**Title:** Registration & Login Backend

1. **Activities:**
   * Implemented register.php to insert new users into users table, defaulting user\_type to Customer.
   * Implemented login\_process.php to validate credentials, set sessions, and redirect to respective dashboards.
   * Tested with sample data (hashed passwords).
2. **Challenges:**
   * Debugging incorrect password hashing.
   * Ensuring session management was consistent (avoid multiple session\_start() calls).
3. **Outcomes:**
   * Basic user authentication is working.
   * Next step: building the main customer dashboard.