

Ancient Spices of Asia

site feedback

Hi Camera,

Overall I think this is a great start—the information is laid out nicely and easy to read. I also really like the color palette, and the chili pepper is a cute touch :)

General

- The way you have constrained the site to a smaller width is nice—it feels cozier and easily translates to a mobile version
- However, the whitespace around it makes it feel a little empty
- Perhaps use a background image/pattern?
- At first, I didn't realize the chili pepper was a home button—because our eyes read from left to right, info at the left is seen first & seems more important to us
- To me, I feel like reversing the order of elements would be more intuitive

History

- I like the way you present the user with a general timeline first to give an overview
- However, it's disorienting to replace it with other information on hover (initially I couldn't see the timeline)
- Could make it an intro paragraph that is always visible
- I found myself scrolling back and forth to see where each chunk of info fell on the timeline
- To eliminate the need for this, you could make the pictures on the timeline into clickable links that show information based on which one is selected

Spices

- I really like this tab—the grid layout works so well!

Dishes

- The map at the top blocks the more important information at the bottom, and it isn't immediately clear what its connection with the dishes is
- Also, when listing dishes, it would be great to see what spices are used in them as well

Healing

- I'd like to be able to see properties for more than one spice at a time—there could be a menu of spices at the top, or you could use the same layout as the main spices page
- The pictures take up more room than is necessary
- Not all the spices have their healing properties listed

Sources

- Not much to say here!

Thanks for reading!!

Let me know if you have any questions :)

-Christina