

Things not implemented / completed

- Wishlist was another feature that we planned on implementing but we couldn't do it because the books that were being saved in the wishlist were based on individual users who were putting it up on the market, whereas a wishlist should save the book itself rather than the seller's/renter's entry.
- We also thought of adding a community chat feature which was not implemented as we faced challenges in achieving low-latency, real time communication.
- Settings feature was not implemented because not many customisable features were found that can be included in the settings section. So, the features to be included in the settings section were implemented separately instead.
- As Author's role was to mainly interact in the community, and as we were not able to implement community features, the Author login/Author advertising feature was discarded as well.
- The frontend for viewing book recommendations on the home page was initially implemented to enhance user engagement and provide a personalized experience. However, it was later discarded due to the significant challenges faced during integration. The issues stemmed from a combination of technical and operational hurdles, including complexity of API Integration because it required complex synchronization with the frontend.
- The Bank Details feature was not implemented because of scalability issues and security reasons. Thus, we decided to go with COD(Cash on Delivery).