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**M1: Meeting to run through Application Designs and Ideas**

Statement of Minutes

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| Date | Attendee’s |  |
| October 28, 2016 | Mark Perry  Kieron McAuley-Kinchin  Samuel Morris | Mohamed El-Mesfioui  Ismail Abdi  Patrick Davey |

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|  | *This document contains minutes from the meeting noted at the top of the document. This meeting has been abbreviated so that it is quick for all involved to find out what has been agreed and any changes to previous documentation (I.e. times and dates). Any reference numbers (i.e. [1.3]) will refer to sections in the accompanied agenda document for this meeting. Name abbreviations may be used in this document and a key to this can be found at the bottom of the document.* |

1. Introductions were made and spoke briefly about how the project is going.
2. MP mentioned that it would be good building upon what we did last year with use cases and producing some for the application during the design stage. These would give a more rounded idea of how the user would use the application and what might occur at each stage of use. PD showed the group a UML diagram detailing the overall application features. We all felt we had not grasped the aspect of UML enough to produce effective diagrams so it was agreed all would work on learning UML before the next tutor group meeting on the 4th Nov 2016.

**ACTION:** Spend time learning UML diagramming and try to implement a few ideas

on the current application.

1. KM described the itinerary section of the application and how users will interact with it. MP liked the idea of using a map based location tracker but felt that a simple map embedded would be just that, simple. The group task is to produce a comprehensive, in-depth application that will demonstrate the best of our abilities. It was suggested than using map animations would further the complexity and showcase our skills better.
2. The application in-question is a travel organising tool to help users plan and book their travel. Currently all the ideas and designs have been about organising travel and not much thought has been put into travel bookings. Ideally it would be good to implement booking within the application but SM suggested that this may be overly complex and too time consuming when thinking about the amount we need to do.
3. As MP has mentioned before, logging into the application shouldn’t be required first thing as this may scare the user away. All those in attendance agreed that there should be a log-in available but only offer it for when a booking is about to be made or if ideas want to be saved early in the planning of a trip.
4. A good idea made was that, in turn with the login aspect, social media could be utilised within the application. Suggestions could be made to a user depending on where their friends have been before – in the same fashion as Amazon and their product suggestions.
5. KM added all remaining users to the GitHub group except for ME who is still to create an account. He will be added once an account has been created. Users are now to submit group content to GitHub to keep a record of all documents and progress.
6. The forum needs to be thought through a bit more before coding begins due to everyone’s lack of clarity around its use and whether it will require a login. Also, will jobs be posted on there and will there be a period before posts are removed.

**ACTION:** Re-discuss the use of a forum and how it will be implemented.

1. Conclusion – Next meeting will be on the 4th Oct 2016.

Abbreviations

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| MP – Mark Perry  KM – Kieron McAuley-Kinchin  SM – Samuel Morris  ME – Mohamed El-Mesfioui | IA – Ismail Abdi  PD – Patrick Davey  UML – Unified Modelling Language |