Review!
(and Design & Wireframing)

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First: Review

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- Components run their code **once at the beginning**, and then **once every time a prop or a state changes**
- To run something only once at the beginning, we use **useEffect**(function, [])
- **get**("/api/something", someData) does a get request to "/api/something", and gets back data (asynchronously)
- **post**("/api/something", someData) does a post request to "/api/something" (asynchronously)
- **Router** is our way of having different 'pages' (with their own URL) on your site

Router

```
<Router>
  <Feed path="/" />
  <Profile path="/profile/" />
  <NotFound default />
</Router>
```

useEffect, get requests

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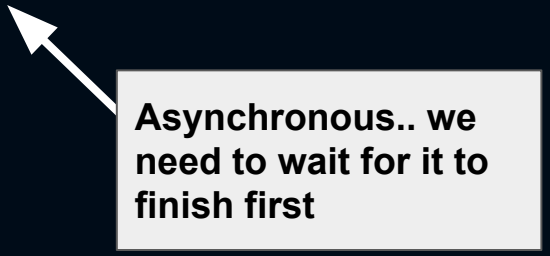

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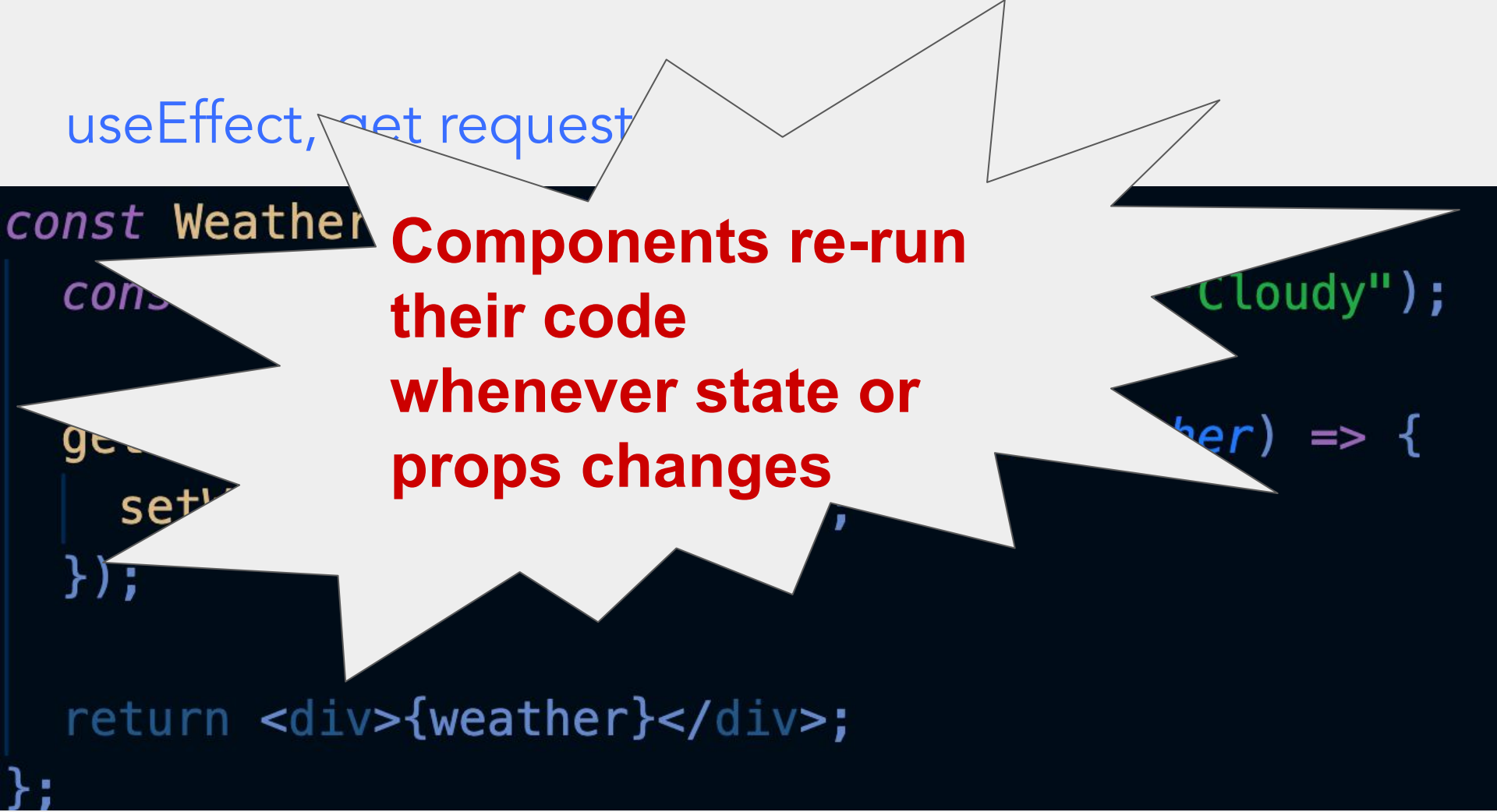

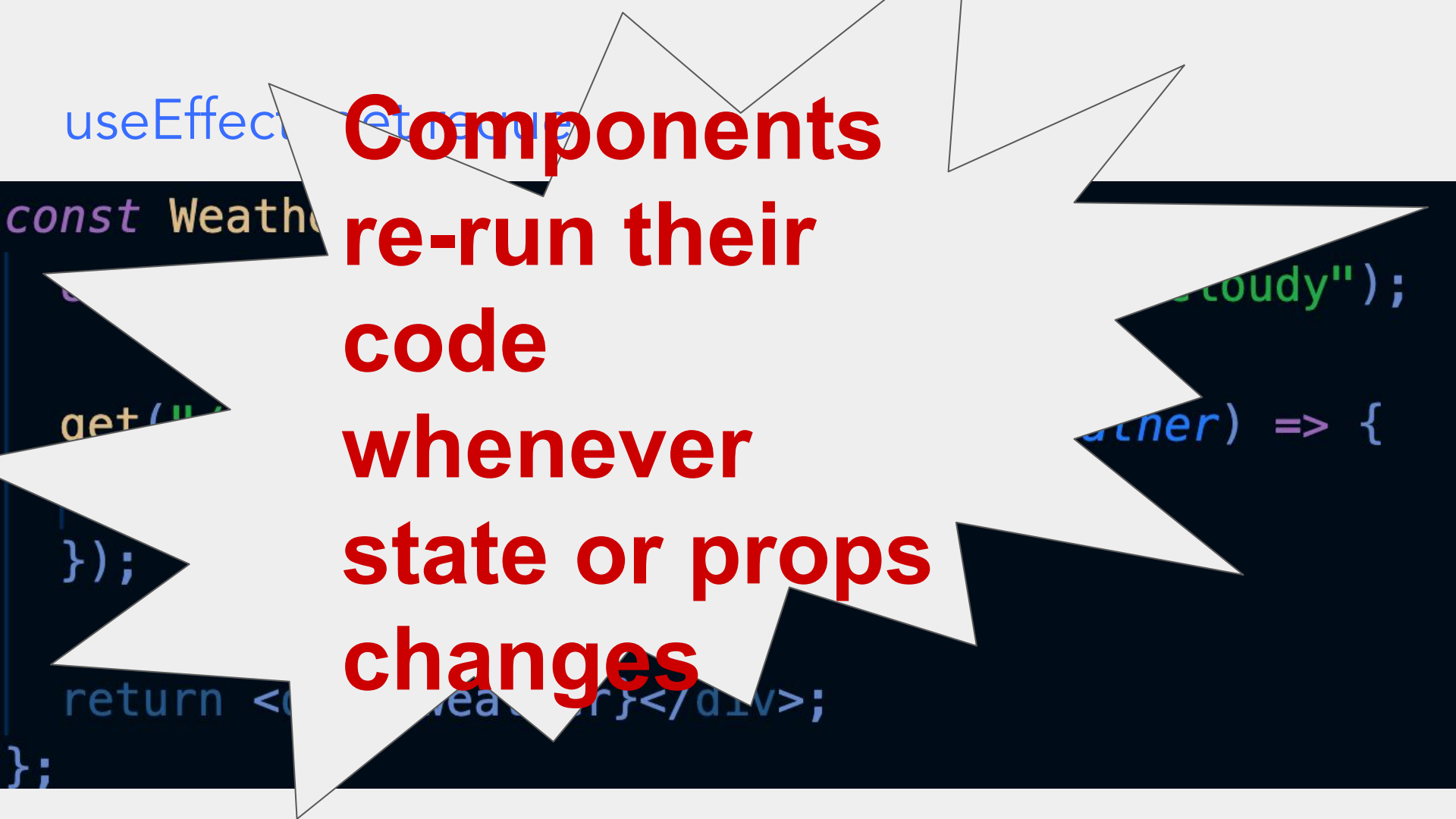
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const Weath
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return <
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Why do components re-run their code when state or props change?

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```

because when we **setWeather**, probably we want to re-run this code so that we display the new weather

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};
```

Causes the code to run again... so the get request runs again....

Solution: useEffect

```
const WeatherApp = () => {
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  useEffect(() => {
    get("/api/theweather").then((actualWeather) => {
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  }, []);

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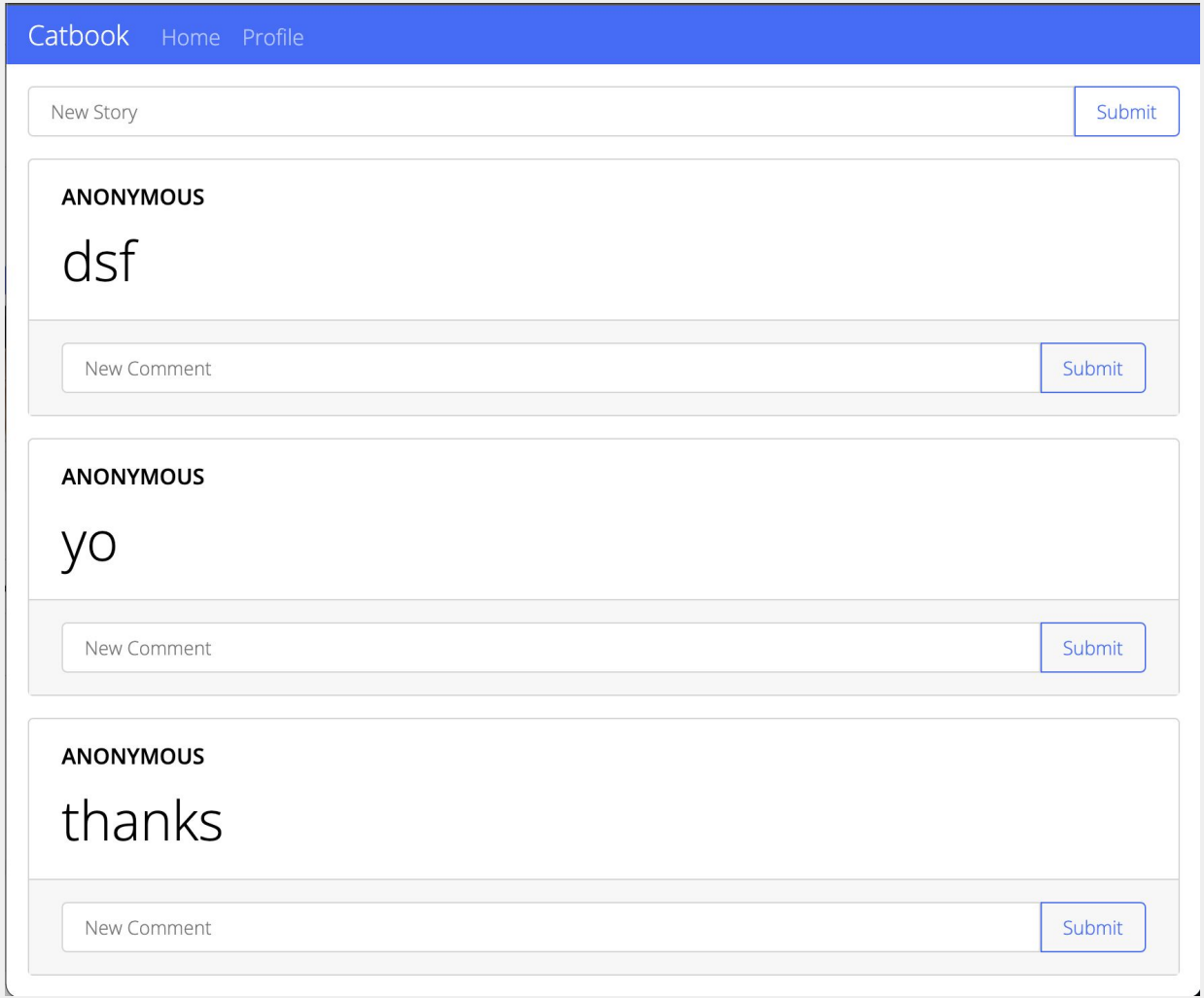
```

runs only once now!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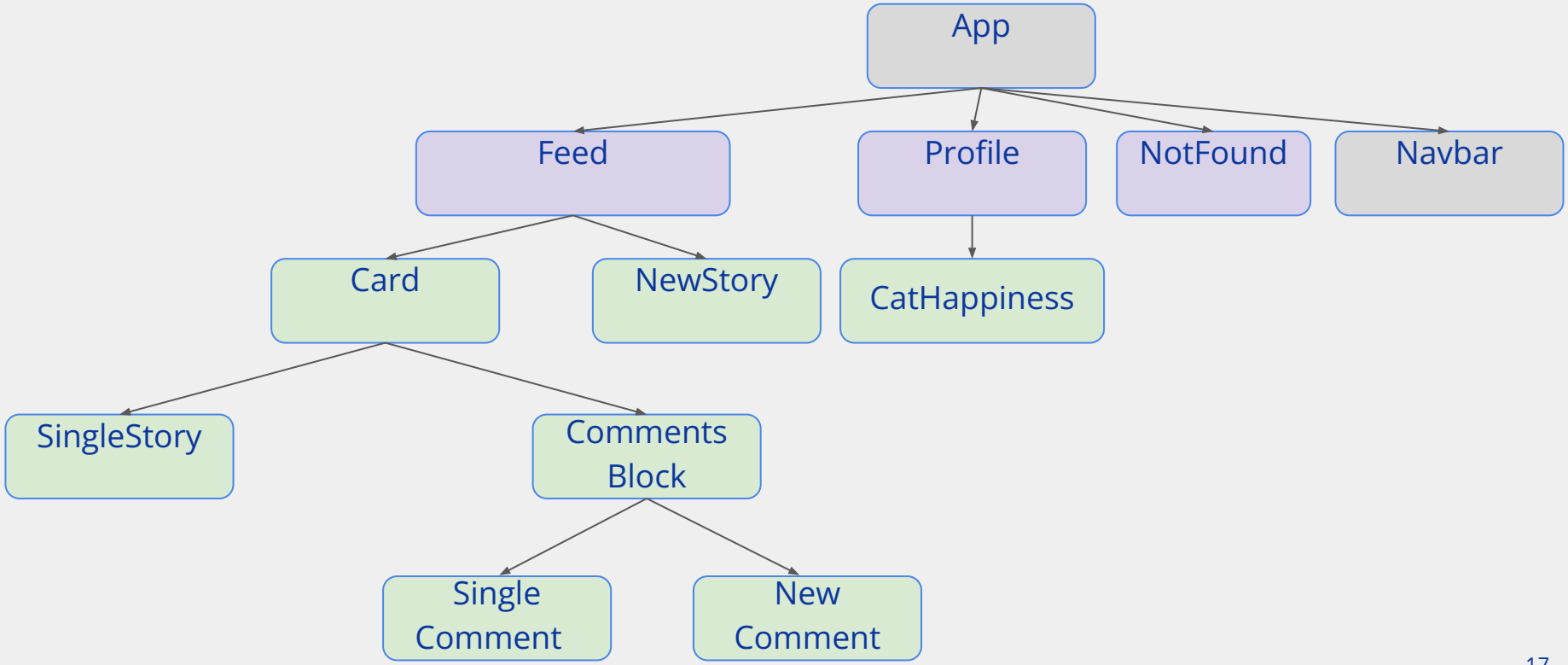
Component hierarchy after today!



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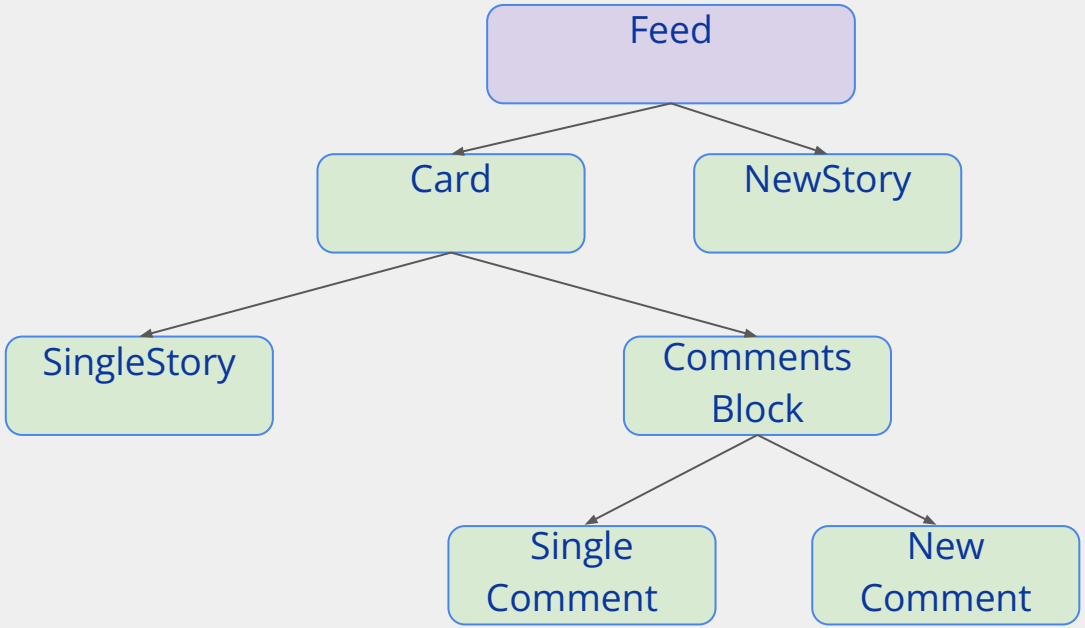

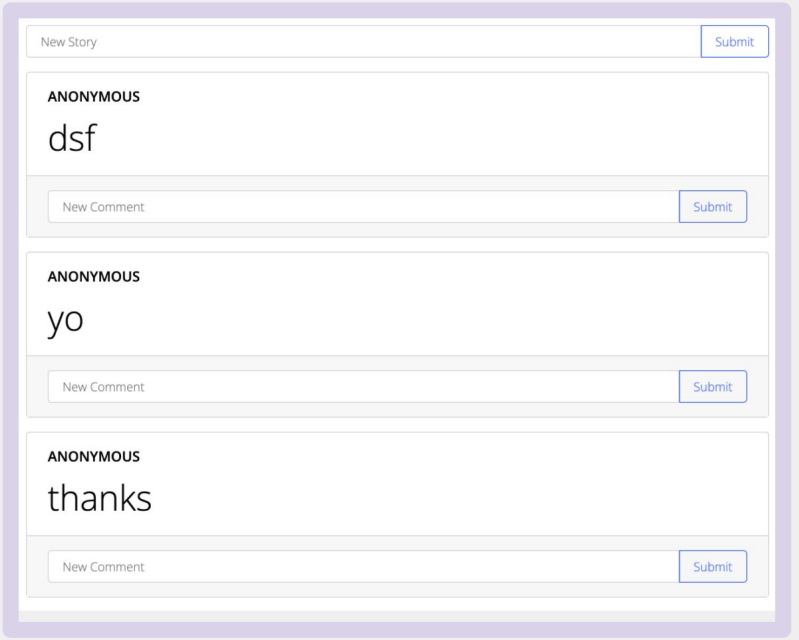

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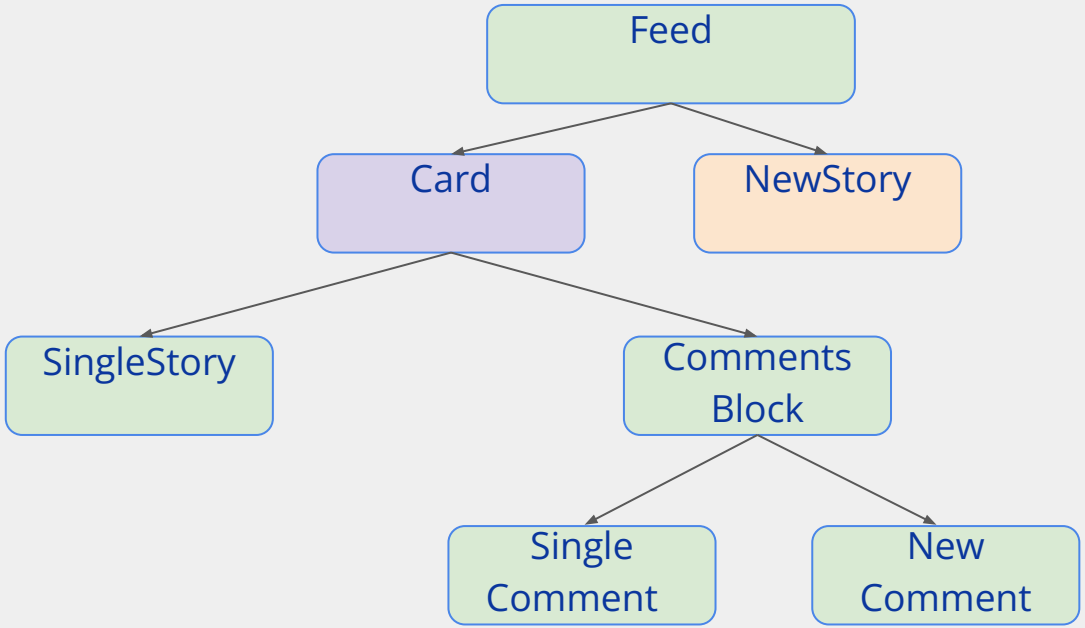

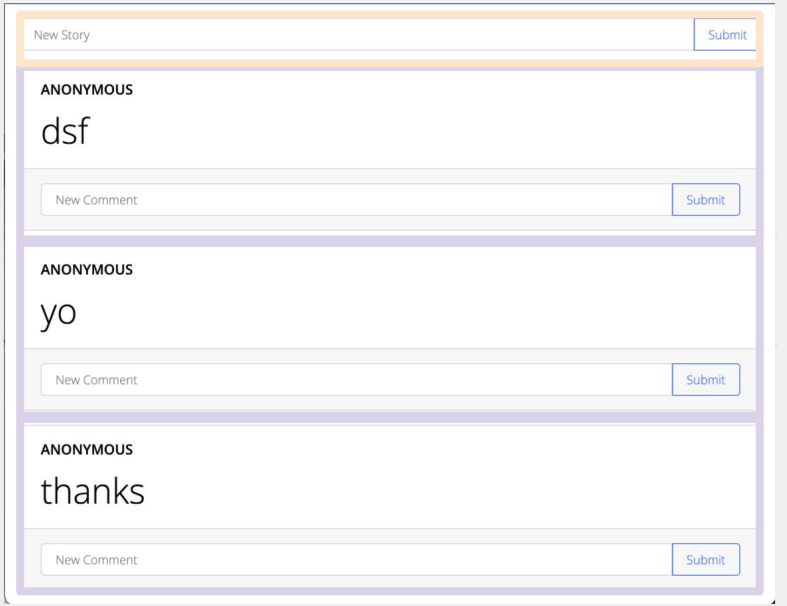

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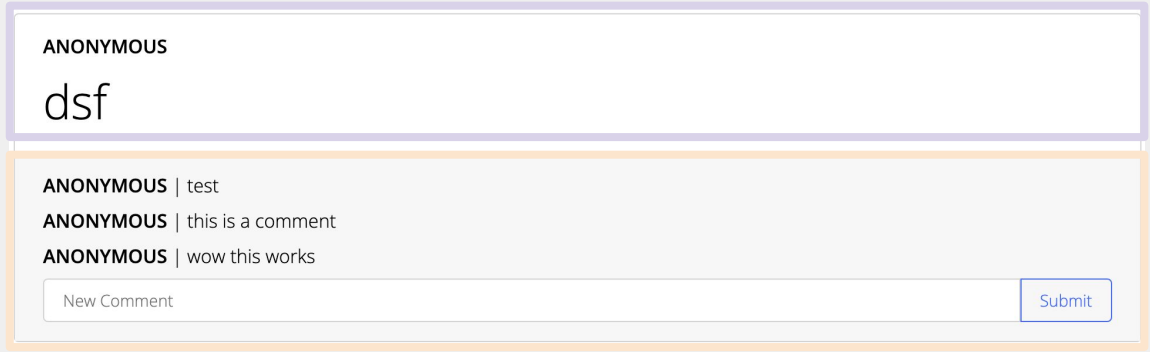

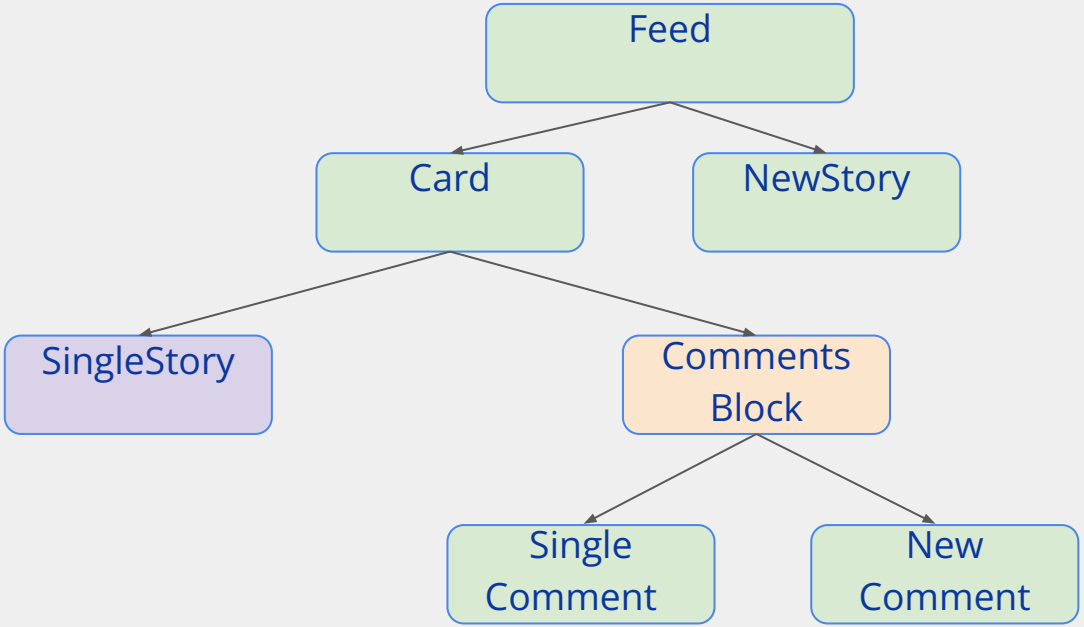

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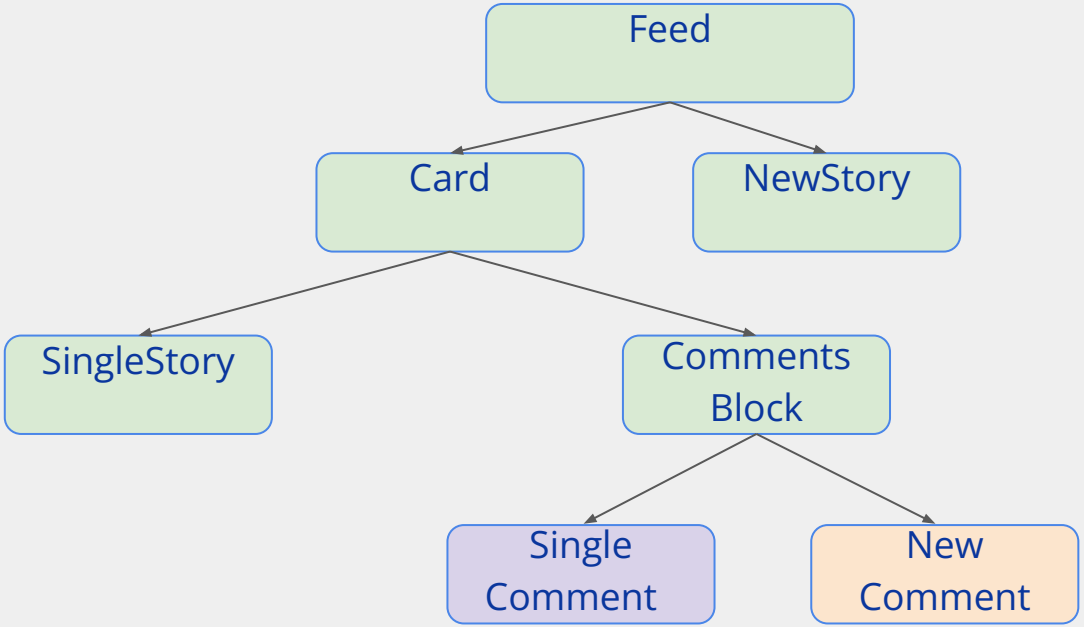


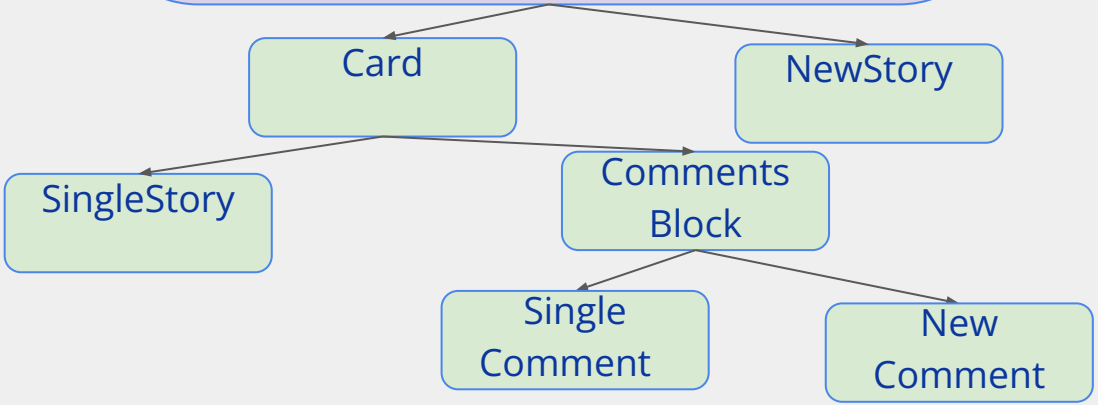
What about the props and states

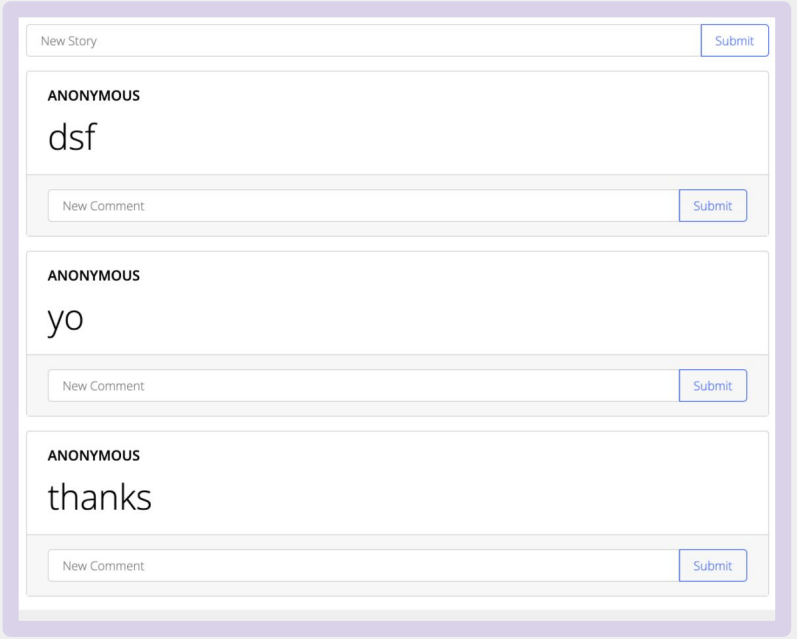
Feed

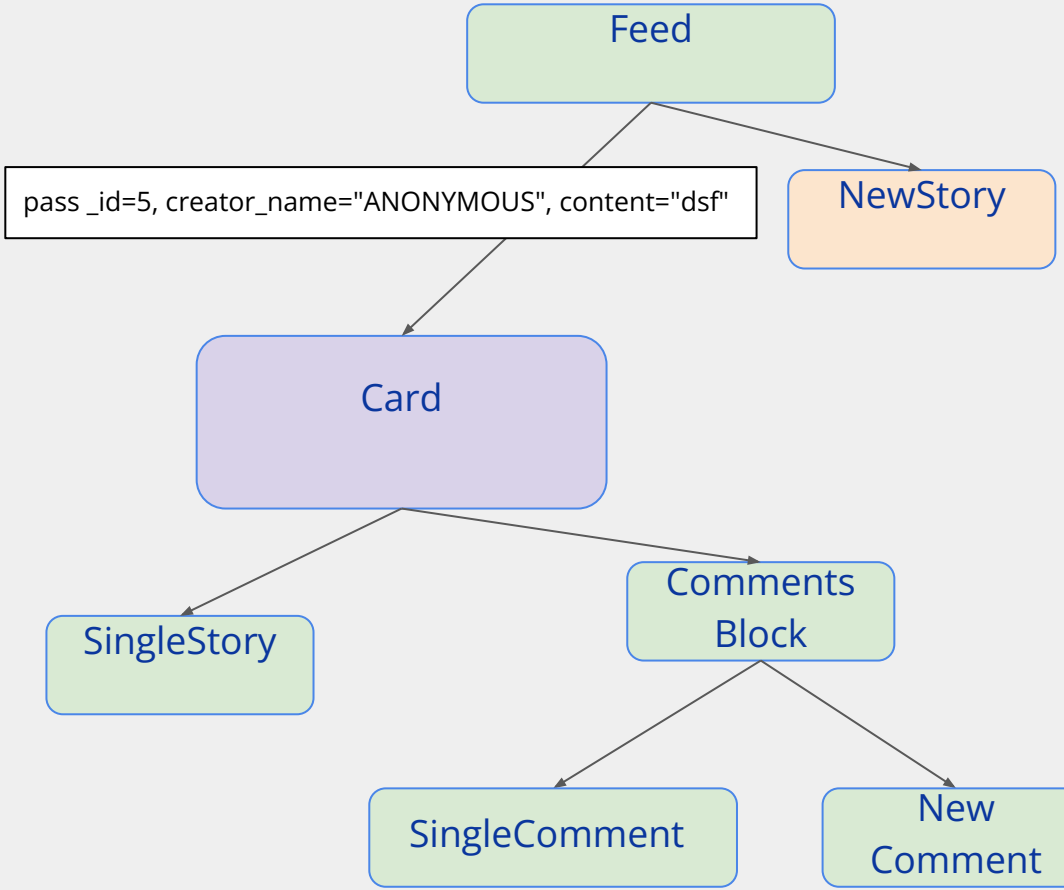
*(at beginning) gets **stories** with a get request*

STATE:

```
stories = [  {_id: 5,
     creator_name: "ANONYMOUS"
          content: "dfs"},
               {_id: 7,
     creator_name: "ANONYMOUS"
          content: "yo"}]
```



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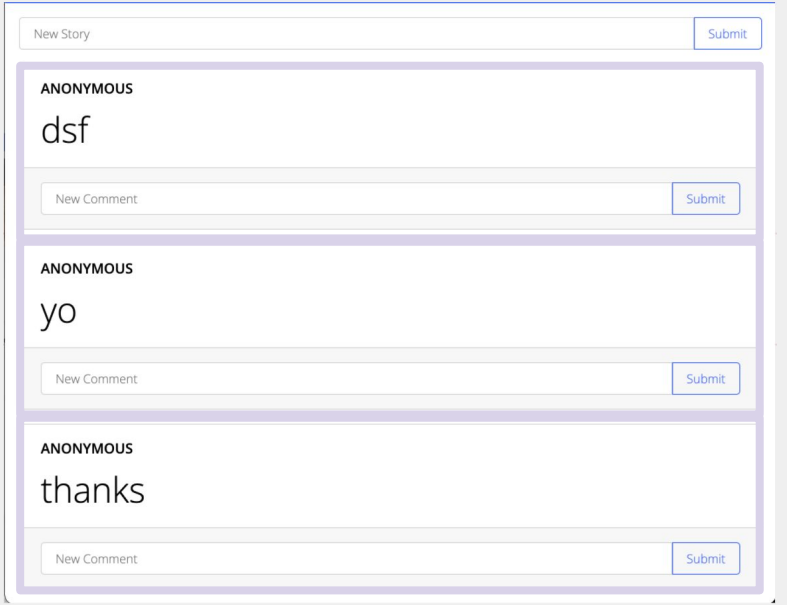
NewStory
Card
SingleStory
Comments Block
SingleComment
New Comment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NewStory

Card

*(at beginning) gets **comments** with a get request*

STATE:

```
comments = [  {_id: 10,
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     content: "test"},
        {_id: 15,
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     content: "this is a comment"}]
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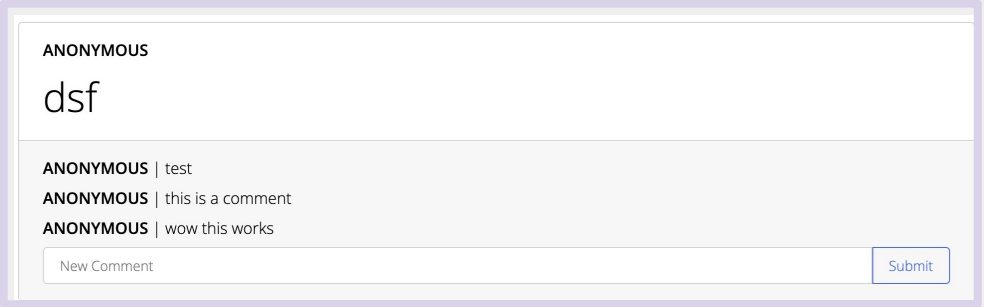


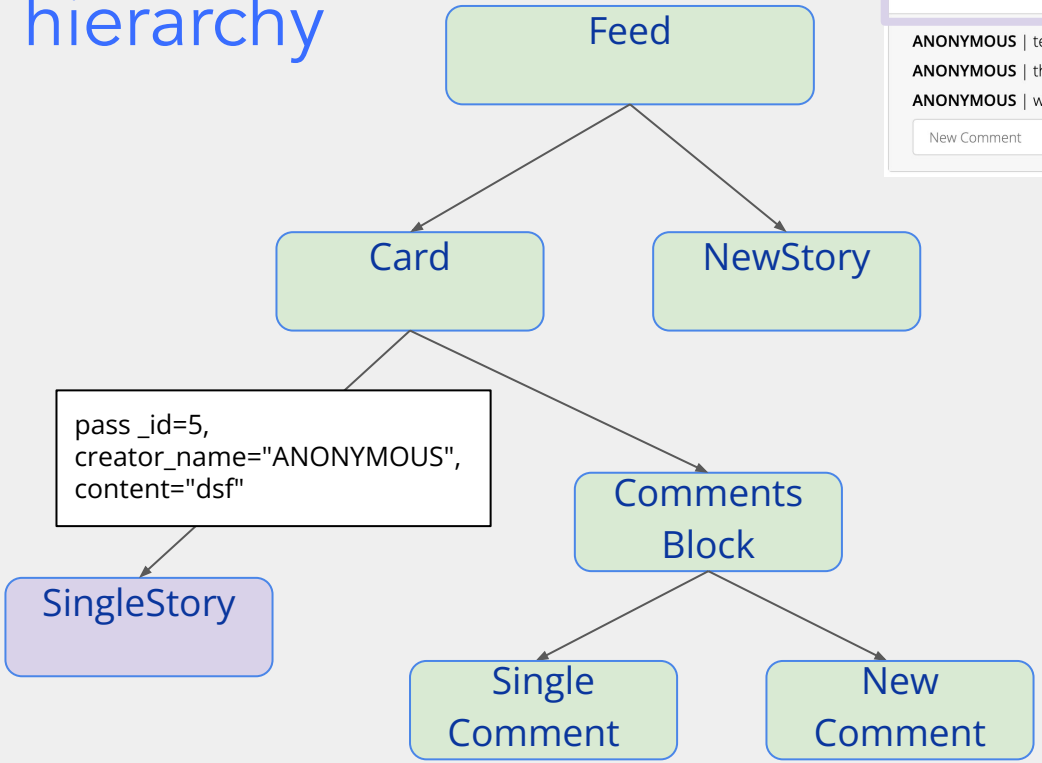
SingleStory

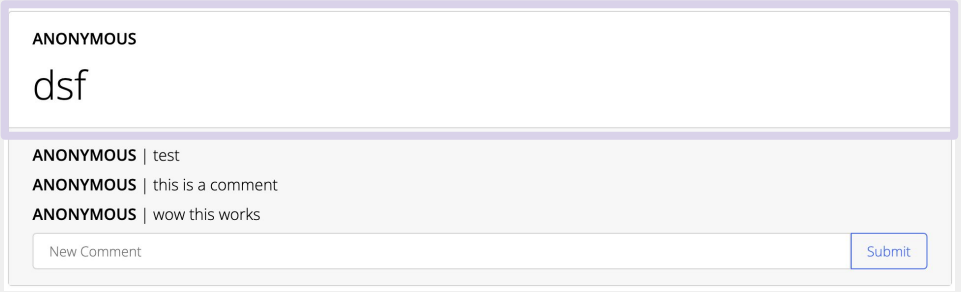
Comments Block

SingleComment

New Comment

Component hierarchy





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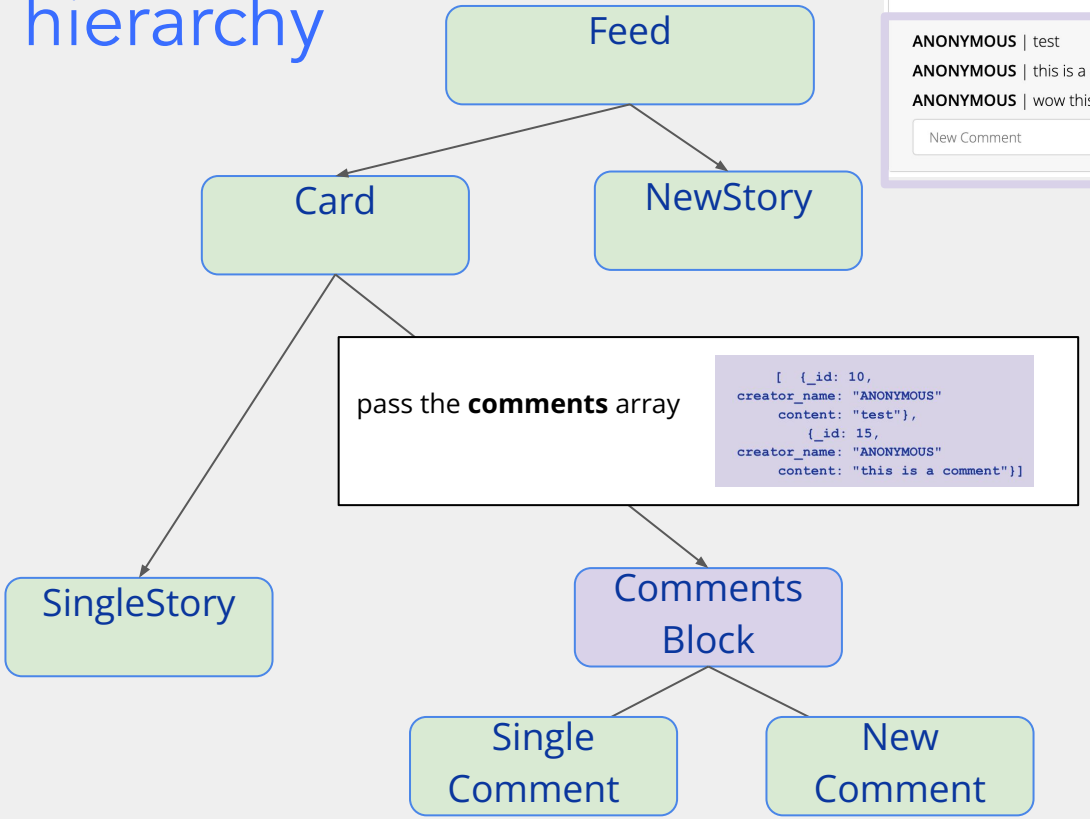

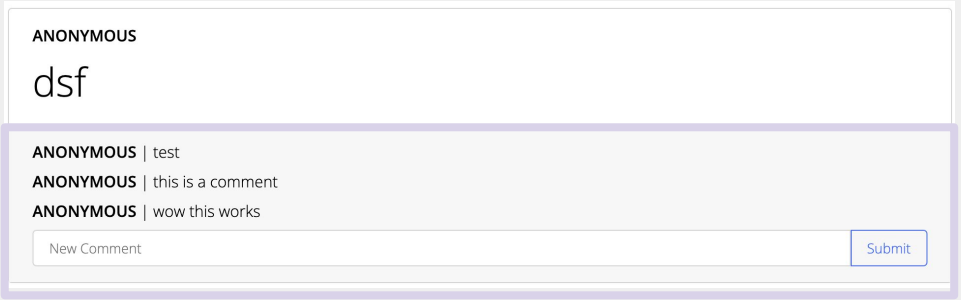

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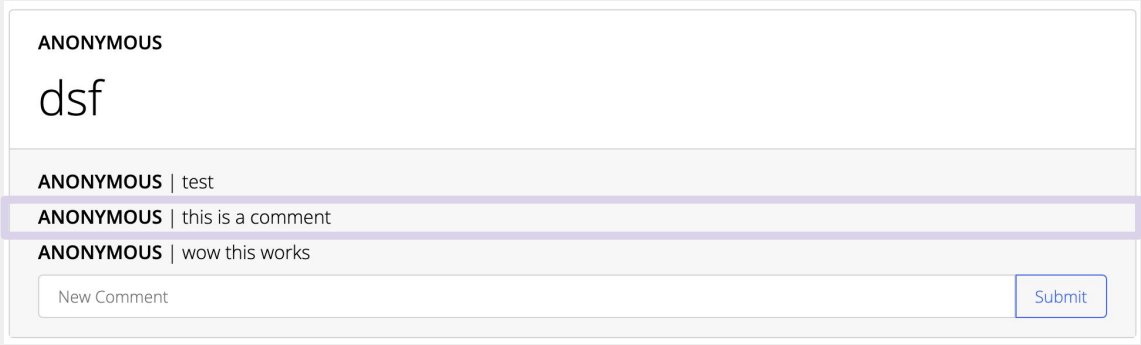

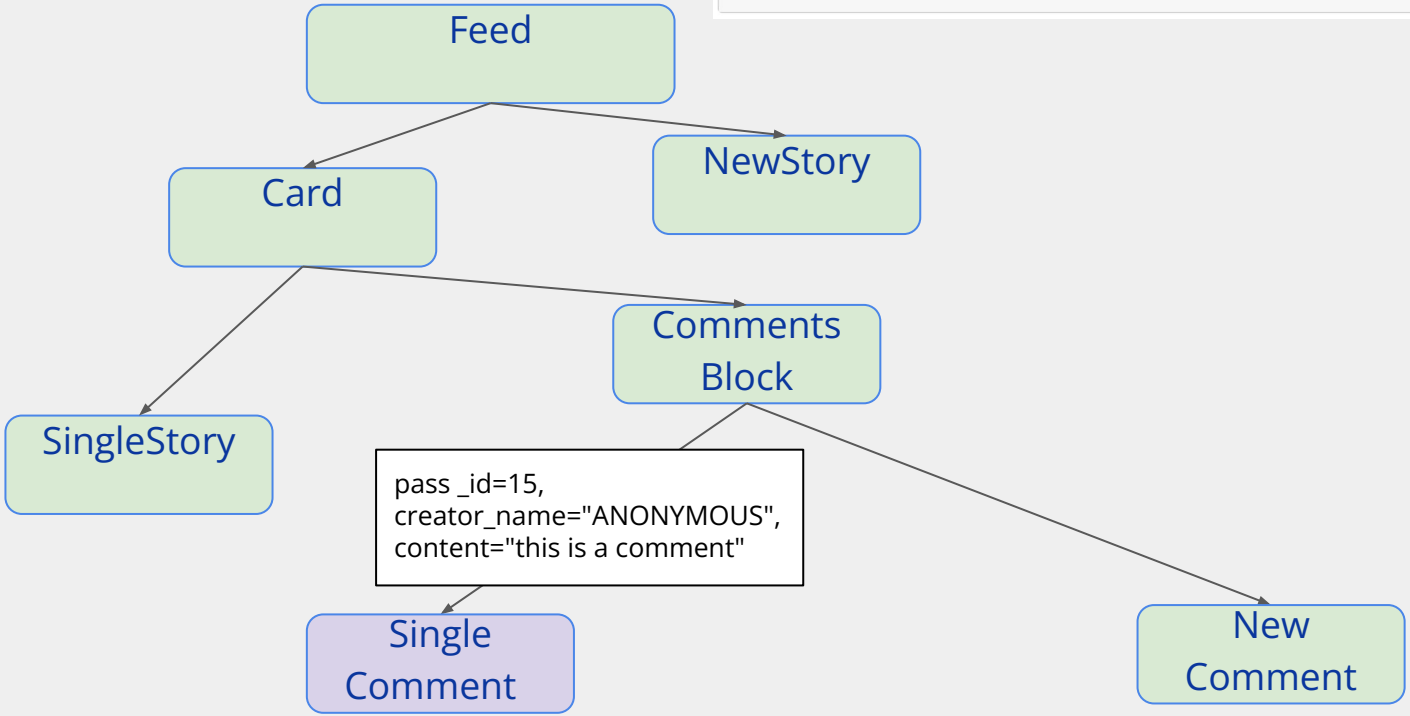

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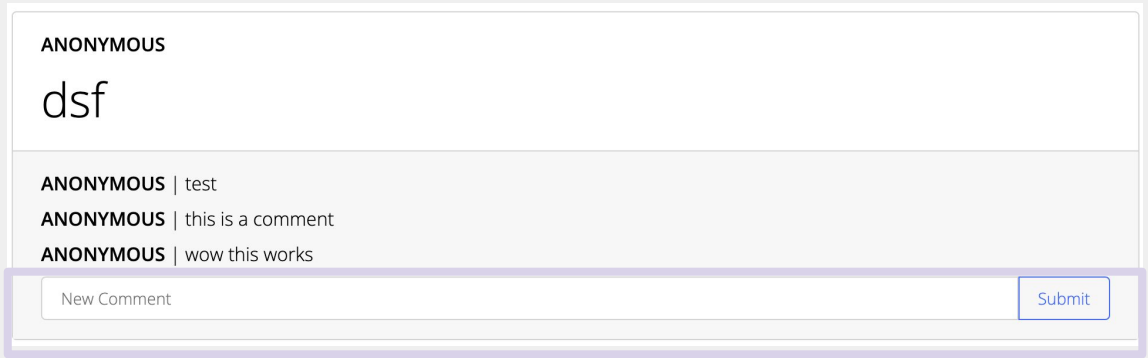

Feed

Card
addNewComment function

NewStory

pass down addNewComment as prop
pass down the story's _id as prop

SingleStory

Comments Block

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Single Comment

New Comment

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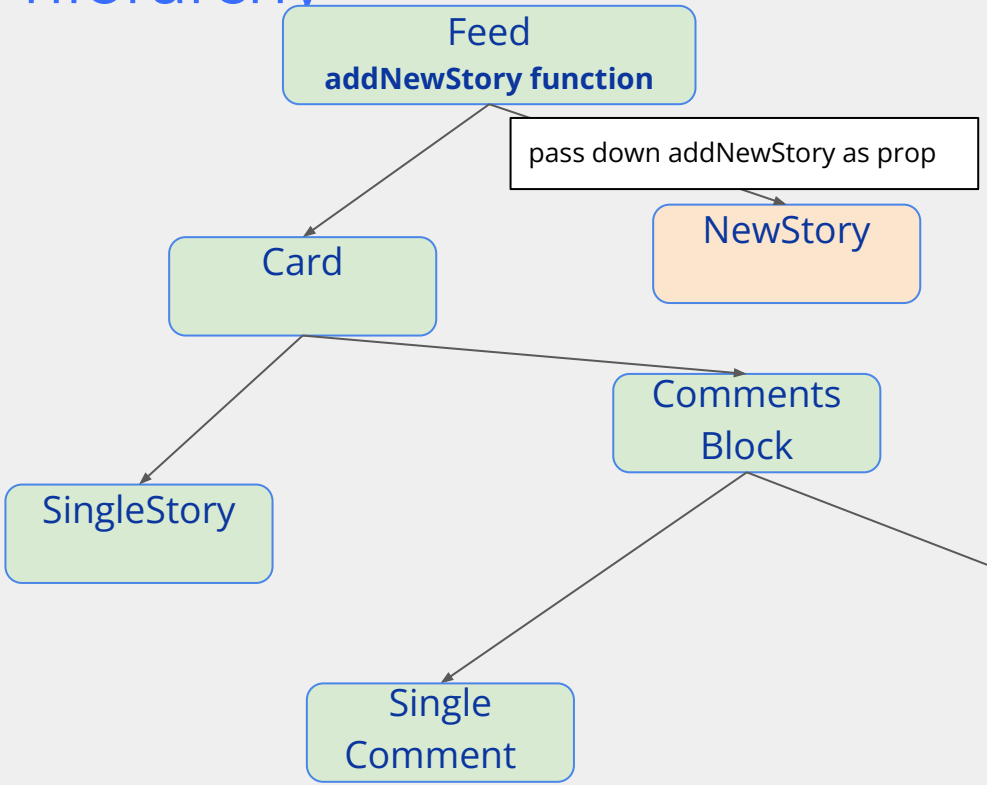
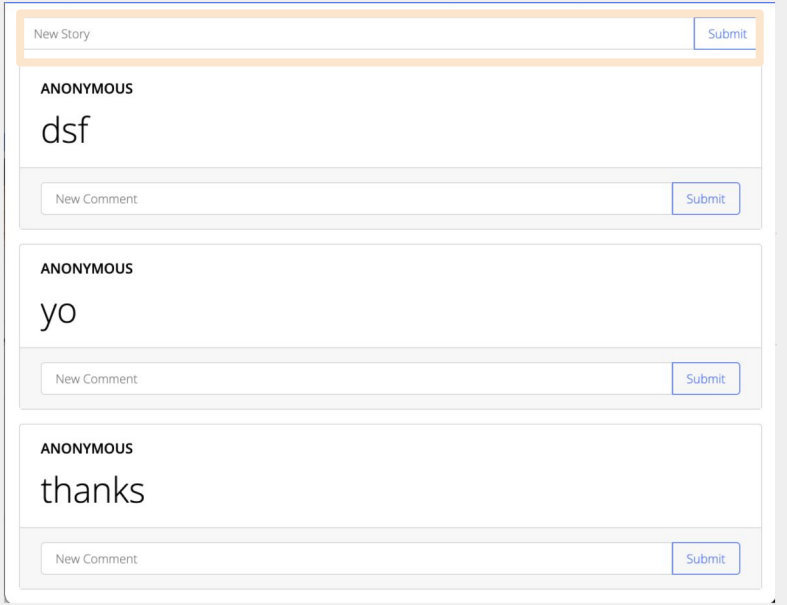




Quick poll

A) Do you understand React perfectly

B) Are you confused about something

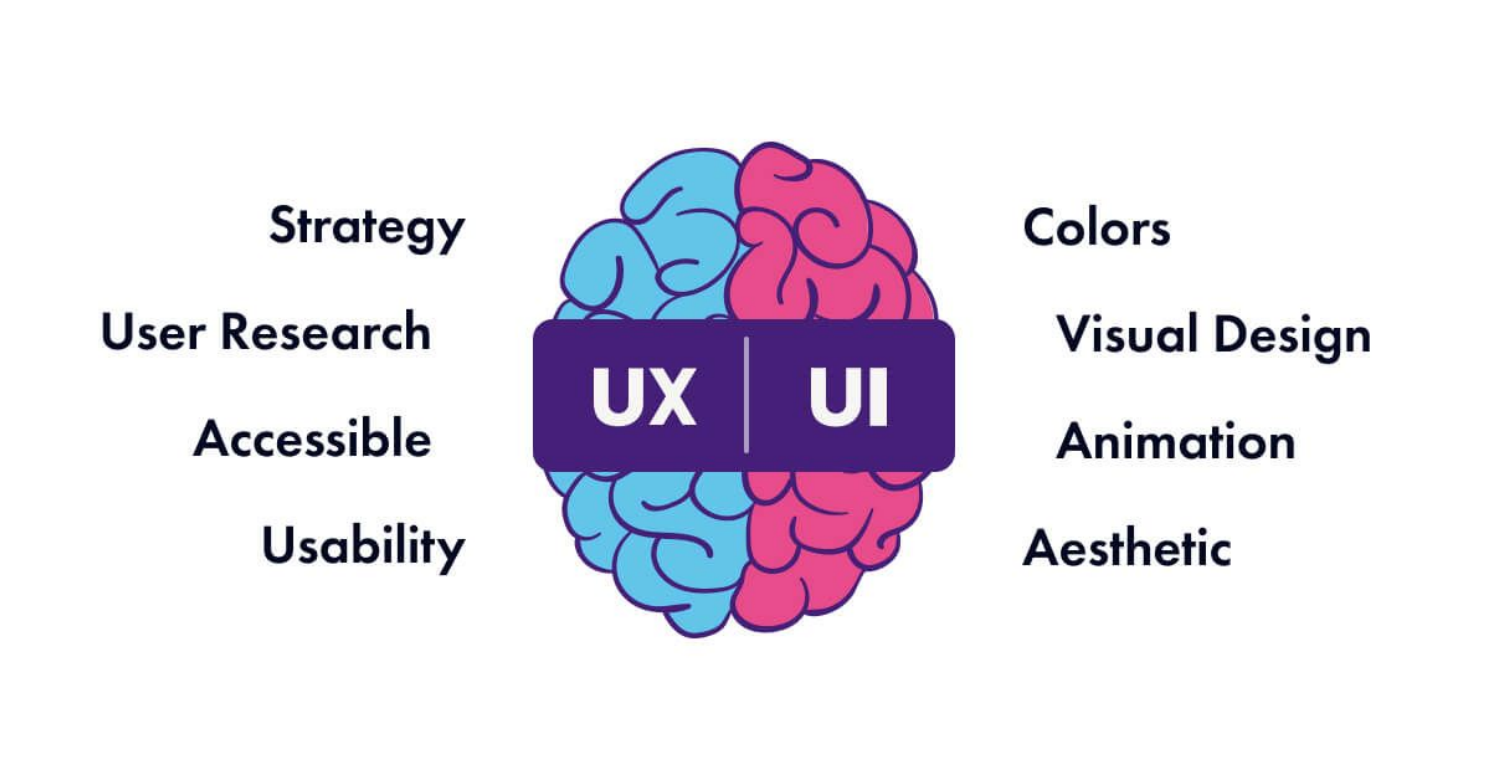
Confused?

- **Corner someone on staff** (either at office hours or after lecture or message one of us (i'm on Messenger) or during lecture on the help q)
- Have them re-explain everything to you
  - **You don't need to know what you are confused about**

- **Stare at the workshops (checkout w3-complete)**

Now: Design and Wireframing!

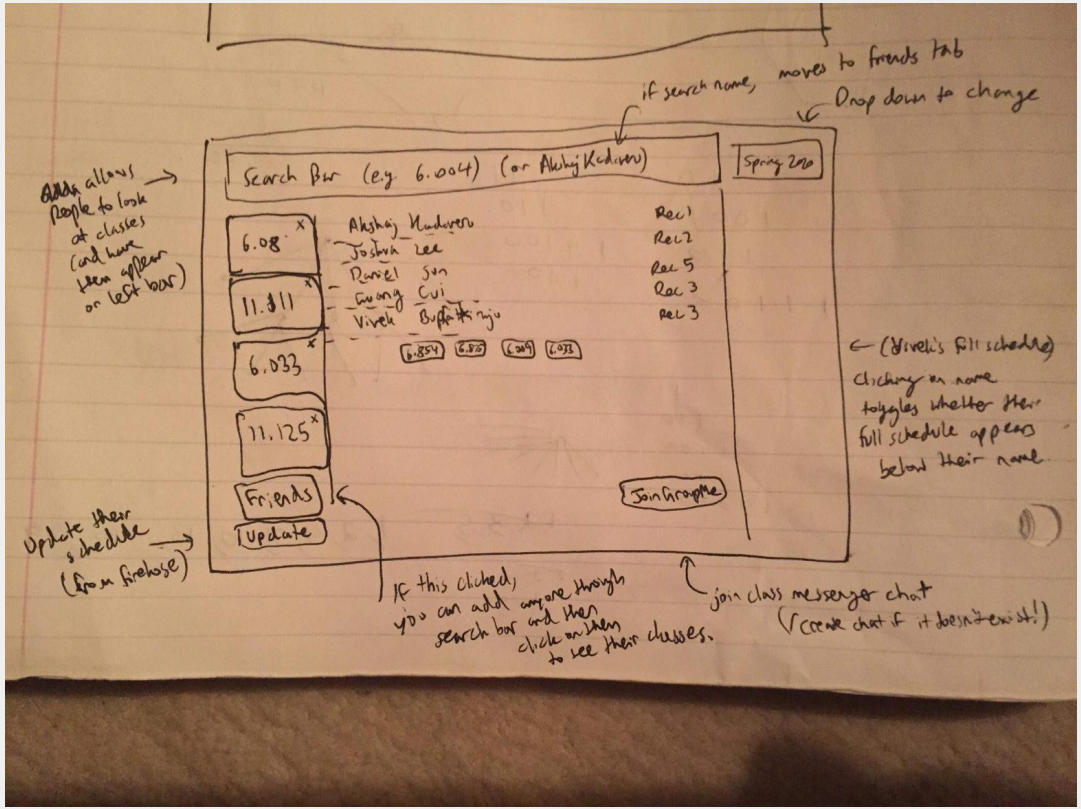
User eXperience vs User Interaction



https://uxcel.com/blog/difference-between-ux-and-ui-design

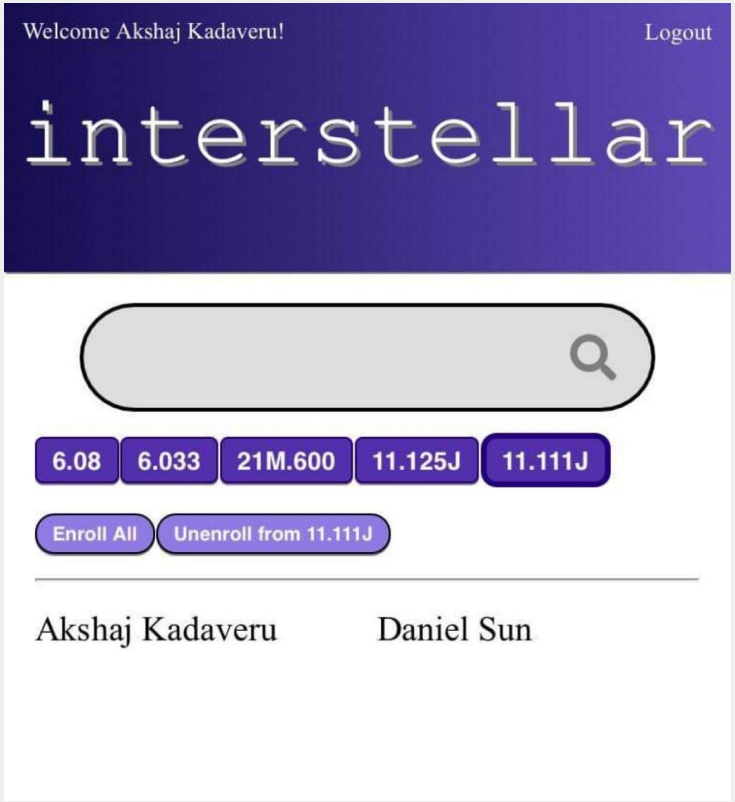
User Interface

Interstellar Design - Version 0



Interstellar Design - Version 1

Interstellar Design - Version 2



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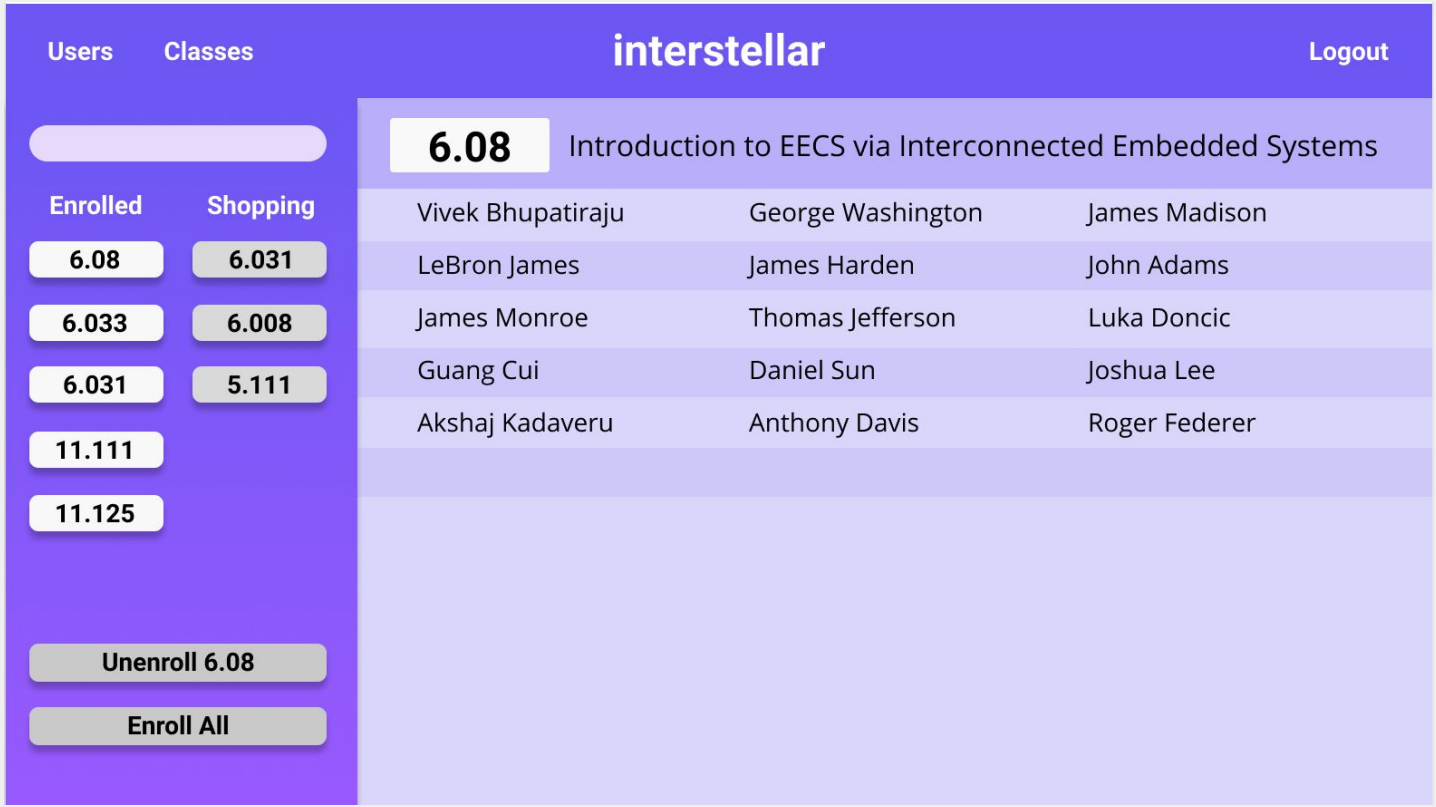

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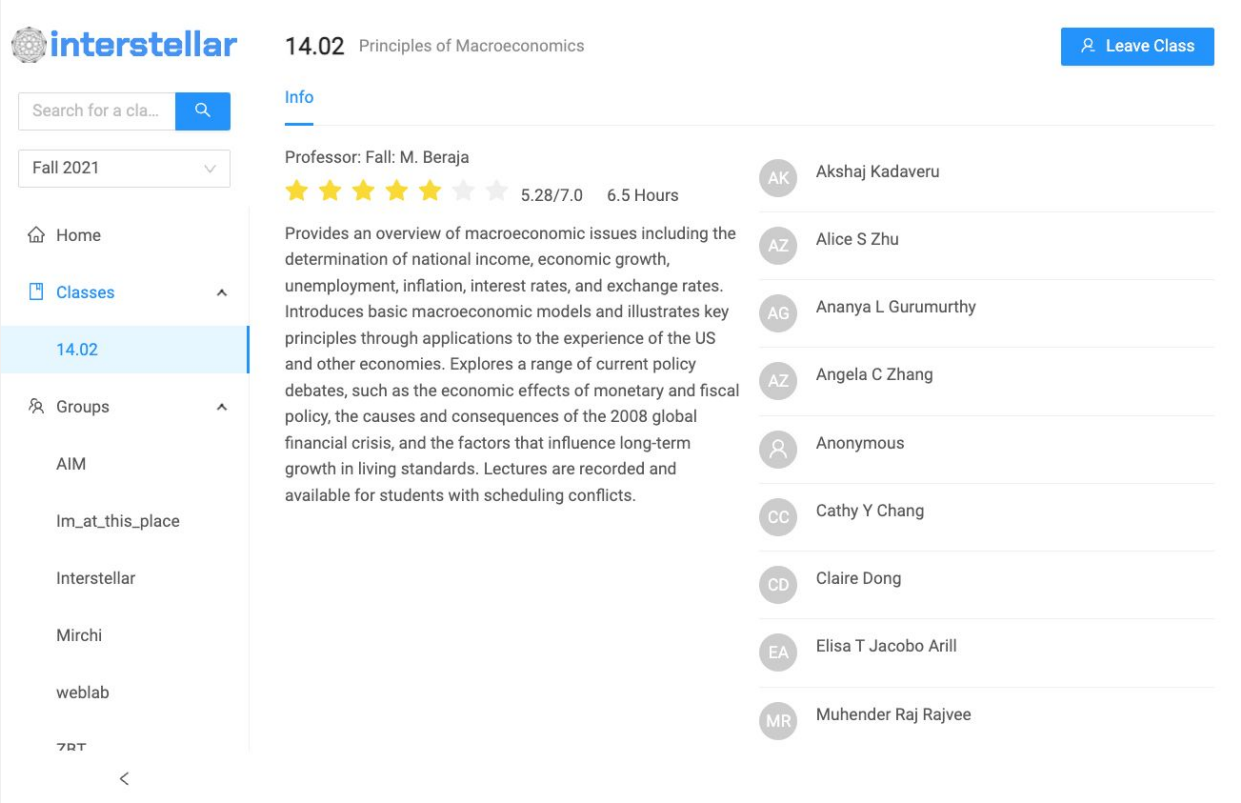

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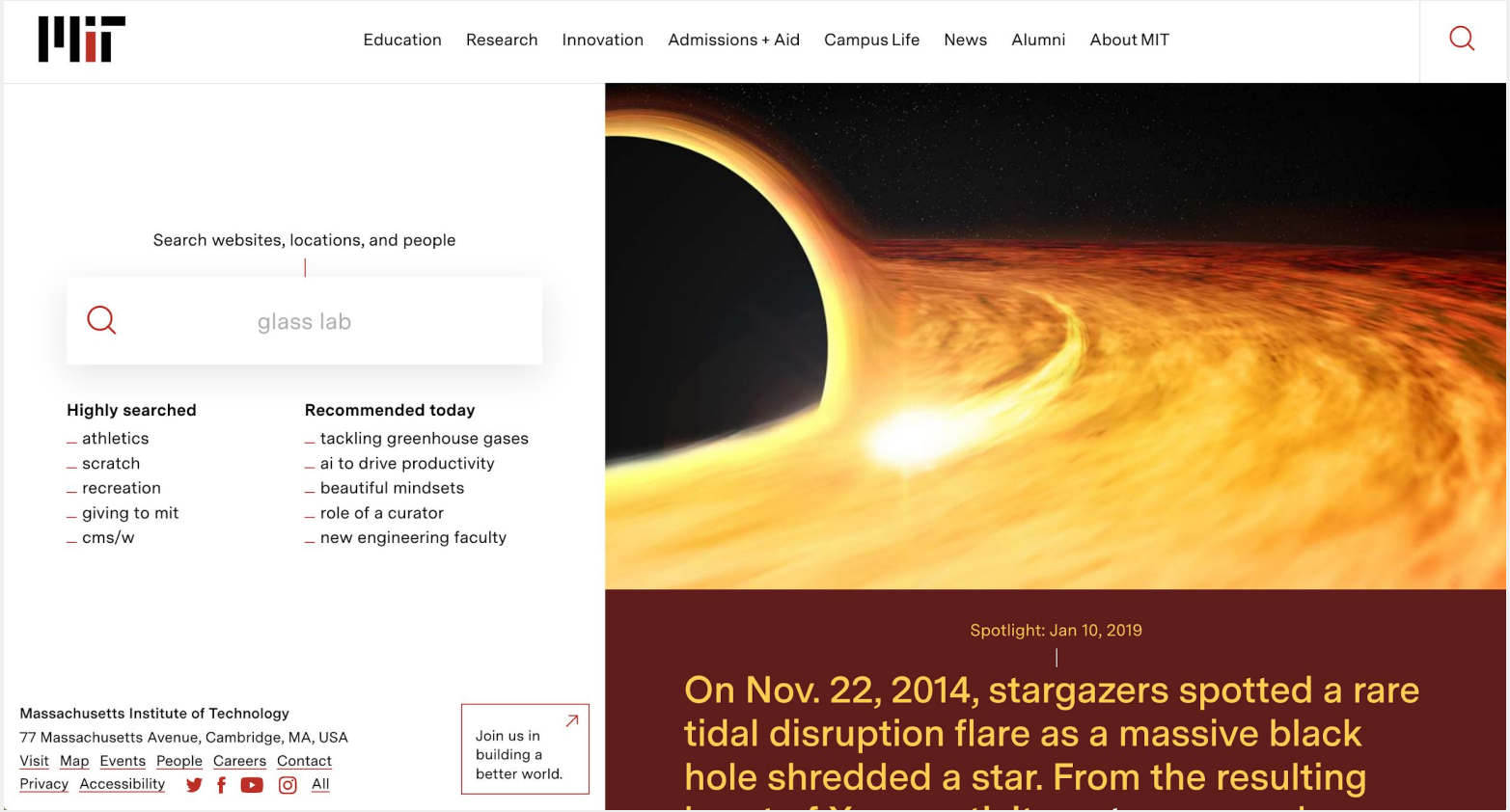
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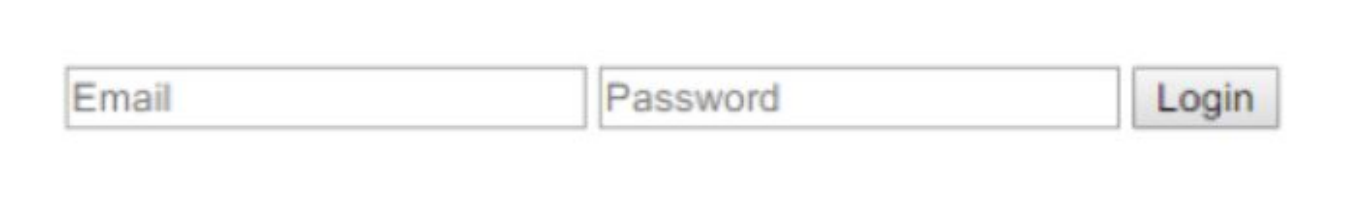
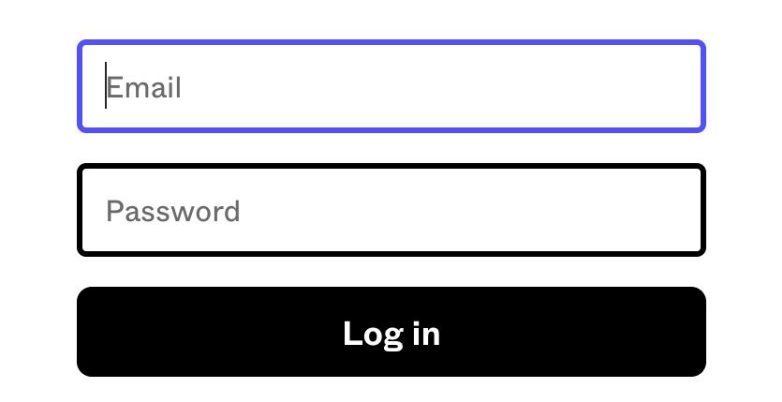
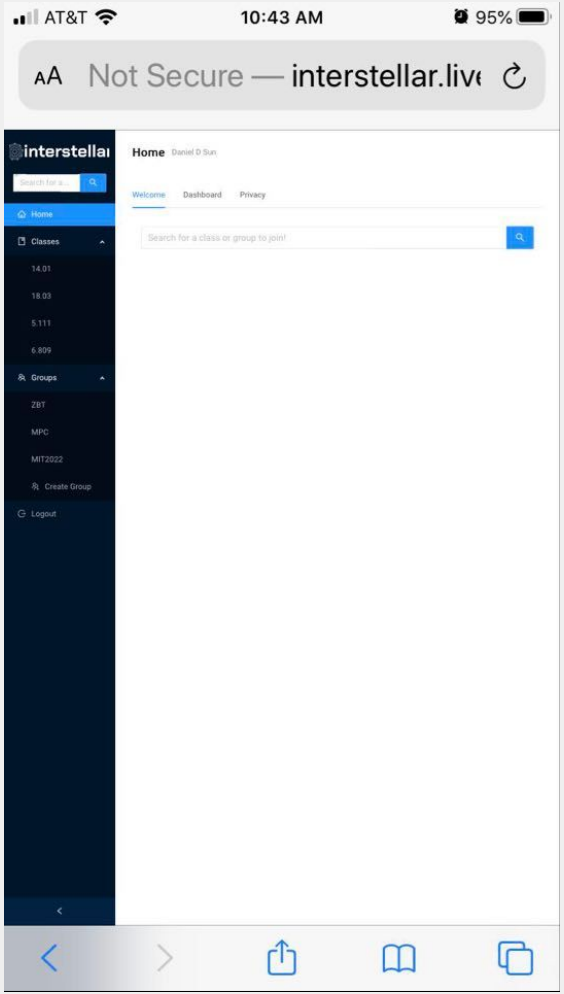




Responsive Design: Resize your Window!

- Open your website on your phone!
- Resize the browser window
- Use inspect element to check



User Experience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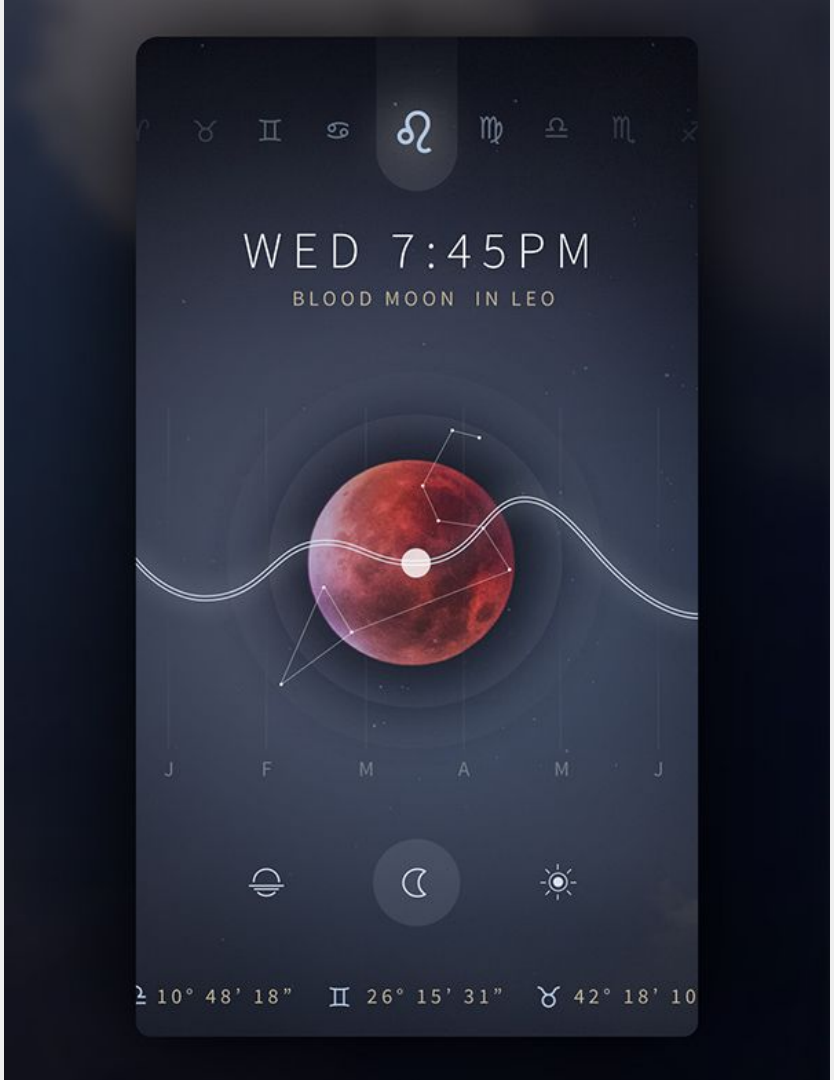
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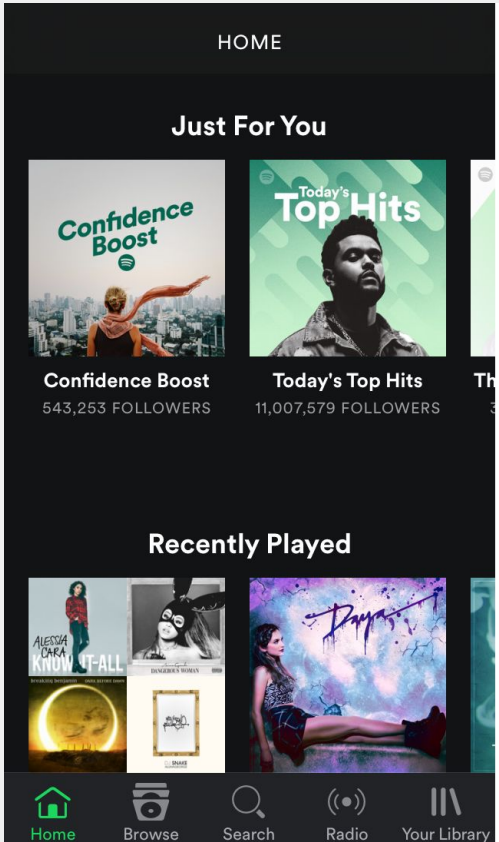
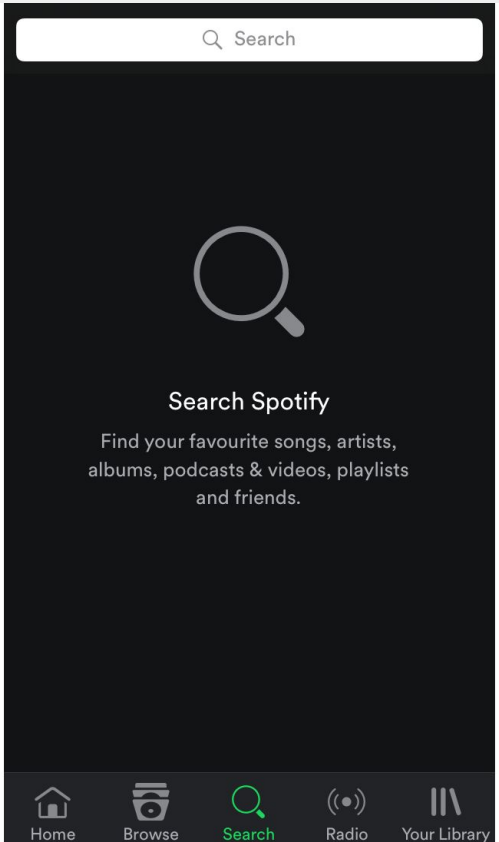
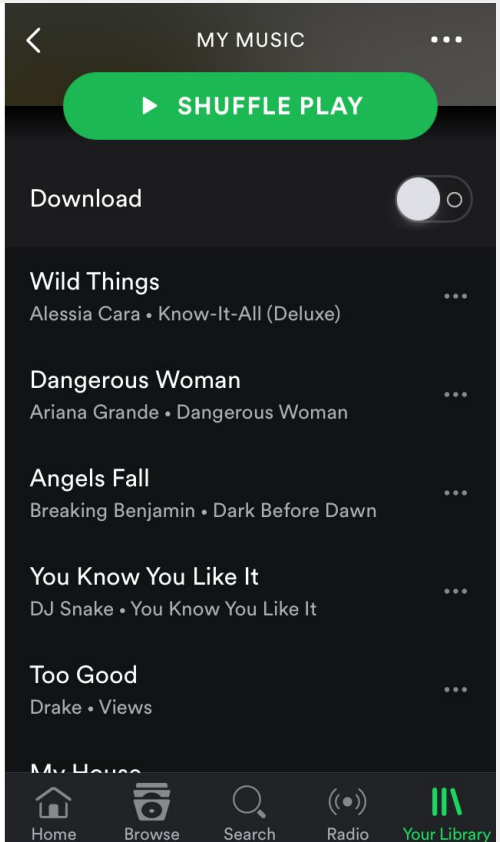
Why UX research is important

Good UX: Users don't need to be told how to use your app







The button worth $300 million

Good UX design = Good Business

The $300 million dollars button

What's wrong?

"I'm not here to be in a relationship"
All they needed was to complete the purchase.

First-time shoppers couldn't remember if it was their first time, becoming frustrated as their email / password combination failed. Repeat customers weren't happy either. Most couldn't remember email address / password they used.

The solution?

They add a *Continue* button

Purchase up by 45%
For the first year, the site saw an additional $300,000,000.

How to have good UX? Do User Testing

- Show your webapp to your friends
  - Ask for feedback
  - Can they use your website without you explaining how to?


User experience
Design

Milestone 1: Project Pitches

- Information on website or at **weblab.to/milestones**
- **Due: Friday, January 7, 2022 at 11:59PM**
  - Choose an idea for your website
  - Flesh out the idea and draft out some initial designs (before any coding)
  - (the deliverable):

    You and your team give a (3 minute) casual pitch of the website idea and designs to staff for review and feedback

  - Time slot sign-ups will be sent out soon (maybe on Piazza?)

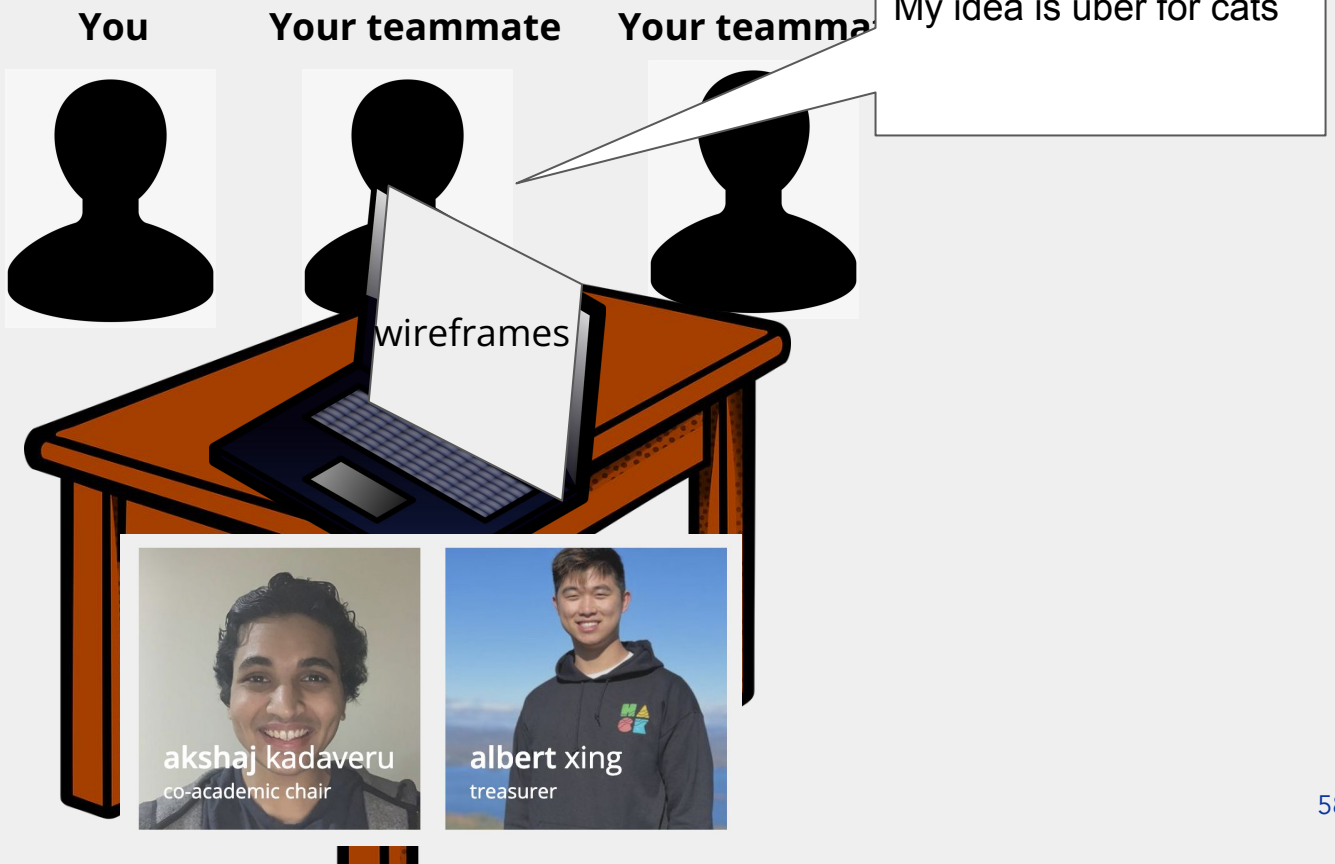
Milestone Requirements

Please make sure your pitch contains the following content, as well as a few slides with your initial designs and mockups. There will not be any projectors in the room, so please bring your laptop to show them.

1. Introduce yourselves.
2. Tell us how your idea fits the theme, and what problem it addreses.
3. Briefly describe your target demographic.
4. What are the killer features of your website?
5. Create some initial designs and mockups for your website (at least 2) - this can be done using any wireframe software, Adobe Photoshop, Sketch, etc.

If no members of your team can make it to the time slots we have listed, please create a private post on Piazza and we can help you schedule a make-up session.

Milestone 1: Project Pitches



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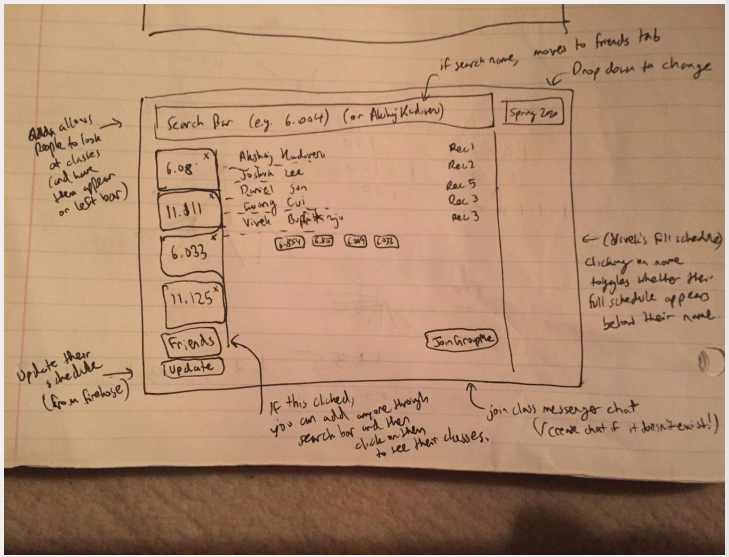
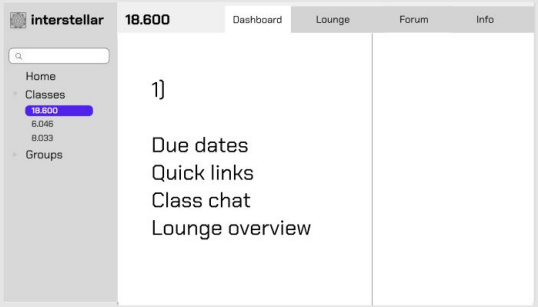
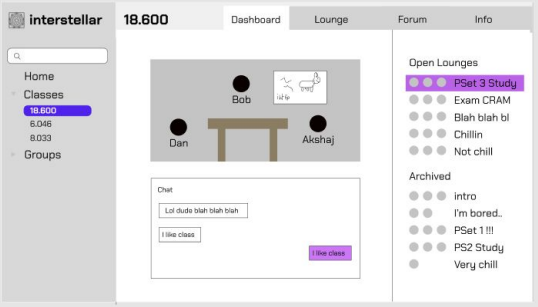
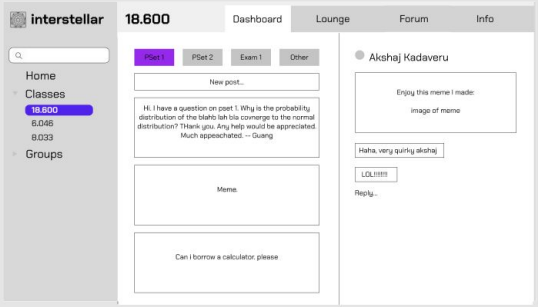
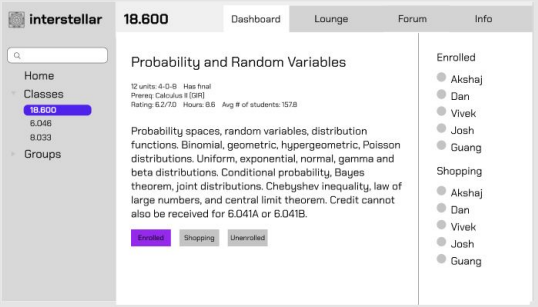


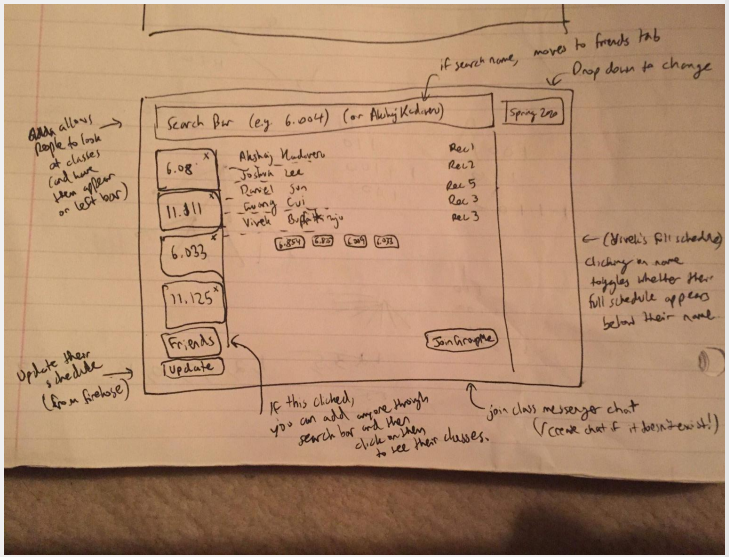


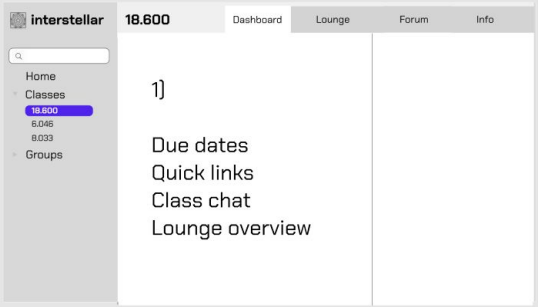


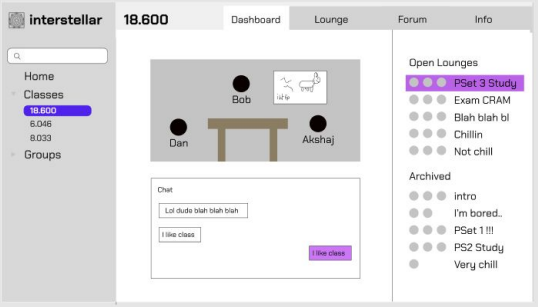


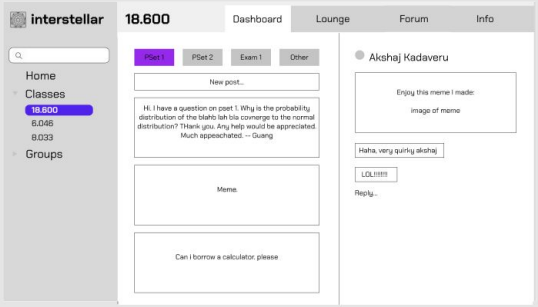


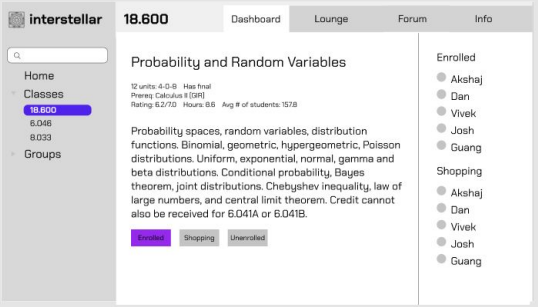
sketching out the pages of your webapp











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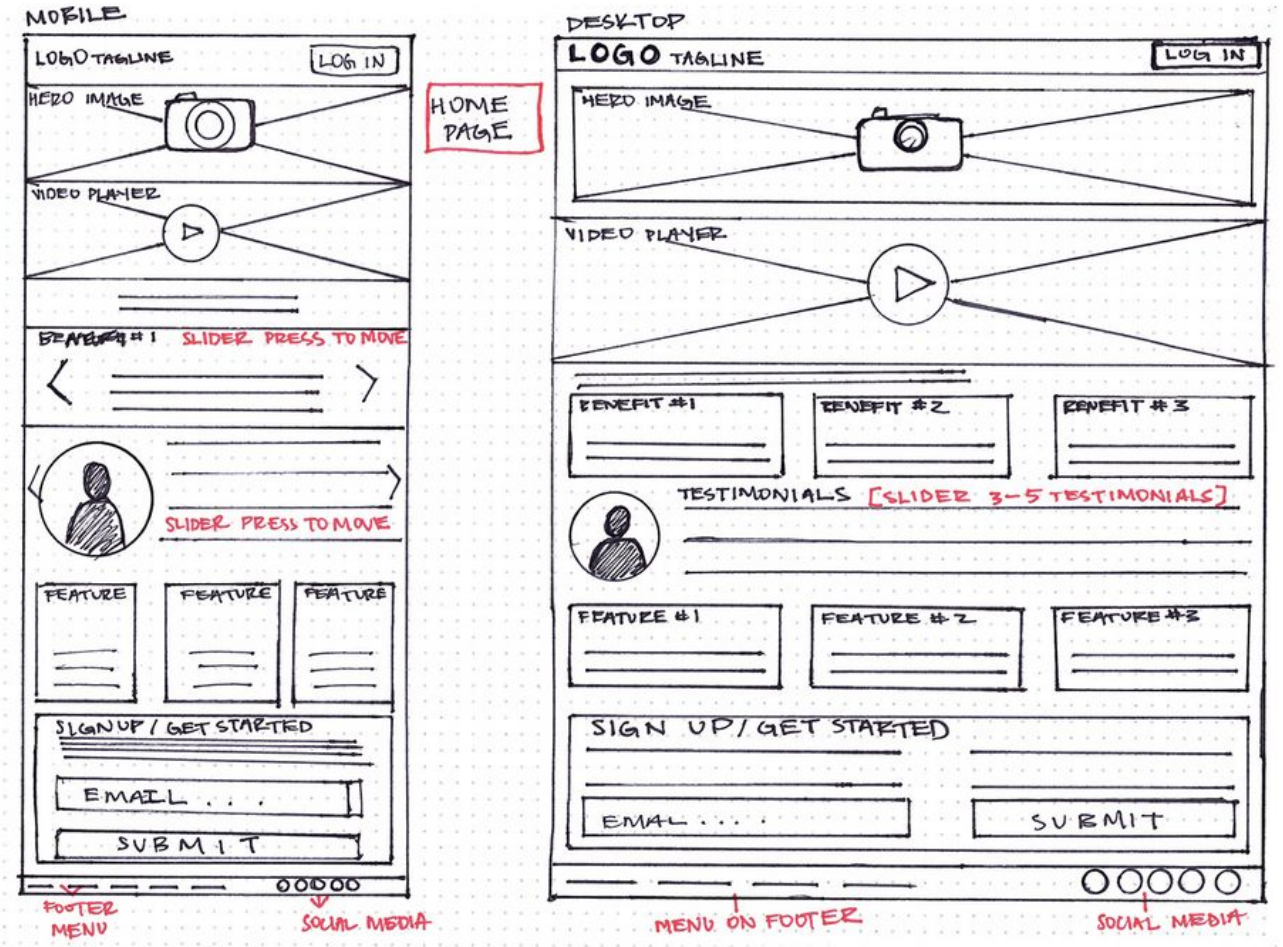
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