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Student Engagement and Retention Tool

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Refresh on Tudr

- Tudr is known for creating the Tudr app
- Wesley Crouch is the CEO of the company and our contact with the company
 - Ball State Grad
- Their current projects is still the maintenance and updating of the Tudr app.





Our Project

- Dashboard
- Chat Bot
 - Answer questions asked by students
 - Pull professor info or course info
- Able to accept data input by professors for their classes
 - Professor provided Questions and Answers
 - Individual Syllabuses for each class
- Pull Professor Info
 - Classes, Office Number, Office Hours



Project Demo

- [Link to Website](#)
 - Student Example:
username: exampleStudent
password: password
 - Professor Example:
username: exampleProfessor
password: password
- [Link to SQL Manager](#)
 - username: 3ISdS27gPP
password: dEnOIoyyio



Next Iteration Plans / Features

- Chatbot Plans:
 - []
- Front-end Plans:
 - Adjust UI
 - Make it more apparent when placeholder text is used
 - Consult with the client for UX design guides
- Back-end Plans:
 - Add more Test(failing tests)
 - Reworking parts of code and code structure



Feature Comparison

Iteration 3:

- Chabot upgraded
 - It now has more parameters for interaction to work with
- Website updates and upgrades
 - No longer “homepage” based
 - Now has several pages to navigate between
 - Added data input pages
- Redesigned MySQL Database

Iteration 4:

- New Pages / Page Functionality:
 - Syllabus can now be created, updated, and deleted.
 - Professor can now manage courses and student enrollment
 - Students can manage enrolled courses
 - Professor can view, edit, and delete questions
- MySQL database redone
- Code structure refactored



Technical Details

Current tech-stack:

- Front End
 - HTML
 - CSS
 - PHP
- Back End
 - MySQL
 - PHP
- API's
 - DialogFlow

It is a web-app that requires a continuous connection to the internet to work.



Technical Details - Front End & API

Front-End

- Dynamic CSS
- Updating php pages

APIs

Dialogflow

- Currently a iframe call in an php / html file.
- Used to operate the chatbot
- [Link to saved Dialogflow info](#)



Technical Details - Backend & Database

Logic (Backend)

- PHP and PHPUnit

There's two kinds of files: Logic (methods) files and presentation files and Data Layer.

The presentation layer is a mix of HTML and PHP.

Database

- MySQL

5 “normal” tables.

1 relational table.



Client Meeting

- **What is the maintenance plan of the project?**
 - None current, they'll decide to invest in the final iteration if they like it.
- **How does the client want to use the software after you transfer it to them?**
 - Depending on quality, is how they use it after it is given to them
- **How does the project will be deployed and to what server?**
 - Possibly deployed to aws
- **What part of the project is not OK to share in the student symposium?**
 - We can use all the project
- Overall the client had a very positive attitude towards the project and he said it looks alot better than it used too.