

Technical Assessment: Chatbot Developer Role

In this exercise, you are required to design and implement a WhatsApp chatbot for a fictional beauty salon called **Glow Haven Beauty Lounge**. Here is a <u>detailed description</u> of the business for your reference.

Deliverables

The chatbot should allow customers to:

- 1. Ask general questions (e.g., services, opening hours, location, etc.).
- 2. Book appointments.
- 3. Pay deposits(Assume that the accepted payment method is Pochi la Biashara).
- 4. Receive a structured receipt (PDF summary) containing service booked, date/time, amount paid, and confirmation message.
- 5. Provide feedback.

Submission Guidelines

- 1. The chatbot can be built using any framework or stack you are comfortable with.
- 2. Upload your code to GitHub.
- 3. Share the WhatsApp test number where the flow is deployed.
- 4. Include brief documentation outlining:
 - Your architecture and approach
 - o How to test/interact with the bot
 - Any assumptions or improvements



Evaluation Criteria

| Category | Description |
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| Conversation Flow & UX | Smooth, human-like flow that feels natural to users. Clear navigation between options (e.g., booking, general inquiries, promos). Proper fallback handling for unexpected inputs. |
| Intent Recognition & Handling | The chatbot correctly interprets user intents (e.g., booking, asking questions, checking prices, or payments) and responds appropriately. |
| Context Management | The chatbot maintains memory of prior inputs (like selected service, time, or name) throughout the session, enabling coherent multi-turn conversations. |
| UI/UX within WhatsApp | Effective use of buttons, quick replies, lists, and formatting for a pleasant WhatsApp user experience. |
| Payment Integration & Receipts | Implementation of the payment process (via Pochi la Biashara) for deposit confirmation. The chatbot should capture payment details, confirm successful transactions, and issue a receipt message with a booking summary. |
| Technical Implementation | Code organization, maintainability, and modularity. |
| API Integration | Proper use of WhatsApp Cloud API for message templates, interactive elements, and session management. |
| Scalability & Reliability | Ease of extension to other beauty salon businesses. |
| Creativity | Extra UX polish, fallback handling, or personalization. |