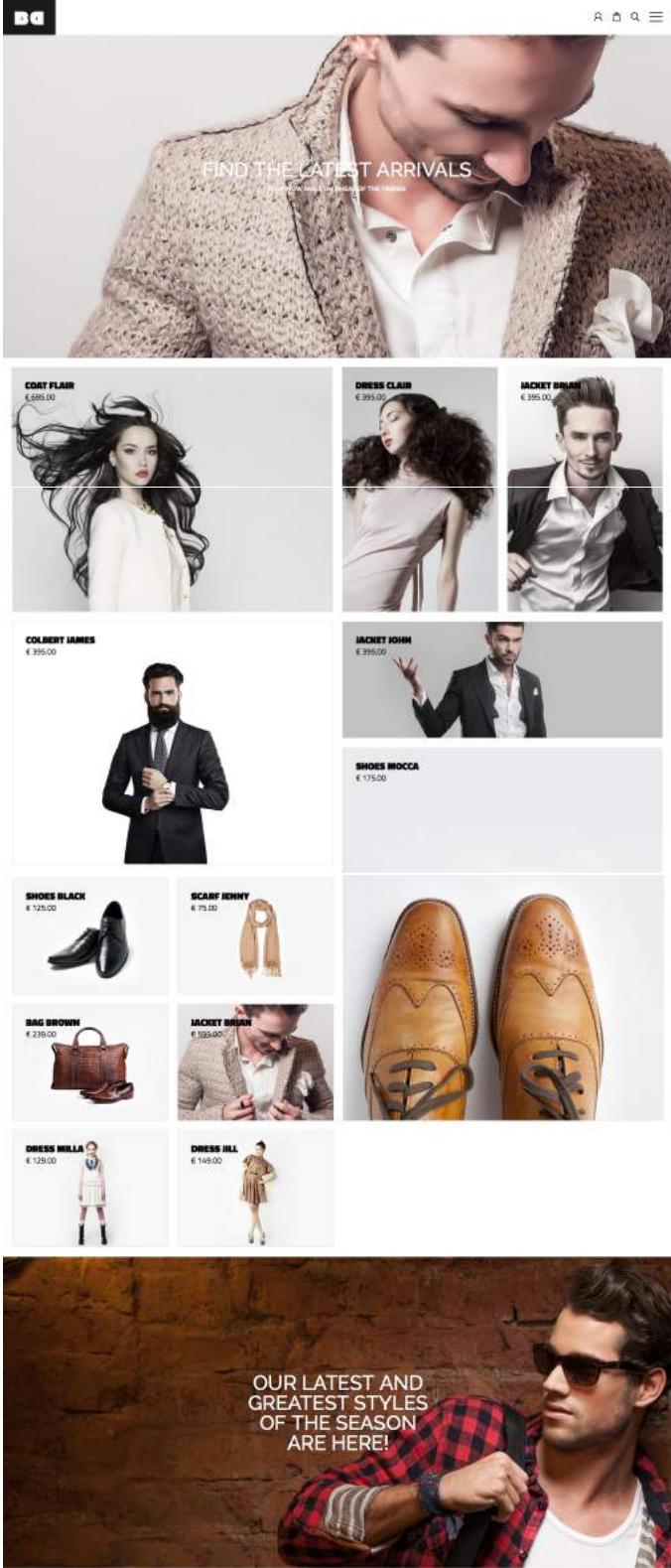
[Add product gallery images](#)

ESSENTIAL GRID PLUGIN

Next we'll discuss Essential Grid (plugin) that comes with theme Brian, which only needs to be activated.

Our next Woocommerce shop products example is made with the use of Essential Grid Plugin This is how it looks like at the front-end.

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo08/shop-creative/>



This is how it looks at the back-end. We've created a page and used a Full width Page template with no title and no breadcrumbs.

We divided this page in 3 main parts:

1. Section (tds section shortcode) including header content.
2. Products made by Essential Grid (shortcode) [ess_grid alias="BrianStoreCreative"]
3. Section (tds section shortcode) including content (below Products).

The screenshot shows the WordPress 'Edit Page' interface for a page titled 'Shop creative'. The page content is displayed in a visual editor with a text tab selected. The content includes several TDS section shortcodes and an Essential Grid shortcode: `[ess_grid alias='BrianStoreCreative']`. A blue arrow points to this shortcode. The right sidebar shows page settings, including 'Publish' status (Published), visibility (Public), and a list of page templates. The 'Fullwidth Page Template: No Title | No Breadcrumbs' template is selected. Below the main content area, there are 'Essential Grid Custom Settings' and 'Custom Content' sections.

NOTE: INFO & UPDATES WOOCOMMERCE

For more information how to transform your website into a eCommerce store.

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

Please wait updating Woocommerce until an updated version of Brian is available via your marketplace. This can prevent issues.

NOTE: INFO & UPDATES ESSENTIAL GRID

For more information about Essential Grid (how to use etc.) we refer to available information and instructions via ThemePunch.

Essential Grid is already built-in and comes with theme Brian. Please wait with updating Essential Grid until we've released an updated Brian version on the themes' marketplace. This prevents possible issues.

This is an overview of all created Essential Grids, which are used in Brian's Demo 08.

The screenshot shows the 'Ess. Grid' settings page in the WordPress dashboard. A blue arrow points to the 'Global Settings' tab. The main content area features a table with the following data:

ID	Name	Shortcode	Actions	Settings	Modified
1	BrianDemo_8-Store	[ess_grid alias="BrianDemo_8-Store"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Post, Fullwidth	2016-02-09 13:27:58
2	BrianDemo_8-StoreMenu	[ess_grid alias="BrianDemo_8-StoreMenu"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Custom, Fullwidth	2016-02-09 13:02:00
3	BrianDemo_8-Store_Acce	[ess_grid alias="BrianDemo_8-Store_Acce"]	Settings Edit Skin	Even, 4/3, Post, Boxed	2016-02-01 10:07:12
4	BrianDemo_8-Lookbook	[ess_grid alias="BrianDemo_8-Lookbook"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Custom, Fullwidth	2016-02-01 16:33:38
5	BrianStoreCreative	[ess_grid alias="BrianStoreCreative"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Post, Fullwidth	2016-02-01 23:28:44
6	BrianStoreFilter	[ess_grid alias="BrianStoreFilter"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Post, Fullwidth	2016-02-02 16:34:53
7	BrianDemo_8-Store_jeans	[ess_grid alias="BrianDemo_8-Store_jeans"]	Settings Edit Skin	Cobbles, Post, Boxed	2016-02-02 17:25:32

Below the table, there is a 'Create New Ess. Grid' button and a 'How To Use Essential Grid' section with instructions. The 'Version Information' section shows 'Installed Version: 2.0.0.1' and 'Available Version: 2.0.0.1'. A 'Need Premium Support and Auto Updates?' section is also present.

This is an overview of the item skin editor

The screenshot shows the 'Essential Grid Overview' page. It features a grid of skin templates for various items. The templates are categorized by 'Skin Templates' and include filters for 'All', 'Favorites', 'Even', 'Masonry', 'Post', and 'WooCommerce'. The templates shown include 'Arthur', 'Jason', 'Brian_demo8-store', 'Brian_demo8-single', and 'Brian_demo8-storeSkin'. Each template has a preview image and a title. A 'Create New Item Skin' button is visible at the bottom left.

If you need help in creating your own grids hit the **help button** at the top of **Essential Grid overview** and you'll arrive at Essential Grid documentation.
<http://essential.themepunch.com/documentation/>

The screenshot shows the documentation page for Essential Grid. The browser address bar displays essential.themepunch.com/documentation/. The page layout includes a dark sidebar on the left with a list of navigation items such as "Installation", "Purchase Code Registration", and "FAQ's". The main content area has a red header with the text "WELCOME TO THEMEPUNCH'S LATEST PRODUCT 'ESSENTIAL GRID'". Below this is a product overview section titled "ESSENTIAL GRID" with the subtitle "Ultimate WordPress Grid Building Solution". It lists three key features: "30+ Skins Included", "Visual Skin Editor", and "Beginner Friendly". The section also includes logos for WPML, WooCommerce, and social media platforms like Vimeo and YouTube. Below the product overview are three buttons: "FAQ's", "Videos", and "Support". The "QUICK LINKS" section contains a list of 17 links, including "Quick Grid in 2 steps", "Add to Web Page", "Grid Layout", "Grid Columns", "Even Grid", "Masonry Grid", "Cobbles Grid", "Custom Grid: Bulk Upload", "Pagination / Load More", "Spacings / Paddings", "Edit Grid Content", "Grid Item Hovers", "Changing an Icon", "Lightbox Social Buttons", "Setting Hyperlinks", "Video / Soundcloud", and "Front-end not working". The "HELPFUL FAQ'S" section lists 7 links, including "Quick Grid in only two steps", "Hyperlinking Options", "Making the entire Grid item clickable", "Avoiding Duplicate Lightbox Content", "Setup Social Icon Links", "Social Sharing Alternative", and "Show Video in Items".

10. BRIAN Options – Header

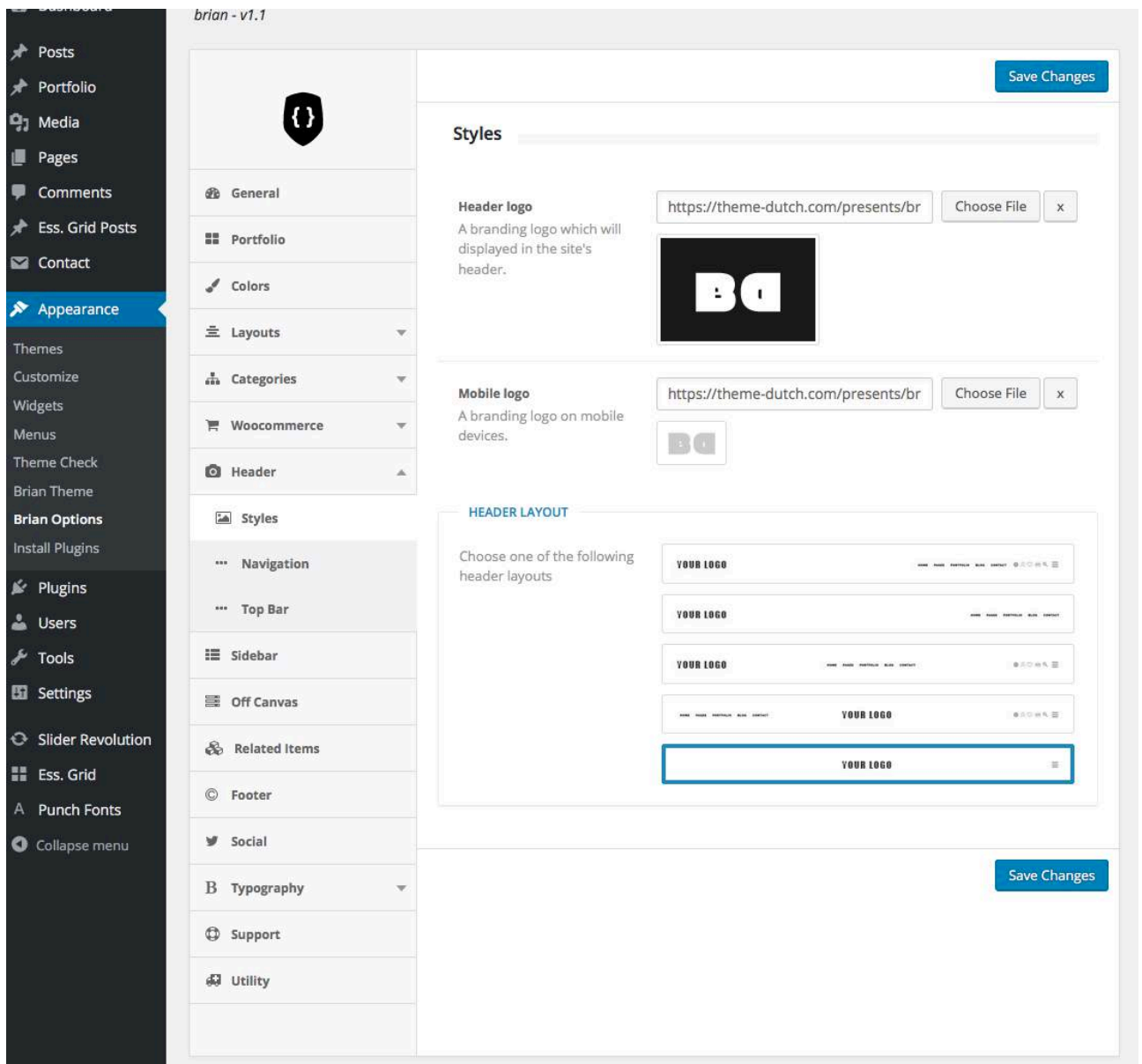
1. Styles:

In here you can set your header logo, mobile logo, and header layout.

We have several header layouts available in BRIAN.

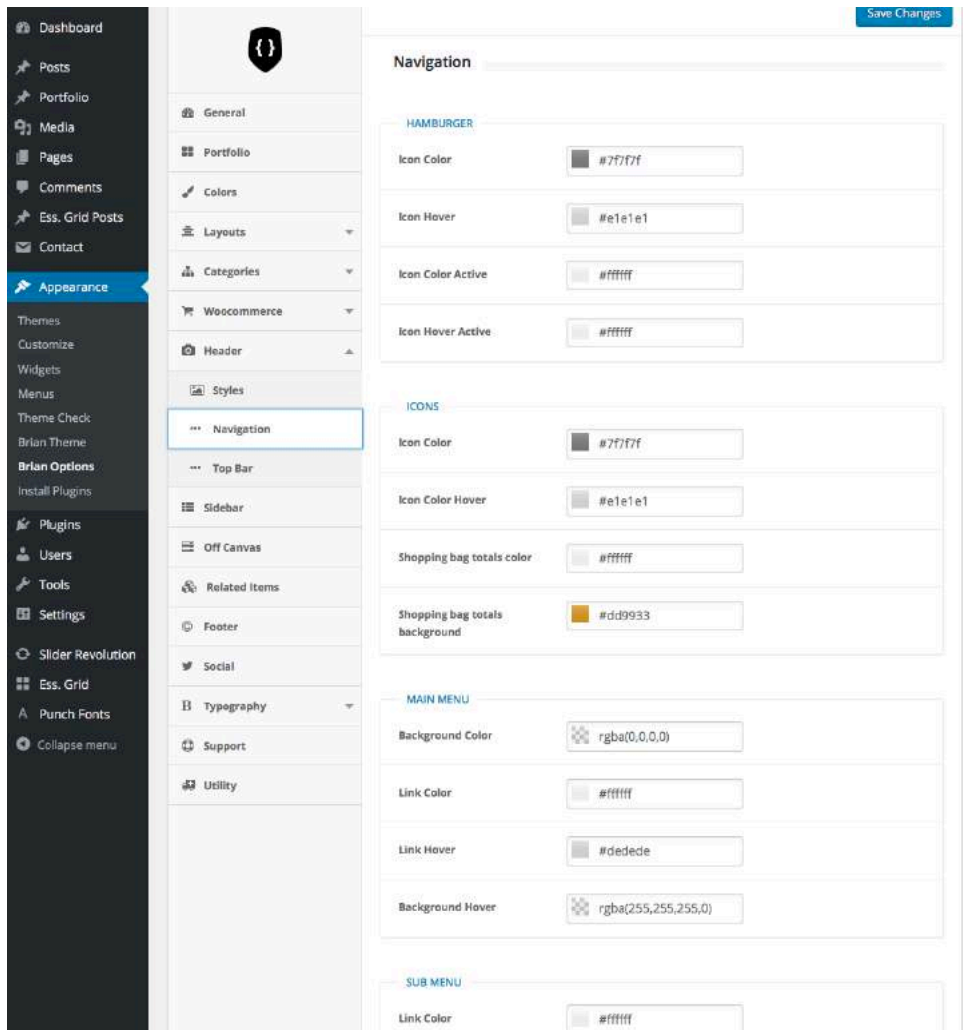
You can see different header layout examples if you check our demos, and also if you look at our Brian Davis' overview page:

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demos/>



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.

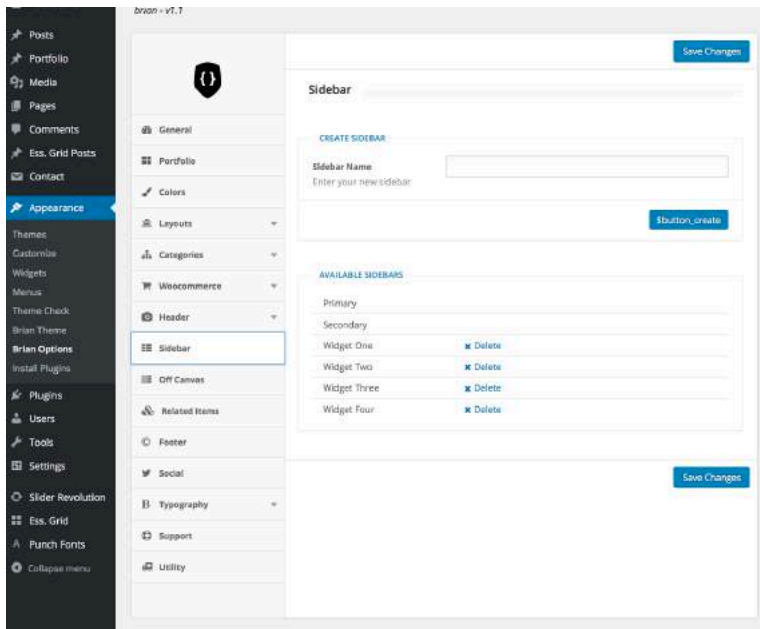


In here you can also set colors for Top Bar, Search button, and Social icons. This is how it looks at the front-end of theme BRIAN.



11. BRIAN Options – Sidebar

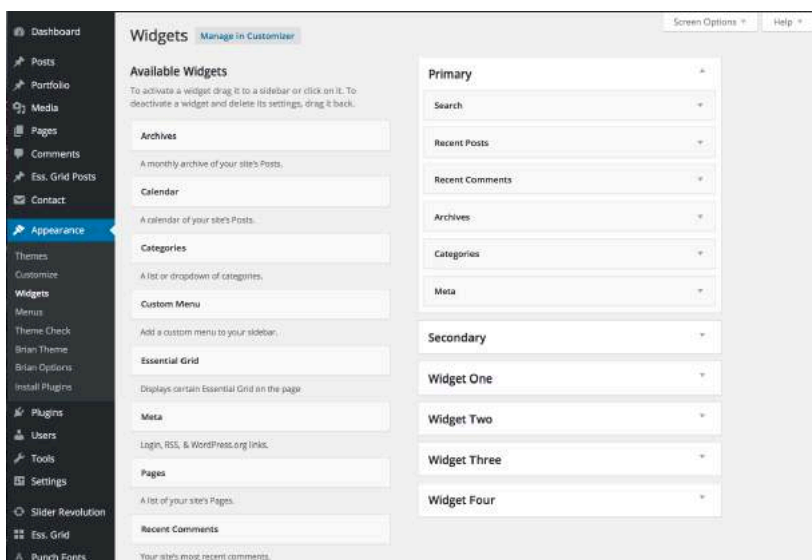
Here you're able to create your sidebar **“names”** (for usage on specific pages or sections). You can fill your sidebars with Widgets later on via Appearance / Widgets. Don't forget to hit changes once you're done.



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 MsqI 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:

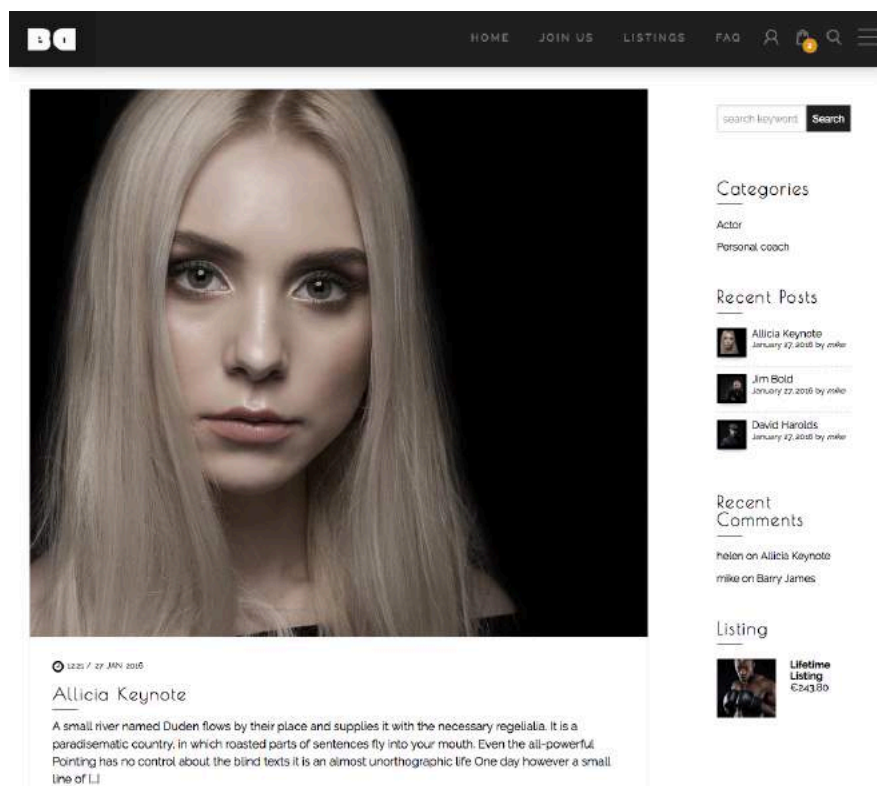
To know more about Wordpress Widgets (how to add and activate widgets, and learn about its use etc.) please read these tutorial pages:

https://codex.wordpress.org/WordPress_Widgets

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

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

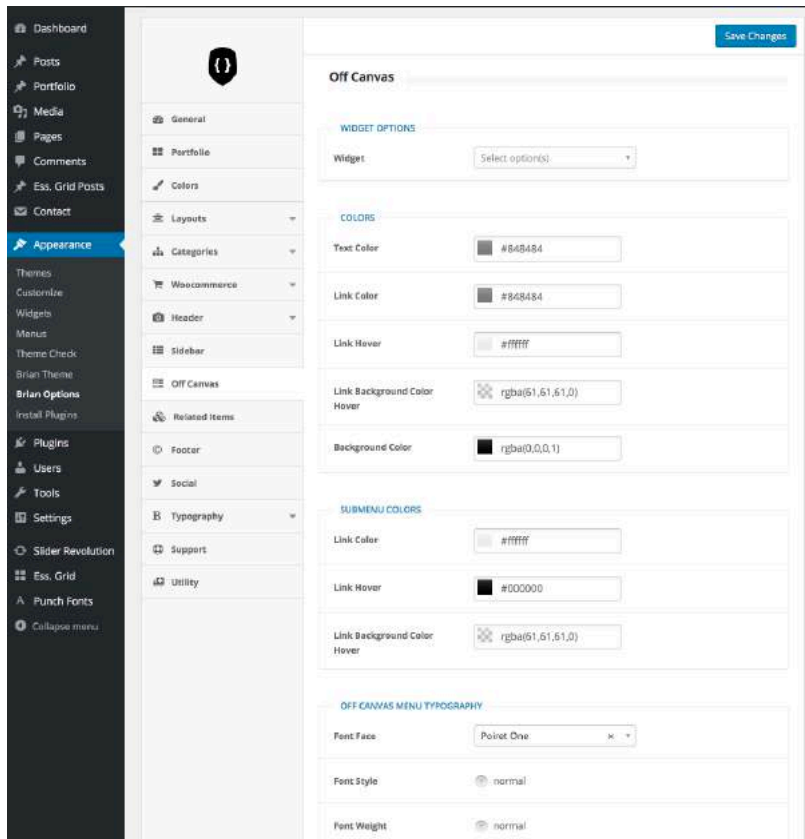
<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo07/category/actor/>



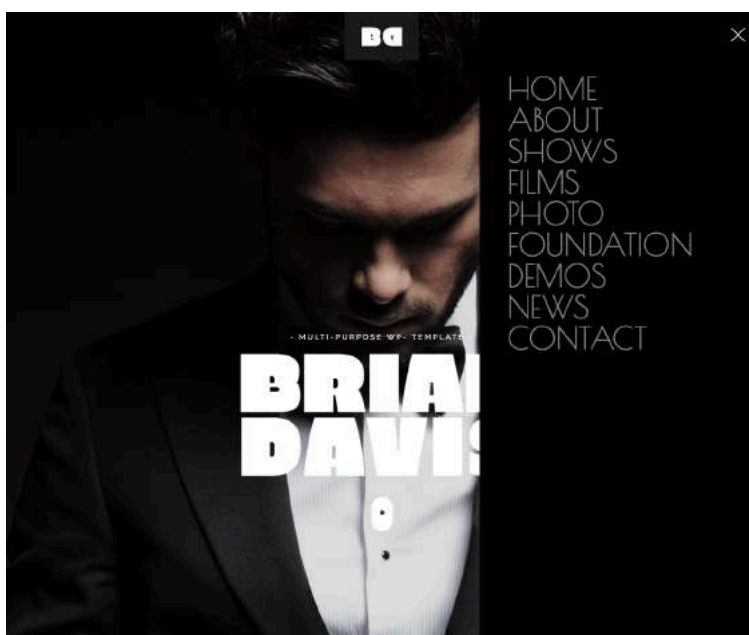
The screenshot displays a WordPress theme front-end for a category page titled 'Actor'. The main content area features a large portrait of a woman with long blonde hair, identified as Alicia Keynote. Below the image, the text reads: 'A small river named Duden flows by their place and supplies it with the necessary regellala. It is a paradisematic country, in which roasted parts of sentences fly into your mouth. Even the all-powerful Pointing has no control about the bird texts it is an almost unorthographic life One day however a small line of L.]'. The right sidebar contains several widgets: a search bar, a 'Categories' widget listing 'Actor' and 'Personal coach', a 'Recent Posts' widget showing three posts by 'mike', a 'Recent Comments' widget showing two comments, and a 'Listing' widget showing a 'Lifetime Listing' for €243.80. The top navigation bar includes links for HOME, JOIN US, LISTINGS, and FAQ, along with icons for user profile, notifications, and search.

12. BRIAN Hill Options – Off Canvas

Here you're able to set a widget, text color, link color, link hover color, background color for BRIAN'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 BRIAN. <https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/>



13. BRIAN Options – Related Items

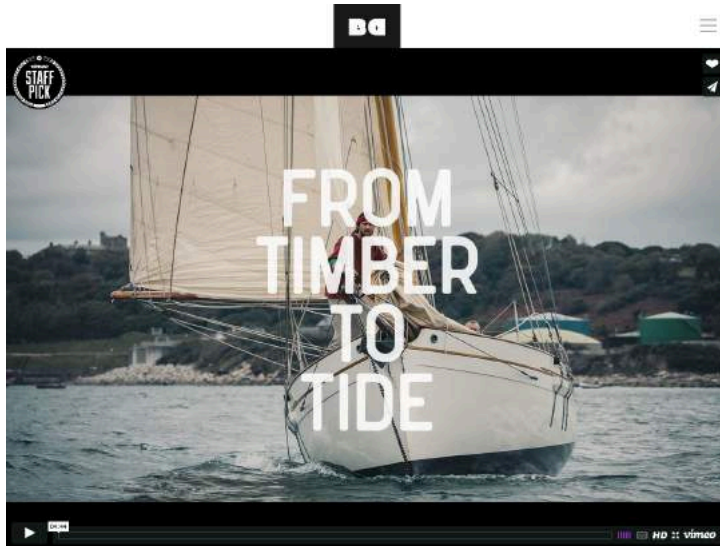
This section allows you to set related items on Posts and Portfolios. All settings are self-explanatory.

The screenshot shows the 'Brian Options' settings panel for 'Related Items'. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with 'Appearance' selected. The main panel is titled 'Related Items' and includes a 'Save Changes' button in the top right corner. The settings are organized into several sections:

- Related Items:**
 - Number of items:** A numeric input field set to 4, with a description: 'The number of related items to display.'
 - Display related items on:** Two checkboxes, 'Posts' (checked) and 'Portfolio' (unchecked).
 - Display post author:** A toggle switch set to 'OFF'.
- RELATED MEDIA SETTINGS:**
 - Image Width:** A slider set to 350.
 - Image Height:** A slider set to 250.
 - Warning:** A yellow box with a warning icon stating: 'After you changed the width and the height of the related media, Please save the settings and DO regenerate the thumbnails.'
- COLORS:**
 - Text Color:** A color picker set to #ffffff.
 - Background Overlay:** A color picker set to rgba(0,0,0,0.85).
- CUSTOM ICON:**
 - Add an icon or a custom image:** Two radio buttons, 'Icon' (selected) and 'Custom Image'.
 - Description:** 'The icon will display below the related items section.'
 - Custom Icon:** A text input field containing 'https://theme-dutch.com/presents/br', with 'Choose File' and 'x' buttons.
 - Preview:** A black square icon with the white letters 'B' and 'I'.

Example Related Items:

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo09/the-best-fishing-trip/>



The best fishing trip

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In a free hour, when our power of choice is untrammelled and when nothing prevents our being able to do what we like best, every pleasure is to be welcomed.

Now again in those moments in which pain or pleasure or desire to obtain pain is itself, because it is pain, but because occasionally circumstances occur in which toil and pain can procure him some great pleasure. To take a trivial example, which of us ever undertakes laborious physical exercise, except to obtain some advantage from it? But who has any right to expect fault, with a man who chooses to enjoy a pleasure that has no annoying consequences, or one who avoids a pain that produces no resultant pleasure?

Claims of duty

On the other hand, we disdains with righteous indignation and dislike men who are so beguiled and demoralized by the charms of pleasure of the moment, so blinded by desire, that they cannot foresee the pain and trouble that are bound to ensue; and equal blame belongs to those who fail in their duty through weakness of will, which is the same as saying through shrinking from toil and pain. These cases are perfectly simple and easy to distinguish.

In a free hour, when our power of choice is untrammelled and when nothing prevents our being able to do what we like best, every pleasure is to be welcomed and every pain avoided. But in certain circumstances and owing to the claims of duty or the obligations of business it will frequently occur that pleasures have to be repudiated and annoyances accepted. The wise man therefore always holds in these matters to this principle of selection: he rejects pleasures to secure other greater pleasures, or else he endures pains to avoid worse pains. But I must explain to you how all this mistaken idea of denouncing pleasure and praising pain was born and I will give you a complete account of the system, and expound the actual teachings of the great explorer of the truth, the master-builder of human happiness. No one rejects, dislikes, or avoids pleasure itself, because it is pleasure; but because those who do not know how to pursue pleasure rationally encounter consequences that are extremely painful.

It's just human happiness

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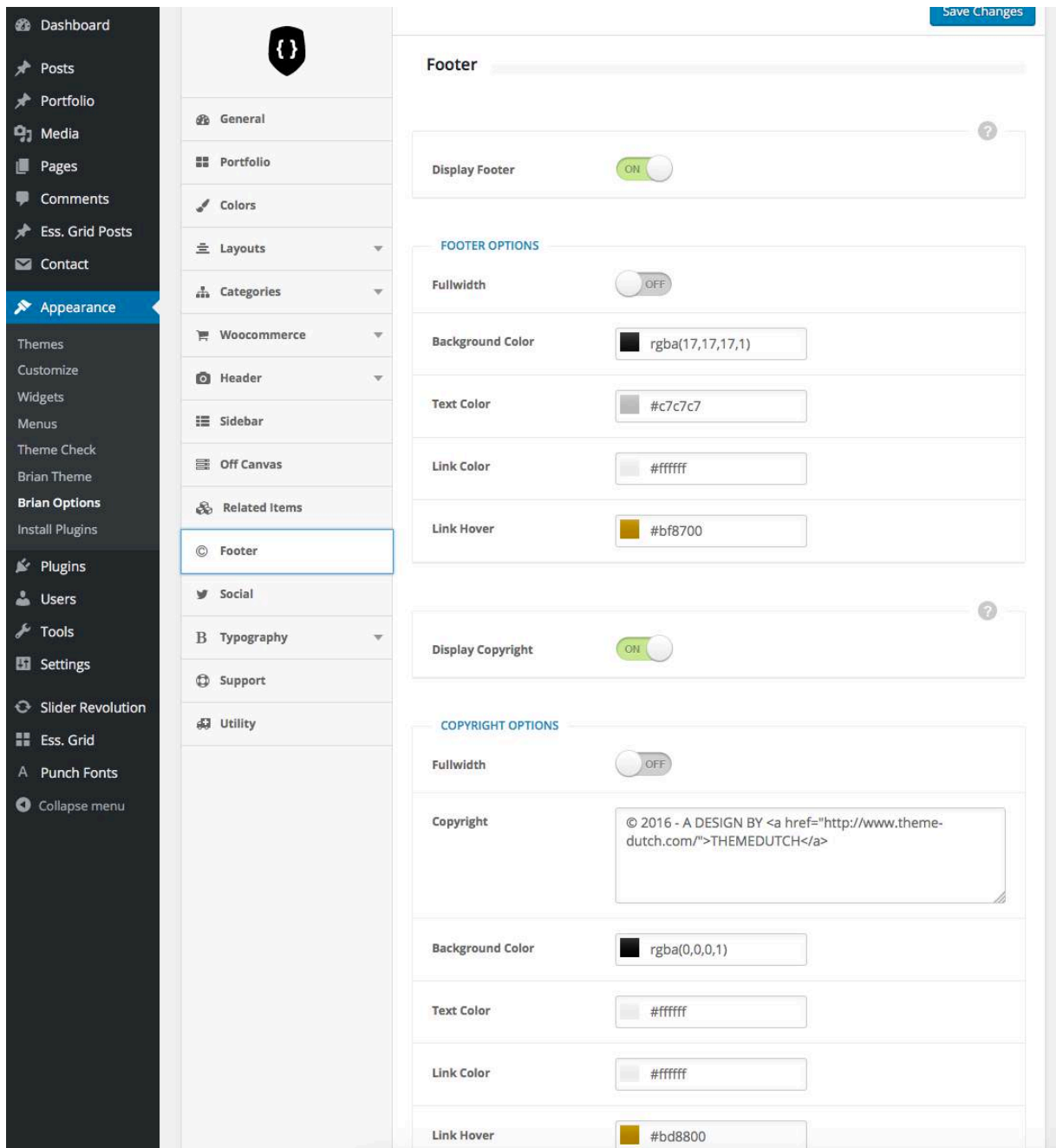
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Related Items



14. BRIAN Options – Footer

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



The screenshot shows the WordPress admin interface for the Brian theme. The left sidebar is dark with a blue highlight on the 'Appearance' menu. Under 'Appearance', the 'Footer' option is selected. The main content area is white and contains the 'Footer' settings panel. At the top right of this panel is a 'Save Changes' button. The settings are organized into sections: 'Footer' (with a 'Display Footer' toggle set to 'ON'), 'FOOTER OPTIONS' (with a 'Fullwidth' toggle set to 'OFF'), and 'COPYRIGHT OPTIONS' (with a 'Fullwidth' toggle set to 'OFF'). The 'Display Footer' and 'Display Copyright' toggles are green and turned on. The 'Fullwidth' toggles are grey and turned off. The 'Background Color' field is set to 'rgba(17,17,17,1)' for the footer and 'rgba(0,0,0,1)' for the copyright. The 'Text Color' field is set to '#c7c7c7' for the footer and '#ffffff' for the copyright. The 'Link Color' field is set to '#ffffff' for both. The 'Link Hover' field is set to '#bf8700' for the footer and '#bd8800' for the copyright. The 'Copyright' text area contains the text: '© 2016 - A DESIGN BY THEMEDUTCH'. The 'Utility' menu item is visible at the bottom of the sidebar.

This is how it looks at the front-end of theme Brian demo 09

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo09/>

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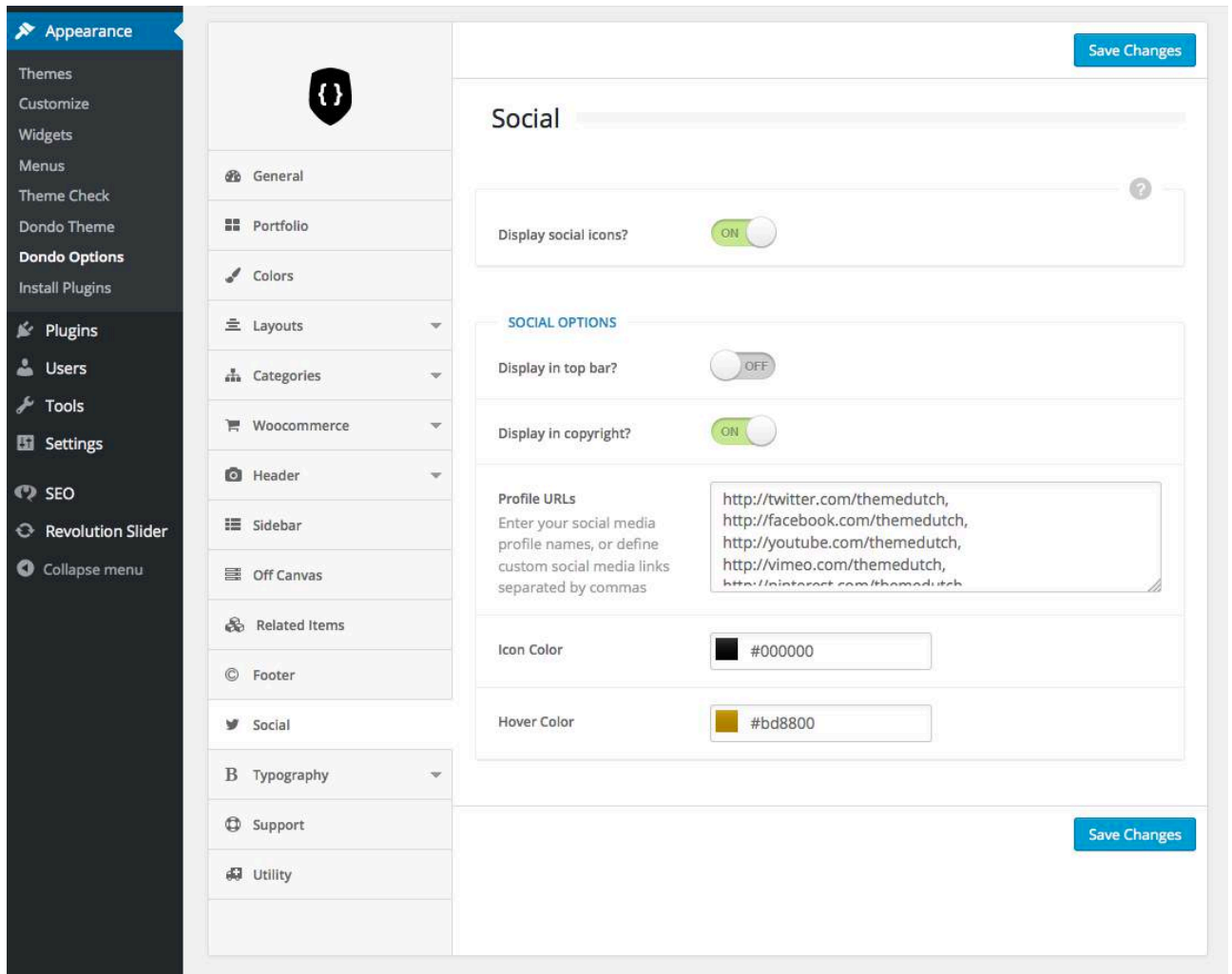
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15. BRIAN Hill Options - Social

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

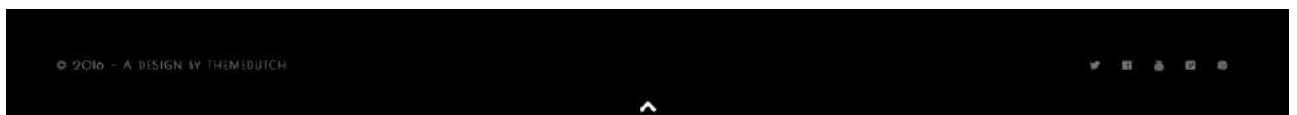
All used social icons will appear in your website's Top Bar and / or in copyright section. All settings are self-explanatory.



The screenshot shows the 'Appearance' settings panel for the Brian Hill theme. The 'Social' section is active, displaying various options for social media integration. The 'Display social icons?' toggle is turned ON. Under 'SOCIAL OPTIONS', 'Display in top bar?' is OFF and 'Display in copyright?' is ON. The 'Profile URLs' field contains a list of social media links: http://twitter.com/themedutch, http://facebook.com/themedutch, http://youtube.com/themedutch, http://vimeo.com/themedutch, and http://instagram.com/themedutch. The 'Icon Color' is set to #000000 and the 'Hover Color' is set to #bd8800. There are 'Save Changes' buttons at the top right and bottom right of the settings panel.

Example sociables in copyright section

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo02/>



16. BRIAN 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.

The screenshot displays the 'Typography' settings panel in the Brian Theme. The panel is divided into three sections: 'GENERAL TYPOGRAPHY', 'MENU TYPOGRAPHY', and 'SUB MENU TYPOGRAPHY'. Each section contains a preview of the text and a list of settings: Font Face (dropdown), Font Style (radio buttons), Font Weight (radio buttons), Font Subset (dropdown), Font Size (px) (slider), Line Height (%) (slider), and Letter Spacing (slider). The 'GENERAL TYPOGRAPHY' section shows a preview of 'Grumpy wizards make toxic brew for the evil Queen and Jack' with settings: Poiret One, normal, normal, Select option(s), 18, 150, and 1. The 'MENU TYPOGRAPHY' section shows a preview of 'Grumpy wizards make toxic brew for the evil Queen and Jack' with settings: Poiret One, normal, normal, Select option(s), 13, 150, and 3. The 'SUB MENU TYPOGRAPHY' section is partially visible at the bottom. A 'Save Changes' button is located in the top right corner of the panel. The left sidebar shows the 'Appearance' menu with 'Brian Options' expanded to 'Typography'.

Headings

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

The screenshot displays the WordPress theme customizer interface for the 'Headings' section. On the left, a dark sidebar contains a navigation menu with 'Appearance' highlighted and 'Headings' selected. The main content area is titled 'Headings' and includes a 'Save Changes' button in the top right corner. Below the title, there is a section for 'HEADINGS TYPOGRAPHY' with a preview of the text 'Grumpy wizards make toxic brew for the evil Queen and Jack'. The settings are organized into several rows:

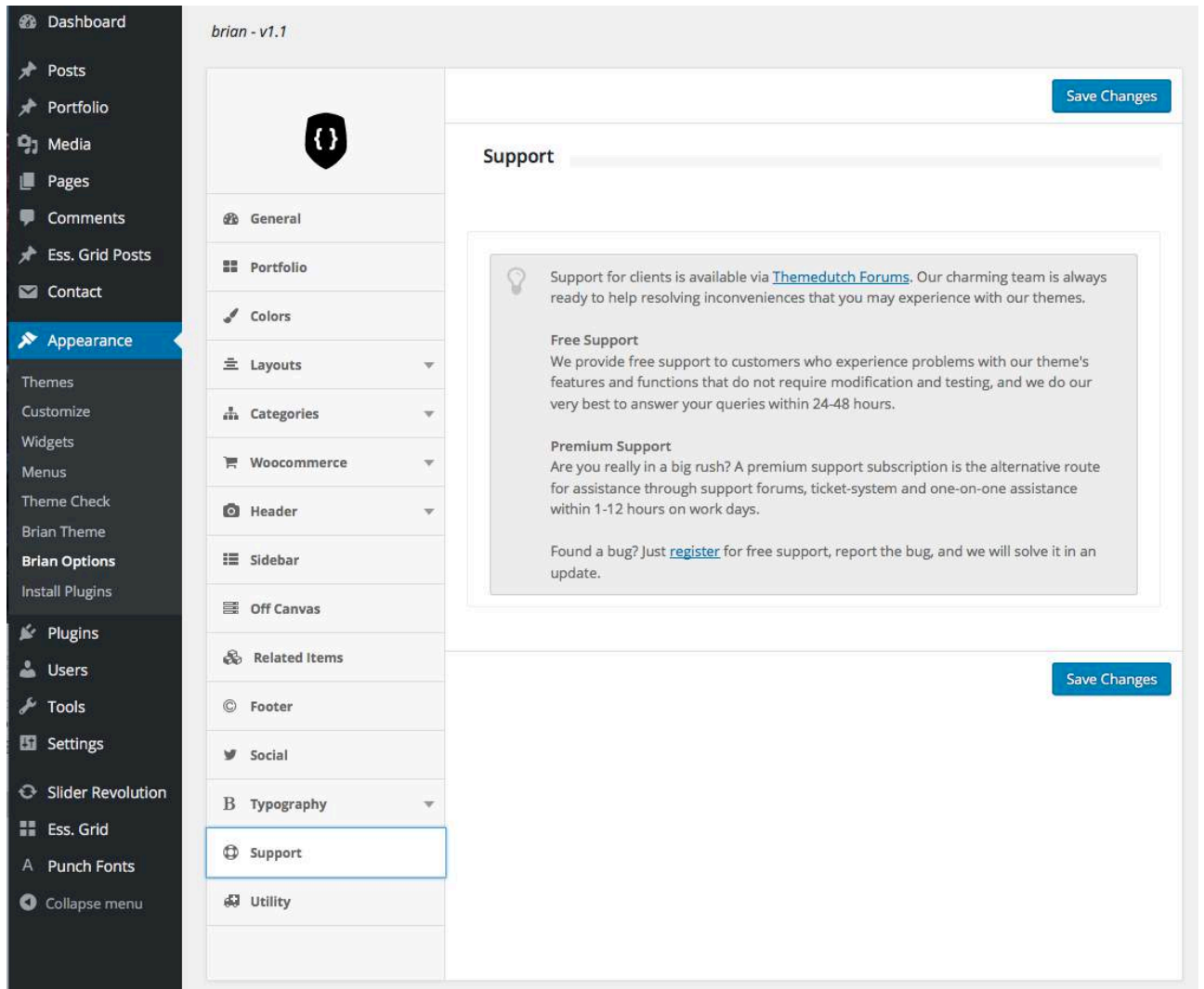
- Font Face:** A dropdown menu set to 'Poiret One'.
- Font Style:** Radio buttons for 'normal' (selected).
- Font Weight:** Radio buttons for 'normal' (selected).
- Font Subset:** A text input field with the placeholder 'Select option(s)'.

Below these are three sections for individual heading styles, each with sliders and input fields for 'Font Size (px)', 'Line Height (%)', and 'Letter Spacing':

- H1:** Font Size (60 px), Line Height (100%), Letter Spacing (0).
- H2:** Font Size (45 px), Line Height (100%), Letter Spacing (0).
- H3:** Font Size (30 px), Line Height (100%), Letter Spacing (0).

17. BRIAN Hill Options – Support

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



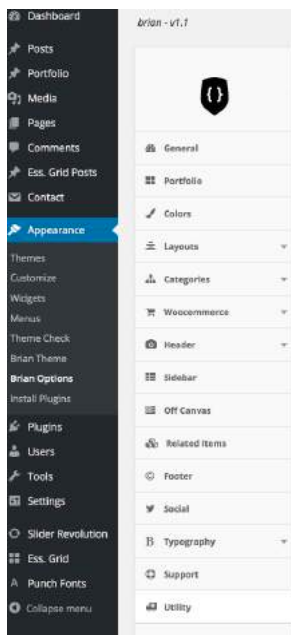
18. BRIAN Hill Options – Utility (import dummy content)

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

Please read all ‘IMPORTANT NOTICES FIRST’ before you install BRIAN.

Import Dummy content.

Hit the button ‘Install Dummy Content’ if you would like to install the official BRIAN 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 Brian Unzip me please file.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: 2.

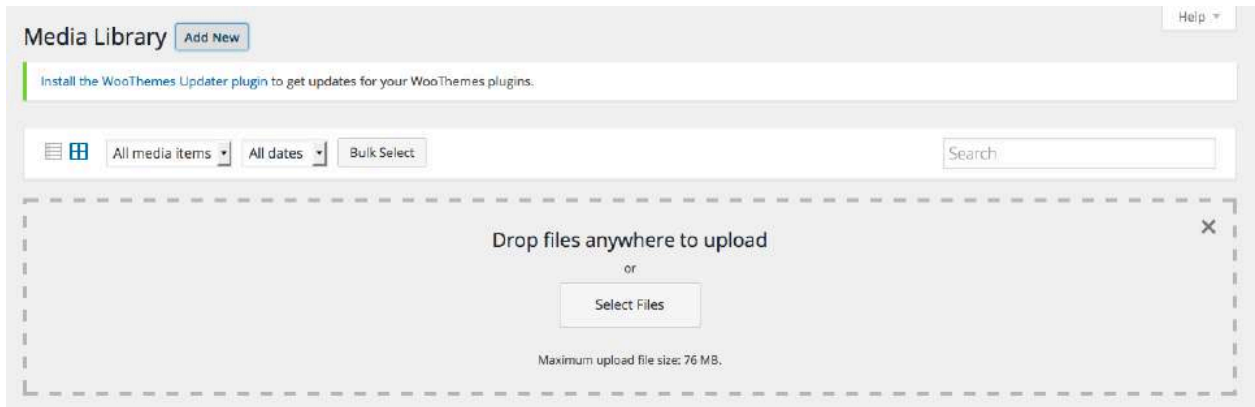
1. After installing ‘dummy content’ you still need to assign menus to the main and footer areas yourself. Set your home page via Settings / Reading.

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: 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.

Select which dummy content you want to import.

All demos will be imported from a remote server, and depending on your server it can take some to import the dummy content. Please be patient, because some servers need more time than others to import dummy content.

Make sure WordPress Importer is installed and activated!

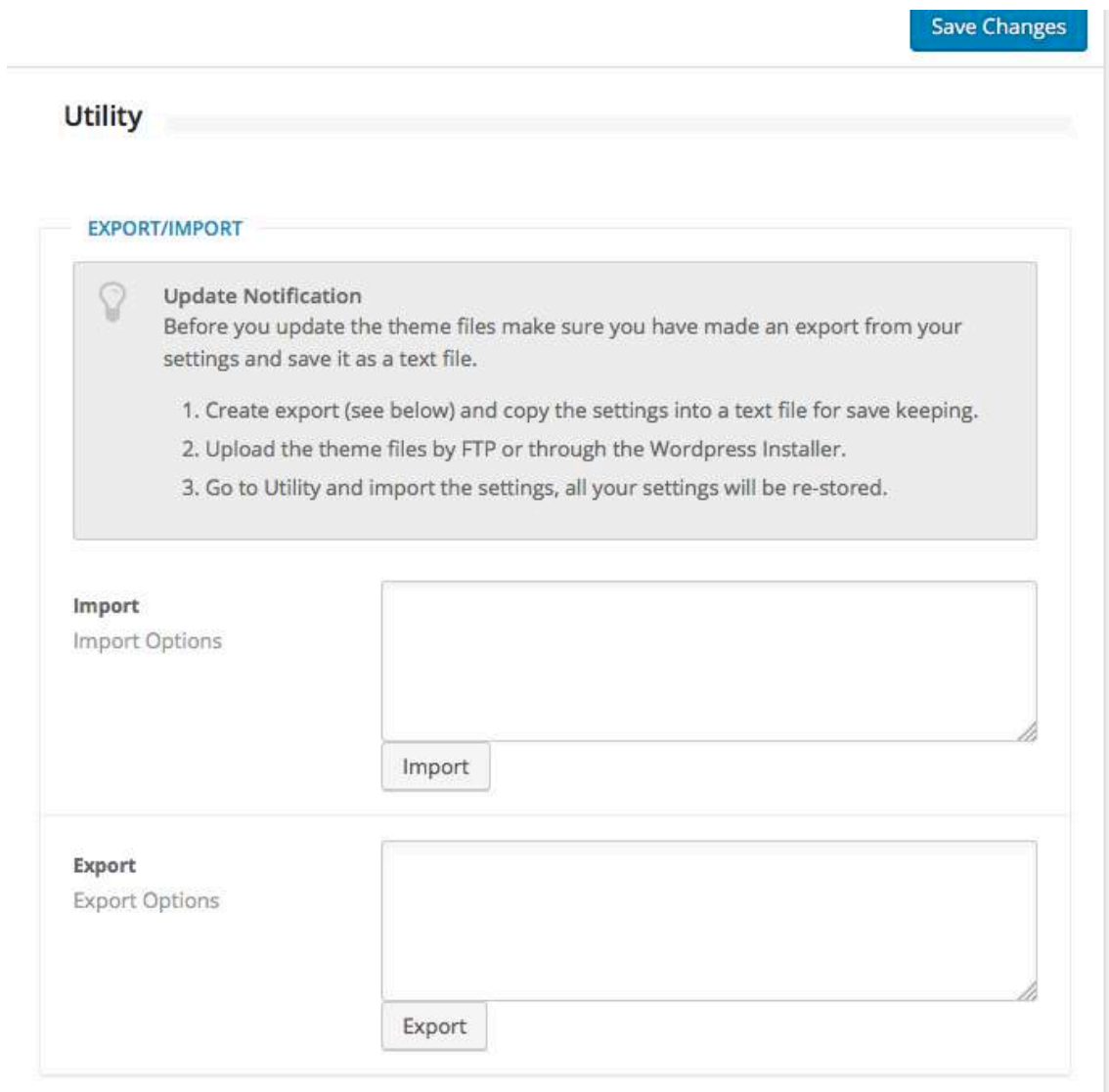
When using Woocommerce, first install and activate the plugin.

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 your server or settings. It can be a time consuming process if we need to check your server settings and sometimes we even need to contact your hosting provider. Therefore we offer affordable Installation services that are available via our website.

Import Dummy content.

Hit the button 'Install Dummy Content' if you want to install the official BRIAN preview website's content.



DUMMY CONTENT

Demo

Select which dummy content you want to import.

All demos will be imported from a remote server, and depending on your server it can take some to import the dummy content. Please be patient, because some servers need more time than others to import dummy content.

1. First read Chapter 02 – How to install dummy content (server requirements)
2. Make sure WordPress Importer is installed and activated!
3. When using Woocommerce, first install and activate the plugin.

[Click here to preview available demos...](#)

In case you want us to install your demo content, we offer installation services through our website.

brian (default dummy content) ▾

- Import the dummy content (overrides current settings)
- Import the demo theme settings (overrides current settings)

Install Dummy

**** The import process might take some time. Please do not close your browser.**

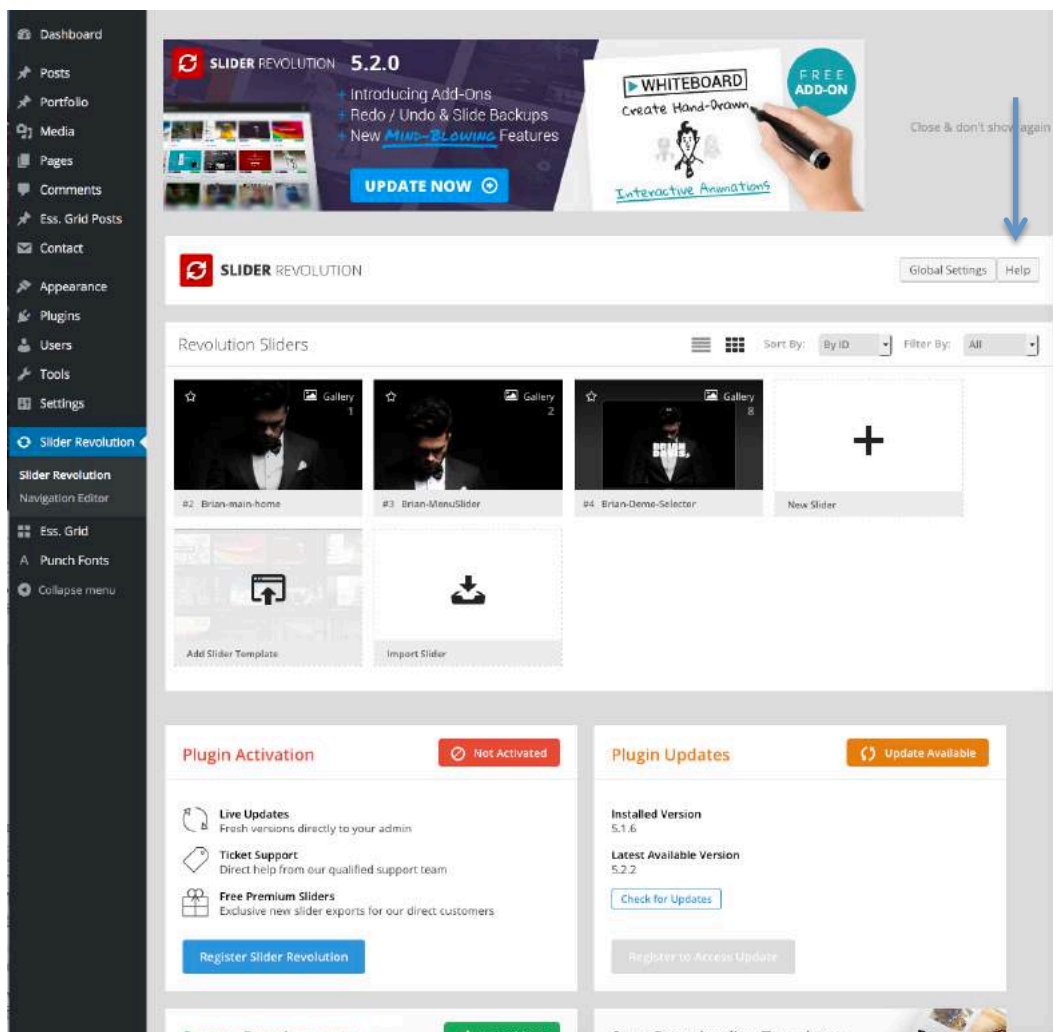
19. The Revolution Slider (Revolution Slider plugin)

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.

<https://www.themepunch.com/revslider-doc/slider-revolution-documentation/>



On Brian's Main Demo home page we've added two shortcodes.

1. Revolution Slider: `[rev_slider alias="Brian-main-home"]`
2. Essential Grid: `[ess_grid alias="BrianMain-home"]`

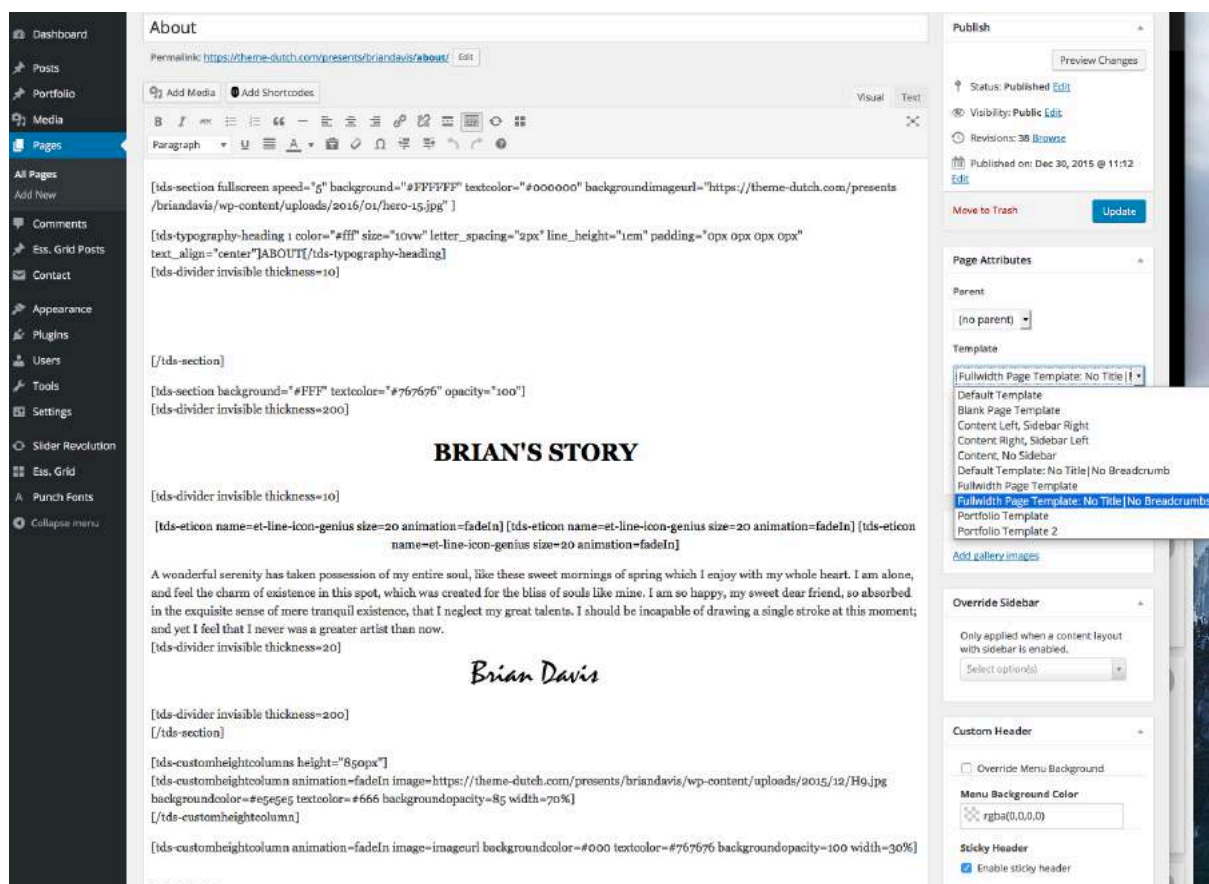
20. Set up Pages

BRIAN 'ABOUT' page example

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

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

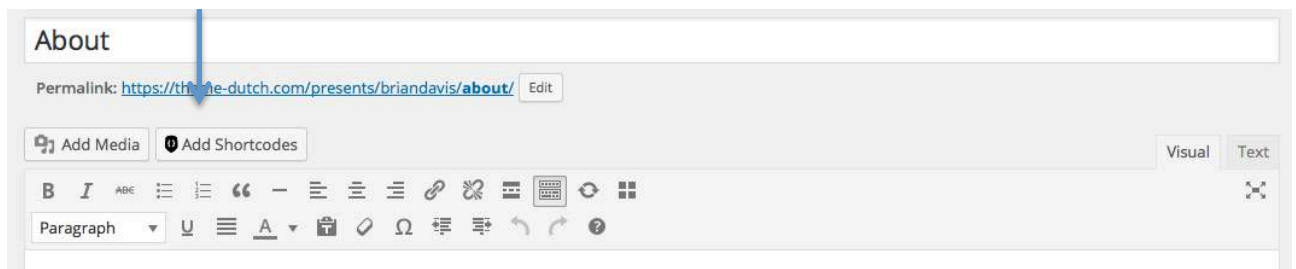


You can add your text content and images via the visual editor or text editor.

NOTE:

If you would like to create 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

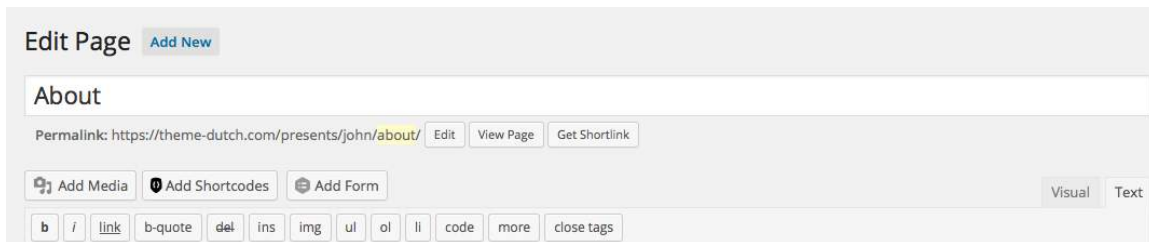
This is an example of all available section shortcodes in BRIAN

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	Section with a sequence background image and a parallax effect	
Code	Section Full Screen	
Columns		
Columns (divider)		
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 short codes) that will appear on your featured image (header) at the front-end.

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 short codes to spice up your pages and posts via your **text editor**.

EXAMPLES tds-shortcodes:

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/shortcodes/>

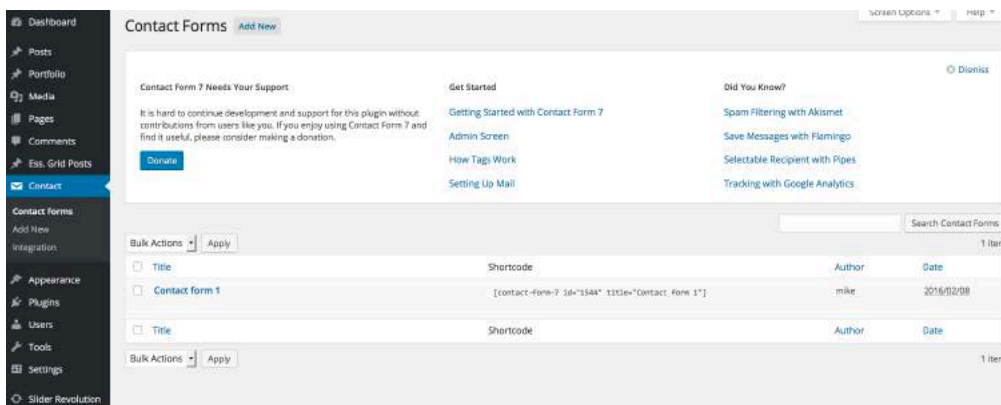
We'll add new shortcodes on regular basis, which will come with future updates.

NOTE:

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 or Theme Dutch themes to see how they can be used.

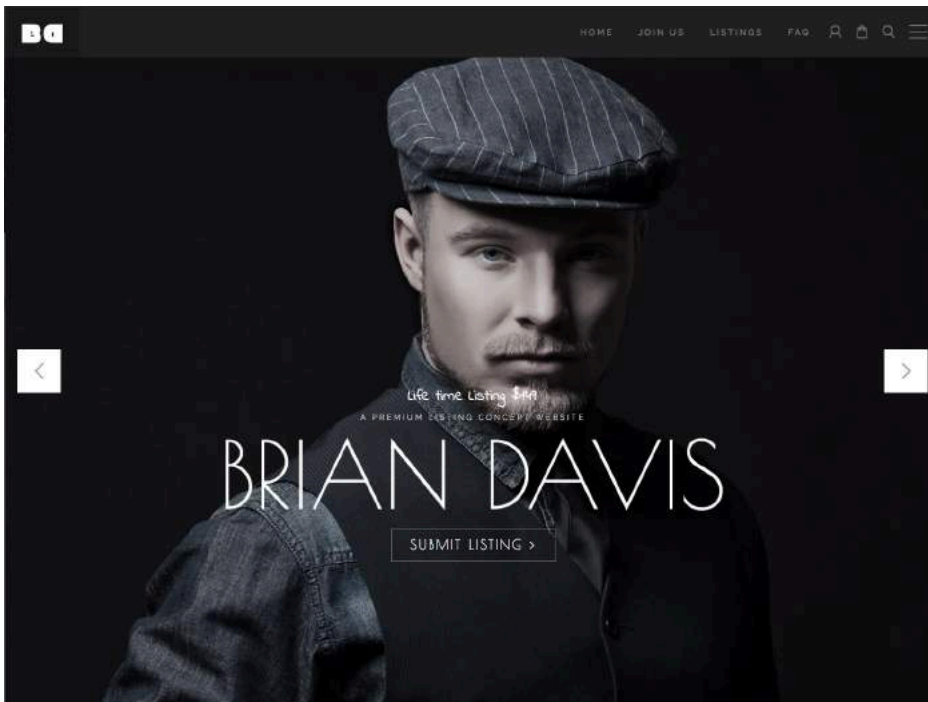
Forms

We've used Contact-form-7 in our Brian Davis demo websites, available via wordpress.org



22. How to make a Listing website

<https://theme-dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo07/>

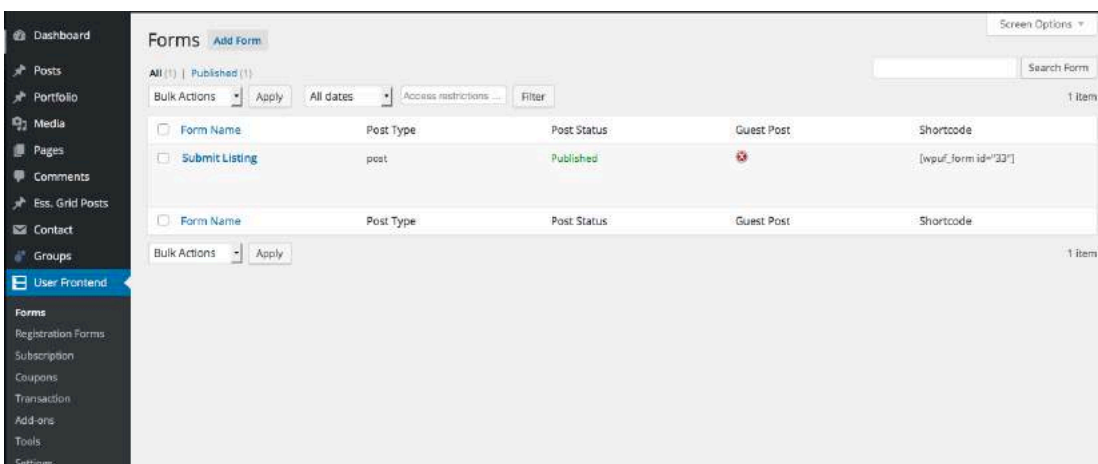


Easily build your own listing site like Brian Davis demo 07 at very low cost.

All required plugins are available for **free** via wordpress.org repository:

- **Woocommerce**
- **Wp User front-end** <https://wordpress.org/plugins/wp-user-front-end/>
- **Groups** <https://wordpress.org/plugins/groups/>

Use Wp User front-end to create a listing.



- Dashboard
- Posts
- Portfolio
- Media
- Pages
- All Pages
- Comments
- Ess. Grid Posts
- Contact
- Groups
- User Frontend
- WooCommerce
- Products
- Appearance
- Plugins
- Users
- Tools
- Settings
- Slider Revolution
- Ess. Grid
- Punch Fonts
- Collapse menu

Edit Page [Add New](#)

Create Listing

Permalink: <https://theme.dutch.com/presents/briandavis/demo07/create-listing/> [Edit](#)

Add Media
Add Shortcodes
Visual
Text

[wpuF_Form Id="133"]

Access restrictIons

Word count: 2 Last edited by mike on January 27, 2016 at 9:59 am

Essential Grid Custom Settings

Custom Meta
Alternative Sources
Skin Modifications

availability:

[Create New Meta Keys](#)

WPUF Custom Fields

Address *

Phone *

Email *

Website *

Availability *

Your custom filed *

Custom Content

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

Add Media
Add Shortcodes
Visual
Text

b **/** **link** **b-quote** **del** **ins** **img** **ul** **ol** **li** **code** **more** **close tags**

WPUF Form

Submit Listing

Access restrictions

Enforce read access

Type and choose ...

Only groups or users that have one of the selected capabilities are allowed to read this Page.

Show groups

[Quick-create group & capability](#)

Publish

[Preview Changes](#)

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

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

Revisions: **2** [Browse](#)

Published on: Jan 26, 2016 @ 16:30 [Edit](#)

[Copy to a new draft](#)

[Move to Trash](#) [Update](#)

Page Attributes

Parent:

Template:

Order:

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

Featured Gallery

[Add gallery images](#)

Override Sidebar

Only applied when a content layout with sidebar is enabled.

Custom Header

Override Menu Background

Menu Background Color:

Sticky Header: Enable sticky header

Media Option

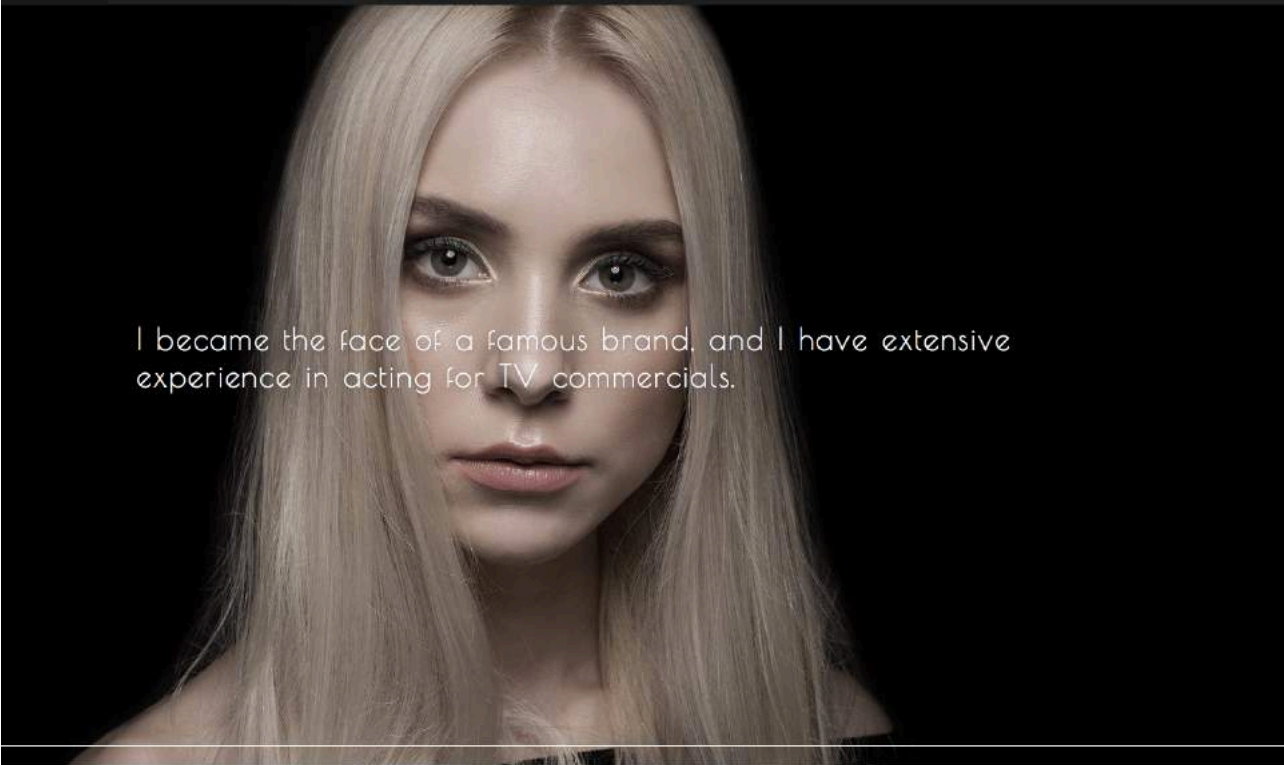
This is how it looks on the front-end.

The screenshot shows a 'Create Listing' form on a website. The form is titled 'Create Listing' and is located on a page with a dark header. The header contains navigation links: HOME, JOIN US, LISTINGS, FAQ, and a search icon. The form fields are as follows:

- Listing Title***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Listing Title' and a right-pointing arrow. Below it is an example: 'e.g. Brian Davis'.
- Featured Image***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Featured Image' and a right-pointing arrow. Below it is a blue button labeled 'Select Image'.
- Listing Content***: A rich text editor with a toolbar containing icons for bold, italic, underline, link, unlink, list, and image. Below the editor is a small 'p' icon.
- Select category***: A dropdown menu with a placeholder 'Select category' and a right-pointing arrow. The current selection is '- Select -'.
- Address***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Address' and a right-pointing arrow.
- Phone***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Phone' and a right-pointing arrow.
- Email***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Email' and a right-pointing arrow.
- Website***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Website' and a right-pointing arrow.
- Availability***: A dropdown menu with a placeholder 'Availability' and a right-pointing arrow. The current selection is '- select -'.
- Your custom field***: A text input field with a placeholder 'Your custom field' and a right-pointing arrow.

At the bottom of the form is a blue button labeled 'Submit'. Below the form, there are links for 'Access restrictions' and 'Edit'. The footer of the page contains the text '© 2015 - A DESIGN BY THEMEDUTCH' and social media icons for Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, and YouTube.

This is how it looks on the front-end of a profile post including WPUF Custom Fields.



I became the face of a famous brand, and I have extensive experience in acting for TV commercials.

Alicia Keynote

0 12:21 / 27 JAN 2016 · Actor · 1 Comment · Edit

A small river named Duden flows by their place and supplies it with the necessary regalia. It is a paradisiacal country, in which roasted parts of sentences fly into your mouth. Even the all-powerful Pointing has no control about the blind texts it is an almost unorthographic life One day however a small line of blind text by the name of Lorem Ipsum decided to leave for the far World of Grammar. The Big Oxmox advised her not to do so, because there were thousands of bad Commas, wild Question Marks and devious Semikoli, but the Little Blind Text didn't listen.

“ Far far away, behind the word mountains, far from the countries Vokalia and Consonantia, there live the blind texts.

She packed her seven versalia, put her initial into the belt and made herself on the way. When she reached the first hills of the Italic Mountains, she had a last view back on the skyline of her hometown Bookmarksgrove, the headline of Alphabet Village and the subline of her own road, the Line Lane. Pityful a rethoric question ran over her cheek, then she continued her way. On her way she met a copy. The copy warned the Little Blind Text, that where it came from it would have been rewritten a thousand times and everything that was left from its origin would be the word "and" and the Little Blind Text.

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- Availability
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Categories

- Actor
- Personal coach

Recent Posts

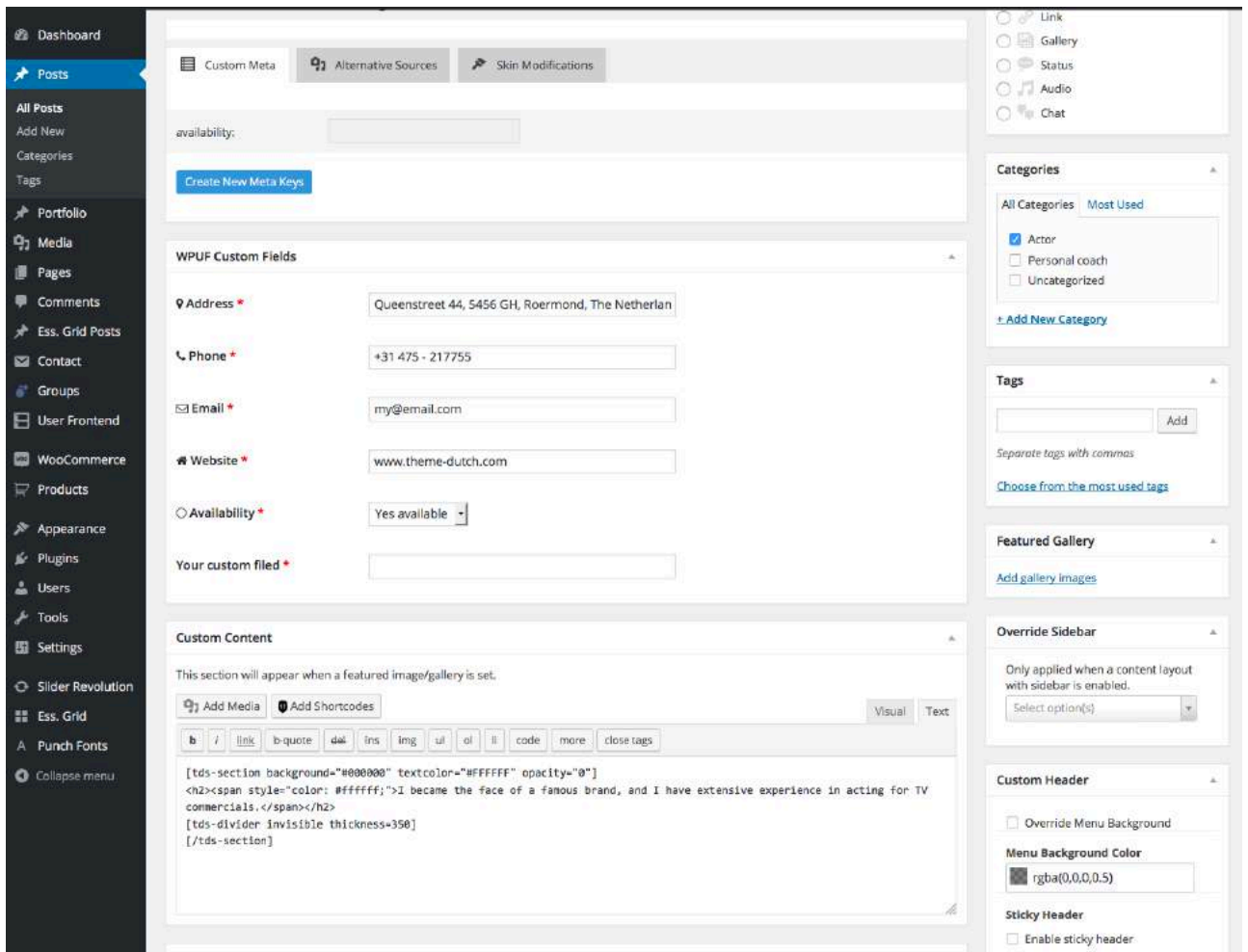
- Alicia Keynote
January 27, 2016 by mike
- Jim Bold
January 27, 2016 by mike
- David Harold's
January 27, 2016 by mike

Recent Comments

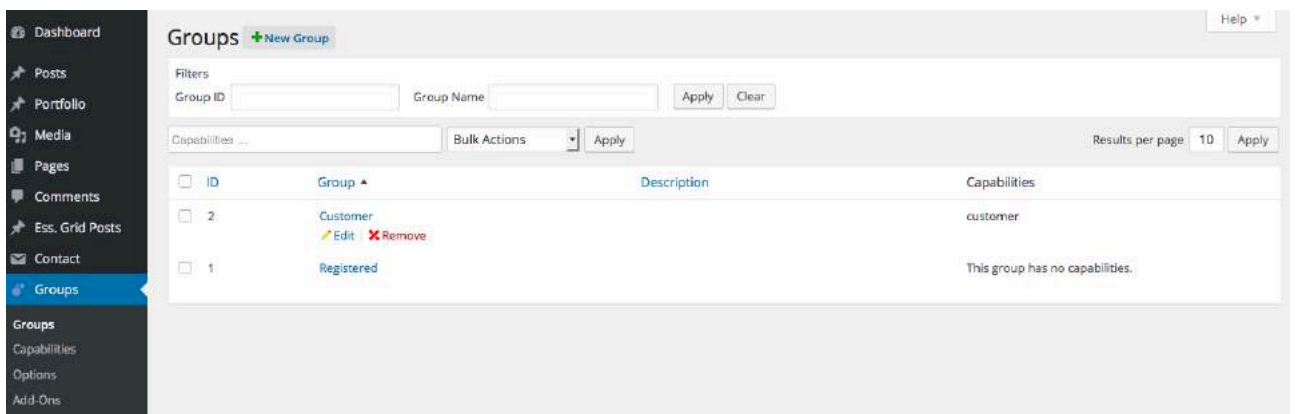
- helen on Alicia Keynote
- mike on Barry James

Listing

- Lifetime Listing
€243.80



We've used the free Groups plugin to create our groups



Note:

All used and free plugins are tested by Themedutch. We can't offer support for third party plugins though. For support you need to get in touch with the developer from these plugins. TD-shortcodes plugin is supported by Themedutch.

23. How to make your website multilingual

BRIAN 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/>



24. 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 BRIAN. 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 BRIAN > go to languages > Brian.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

25. 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 BRIAN.

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. Most of the time, questions are answered within 24-48 hrs. on Monday – Friday.

26. 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>

27. Warranty

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

Updates for BRIAN 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.

28. Contacting Theme Dutch

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

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Koningin Regentesselaan 44

6043 CM Roermond

The Netherlands

www.theme-dutch.com

29. 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

30. 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

31. BRIAN – Update Notification

Before you update the theme files make sure you have made an export from your settings and save it as a text file.

- 1 – Create export (see Utility) and copy the settings into a text file for save keeping.
- 2 – Upload the theme files by FTP or through the Wordpress Installer.
- 3 – Go to Utility and import the settings, all your settings will be re-stored.