# **Examination Portal**

(Project Report )
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Dummy site: https://examportal-nit-project.herokuapp.com/

Dummy logins: 1) User Name: 2020PGCACA22, Password: qwerty123

2) User Name: DEEPDAS782446, Password: zxcvbn123

Note: Use only for project purposes

Complete Code: https://github.com/MIS-examination/project

Front End: HTML, CSS, JS

Viewing Engine: EJS

Back End: Node JS

Framework: Bootstrap, Express, Mongoose (for ODM)

Database: Mongodb

#### **WORKS:**

### 1) Authorization:

A Token is generated by the Object ID fetched from Database when a user logs in, along with that user type is also defined, if the user is a student(S) or a teacher(T). These info get stored in local storage for validation in each subsequent requests, allowing the user to access routes, services, and resources that are permitted with that token.

Single Sign On is a feature of JWT(JSON WEB TOKEN) is used to generate token,

i.e. only one user can access the site at a

```
function checkUser(req,res,next){
 var username=req.body.uname;
 var password=req.body.password;
 if(username.includes("PGCACA")){
   var checkUser= McaStudent.findOne({id:username, password:password});
   checkUser.exec((err, data)=>{
     if (data == null) {-
       var getUserID=data._id;
       var getUser = data.first_name + " " + data.last_name;
       var getUserSem = data.semester;
       req.session.user = getUserID;
       var token = jwt.sign({ userID: getUserID }, 'loginToken');
       localStorage.setItem('userToken', token);
       localStorage.setItem('loginUser', getUser);
       localStorage.setItem('userType','S' );
       localStorage.setItem('userSem', getUserSem);
       return res.redirect('./dashboard');
 else {
next();
```

time. If a new user try to log in, it logs in as the existing user. To resolve this issue "express-session" is used.

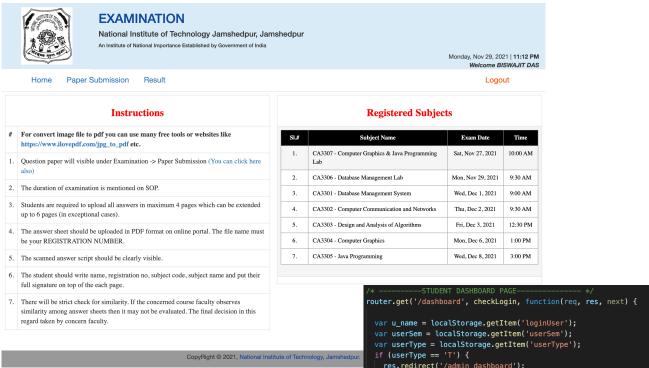
```
app.use(session({
   secret: 'some secret text',
   resave: false,
   saveUninitialized: true}));
```

```
/* -----MIDDLEWARE TO VALIDATE USER-----*/
function checkLogin(req,res,next){
   var userToken = localStorage.getItem('userToken');
   try {
      if(req.session.user){
        jwt.verify(userToken, 'loginToken');
      }
      else {
        res.redirect('/');
    }
   } catch(err){---
}
next();
}
```

#### 2) Student Dashboard:

In this page, Exam time schedule, based on logged in student's semester is displayed along with some online exam instructions. Only a logged in student can access this route.

Registered subjects are fetched from database in sorted order by the exam date. There is no post request on this page.



checkLogin middleware function validates if the user is logged in or not. If the user is not logged in. If the user is not logged in it redirects to login page. It is present in every route.

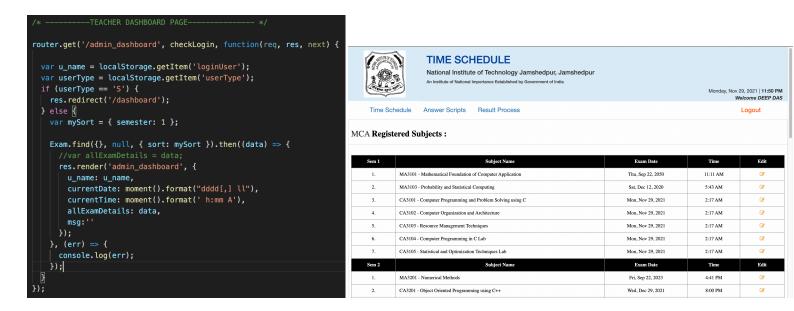
```
var userType = localStorage.getItem('userType');
if (userType == 'T') {
    res.redirect('/admin_dashboard');
} else {

Exam.findOne({ semester: userSem }).then((data) => {
    var examDetails = data.subjects;
    var sortedExamDetails = examDetails.sort(function (a, b) {
        return a.exam_date - b.exam_date;
    });
    res.render('dashboard', {
        u_name: u_name, currentDate: moment().format("dddd[,] ll"),
        currentTime: moment().format(' h:mm A'),
        examDetails: sortedExamDetails
    });
}, (err) => {
        console.log(err);
});
```

#### 3) Teacher Dashboard:

After login in a Teacher lands on this page. Here all the semester details of MCA department is presented from the database. The dept. select option is not dynamic yet.

Registered subjects are fetched from database in sorted order by the semester. There is no post request on this page.



On clicking the edit buttons, a dynamic get request is called where object ID of the subject provided by mongodb (61a3eae94524bc3241ac8a14) is passed as /:\_id and exam id(MA3101) is passed as query. Then edit exam page for that specific subject is rendered.

Eg: http://localhost:3000/admin\_dashboard/edit\_exam/61a3eae94524bc3241ac8a14?exam\_id=MA3101

Edit Exam Schedule : MA3101					
Date	dd/mm/yyyy,:				
	submit				

On clicking submit, A post request is called where it gets the subject's object id from the route's /:\_id and update date and time of that subject and redirects to teacher dashboard

#### 4) Schemas:

first\_name: "BISWAJIT"
last\_name: "DAS"
password: "qwerty123"

\_\_v:0 semester:3

Students' records are generated based on mca\_studentSchema

```
var mca_studentSchema= new mongoose.Schema({
   id: {type: String, required: true, unique: true },
   first_name: {type: String, required: true },
   last_name: {type: String, required: true },
   password: {type: String, required: true },
   semester:{ type: Number, min: 1, max:6, required: true }
});

_id: ObjectId("6174788d71b0607942a0ceca")
id: "2020PGCACA22"
```

#### Exam Schedules are generated using examSchema

```
var examSchema= new mongoose.Schema({
    semester : {type: Number, min: 1, max:6, required: true, unique: true},
    subjects : [{
        id: {type: String, required: true, unique: true },
        name: {type: String, required: true },
        exam_date: {type: Date, required: true, default: Date.now() }
}]
```

Teachers' records are generated using teacherSchema

```
var teacherSchema= new mongoose.Schema({
   id: {type: String, required: true, unique: true },
   first_name: {type: String, required: true },
   last_name: {type: String, required: true },
   password: {type: String, required: true },
});
```

```
_id: ObjectId("6174788d71b0607942a0cecb")
id: "DEEPDAS782446"
first_name: "DEEP"
last_name: "DAS"
password: "zxcvbn123"
__v: 0
```

## <u>lssues:</u>

- 1) Time Zone provided by the heroku server is different from India, so the time does not match.
- 2) The passwords stored in database are not encrypted so there is a security risk.

```
_id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef79428")
 semester: 3
∨ subjects: Array
  ∨0:Object
      id: "CA3301 "
      name: "Database Management System "
      exam_date: 2021-12-01T03:30:00.000+00:00
       _id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef79429")
  ∨1:Object
      name: "Computer Communication and Networks"
      exam_date: 2021-12-02T04:00:00.000+00:00
       id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942a")
      id: "CA3303 "
      name: "Design and Analysis of Algorithms"
      exam_date: 2021-12-03T07:00:00.000+00:00
       _id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942b")
  √3: Object
      id: "CA3304 "
      name: "Computer Graphics"
      exam_date: 2021-12-06T07:30:00.000+00:00
      _id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942c")
  ∨4:Object
      id: "CA3305 "
      name: "Java Programming"
      exam_date: 2021-12-08T09:30:00.000+00:00
       _id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942d")
  ∨5:Object
      id: "CA3306 "
      name: "Database Management Lab"
exam_date: 2021-11-29T04:00:30.000+00:00
       _id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942e")
  name: "Computer Graphics & Java Programming Lab"
      exam_date: 2021-11-27T04:30:00.000+00:00
       id: ObjectId("619273957b1e2af03ef7942f")
```