THE 5 W'S

On a GOOD Web site you can tell...

...who wrote it.

- The author knows a lot about the topic.
- The author is someone I know and trust.

...what the Web site is all about.

- The Web site tells me its purpose and it gives me information that is similar to other information on this topic.
- The Web site is easy to use.

...when it was made.

- The Web site has up-to-date information and was made recently.

...where it came from.

- The information on the Web site comes from a place or person we know and trust.

...why you should use this page.

- I can tell why I should use this Web page.
- This Web page is better than another and gives me good information.

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