

Full-Stack Blog Writing Website

Major Project Report

Cover Page

Project Title: Blog Page and Login System

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Abstract

This project report documents the design and development of a Full-Stack Blog Writing Website. The system enables users to create an account, log in securely, write blogs, read published content, and manage their user profile. The site is developed using the MERN stack: MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, and Node.js. The aim is to provide a seamless blogging experience integrated with authentication and profile management.

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1. Introduction

In the digital age, personal and professional blogging has become a key form of communication. This project aims to develop a responsive and secure full-stack blog writing website where users can create and publish blogs. The platform also offers login and sign-up features with JWT-based authentication, profile management, and a user-friendly UI.

2. Objectives

- Develop a responsive frontend using React.js
 - Implement secure authentication using JWT
 - Enable blog CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations
 - Provide a user profile section for updates
 - Store data using MongoDB and manage it with Mongoose
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3. Methodology

The project is developed using the MERN stack. React is used for the frontend interface, with React Router for navigation. Express.js and Node.js handle server-side logic. MongoDB stores blog and user data. RESTful APIs connect the frontend with the backend. JWT is used for authentication, and bcrypt is used for password hashing.

Tools & Technologies:

- HTML, CSS, JavaScript
 - React.js for frontend
 - Node.js and Express.js for backend
 - MongoDB (Mongoose) for database
 - JWT for authentication
 - bcrypt for password encryption
 - Axios for API communication
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4. Results

The final application enables users to:

- Register and log in securely
- Write, view, and manage blogs
- View all published blogs
- Edit and update their profiles
- Contact the admin via a form

The app is responsive and works well across devices. Authentication and authorization features are successfully implemented.

5. Conclusion

This full-stack blog writing website is a successful demonstration of modern web development practices. It integrates all components of a full-stack app and showcases effective use of authentication, database management, and responsive design. The project meets all functional requirements and is scalable for future enhancements.

6.codes

```
import React, { useState, useEffect, useCallback } from 'react';

import { Button } from '@components/ui/button';

import { Input } from '@components/ui/input';

import { Textarea } from '@components/ui/textarea';

import { Label } from '@components/ui/label';

import { Card, CardHeader, CardContent, CardFooter } from '@components/ui/card';

import {

  User,

  Login,

  Logout,

  FileText,

  Mail,

  Edit,

  Save,

  X,

  CheckCircle,

  AlertTriangle,

  Loader2,

  Home,
```

ArrowRight

```
} from 'lucide-react';

import { motion, AnimatePresence } from 'framer-motion';

import { cn } from '@/lib/utils';

// Mock API functions (replace with your actual API calls)

const api = {
  signup: async (userData: any) => {
    // Simulate API call delay
    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 500));

    if (userData.email === 'test@example.com') {
      throw new Error('Email already taken');
    }

    return { success: true, message: 'Signup successful', user: { ...userData, id: 'user123' } };
  },
  login: async (credentials: any) => {
    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 500));

    if (credentials.email !== 'test@example.com' || credentials.password !== 'password') {
      throw new Error('Invalid credentials');
    }

    return { success: true, message: 'Login successful', token: 'fake-token', user: { id: 'user123', email: 'test@example.com', name: 'Test User' } };
  },
  logout: async () => {
    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 200));

    return { success: true, message: 'Logged out' };
  },
  createBlog: async (blogData: any, token: string) => {
```

```

    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 800));

    if (!token) throw new Error('Unauthorized');

    return { success: true, message: 'Blog created', blog: { ...blogData, id: 'blog456',
authorId: 'user123', createdAt: new Date() } };
  },

  getBlogs: async () => {

    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 300));

    return {

      success: true, blogs: [

        { id: 'blog1', title: 'First Blog Post', content: 'This is the content of the first blog
post.', author: 'Test User', authorId: 'user123', createdAt: new Date() },

        { id: 'blog2', title: 'Second Blog Post', content: 'This is another blog post.', author:
'Another User', authorId: 'user456', createdAt: new Date() },

      ]

    };
  },

  getBlog: async (id: string) => {

    await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 400));

    if (id === 'nonexistent') throw new Error('Blog not found');

    return {

      success: true, blog: {

        id: id,

        title: 'Sample Blog Post',

        content: 'This is a sample blog post content. It can contain rich text and
formatting. You can use this space to express your thoughts and ideas.\n\n**Key
Features:**\n\n* Easy to use editor\n* Markdown support\n* Save drafts\n* Publish
instantly\n\n```\njavascript\nconst hello = () => {\n  console.log("Hello, world!");\n};\n```',

        author: 'Test User',

        authorId: 'user123',

        createdAt: new Date()
      }
    };
  }
};

```

```

    }
  };
},
getUser: async (id: string) => {
  await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 300));
  if (id === 'nonexistent') throw new Error('User not found');
  return {
    success: true, user: {
      id: id,
      name: 'Test User',
      email: 'test@example.com',
      bio: 'This is a sample bio.',
      profilePicture: null, // You might store a URL here
      joinedAt: new Date(),
    }
  };
},
updateUser: async (id: string, userData: any, token: string) => {
  await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 600));
  if (!token) throw new Error('Unauthorized');
  if (id !== 'user123') throw new Error('User not found'); // Only allow updating current
user
  return { success: true, message: 'Profile updated', user: { ...userData, id: 'user123' } };
},
contact: async (messageData: any) => {
  await new Promise(resolve => setTimeout(resolve, 500));
  console.log('Contact form submitted:', messageData); // Simulate sending email
  return { success: true, message: 'Message sent!' };
}

```

```
    }  
};
```

```
// Animation Variants
```

```
const pageVariants = {  
  hidden: { opacity: 0, y: 20 },  
  visible: { opacity: 1, y: 0, transition: { duration: 0.5 } },  
  exit: { opacity: 0, y: -20, transition: { duration: 0.3 } }  
};
```

```
// --- Components ---
```

```
// Reusable Alert Component
```

```
const AlertMessage = ({ message, type, onClose }: { message: string, type: 'success' |  
'error' | 'info', onClose: () => void }) => {
```

```
  let icon;
```

```
  let colorClass;
```

```
  switch (type) {
```

```
    case 'success':
```

```
      icon = <CheckCircle className="h-5 w-5" />;
```

```
      colorClass = 'text-green-500 bg-green-100 border-green-300';
```

```
      break;
```

```
    case 'error':
```

```
      icon = <AlertTriangle className="h-5 w-5" />;
```

```
      colorClass = 'text-red-500 bg-red-100 border-red-300';
```

```
      break;
```

```
    default:
```

```

    icon = <AlertTriangle className="h-5 w-5" />;

    colorClass = 'text-blue-500 bg-blue-100 border-blue-300';
  }

  return (
    <motion.div
      initial={{ opacity: 0, y: -10 }}
      animate={{ opacity: 1, y: 0 }}
      exit={{ opacity: 0, y: -10 }}
      className={`p-4 rounded-md border shadow-md ${colorClass} flex items-center
justify-between`}
    >
      <div className="flex items-center gap-2">
        {icon}
        <p>{message}</p>
      </div>
      <Button variant="ghost" size="icon" onClick={onClose} className="text-opacity-70
hover:text-opacity-100">
        <X className="h-4 w-4" />
      </Button>
    </motion.div>
  );
};

```

// Loading Indicator

```

const Loading = () => (
  <div className="flex justify-center items-center h-24">
    <Loader2 className="animate-spin h-8 w-8 text-gray-500" />
  </div>

```



```
);
```

```
// --- Pages ---
```

```
// 1. Landing Page
```

```
const LandingPage = ({ onNavigate }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void }) => {  
  return (  
    <motion.div  
      variants={pageVariants}  
      initial="hidden"  
      animate="visible"  
      exit="exit"  
      className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 text-center"  
    >  
      <h1 className="text-4xl font-bold text-gray-800 mb-4">Welcome to Our Blog</h1>  
      <p className="text-lg text-gray-600 mb-8">  
        Discover insightful articles and share your own perspectives.  
      </p>  
      <div className="flex flex-col sm:flex-row justify-center gap-4">  
        <Button onClick={() => onNavigate('blogs')} className="bg-blue-500 hover:bg-blue-600 text-white px-6 py-3 rounded-md">  
          <FileText className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" />  
          Read Blogs  
        </Button>  
        <Button onClick={() => onNavigate('signup')} className="bg-green-500 hover:bg-green-600 text-white px-6 py-3 rounded-md">  
          <User className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" />  
          Sign Up & Write  
        </Button>  
      </div>  
    </div>  
  )  
}
```

</div>

<div className="mt-12">

<h2 className="text-2xl font-semibold text-gray-700 mb-4">Featured Blogs</h2>

<div className="grid grid-cols-1 md:grid-cols-2 lg:grid-cols-3 gap-6">

{/* Mock Blog Cards - Replace with dynamic data */}

<Card>

<CardHeader>

<h3 className="text-xl font-semibold">Blog Post 1</h3>

<p className="text-gray-500">Author: Test User</p>

</CardHeader>

<CardContent>

<p className="text-gray-700">Summary of the first blog post...</p>

</CardContent>

<CardFooter>

<Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('blogs/blog1')}>

Read More <ArrowRight className="ml-1 h-4 w-4" />

</Button>

</CardFooter>

</Card>

<Card>

<CardHeader>

<h3 className="text-xl font-semibold">Blog Post 2</h3>

<p className="text-gray-500">Author: Another User</p>

</CardHeader>

<CardContent>

<p className="text-gray-700">Summary of the second blog post...</p>

</CardContent>

<CardFooter>

```

        <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('blogs/blog2')}>
            Read More <ArrowRight className="ml-1 h-4 w-4" />
        </Button>
    </CardFooter>
</Card>
<Card>
    <CardHeader>
        <h3 className="text-xl font-semibold">Blog Post 3</h3>
        <p className="text-gray-500">Author: Test User</p>
    </CardHeader>
    <CardContent>
        <p className="text-gray-700">Summary of the third blog post...</p>
    </CardContent>
    <CardFooter>
        <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('blogs/blog1')}>
            Read More <ArrowRight className="ml-1 h-4 w-4" />
        </Button>
    </CardFooter>
</Card>
</div>
</div>
</motion.div>
);
};

```

// 2. Sign Up Page

```

const SignUpPage = ({ onNavigate, onLogin }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void, onLogin:
(user: any, token: string) => void }) => {

```

```

const [name, setName] = useState('');
const [email, setEmail] = useState('');
const [password, setPassword] = useState('');
const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);
const [success, setSuccess] = useState<string | null>(null);

const handleSubmit = async (e: React.FormEvent) => {
  e.preventDefault();
  setLoading(true);
  setError(null);
  setSuccess(null);
  try {
    const res = await api.signup({ name, email, password });
    setSuccess(res.message);
    // Simulate auto-login after signup
    onLogin(res.user, 'fake-token'); // Replace 'fake-token'
    onNavigate('blogs'); // Redirect to blogs page after successful signup and login
  } catch (err: any) {
    setError(err.message);
  } finally {
    setLoading(false);
  }
};

return (
  <motion.div
    variants={pageVariants}

```

```

initial="hidden"

animate="visible"

exit="exit"

className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 flex justify-center items-center"
>

<Card className="w-full max-w-md">

  <CardHeader>

    <h2 className="text-2xl font-semibold text-gray-800">Sign Up</h2>

  </CardHeader>

  <CardContent>

    <form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="space-y-6">

      <div>

        <Label htmlFor="name" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Name</Label>

        <Input
          id="name"
          type="text"
          value={name}
          onChange={(e) => setName(e.target.value)}
          required
          className="mt-1"
          placeholder="Your Name"
        />

      </div>

      <div>

        <Label htmlFor="email" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Email</Label>

        <Input
          id="email"

```

```

        type="email"
        value={email}
        onChange={(e) => setEmail(e.target.value)}
        required
        className="mt-1"
        placeholder="you@example.com"
    />
</div>
<div>
    <Label htmlFor="password" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Password</Label>
    <Input
        id="password"
        type="password"
        value={password}
        onChange={(e) => setPassword(e.target.value)}
        required
        className="mt-1"
        placeholder="Password"
    />
</div>
<Button type="submit" className="w-full" disabled={loading}>
    {loading ? <><Loader2 className="mr-2 h-4 w-4 animate-spin" /> Please
    wait</> : 'Sign Up'}
</Button>
</form>
<div className="mt-4 text-center">
    <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('login')}>
        Already have an account? Log in
    </Button>
</div>

```

```

        </Button>
      </div>
    </CardContent>
  <AnimatePresence>
    {error && (
      <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)}
    />
    )}
  </AnimatePresence>
  <AnimatePresence>
    {success && (
      <AlertMessage message={success} type="success" onClose={() =>
setSuccess(null)} />
    )}
  </AnimatePresence>
</Card>
</motion.div>
);
};

```

// 3. Login Page

```

const LoginPage = ({ onNavigate, onLogin }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void, onLogin:
(user: any, token: string) => void }) => {
  const [email, setEmail] = useState("");
  const [password, setPassword] = useState("");
  const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
  const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);

  const handleSubmit = async (e: React.FormEvent) => {

```

```

e.preventDefault();

setLoading(true);

setError(null);

try {

    const res = await api.login({ email, password });

    onLogin(res.user, res.token);

    onNavigate('blogs'); // Redirect to blogs page after successful login
} catch (err: any) {

    setError(err.message);

} finally {

    setLoading(false);

}

};

return (

<motion.div

    variants={pageVariants}

    initial="hidden"

    animate="visible"

    exit="exit"

    className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 flex justify-center items-center"

>

    <Card className="w-full max-w-md">

        <CardHeader>

            <h2 className="text-2xl font-semibold text-gray-800">Log In</h2>

        </CardHeader>

        <CardContent>

            <form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="space-y-6">

```



```
<div>

  <Label htmlFor="email" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Email</Label>

  <Input
    id="email"
    type="email"
    value={email}
    onChange={(e) => setEmail(e.target.value)}
    required
    className="mt-1"
    placeholder="you@example.com"
  />
</div>

<div>

  <Label htmlFor="password" className="block text-sm font-medium text-
gray-700">Password</Label>

  <Input
    id="password"
    type="password"
    value={password}
    onChange={(e) => setPassword(e.target.value)}
    required
    className="mt-1"
    placeholder="Password"
  />
</div>

<Button type="submit" className="w-full" disabled={loading}>

  {loading ? <><Loader2 className="mr-2 h-4 w-4 animate-spin" /> Please
wait</> : 'Log In'}


```

```

        </Button>
      </form>
      <div className="mt-4 text-center">
        <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('signup')}>
          Don't have an account? Sign up
        </Button>
      </div>
    </CardContent>
    <AnimatePresence>
      {error && (
        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)}
      />
      )}
    </AnimatePresence>
  </Card>
</motion.div>
);
};

```

// 4. Blog Writing Page

```

const BlogWritingPage = ({ onNavigate, user, token }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void,
user: any, token: string | null }) => {
  const [title, setTitle] = useState('');
  const [content, setContent] = useState('');
  const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
  const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);
  const [success, setSuccess] = useState<string | null>(null);

  const handleSubmit = async (e: React.FormEvent) => {

```

```
e.preventDefault();

setLoading(true);

setError(null);

setSuccess(null);

if (!token) {

  setError('You must be logged in to create a blog post.');
```

setLoading(false);

return;

}

try {

const res = await api.createBlog({ title, content }, token);

setSuccess(res.message);

setTitle(''); // Clear the form

setContent('');

onNavigate(`blogs/\${res.blog.id}`); // Redirect to the newly created blog post

} catch (err: any) {

setError(err.message);

} finally {

setLoading(false);

}

};

if (!user) {

return (

<motion.div

variants={pageVariants}

```

        initial="hidden"

        animate="visible"

        exit="exit"

        className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 text-center"
    >

    <p className="text-lg text-gray-700 mb-4">

        Please <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('login')}>log
in</Button> to write a blog post.

    </p>

</motion.div>

);
}

return (

    <motion.div

        variants={pageVariants}

        initial="hidden"

        animate="visible"

        exit="exit"

        className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"

    >

        <h1 className="text-3xl font-semibold text-gray-800 mb-6">Write a New Blog
Post</h1>

        <form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="space-y-6">

            <div>

                <Label htmlFor="title" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Title</Label>

                <Input

                    id="title"

```

```

        type="text"
        value={title}
        onChange={(e) => setTitle(e.target.value)}
        required
        className="mt-1"
        placeholder="Blog Post Title"
    />
</div>
<div>
    <Label htmlFor="content" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Content</Label>
    <Textarea
        id="content"
        value={content}
        onChange={(e) => setContent(e.target.value)}
        required
        className="mt-1 min-h-[300px]"
        placeholder="Write your blog post content here..."
    />
</div>
<Button type="submit" className="w-full" disabled={loading}>
    {loading ? <><Loader2 className="mr-2 h-4 w-4 animate-spin" />
Publishing...</> : 'Publish Blog Post'}
</Button>
</form>
<AnimatePresence>
    {error && (
        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)} />
    )}

```

```

    </AnimatePresence>

    <AnimatePresence>

      {success && (
        <AlertMessage message={success} type="success" onClose={() =>
setSuccess(null)} />
      )}

    </AnimatePresence>

  </motion.div>

);
};

```

// 5. Page to Display Published Blog

```

const BlogPage = ({ onNavigate, blogId }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void, blogId: string
}) => {

```

```

  const [blog, setBlog] = useState<any>(null); // Replace 'any' with a proper type

```

```

  const [loading, setLoading] = useState(true);

```

```

  const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);

```

```

  useEffect(() => {

```

```

    const fetchBlog = async () => {

```

```

      setLoading(true);

```

```

      setError(null);

```

```

      try {

```

```

        const res = await api.getBlog(blogId);

```

```

        setBlog(res.blog);

```

```

      } catch (err: any) {

```

```

        setError(err.message);

```

```

      } finally {

```

```

        setLoading(false);

```

```
    }  
  };  
  fetchBlog();  
}, [blogId]);  
  
if (loading) {  
  return (  
    <motion.div  
      variants={pageVariants}  
      initial="hidden"  
      animate="visible"  
      exit="exit"  
      className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"  
    >  
      <Loading />  
    </motion.div>  
  );  
}
```

```
if (error) {  
  return (  
    <motion.div  
      variants={pageVariants}  
      initial="hidden"  
      animate="visible"  
      exit="exit"  
      className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"  
    >
```

```

        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)} />
      </motion.div>
    );
  }

```

```

if (!blog) {
  return (
    <motion.div
      variants={pageVariants}
      initial="hidden"
      animate="visible"
      exit="exit"
      className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"
    >
      <p className="text-lg text-gray-700">Blog post not found.</p>
    </motion.div>
  );
}

```

// Basic text formatting (replace with a markdown renderer for real content)

```
const formattedContent = blog.content.split('\n\n').map((paragraph: string, index: number) => {
```

```
  // Very basic markdown-like formatting (for demo)
```

```
  let formattedParagraph = paragraph
```

```
    .replace(/\/\*(.*)\*/g, '<strong>$1</strong>') // Bold
```

```
    .replace(/\/\*(.*)\*/g, '<em>$1</em>') // Italics
```

```
    .replace(/``javascript([\s\S]*)``/g, '<pre class="bg-gray-100 p-4 rounded-md overflow-x-auto"><code>$1</code></pre>'); // Code block
```



```

    return <p key={index} className="text-gray-700 leading-relaxed"
dangerouslySetInnerHTML={{ __html: formattedParagraph }} />;

});

return (
  <motion.div
    variants={pageVariants}
    initial="hidden"
    animate="visible"
    exit="exit"
    className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"
  >
    <h1 className="text-3xl font-bold text-gray-800 mb-4">{blog.title}</h1>
    <p className="text-sm text-gray-500 mb-2">By {blog.author} | {new
Date(blog.createdAt).toLocaleDateString()}</p>
    <div className="mt-6 space-y-4">
      {formattedContent}
    </div>
  </motion.div>
);
};

```

// 6. Contact Us Page

```

const ContactUsPage = ({ onNavigate }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void }) => {
  const [name, setName] = useState("");
  const [email, setEmail] = useState("");
  const [message, setMessage] = useState("");
  const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
  const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);

```

```
const [success, setSuccess] = useState<string | null>(null);
```

```
const handleSubmit = async (e: React.FormEvent) => {  
  e.preventDefault();  
  setLoading(true);  
  setError(null);  
  setSuccess(null);  
  try {  
    const res = await api.contact({ name, email, message });  
    setSuccess(res.message);  
    setName("");  
    setEmail("");  
    setMessage("");  
  } catch (err: any) {  
    setError(err.message);  
  } finally {  
    setLoading(false);  
  }  
};
```

```
return (  
  <motion.div  
    variants={pageVariants}  
    initial="hidden"  
    animate="visible"  
    exit="exit"  
    className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 flex justify-center items-center"  
  >
```

```
<Card className="w-full max-w-md">

  <CardHeader>

    <h2 className="text-2xl font-semibold text-gray-800">Contact Us</h2>

  </CardHeader>

  <CardContent>

    <form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="space-y-6">

      <div>

        <Label htmlFor="name" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Name</Label>

        <Input
          id="name"
          type="text"
          value={name}
          onChange={(e) => setName(e.target.value)}
          required
          className="mt-1"
          placeholder="Your Name"
        />

      </div>

      <div>

        <Label htmlFor="email" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Email</Label>

        <Input
          id="email"
          type="email"
          value={email}
          onChange={(e) => setEmail(e.target.value)}
          required
          className="mt-1"
        />

      </div>

    </form>

  </CardContent>

</Card>
```

```

        placeholder="you@example.com"

    />
</div>

<div>

    <Label htmlFor="message" className="block text-sm font-medium text-
gray-700">Message</Label>

    <Textarea

        id="message"

        value={message}

        onChange={(e) => setMessage(e.target.value)}

        required

        className="mt-1"

        placeholder="Your message..."

    />

</div>

<Button type="submit" className="w-full" disabled={loading}>

    {loading ? <><Loader2 className="mr-2 h-4 w-4 animate-spin" />
Sending...</> : 'Send Message'}

</Button>

</form>

</CardContent>

<AnimatePresence>

    {error && (

        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)}

    />

    )}

</AnimatePresence>

<AnimatePresence>

    {success && (

```

```

        <AlertMessage message={success} type="success" onClose={() =>
setSuccess(null)} />

    )}

    </AnimatePresence>

    </Card>

</motion.div>

);

};

```

// 7. User Profile Section

```

const UserProfilePage = ({ onNavigate, user, token }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void,
user: any, token: string | null }) => {

```

```

    const [profile, setProfile] = useState<any>(null); // Replace 'any' with a proper type

```

```

    const [loading, setLoading] = useState(true);

```

```

    const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);

```

```

    useEffect(() => {

```

```

        const fetchProfile = async () => {

```

```

            setLoading(true);

```

```

            setError(null);

```

```

            if (!user) {

```

```

                setError('Please log in to view your profile.');
```

```

                setLoading(false);

```

```

                return;

```

```

            }

```

```

            try {

```

```

                const res = await api.getUser(user.id);

```

```

                setProfile(res.user);

```

```

            } catch (err: any) {

```

```
        setError(err.message);
    } finally {
        setLoading(false);
    }
};

fetchProfile();
}, [user]);

if (loading) {
    return (
        <motion.div
            variants={pageVariants}
            initial="hidden"
            animate="visible"
            exit="exit"
            className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"
        >
            <Loading />
        </motion.div>
    );
}
```

```
if (error) {
    return (
        <motion.div
            variants={pageVariants}
            initial="hidden"
            animate="visible"
```

```

        exit="exit"

        className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"

    >

        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)} />

    </motion.div>

);
}

```

```

if (!profile) {
    return (
        <motion.div
            variants={pageVariants}

            initial="hidden"

            animate="visible"

            exit="exit"

            className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"

        >

            <p className="text-lg text-gray-700">No profile information available.</p>

        </motion.div>

    );
}

```

```

return (
    <motion.div
        variants={pageVariants}

        initial="hidden"

        animate="visible"

        exit="exit"
    >

```

```

        className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8"
    >
    <h1 className="text-3xl font-semibold text-gray-800 mb-6">Your Profile</h1>
    <Card>
        <CardHeader>
            <div className="flex items-center gap-4">
                {profile.profilePicture ? (
                    <img src={profile.profilePicture} alt="Profile" className="h-16 w-16
rounded-full" />
                ) : (
                    <User className="h-16 w-16 text-gray-500" />
                )}
            <div>
                <h2 className="text-xl font-semibold">{profile.name}</h2>
                <p className="text-gray-500">Joined: {new
Date(profile.joinedAt).toLocaleDateString()}</p>
            </div>
        </div>
    </CardHeader>
    <CardContent>
        <div className="space-y-4">
            <div>
                <Label className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Email</Label>
                <p className="text-gray-700">{profile.email}</p>
            </div>
            <div>
                <Label className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Bio</Label>
                <p className="text-gray-700">{profile.bio || 'No bio available.'}</p>
            </div>
        </div>
    </CardContent>
    </Card>

```



```

        </div>
      </div>
    </CardContent>
    <CardFooter>
      <Button onClick={() => onNavigate('profile/edit')} className="w-full">
        <Edit className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Edit Profile
      </Button>
    </CardFooter>
  </Card>
</motion.div>
);
};

```

// 8. Profile Update Feature

```

const ProfileUpdatePage = ({ onNavigate, user, token }: { onNavigate: (page: string) => void,
user: any, token: string | null }) => {
  const [name, setName] = useState("");
  const [email, setEmail] = useState("");
  const [bio, setBio] = useState("");
  const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
  const [error, setError] = useState<string | null>(null);
  const [success, setSuccess] = useState<string | null>(null);

  useEffect(() => {
    if (user) {
      setName(user.name);
      setEmail(user.email);
      setBio(user.bio || "");
    }
  }, [user]);

```

```
    }  
  }, [user]);
```

```
const handleSubmit = async (e: React.FormEvent) => {  
  e.preventDefault();  
  setLoading(true);  
  setError(null);  
  setSuccess(null);  
  
  if (!token) {  
    setError('You must be logged in to update your profile.');    setLoading(false);  
    return;  
  }  
  
  try {  
    const res = await api.updateUser(user.id, { name, email, bio }, token);  
    setSuccess(res.message);  
    onNavigate('profile'); // Redirect to profile page after update  
  } catch (err: any) {  
    setError(err.message);  
  } finally {  
    setLoading(false);  
  }  
};
```

```
if (!user) {  
  return (  

```

```

<motion.div
  variants={pageVariants}
  initial="hidden"
  animate="visible"
  exit="exit"
  className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 text-center"
>
  <p className="text-lg text-gray-700 mb-4">
    Please <Button variant="link" onClick={() => onNavigate('login')}>log
in</Button> to edit your profile.
  </p>
</motion.div>
);
}

return (
  <motion.div
    variants={pageVariants}
    initial="hidden"
    animate="visible"
    exit="exit"
    className="container mx-auto px-4 py-8 flex justify-center items-center"
  >
    <Card className="w-full max-w-md">
      <CardHeader>
        <h2 className="text-2xl font-semibold text-gray-800">Edit Profile</h2>
      </CardHeader>
      <CardContent>

```

```
<form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="space-y-6">

  <div>

    <Label htmlFor="name" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Name</Label>

    <Input
      id="name"
      type="text"
      value={name}
      onChange={(e) => setName(e.target.value)}
      required
      className="mt-1"
      placeholder="Your Name"
    />
  </div>

  <div>

    <Label htmlFor="email" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-
700">Email</Label>

    <Input
      id="email"
      type="email"
      value={email}
      onChange={(e) => setEmail(e.target.value)}
      required
      className="mt-1"
      placeholder="you@example.com"
    />
  </div>

</div>
```

```
        <Label htmlFor="bio" className="block text-sm font-medium text-gray-700">Bio</Label>
```

```
        <Textarea
```

```
            id="bio"
```

```
            value={bio}
```

```
            onChange={(e) => setBio(e.target.value)}
```

```
            className="mt-1"
```

```
            placeholder="Tell us about yourself..."
```

```
        />
```

```
    </div>
```

```
    <Button type="submit" className="w-full" disabled={loading}>
```

```
        {loading ? <><Loader2 className="mr-2 h-4 w-4 animate-spin" />
```

```
        Updating...</> : 'Save Profile'}
```

```
    </Button>
```

```
</form>
```

```
</CardContent>
```

```
<AnimatePresence>
```

```
    {error && (
```

```
        <AlertMessage message={error} type="error" onClose={() => setError(null)}
```

```
    />
```

```
    )}
```

```
</AnimatePresence>
```

```
<AnimatePresence>
```

```
    {success && (
```

```
        <AlertMessage message={success} type="success" onClose={() =>
```

```
        setSuccess(null)} />
```

```
    )}
```

```
</AnimatePresence>
```

```
</Card>
```

```

        </motion.div>

    );
};

// Main App Component
const App = () => {

    const [currentPage, setCurrentPage] = useState<'home' | 'signup' | 'login' | 'blogs' | 'blogs/:id' | 'contact' | 'profile' | 'profile/edit'>('home');

    const [user, setUser] = useState<any>(null); // Replace 'any'

    const [token, setToken] = useState<string | null>(null);

    const [blogId, setBlogId] = useState<string>("");

    // Function to navigate between pages
    const navigate = useCallback((page: string, id?: string) => {

        setCurrentPage(page as any); // Type assertion

        if (id) {

            setBlogId(id);

        }

    }, []);

    // Function to handle login
    const handleLogin = (userData: any, userToken: string) => {

        setUser(userData);

        setToken(userToken);

        // Store user data and token (optional)

        localStorage.setItem('user', JSON.stringify(userData));

        localStorage.setItem('token', userToken);

    };

```

```
// Function to handle logout
const handleLogout = async () => {
  // Invalidate session on the server (optional)
  try {
    await api.logout();
  } catch (error) {
    console.error("Logout error:", error);
  }
  setUser(null);
  setToken(null);
  // Clear stored data
  localStorage.removeItem('user');
  localStorage.removeItem('token');
  setCurrentPage('home');
};

// Check for stored session on initial load
useEffect(() => {
  const storedUser = localStorage.getItem('user');
  const storedToken = localStorage.getItem('token');
  if (storedUser && storedToken) {
    try {
      setUser(JSON.parse(storedUser));
      setToken(storedToken);
    } catch (e) {
      console.error("Error parsing stored user data", e);
      // Clear the invalid data
    }
  }
}
```

```
    localStorage.removeItem('user');  
    localStorage.removeItem('token');  
  }  
}  
, []);
```

// Render different pages based on state

```
const renderPage = () => {  
  switch (currentPage) {  
    case 'home':  
      return <LandingPage onNavigate={navigate} />;  
    case 'signup':  
      return <SignUpPage onNavigate={navigate} onLogin={handleLogin} />;  
    case 'login':  
      return <LoginPage onNavigate={navigate} onLogin={handleLogin} />;  
    case 'blogs':  
      return <BlogWritingPage onNavigate={navigate} user={user} token={token} />;  
    case 'blogs/:id':  
      return <BlogPage onNavigate={navigate} blogId={blogId} />;  
    case 'contact':  
      return <ContactUsPage onNavigate={navigate} />;  
    case 'profile':  
      return <UserProfilePage onNavigate={navigate} user={user} token={token} />;  
    case 'profile/edit':  
      return <ProfileUpdatePage onNavigate={navigate} user={user} token={token} />;  
    default:  
      return <LandingPage onNavigate={navigate} />;  
  }  
}
```



```
};
```

```
return (
```

```
  <div className="min-h-screen bg-gray-100">
```

```
    {/* Simple Navigation (Replace with a styled component) */}
```

```
    <nav className="bg-white shadow-md py-4 px-6 flex justify-between items-center">
```

```
      <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('home')} className="text-xl font-semibold text-gray-800">
```

```
        <Home className="mr-2 h-5 w-5 inline-block" />
```

```
        My Blog
```

```
      </Button>
```

```
      <div className="flex gap-4">
```

```
        {user ? (
```

```
          <>
```

```
            <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('profile')} className="flex items-center">
```

```
              <User className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Profile
```

```
            </Button>
```

```
            <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('blogs')} className="flex items-center">
```

```
              <FileText className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Write Blog
```

```
            </Button>
```

```
            <Button variant="ghost" onClick={handleLogout} className="flex items-center">
```

```
              <LogOut className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Log Out
```

```
            </Button>
```

```
          </>
```

```
        ) : (
```

```

        </>

        <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('login')} className="flex
items-center">

            <LogIn className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Log In

        </Button>

        <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('signup')} className="flex
items-center">

            <User className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Sign Up

        </Button>

    </>

    )}

    <Button variant="ghost" onClick={() => navigate('contact')} className="flex
items-center">

        <Mail className="mr-2 h-4 w-4" /> Contact

    </Button>

</div>

</nav>

{/* Page Content */}

<main>

    {renderPage()}

</main>

{/* Footer (Optional) */}

<footer className="bg-gray-200 text-gray-600 text-center py-4 mt-12">

    <p>&copy; {new Date().getFullYear()} My Blog. All rights reserved.</p>

</footer>

</div>

);

```

```
};
```

```
export default App;
```

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