

CSC 309 Project Proposal

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Students in universities may not always have friends who take same courses. When exams are coming, do they want to meet with classmates and review course material together? Do they want to join a study group and learn from other students? We believe the answer is “yes” for many students. We want to design a website that can help students find and team up with students in same courses. Users can edit their profile, build/join study groups, post in forum and create friends’ List, etc. We will have a more detailed description below:

User Profiling:

Every user has one personal profile including personal information.

- Visible to admin: register date, IP address, users’ linked email for account
- Visible to all users: profile picture, name, current course, program, year of study, current study groups, common friends
- Visible to only the profile owner: friends’ List, contact information (only share to others with consent)

User Authentication and Authorization:

- Every student has an account with a password to manage his or her study group and friends’ List.
- Each student should also have a linked email in case the user forgets the password.

Data:

- Course List (including corresponding course id, term, section, lecturer)
- Existed study group (name of the member, members’ contact information, course id)
- Study group posting (name of the students who want to form a study group, contact information, and the course id.)

List of User interaction:

- Add to / Remove from a friend list
- Post/Reply in forum:
 - section *Study group wanted*
 - section *General discussion about a course*
- Create/Join/Quit a study group
- Personal/Group Message
- Group event calendar
- Upload study material

Views: We have views of welcome page, Login Page, Forum page for those who have not logged in, Forum page for those who have logged in and Dashboard page. (See images attached to the end of our proposal)

Admin functionality:

- Change passwords when users forget the password
- Add/delete user
- Add/Delete/Update Course List
- Manage/Add/Delete post

Welcome Page

Forum		Log in sign up
welcome to Course Mate		
(Brief description of our website Here)		

Login Page

Course mate


Username

password

[Forgot your password?](#)

[New user? register here!](#)

Forum page (not logged in)

CM 		login	sign up
All posts		filter ▾	search <input type="text"/>
Looking for teammates for	Groups		
^ ^ - - ^ ^	CSC309...		
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.....	Mcree's group for CSC....		
.....	CSC.. You shall not pass		

Forum page (logged in)

<div>Profile</div> <div>Friends</div> <div>123</div> <div>456</div> <div>789</div> <div>101</div> <div>202</div> <div>Groups</div>	<div>-----</div>
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<div>Title</div> <div><div></div><div>1</div></div> <div><input type="radio"/> Group forming post</div> <div>Post</div>	

Dashboard

