



## AIRSHIP

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Airship is a lightweight, minimalist WordPress theme designed to showcase your portfolio. It features a clean, responsive design with a strong focus on typography, making it perfect for artists, photographers, designers and creative professionals.

### Airship includes the following external libraries and plugins:

- \* Skeleton V1.2 by Dave Gamache under the MIT license. <<http://www.getskeleton.com/>>
- \* Fonts used via Google Web Fonts. Licensed under SIL font license  
<<http://www.google.com/fonts/>>
- \* FlexSlider by Tyler Smith under GPLv2 <<http://www.woothemes.com/flexslider/>>
- \* Modernizr under MIT & BSD licenses <<http://modernizr.com/>>
- \* SVG Fallback by Todd Motto <<http://toddmotto.com/>>
- \* In-Field Labels jQuery Plugin by Doug Neiner <<http://fuelyourcoding.com/scripts/infield/>>
- \* jQuery Validation Plugin <<http://jqueryvalidation.org/>>
- \* Verify.js <<http://verifyjs.com/>>
- \* HTML5Shiv - a JavaScript workaround, invented by Sjoerd Visscher
  
- \* Page Builder by SiteOrigin under GPLv2 <<http://siteorigin.com/page-builder/>>
- \* Advanced Custom Fields by Elliot Condon under GPLv2 or later  
<<http://www.advancedcustomfields.com/>>
- \* Advanced Custom Fields Repeater Add On  
**The Repeater Add-on cannot be used or distributed outside of this theme.**
- \* Black Studio TinyMCE Widget - a WYSIWYG widget based on the standard TinyMCE WordPress visual editor.

**Website:** <http://flyairship.com>

**WordPress repository:** Available on next update

**Support:** <http://flyairship.com/support>

**License:** GNU General Public License v2.0 <<http://www.gnu.org/licenses/gpl-2.0.html>>

### TESTED ON

Mac Chrome Mac Firefox, Mac Safari, PC Chrome, PC Firefox, PC Safari, iPhone Safari  
iPad Safari, PC IE9, PC IE8, PC IE7.

### CUSTOMIZE / PREVIEW PANE

## FEATURES

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### LIGHTWEIGHT

A simple theme with a lightweight, minimalist and responsive design. Includes theme options to change the site, avoiding fancy code and respecting WordPress standards.

### RESPONSIVE

Airship uses Skeleton <http://getskeleton.com/> to ensure your theme looks good and works on all devices. Your content will look beautiful on a desktop, a tablet or a smartphone.

### DRAG AND DROP

Create unique layouts and add different types of content using the Page Builder by SiteOrigin, <http://siteorigin.com/page-builder/> which comes bundled with the Airship theme as an independent plugin.

### SIMPLE LAYOUTS

Simple layouts and strong typography. A selection of Google Web Fonts can be used. Hand-coded web standard compliant and cross-browser compatible coding, designed with search engine optimization best practices in mind.

### THEME OPTIONS

Theme options allow you to upload your own logo, edit fonts and change colours to suit your website. Add social media icons and hide or show sections to suit your layout. You can also add your own custom CSS in the theme options.

### ROBUST

Advanced Custom Fields to make it easier to edit posts and pages. Code can be easily modified and built upon to suit your needs. Modernizr and SVG to PNG fallback included.

### WIDGETS

A widgetized footer allows you to personalize your site to suit your needs, allowing functionality without having to code.

### WOOCOMMERCE INTEGRATION

Use Airship to create an online store using WooCommerce <http://woothemes.com/woocommerce>

### AUTOMATIC UPDATES

Automatic theme updates can be performed in the admin panel, meaning there is no need to download manually or FTP.

### SUPPORT

There is documentation available at [flyairship.com/support](http://flyairship.com/support). If you need help with Airship, you can contact our support department for support at any time, via the ticketing support system.

## INSTALLATION

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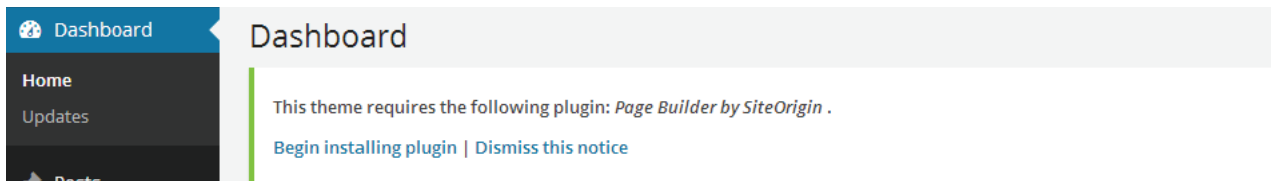
You can install Airship by using the **Add New Themes** option in the **Appearance** sub-menu.

1. Log in to the WordPress Dashboard.
2. Navigate to **Appearance > Themes**. Select **Add New**.
3. Use the **Upload Theme** button at the top to upload a zipped copy of the theme.
4. Alternatively, you can unzip the theme and upload the folder to **wp-content > themes** using a FTP client.

## PLUGINS

After installing the theme, it will recommend two plugins to install for drag and drop functionality. These plugins are included with the theme but can be updated through the dashboard. The plugins are Page Builder by SiteOrigin and Black Studio TinyMCE Widget.

1. On the dashboard, choose **Begin installing plugins** and choose **install** for each.
2. Activate the plugins when installed.



## USAGE

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### OVERVIEW OF THEME FILES

- \* index.php - standard index template. Is used if no static page is chosen for home page.
- \* header.php - displays information such as head, header, logo and menu.
- \* footer.php - includes standard footer information.
- \* single.php - individual post template.
- \* content.php - standard loop for standard post format.
- \* content-gallery.php - loop for gallery post format.
- \* page.php - default page template.
- \* page-home.php - template which can be used for the home page.
- \* page-portfolio-two.php - template to display posts in a two column layout.
- \* page-portfolio-three.php - template to display posts in a three column layout.
- \* contact.php - template which is used for the contact page. Includes a custom contact form.
- \* archive.php - template to display posts in a three column layout for WordPress archives.
- \* 404.php - template to display error when page cannot be found.
- \* attachment.php - template for attachment links.
- \* testimonials.php - a snippet of code to add the testimonials section.
- \* options.php - renders theme options.
- \* functions.php - modifications to the behaviour of WordPress and includes custom plugins.
- \* comments.php - comment template which is called from posts.
- \* search.php - search results template.
- \* style.php - the theme stylesheet.

To customise Airship, log in to your dashboard and navigate to **Appearance > Themes** and click '**Customize**'. From the frontend you can access theme customization from the admin bar.

- \* Site Title & Tagline - Change your site title & tagline.
- \* Colors - Change theme colors such as background.
- \* Header Image - Change the site logo.
- \* Background Image - Add a background image.
- \* Navigation - Specify which menu to use in the menu location.
- \* Static Front Page - Optionally specify a page you have created to act as home page.
- \* Widgets: Footer - Optional addition of widget to footer area.

## THEME OPTIONS

To view the theme options in Airship, log in to your dashboard and navigate to **Appearance > Theme Options**. You can customise the following.

- \* Icons - Change the favicon and Apple Touch icons.
- \* Typography and Colors - Change the fonts, colors and link colors.
- \* Social - Add social media links for Facebook, Twitter, Google Plus, Instagram and YouTube.
- \* Posts - Check box to disable the contact button which appears on posts.
- \* Testimonials - Check box to disable the testimonials section.
- \* Comments - Check box to disable comments section.
- \* Analytics - Insert your analytics code here.
- \* Custom CSS - Enter your custom CSS styles here.
- \* Contact Form - Check box to disable the built in contact form.
- \* Footer - Add your site name to the footer or enable/disable 'Powered by Wordpress' link.

## MENUS

There are two menus available within the theme.

Navigate to **Appearance > Menus** and create each menu.

Tick the desired theme location for each menu. Each one is detailed below.

- \* **Main Menu** - Displays your menu on the top of every page under the logo.
- \* **Shop Menu** - A product category menu which only displays on WooCommerce templates if WooCommerce is installed and activated.

## WIDGETS

- \* **Appearance > Widgets** - here you can add a widget to the footer area.

## CHILD THEMES

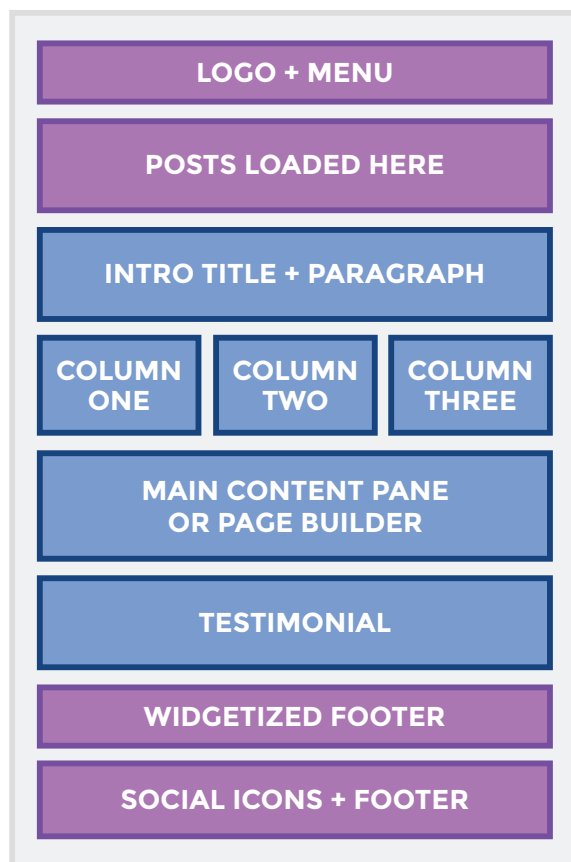
If you want to customise Airship, you do so by editing the theme directly or via a child theme  
<[http://codex.wordpress.org/Child\\_Themes](http://codex.wordpress.org/Child_Themes)>

## USING THE HOME PAGE TEMPLATE

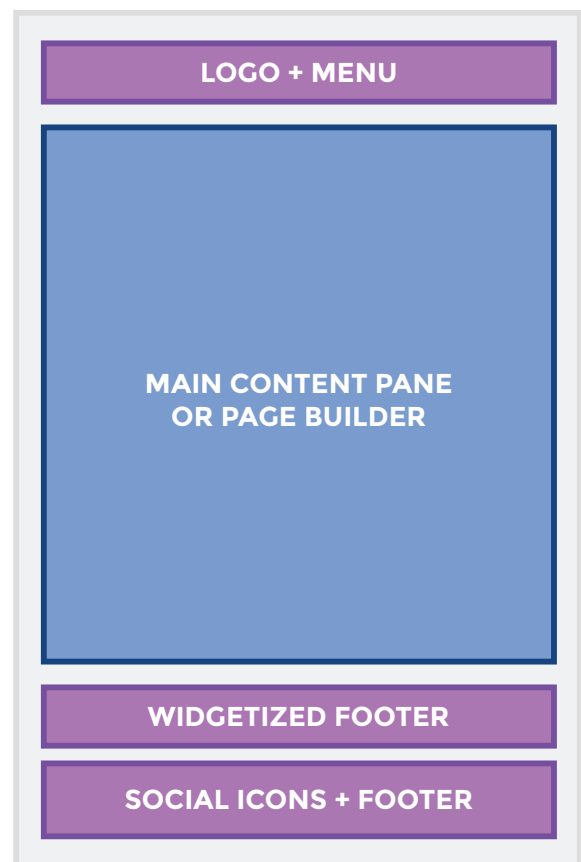
To use the home page template, follow these instructions.

1. In the dashboard, navigate to your home page within the **Pages** panel.
2. In the **Template** dropdown, choose the **Front Page** option.
3. Populate the fields that appear in the editing area. The areas below that are highlighted in blue can be edited from here. The rest can be edited from elsewhere in WordPress. You can also switch to Page Builder to create a more advanced layout.
4. Navigating to Settings > Reading. Select **A static page** option and choose your home page in the **Front page** dropdown provided.

## HOME PAGE TEMPLATE



## DEFAULT PAGE TEMPLATE



## USING THE DEFAULT PAGE TEMPLATE

To use the default page template, follow these instructions.

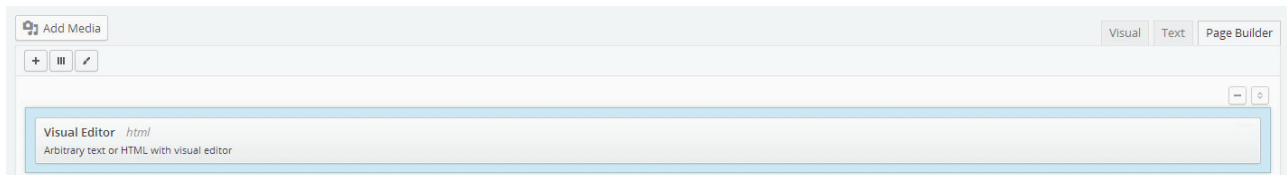
1. In the dashboard, create or choose an existing page within the **Pages** panel.
2. In the **Template** dropdown, choose the **Default Template** option.
3. In the editor you can edit content in the Main Content Pane or if you have it installed, you can switch to Page Builder to create a more advanced layout.

## USING PAGE BUILDER

Page Builder is a plugin by SiteOrigin. It can be used if you installed it with the theme.

1. Choose the Page Builder tab on the Main Content Pane.
2. The ||| icon adds a row - you can specify how many rows.
3. The + icon adds a widget - choose the desired widget.

For more information please visit <http://siteorigin.com/page-builder/>

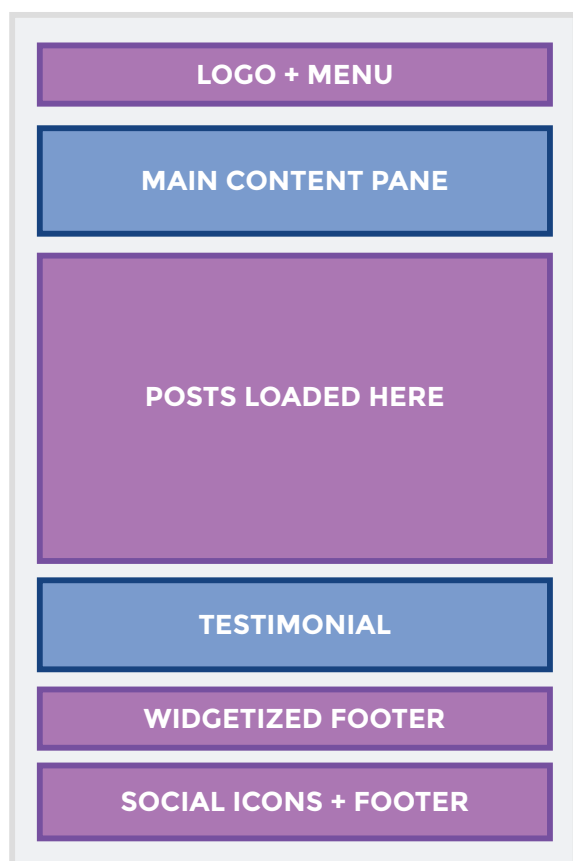


## USING THE PORTFOLIO PAGE TEMPLATES

To use the portfolio page templates, follow these instructions.

1. In the dashboard, create or choose an existing page within the **Pages** panel.
2. In the **Template** dropdown, choose the **Portfolio with 2 Columns Template** or the **Portfolio with 3 Columns Template** option.
3. The only panel that needs to be edited is the testimonial panel. This can be turned off in Theme Options. This template works by displaying all posts onto the desired page.

## PORTFOLIO PAGE TEMPLATE

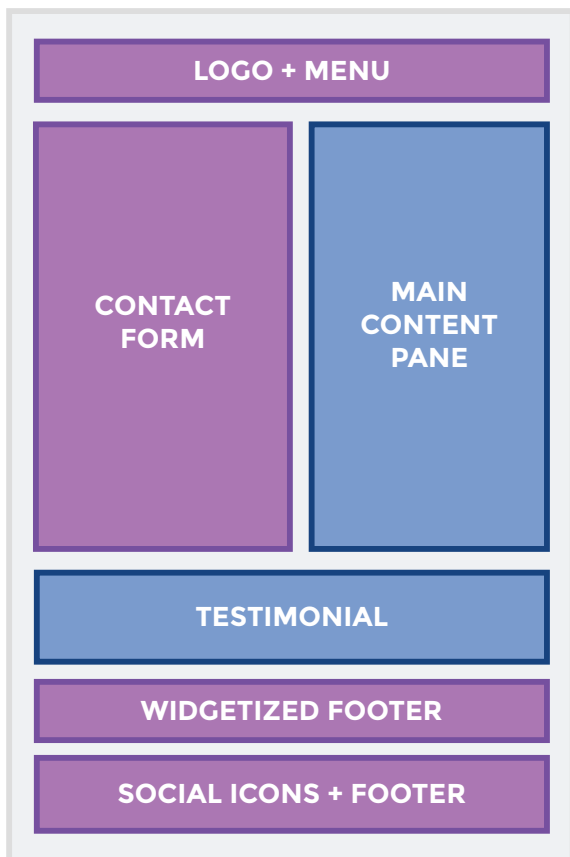


## USING THE CONTACT PAGE TEMPLATE

To use the portfolio page templates, follow these instructions.

1. In the dashboard, create or choose an existing page within the **Pages** panel.
2. In the **Template** dropdown, choose the **Contact** option.
3. In the editor you can edit content in the Main Content Pane or if you have it installed, you can switch to Page Builder to create a more advanced layout. The testimonial panel is also editable or this can be turned off in Theme Options.

### CONTACT PAGE TEMPLATE



## USING POSTS

To use posts, follow these instructions.

### STANDARD POST FORMAT

1. In the dashboard, create or choose an existing post within the **Posts** panel.
2. Under **Format**, choose **Standard**.
3. In the **Categories** area, choose the desired categories.
4. You can edit content in the Main Content Pane. If you have it installed, you can switch to **Page Builder** to create a more advanced layout.
5. Add **tags** if necessary.
6. Add a featured image - this is used as thumbnail on the home and portfolio templates.

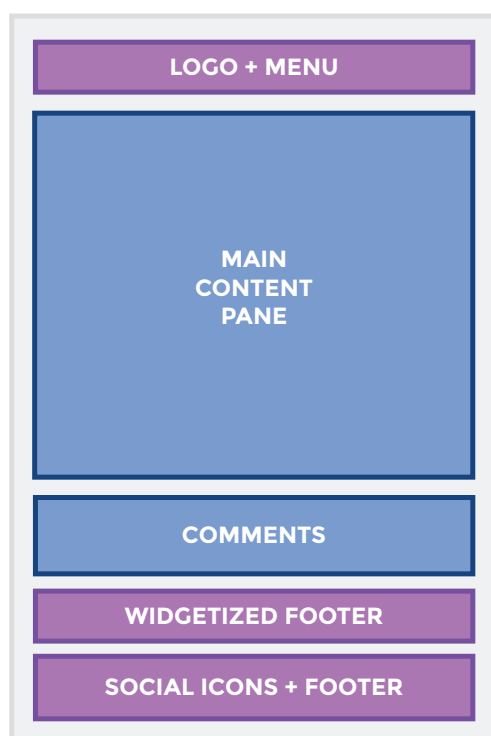
### GALLERY POST FORMAT

1. In the dashboard, create or choose an existing post within the **Posts** panel.
2. Under **Format**, choose **Gallery**.
3. In the **Categories** area, choose the desired categories.
4. You can edit content in the Main Content Pane.
5. Add **tags** if necessary.
6. Add a featured image - this is used as thumbnail on the home and portfolio templates.

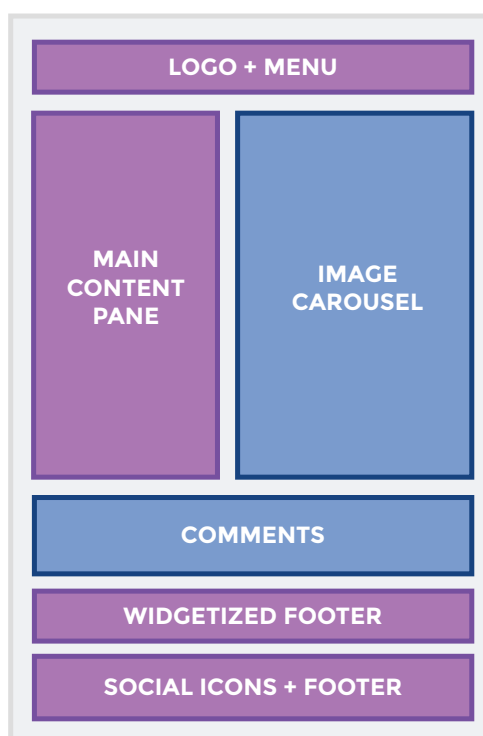
### ADDING IMAGES TO THE CAROUSEL

1. Click **Add Slide**.
2. Click **Add Image**.
3. A box will appear. Select an Image to upload or choose from Media Library.
4. Click **Select**. The image is now added to the carousel.
5. You can hover over a slide and click **+** (plus) or **-** (minus) to add or remove a slide.

#### POST TEMPLATE FORMAT: STANDARD



#### POST TEMPLATE FORMAT: GALLERY





# CHANGE LOG

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\* Initial Release