Meeting 1 Notes

What is Project ERASE?

Student led organization to address the importance of school resources. They run workshops around campus with the goal of teaching about how to help communities in need. They do fundraising, send school supplies to those in need in Guatemala. They are run by a team of 8 people.

What was mentioned to be wanted/desired?

- *Key Feature:* we talked about that event in March. His most desired feature was the student database feature. If we can get it implemented before the event and get it to be displayed/presented it could be very well received and I'm sure reflect well on us. This would be access to handle student photos and which students they are currently helping organized in one spot. We could use some more info though.
- Translation services to another language were one of his ideas mentioned. Assuming Spanish primarily but we should investigate if others are needed at all. (can AI do this?)
- A map idea where people can click on "packages" to see what effects the donations are having and get a real-world idea of the impact was one of the main features mentioned.
- "Something to put out there" so think of a good image or just a good way to introduce people to the project. For us this is likely to mean just an aesthetically pleasing design for the site.
- Donations could make use of the "cost to send a student to school" number and other metrics to indicate how the money donated makes an actual impact. Also self-filled donation forms so the team can go collect supplies from donors. We could make a virtual form submission for this potentially.
- An admin role was brought up frequently so this will likely be a main component. The desire to have an admin role is to be able to upload events, info on workshops, edit photos of things like the executive board page and make upload through this role.
- AI integration was received warmly; we mentioned a little chatbot/guide and that was received well.
- Self-designing a page idea was received well, this could be an admin role privilege probably.
- Low-bandwidth page for the contact(s) in Guatemala to be able to upload information to was well received.
- RSVP and calendar integration for events. Links to socials as well using automation of some sort.

Other Notes:

Meetings on Fridays at 11am are the current default for meeting with Luis. Meetings on Thursdays at 2pm are the current default for meeting amongst ourselves. We are invited to their event in late March either the 27th or 20th. Formal wear and catering were mentioned.