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**Mobile Application Development**

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**FindMyHome Android mobile app  
User documentation**

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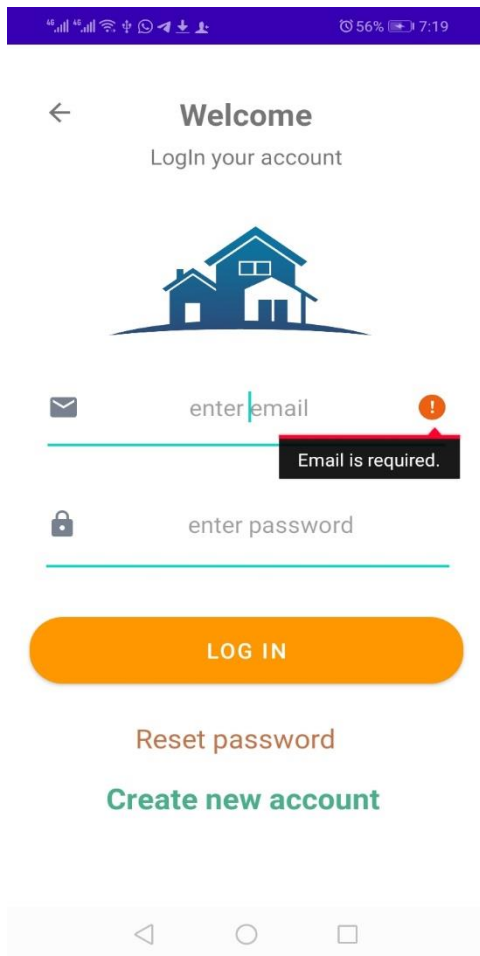
FindMyHome is a mobile application that uses the internet to facilitate real estate services. It allows landlords and housing agencies to advertise their housing properties to various online users. The app has several activities which includes; start page (splash screen), login page, reset password, create new account and home pages.

### 1. Splash screen (start page):



Upon starting the app, the user is directed to the splash screen page which will require the user to click a “Get started” button. Thereafter, the user is directed to a login page.

## 2. Login:

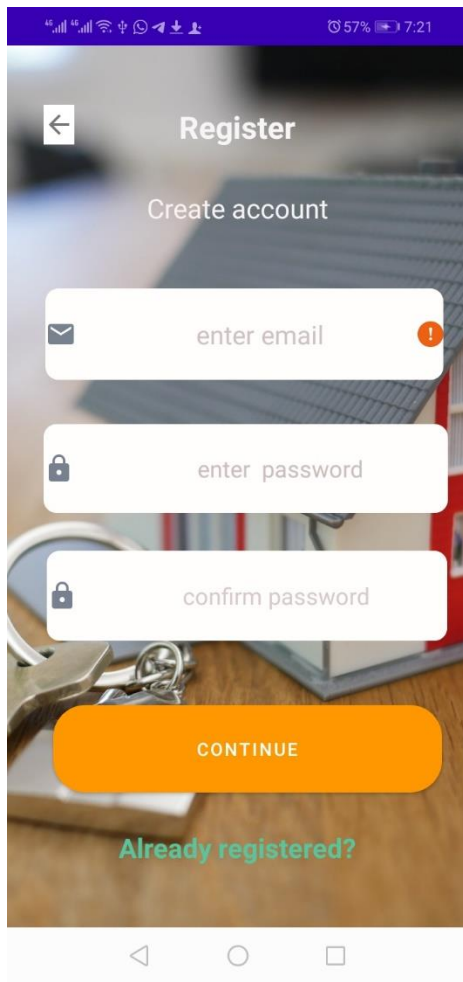


The image shows a mobile application login screen. At the top, there is a status bar with various icons and a battery level of 56%. Below the status bar, a back arrow is on the left, and the word "Welcome" is centered. Under "Welcome" is the text "Login your account". In the center is a blue icon of a house with a chimney. Below the icon are two input fields: the first is labeled "enter email" with an envelope icon and a red error message "Email is required."; the second is labeled "enter password" with a lock icon. Below the input fields is a large orange "LOG IN" button. Under the button are two links: "Reset password" in red and "Create new account" in green. At the bottom is a navigation bar with three icons: a triangle, a circle, and a square.

It is in the login page where a user who is new to the system is required to create a new account by clicking a “create new account” text link. Otherwise, an already registered user is requested to input an email address and password that he or she registered with the app.

A “reset password” text link on the login page, allows an already registered user to enter his or her email to which a link should be sent for password reset process.

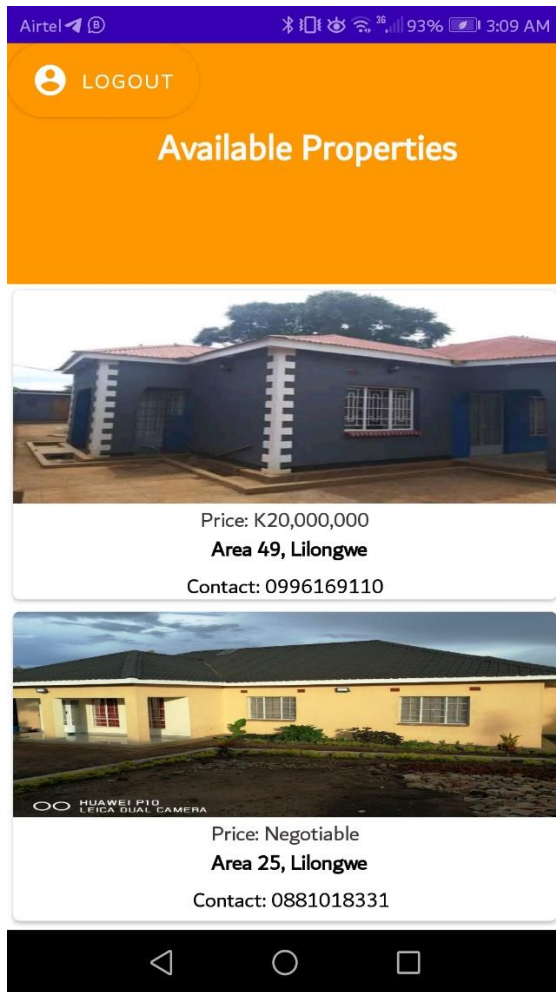
### 3. Sign up page:



Upon clicking the “Create new account” text link. The user will be directed to a sign-up page. Where the user is requested to enter a valid email, password with at least six characters and confirm it with a matched password. Otherwise, there will be a pop up reminding you to match your passwords. The sign-up page also includes a “Continue” button and “Already registered?” text link.

Upon entering a valid email and ensuring that the passwords match. A user is supposed to click on a “Continue” button. Where he or she will be directed to a login page. Upon, entering the credentials registered with the app in the sign-up page. The user will be able to log in the home page.

#### 4. Home page:



In the home page, there is a list of available properties with their images and descriptions. On the upper most left corner there is a log out feature, which upon clicking will allow the user to logout of the home page. It is also important to note that the available images and descriptions in the home page are to be uploaded using an uploading page which will be accessible by administrator, landlords, housing agents or any person who has access of the upload link into database.

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