

Project Management Platform — MVP Requirements &

Flow



Project Name

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Problem Statement

Currently, project collaborations in college happen informally through Excel sheets and scattered communication, leading to mismanagement, poor team accountability, and limited visibility for professors.

This platform will digitize and centralize the project team formation, mentorship selection, and project progress tracking process.

MVP Goals

- Enable students to form project teams (max 4 members)
- Allow professors to choose teams they want to guide (max 3 teams per professor)
- Let final-year/master's students volunteer as mentors for other teams
- Public leaderboard ranking teams based on activity
- Fair, clear, and smooth mentorship allocation process

System Users

- Students
- Professors (Project Guides)
- Senior Student Mentors
- Admin (optional)

Core Features

Team Formation

- Students can search other students by Name or Roll No.
- Max 4 members per team.
- First member to create a team becomes the **Team Leader**.
- Team leader invites others until the team is full.
- Once full, team formation is locked.

Professor Mentorship

- Professors can view all formed teams.
- Professors send mentorship requests to teams.
- Professors can send requests to multiple teams but only 3 teams can accept them.
- Teams receive mentorship requests in their dashboard.
- The Team Leader accepts one professor.
- After selection:
 - Team is locked with that professor.
 - Professor's accepted team count increases.
 - Other pending requests to that team are automatically declined.

Senior Student Mentors

- Final-year/master's students can volunteer as mentors.
- Teams can request a mentor.
- Mentors can accept or reject.
- Max 1 senior student mentor per team.

Leaderboard

- Real-time ranking of teams based on:
 - o Number of meetings scheduled/logged
 - Idea submissions (if part of MVP)
 - Mentor feedbacks
- Top 5 and Bottom 5 teams shown publicly.

System Flow Diagram

I'll lay this out as a clean step-by-step flow first (text format), then I'll render a diagram image for you too.

System Flow

- 1 Students register/login
- 2 Create/Join a team (Max 4 members)
- 3 Professors log in and browse team profiles
- 4 Professors send mentorship requests (max 3 active acceptances)
- 5 Teams receive requests
- 6 Team Leader accepts one professor
- 7 Senior Mentors volunteer
- 8 Teams request senior mentors
- 9 Mentors accept or reject
- Leaderboard updates based on activity

System Architecture Overview (Non-Technical)

- Frontend: Web App Interface (for students, professors, mentors)
- Backend: Server handling team creation, mentorship requests, leaderboard scoring
- Database: Stores students, teams, professors, mentors, mentorship requests, leaderboard scores
- **Notification System:** For real-time updates (optional for MVP)

Requirements Summary **Priority Feature Notes** Student registration & team creation Must Have Max 4 members Professor mentorship requests Must Have Max 3 acceptances Mentor acceptance workflow Must Have Final-year/masters Leaderboard (Top 5, Bottom 5) Must Have Based on activity Auto-decline pending mentor requests Must Have After team locks a professor Real-time request count limit Must Have 3 per professor Unassigned teams handling Optional Admin intervention or open mentor pool

★ Wireframe Scope for Your MVP

I'll create wireframes for:

- 1. Student Dashboard
- 2. Team Formation Page
- 3. Professor Dashboard
- 4. Mentor Dashboard
- 5. Leaderboard Page

students

Column	Туре	Notes
id	UUID	Primary Key
name	String	
roll_no	String	Unique
email	String	
year	String	FY/SY/TY/BE/ME
password_hash	String	
team_id	UUID	Nullable (FK to teams)

teams

Column	Туре	Notes
id	UUID	Primary Key
team_name	String	
leader_id	UUID	FK to students
professor_id	UUID	Nullable, FK to professors
senior_mentor_id	UUID	Nullable, FK to mentors
is_locked	Boolean	Team formation complete or not

professors Column Notes Type Primary Key UUID id String name String department email String accepted_team_count Integer Мах 3

Column	Туре	Notes	
id	UUID	Primary Key	
name	String		
year	String		
email	String		

mentor_requests

Column	Туре	Notes
id	UUID	Primary Key
professor_id	UUID	FK to professors
team_id	UUID	FK to teams
status	String	pending / accepted / rejected

senior_mentor_requests

Column	Туре	Notes	
id	UUID	Primary Key	
mentor_id	UUID	FK to mentors	
team_id	UUID	FK to teams	
status	String	pending / accepted / rejected	

leaderboard_scores Column Type Notes id UUID Primary Key FK to teams UUID team_id meetings_done Integer tasks_done Integer Integer mentor_feedback_count

total_score

Integer