IT314 Project: Interview Questionnaire

College Event Management

Students:

Student Interview intro script (use if necessary):

Hello, thank you for taking the time to speak with me today.

We're working on developing a College Event Management System — a single platform that brings together all information about college events in one place. The idea is to make it the go-to platform for students to discover, register for, and stay updated about events, while also making the whole process more convenient and engaging.

The purpose of this interview is to understand your needs, expectations, and challenges regarding college events, so that we can design a system that truly helps students like you. There are no right or wrong answers — we just want your honest opinions and experiences.

This interview should only take about 10–15 minutes, and your responses will be kept confidential and only used for our project.

Interview Questions with classification:

1. Warm-up / Perception Check

- What do you think about the idea of a single platform for all college events?

- Do you feel such a system is feasible and would actually be useful for students?

2. Current Experience

- How do you currently get to know about events happening in college?

- Do you face any problems in getting timely and accurate information?

3. Event Participation Challenges

- Have you ever missed an event because you didn't know about it, or got to know too late?

- What difficulties do you face while registering for or attending events (e.g., registration links, confirmations, payment, schedules, venues)?

- Do you often face delays or confusion during events? How do you feel about it?

- For suppose you are attending an event in another college, what information would you expect to know beforehand?

4. Desired Features in the Platform

- What features would you most like to see in such a platform?

- Would you find it useful to have event reminders/notifications? If yes, through which medium?

- Do you think photos or highlights of past events should be available?

- Would you like to rate/review events? Do you think knowing an event's average delay or student feedback would help you decide whether to attend?

- How important is having a personalized profile (resume upload, achievements, areas of interest, custom dashboard)?

- If you're not able to attend an event in person, would you like to have a live streaming or recorded option available?

5. Broader Engagement

- Would you like the platform to suggest events based on your interests (e.g., cultural, technical, sports)?

- Should there be a way to connect with students who are also attending the same event?

6. Wrap-up

- Overall, what do you think could make this platform *the go-to place* for students?

- Do you have any other suggestions or problems we might have missed?