CS615 – UID Project Proposal

Group 4

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Problem statement

People often possess the desire and potential to contribute to their community and causes they care about, through volunteering. However, they often face the challenge of finding suitable volunteering opportunities that align with their interests, schedules, and skills. To address this issue, we aim to create a user-friendly web application tailored specifically for users who like selfless volunteering. The interface shall enable the user to easily discover and engage in the event while fostering a sense of community and personal growth.

User Goals

- Finding Suitable Volunteering Opportunities: Users identify volunteering opportunities that align with their interests, skills, and availability.
- Application: User friendly application that simplifies the process of discovering, applying for, and participating in the event.

User Actions

- Create a Profile: Users will start by creating a personal profile.
- Discover Opportunities: They will browse through a list of volunteering opportunities. The opportunities could be searched based on the user's period of availability.
- Register: Users will select an opportunity and register for it through the application.
- Post Opportunities: Users will post volunteering options.

Obstacles

- Making a single interface for both, the users wishing to volunteer and, the users willing to provide opportunities by posting details of the event.
- Balancing and prioritizing user experience, enjoyable designs, intuitive functionalities, and user goals without compromising on each other.