

Pier | INSTALL GUIDE

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Included in this template package:

- 1. The .muse template file. /pier.muse
- 2. The fonts you will need to install. /fonts/
- 3. All of the image assets used. /images/
- 4. A collection of 13 library items. /addons/Pier Addons Library.mulib
- 5. The Google Analytics, Social Media Meta, Mailchimp Notifier and Countdown custom widgets (Included in the Pier Library)

Lets get started...

STEP 1: Getting Muse ready (before you open the template)

First up lets get Adobe Muse ready before we open the template file. This template uses two different fonts that are not available directly in Muse so we need to install them.

You will find the fonts in the the fonts folder. There are two font families to install '**Montserrat**' which is the text font and '**Ion Icons**' which is an icon font allowing you to place font icons such as Facebook and Twitter icons easily through the Muse Glyphs panel.

The process is as follows (applies to all fonts you want to install):

NOTE: These instructions apply to MAC follow the usually process for installing fonts on your system for PC

- 1. Find the TTF file double click it to open the Font Installer and click the "Install Font" button. A preview will display of the installed font.
- 2. Now open Muse and create a new blank site.
- Once the new site has been created and you see the blank site goto File > Add/Remove Web Fonts. A new dialog panel will open
- 4. Click on the "Self-Hosted Web Fonts" option and then click "+ Add Fonts" button.
- 5. Click the "Browse" button and locate the folder location you found the TTF file in. Click "Choose" form the finder window.
- 6. If an error occurs (as it does sometimes) click spanner icon in the dialog box. A new panel opens to show you which file the error has occurred with. Click the "Match" button and locate the font we installed when we installed the TTF file.
- 7. Once that has been done click "OK" and you will have a green tick next to the font to say it has been installed.
- 8. Do this with all the fonts you need to install.
- 9. When you are done click "OK" to close the font installer down.

Make sure you follow this process for the Montserrat Bold and Montserrat Regular along with the lons Icons Fonts.

For a more detailed step by step guide to installing fonts in Muse see this article:

http://goo.gl/jQg8UZ

STEP 2: Install the Pier Muse Library

Find the folder in the package called "**addons**", open it and double click the *Pier Addons Library.mulib* this will install the library into Muse its contents can be located in the Muse library panel in '**Design**' view.

STEP 3: Opening the Muse file and editing text.

Locate the pier.muse file and open it. You will see a single page and a master page. There is also a phone layout with a master page and single page.

Open the Master page to change the copyright information. As this template uses the synchronised text features you can change the text here and it will also update the mobile version of the site.

IMPORTANT: Ensure the synchronise feature activates by pressing the "Escape" key when you have completed the text changes.

Click into the logo area and use the text panel to change the text content. Again the text panels are synchronised across the layout so a change in one layout updates the other.

STEP 4: Modifying widgets.

We will not go into every aspect of how to modify this template here, however, the following widgets have there own options:

MUCOW I **Google Analytics Widget** - This is usually located on the Master pages at the very top of the page within the template as it is something we want applied to every page. You will need to add the your google analytics UA id into this widget.

MUCOW | **Page Helper Widget** - This adds the code for the home screen icon and sets a few "Phone" layout options that are not available in Muse at present.

MUCOW | **Social Meta Widget** - This widget lets you specify what data is used when people link toy your page using either Facebook or Twitter. This is again located at the top of the page but should not be in the master page.

MUCOW | **Countdown Widget** - This is the main widget on the page its settings are self explanatory once you open the options panel for the widget.

MUCOW | **Mailchimp Notifier** - This widget uses mailchimp code to place a simple email subscription form on the page and style it up using the Muse text tools and the widget options. You will need a mail chimp account to get the most from this widget.

For more information and detailed explanations of these widgets and the template go to

- Template Tutorial <u>www.123muse.com/pier-template</u>
- Widget Tutorials <u>www.123muse/widgets</u>

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