



## Real-Time Emotion-Based Music Player - Project Plan

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### Project Overview:

The "Real-Time Emotion-Based Music Player" is a web application that detects user emotions via facial recognition and recommends music from Spotify based on the user's emotional state in real-time. The backend is developed using Spring Boot to ensure scalability and robustness.

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### Task Division:

The project is split into five tasks, each assigned to a team member for clear responsibility and efficient development.

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### Task 1: Set Up the Spring Boot Project and Configure Dependencies

**Objective:** Create the foundational Spring Boot project with all necessary dependencies.

#### Responsibilities:

- Use Spring Initializr to generate a Spring Boot project.
- Include dependencies: Spring Web and Thymeleaf.
- Add Spotify Web API Java library to `pom.xml`:

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>se.michaelthelin.spotify</groupId>
  <artifactId>spotify-web-api-java</artifactId>
  <version>8.0.0</version>
</dependency>
```

- Verify the project builds and runs.

**Deliverable:** A working Spring Boot project setup.

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### Task 2: Implement Spotify API Integration

**Objective:** Connect the application to the Spotify API to fetch music data.

### Responsibilities:

- Register the app on the Spotify Developer Dashboard to get `client_id` and `client_secret`.
- Store credentials in `application.properties`:

```
spotify.client.id=your_client_id  
spotify.client.secret=your_client_secret
```

- Create a `SpotifyService` class to:
- Authenticate using the Client Credentials Flow.
- Fetch playlists or tracks based on emotion keywords (e.g., "happy", "sad").

**Deliverable:** A `SpotifyService` that retrieves music based on emotions.

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## Task 3: Develop the Music Recommendation Logic

**Objective:** Build logic to map emotions to music recommendations.

### Responsibilities:

- Create a `MusicRecommender` service that:
- Takes an emotion (e.g., "happy", "sad") as input.
- Uses `SpotifyService` to fetch relevant tracks.
- Map emotions to genres/moods (e.g., "happy" → upbeat pop, "sad" → slow ballads).

**Deliverable:** A `MusicRecommender` service providing emotion-based track suggestions.

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## Task 4: Create the Web Controller and API Endpoints

**Objective:** Manage HTTP requests and responses for the application.

### Responsibilities:

- Implement a `MusicController` with endpoints:
- `/`: Serve the main page.
- `/recommend?emotion={emotion}`: Return music recommendations.
- Use Thymeleaf to render the UI.

**Deliverable:** A controller handling user requests and responses.

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## Task 5: Design the Frontend with Emotion Detection

**Objective:** Build the UI and integrate real-time emotion detection.

### Responsibilities:

- Create an `index.html` Thymeleaf template.
- Integrate `face-api.js` for facial recognition:
- Load models for face detection and emotion analysis.
- Use the webcam to detect emotions in real-time.
- Use JavaScript to send detected emotions to the backend and display recommendations.

**Deliverable:** A frontend that detects emotions and updates music dynamically.

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### Sample Artifact: Spring Boot Project Configuration

`pom.xml` example:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<project xmlns="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0"
  xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0 https://
maven.apache.org/xsd/maven-4.0.0.xsd">
  <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>
  <groupId>com.example</groupId>
  <artifactId>emotion-music-player</artifactId>
  <version>0.0.1-SNAPSHOT</version>
  <name>Emotion-Based Music Player</name>
  <description>A real-time emotion-based music player using Spring Boot</
description>

  <parent>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-parent</artifactId>
    <version>3.1.5</version>
    <relativePath/>
  </parent>

  <dependencies>
    <dependency>
      <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
      <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-web</artifactId>
    </dependency>
    <dependency>
      <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
      <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-thymeleaf</artifactId>
    </dependency>
    <dependency>
      <groupId>se.michaelthelin.spotify</groupId>
```

```
        <artifactId>spotify-web-api-java</artifactId>
        <version>8.0.0</version>
    </dependency>
</dependencies>

<build>
    <plugins>
        <plugin>
            <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
            <artifactId>spring-boot-maven-plugin</artifactId>
        </plugin>
    </plugins>
</build>
</project>
```

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### Timeline:

- **Week 1:** Task 1 - Project setup.
- **Week 2:** Task 2 - Spotify API integration.
- **Week 3:** Task 3 - Recommendation logic.
- **Week 4:** Task 4 - Web controller and endpoints.
- **Week 5:** Task 5 - Frontend with emotion detection.
- **Week 6:** Testing and deployment.

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### Collaboration:

- **Git:** Use branches for each task (e.g., `task1-setup`, `task2-spotify`).
- **Meetings:** Weekly updates to sync progress.
- **Documentation:** Document each component clearly for future reference.