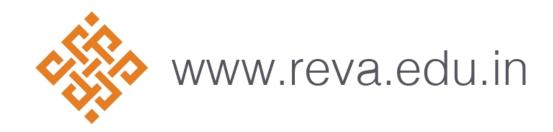


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Milestone 1

Who we are?

Skillspace

Why?

Explain why do you want to pursue this Business Idea.

Many students and young professionals struggle to gain practical skills despite having theoretical knowledge. There is a lack of structured platforms that offer hands-on learning with expert guidance, making it difficult for learners to be industry-ready. SkillSpace aims to solve this problem by providing a comprehensive learning ecosystem.



Provide a brief on what does your venture do.

SkillSpace is an online platform where learners can:

- Enroll in skill-based courses curated by industry experts.
- Participate in live projects and hackathons.
- Connect with mentors and receive personalized guidance.
- Gain certification and enhance their employability.

How ?

Explain how your venture solves the problem and make its revenue.

- Subscription-based model providing access to exclusive content.
- Commission from premium mentorship programs.
- Corporate collaborations for hiring skilled candidates.





Problem/Opportunity

CONTEXT

When does the problem occur?

The problem occurs when students, freelancers, and professionals seek affordable learning, accessible study spaces, and skill exchange opportunities but struggle to find a centralized, reliable platform that meets their needs.

PROBLEM

What is the root cause of the problem?

Limited access to affordable courses and skill-building programs.

Difficulty in finding **nearby study spaces** suited for focused work.

Lack of platforms for **direct skill exchange**, where users can trade knowledge instead of paying high fees.

ALTERNATIVES

What do customers do now to fix the problem?

- Enroll in **expensive online courses** (Udemy, Coursera, etc.).
- Use **co-working spaces**, which are often **costly**.
- Find free resources online, but with **no** structured guidance.

CUSTOMERS

Who has the problem most often?

Teens & Young Adults (Ages 16-35):

- Students & Freelancers Looking for costeffective learning & workspaces.
- **Professionals** Seeking upskilling opportunities but lack flexible options.
- Educators & Experts Interested in sharing knowledge and monetizing skills.

EMOTIONAL IMPACT

How does the customer feel?

- **Before SkillSpace** − Users feel frustrated with expensive courses, limited workspace options, and a lack of direct skill exchange opportunities.
- **After SkillSpace** Users feel empowered with a **one-stop solution** to **learn, teach, and collaborate affordably**.

ALTERNATIVE SHORTCOMINGS

What are the disadvantages of the alternatives?

What are the disadvantages of these alternatives?

- **Expensive Online Courses** High costs, no flexibility.
- **Coworking Spaces** Costly memberships, lack of student-friendly pricing.
- ➤ Free Resources No structured learning, lack of mentorship.

Problem Interviews And Surveys Results

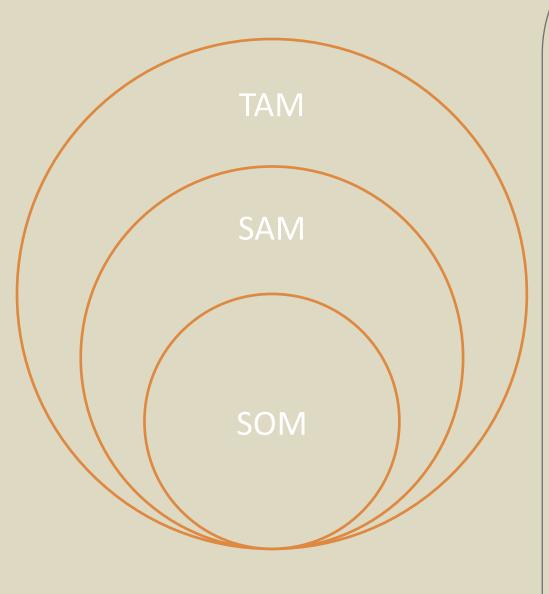
SkillSpace

- How many customers did you interview?

 We interviewed approximately 50 people, including students, freelancers, and professionals.
- What was the interview mode? Conducted through both online surveys and in-person discussions.
- How many of them agree this is a problem and want a solution? 85% of respondents believe there is a need for affordable learning options, accessible study spaces, and skill exchange platforms.
- How many of them said they don't need a new solution?

 15% of respondents mentioned they are already satisfied with existing solutions or do not actively seek alternative learning methods.

Market Size Estimation



MARKET SIZE:

TAM (Total Addressable Market)

- The global e-learning market is valued at approximately \$315 billion and is expected to grow at 9% CAGR.
- The Indian online education market alone is projected to reach \$10 billion by 2025.

SAM (Serviceable Available Market)

- SkillSpace targets students, freelancers, and professionals in India.
- Considering the Indian youth and working population actively engaging in skill enhancement, the SAM is estimated at \$1 billion.

SOM (Serviceable Obtainable Market)

• Assuming a **0.5%** penetration rate in the Indian market initially, SkillSpace's SOM is \$5 million annually.

1. Final Market Size Calculation (Based on Subscription/Booking Model)

- o If the average transaction per user (course enrollment, venue booking, or skill exchange) is ₹500 (\$6),
- Then \$5 million \div \$6 = 833,000 potential annual transactions.

Customer Persona



Hemanth Gowda

BUILDING KAMPUS

Age: 21

Occupation: Student, Entrepreneur Location: Bangalore, karnataka

Goals:

- To enroll in **affordable and high-quality courses** for career and personal growth.
- To book study venues for individual and group learning sessions.
- To **exchange skills** with others to learn and teach in a collaborative way.
- To gain **certifications** for completing courses and skill-sharing experiences.

Frustrations:

- X Struggles to find a single platform that offers multiple learning opportunities.
- **Expensive courses** make learning inaccessible.
- X Difficulty in finding quiet study spaces for focus and productivity.
- X No proper **platform for skill exchange** without monetary transactions.

Bio:

HEMANTH GOWDA

Student at Reva university

A college student who is building his own Startup Kampus.

Fullstack developer

Value Proposition Canvas

What do you offer that makes the users happy?

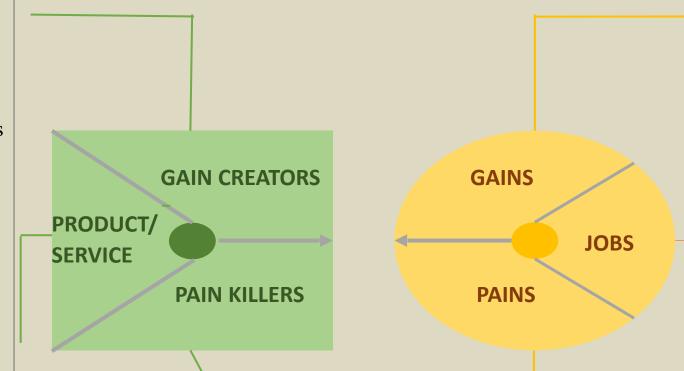
- A platform where users can **enroll in various courses** to upskill.
- The ability to **book study venues** for learning sessions or group studies.
- A **skill exchange feature** that allows users to teach and learn from each other.
- A user-friendly experience with easy course discovery, enrollment, and skill-sharing.

What is the product or service that you are offering?

A learning platform where users can enroll in multiple courses.

Study venue booking for individual or group study sessions.

A **skill exchange marketplace** where users can trade skills with one another.



→ Which features of your offering relieve the customer's pains?

Affordable and accessible courses with flexible learning options.

A structured approach to learning with clear progress tracking.

Easy venue booking for focused study environments.

A skill exchange system for users who want to learn new skills without paying.

I would **LOVE** it if:

"I could easily find and enroll in quality courses that help me grow."

"There was a structured learning path to guide me in my career."

"I could book a quiet, dedicated study space whenever I needed it."

"I could exchange my skills with others instead of paying for courses."

I would WANT:

"A platform with a variety of useful and engaging courses."

"An easy way to upskill and improve career prospects."

"Affordable courses with practical learning experiences."

"A space where I can meet like-minded learners and exchange skills."

I would **HATE** it if:

- "The courses were too expensive or not valuable."
- "There was no proper structure or guidance in the learning process."
- "Booking a study venue was complicated or too costly."
- "There was no proper system to match users for skill exchange."

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Solution

Describe your Solution:

SkillSpace is a platform designed to bridge the gap between skilled individuals and those in need of their expertise. We offer a dynamic, user-friendly space where people can showcase their skills, connect with potential clients or employers, sell courses, and collaborate on projects seamlessly.

The details of our offering consist of:

- **1.Skill-Based Profiles** Users can create personalized profiles showcasing their expertise, experience, and portfolio.
- **2.Seamless Hiring Process** Employers and clients can easily find, evaluate, and hire professionals based on their skills and past work.
- **3.Course Marketplace** Experts can create and sell courses, helping others learn new skills while monetizing their knowledge.
- **4.Collaboration Tools** In-app messaging, project tracking, and milestone-based payment options for smooth workflow.

List the Benefits of Your Solution:

- 1. Efficient & Reliable A streamlined hiring process that connects the right talent with the right opportunities.
- 2. Learn & Earn Professionals can not only find work but also monetize their expertise by selling courses.
- 3. Accessible & Affordable A platform where individuals can find work, learn new skills, and hire skilled professionals at competitive rates.
- **4. Growth & Opportunities** A space for learning, networking, and career growth for freelancers, educators, and businesses.

Team Composition

Team member 1 Team member 3 Team member 2 Team member 4 What makes us a good team to solve the **Picture** Picture Picture Picture problem we chose? **Passionate & Committed:** We are dedicated to **revolutionizing skill-based learning** by making it accessible, engaging, and affordable. **Business & Tech Skills:** Role/Position: Role/Position: Role/Position: Role/Position: With experience in product development, COO/CTO **CEO** CFO/CMO CFO/CMO digital marketing, and platform scaling, we can create a seamless experience for users. **Key Strengths and abilities** Key Strengths and abilities Key Strengths and Key Strengths and abilities **©** Customer-Centric Approach: abilities We focus on delivering a **user-friendly** solution Brand growth, Operations management, Visionary, leadership, Financial planning, that meets the needs of students, freelancers, and technical expertise, business strategy, customer marketing strategies, professionals. platform development product development user acquisition engagement, investor **Commitment to Growth:** relations We continuously **learn**, iterate, and adapt to

stay ahead in the evolving education and co-

working space industry.



Thank You!