Task 1: Research for ESLSCA University's Accessibility Office Website

Overview

Your task is to research and propose ideas for how our Accessibility Office's website should look and function. You will be conducting a research on other university disability/accommodation support services offices and their websites. The best analysis will be selected to join the core project team and have bigger involvement in the project.

Task Objectives

Research different Accommodations Offices in Universities

- Investigate how leading universities structure and manage their accessibility office websites.
- A few examples of websites you could check are:
 - o Harvard University: https://dao.fas.harvard.edu/
 - University of Nottingham:
 https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/studentservices/servicedetails/disability-support-services/disability-support-services.aspx
 - o University of Leeds: https://students.leeds.ac.uk/disabledstudents
- Make sure to check different websites other than these 3 only.

What you need to gather

- Website Design: How does the website look? Is it visually appealing and accessible?
- Core Functions and Features: What services and resources are offered online? For example:
 - Types of disabilities they support
 - o Types of accommodations offered
 - Support services provided
 - o Registration and application process
 - o Learning plans that are available
 - o Appointment scheduling
 - o Resources for students (guides, tutorials, FAQs)
- Accessibility Features: What are the fonts used, color pallets used, etc.?

What you will submit

- Based on your research, propose a **list of features** that you think are suitable for our ESLSCA Accommodations Office website
- Include **practical** and **creative ideas** that fit the needs of our students. Your ideas should be realistic and feasible for implementation
- You are free to use tools like ChatGPT to assist your research and brainstorming of ideas, but ensure your ideas are practical and based on **real-life examples**
- Combine everything that you have done in a **PDF** and send it on the group, with the deadline being 27 November 2024