



Introduction

Alumnyy is an application which focuses strictly on universities', colleges' and other tertiary institutions' alumni. The application will help connect alumni to other fellow alumni for the sake of networking and showcasing alumni's profiles. Alumni will get to be part of alma mater spaces where they will be able to connect and engage in conversations as intellectuals.

Installation

General Requirements

- For the project to run in a web server, it needs all the packages found in this [file](#).
- The packages can be simply installed by downloading the file and then running `$ pip install -r requirements.txt`

Requirements for End Users

- Modern Web browser preferable a Chromium based browser
- Application suitable for smartphones(Android, iOS and iPadOS) and modern personal computer operating systems(Apple, Linux and Windows)

Usage

Users/alumni are placed in alma mater spaces which are based on the entered tertiary institution during signup for now. Alumni are able to request to connect with a fellow alumni, delete sent connection requests, decline/reject received connection requests and approve received connection requests.

In addition, there is the Posts section of the application which allows all alumni of an alma mater space to engage in any conversation or broadcast any thoughts. Alumni are allowed to simply remove posts they have posted.

Other features include seeing another alumnus' limited profile details and then seeing the same profile in detail if connected. Connections can see each other's contact details such as biography, email and mobile number which can then be used for more effective communication outside of the application.

In the future there will be an in application chat feature and toggle button for privacy conscious alumni to control the visibility of contact details from other alumni. Furthermore, the posts feature will include commenting and pictures.

Contributing

We are two tech enthusiasts who are passionate about higher education and who still fully believe in the value of the traditional system of tertiary institutions!

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