Sekai Take-Home Challenge

Build a tiny squad of AI agents that learns to recommend the right stories to the right fans—exactly what you'll do with us in production!

1 / Mission

Write code that iterates on a recommendation prompt until it consistently picks 10 highly-relevant Sekai stories for a user, given:

- 5 sample Sekai stories (below).

 Use these as seed data—expand to ≈ 100 stories with an LLM of your choice.
- 5 full user profiles (below).

 Use them as ground truth examples and synthesize additional test users as needed.

You're free to choose any multi-agent framework, model stack, or hosting setup.

2 / High-level Flow to Implement

Agent	Purpose	Model Guidance
Prompt-Optimizer	Proposes prompt tweaks based on prior evaluations.	Any model you like.
Recommendation Agent	Returns 10 story IDs for a simulated new user. Must be fast.	Gemini 2.0 Flash (or an equivalently speedy "no-thinking" model).

Evaluation Agent

- 1. Read a *full* user profile.
- 2. **Simulates the tags** that user would tick on Sekai's first screen.
- 3. Feeds those simulated tags to the Recommendation Agent.
- 4. Computes an eval score against "ground-truth" recommendations produced **directly** from the full profile.

Gemini 2.5 Pro or a comparable SOTA reasoning-heavy model from OpenAI, Anthropic, etc.

Orchestrate them in an autonomous loop: **optimize** \rightarrow **recommend** \rightarrow **evaluate** \rightarrow **feedback** \rightarrow **repeat** until you hit a self-chosen score or time budget.

3 / Ground Truth & Scoring

- Ground-truth list: Ask your Evaluation Agent to recommend directly from the full profile
 + full story pool.
- **Metric**: Pick something sensible (e.g., precision@10, mean-recall, semantic overlap). Tell us why.
- Target: Stop when your metric plateaus or time runs out.

4 / Data Provided

4.1 Sample User Profiles

(Use these as "truth" examples; create more if useful.)

USER 1

choice-driven high-agency dominant protector strategist; underdog, rivalry, team-vs-team, hero-vs-villain, internal-struggle, tournament conflicts; master-servant, royalty-commoner, captor-captive power-dynamics; high-immersion lore-expander, community-engagement;

power-fantasy, moral-ambiguity; isekai escapism; romance, forbidden-love, love-triangles, found-family, reverse-harem; enemies-to-lovers, slow-burn; reincarnation, devil-powers, jujitsu-sorcerer; betrayal, loyalty, survival, redemption; Naruto, Dragon Ball, Jujutsu-Kaisen, Genshin-Impact, One-Piece, Demon-Slayer, Chainsaw-Man, Marvel/DC; crossover, anti-hero, strategy, fan-groups.

USER 2

Self-insert choice-driven narrator as reluctant/supportive guardian, disguised royalty, rookie competitor. Likes
Re:Zero/Naruto/MyHeroAcademia. Prefers cafes, academies, fantasy kingdoms (Konoha, Hogwarts, Teyvat), cities. Genres: supernatural/contemporary/historical romance, fantasy, action, horror. Enjoys supernatural beings, magic/curses/quirks. Favors harem, love triangles, power imbalance, enemies-to-lovers, underdog, redemption. Emotional catalysts: forbidden desires, rival advances, legacy. Content: action, romance.

USER 3

Male roleplayer seeking immersive, choice-driven narratives; self-insert underdog, reluctant hero, dominant protector power fantasy. Prefers one-on-one romance, found-family bonds, intense angst, trauma healing. Loves supernatural-nine-tailed foxes, vampires, magic. Achievement-hunter chasing epic conclusions. Morally flexible exploration sans non-consensual, gore, character death. Co-creative, supportive, detail-rich storytelling. Leaderboard climber, protective sibling loyalty, guilt.

4.2 Sample Sekai Stories (use as seed data)

Unset

ID: 217107

Title: Stranger Who Fell From The Sky

Intro: You are Devin, plummeting towards Orario with no memory of

how you got here...

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Tags: danmachi, reincarnation, heroic aspirations, mystery
origin, teamwork, loyalty, protectiveness
ID: 273613
Title: Trapped Between Four Anime Legends!
Intro: You're caught in a dimensional rift with four anime icons.
Goku wants to spar...
Tags: crossover, jujutsu kaisen, dragon ball, naruto, isekai,
dimensional travel, reverse harem
ID: 235701
Title: New Transfer Students vs. Class 1-A Bully
Intro: You and Zeroku watch in disgust as Bakugo torments Izuku
again...
Tags: my hero academia, challenging authority, bullying,
underdog, disruptors
ID: 214527
Title: Zenitsu Touched Your Sister's WHAT?!
Intro: Your peaceful afternoon at the Butterfly Estate shatters
when Zenitsu accidentally gropes Nezuko...
Tags: demon slayer, protective instincts, comedic panic, violent
reactions
ID: 263242
Title: Principal's Daughter Dating Contest
Intro: You are Yuji Itadori, facing off against Tanjiro and
Naruto for Ochako's heart...
Tags: crossover, romantic comedy, forced proximity, harem, dating
competition
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Feel free to synthesize more stories or users to stress-test your agents.

5 / Minimum Deliverables

- 1. **Git repo** (any language) with a one-command demo.
- 2. **README or brief doc** covering:
 - architecture & agent roles
 - caching strategy (embed & prompt caches)
 - evaluation metric & stopping rule
 - how you'd scale to production volumes
- 3. **Log/table** showing \geq 3 optimization cycles with their eval scores.
- 4. ≤ 5-minute Loom/YouTube walk-through (optional but appreciated).

6 / Review Criteria

- Architectural clarity is the agent loop clean & extensible?
- **Product intuition** do metric and ground-truth method make sense for Sekai?
- Code quality & docs can we run it in one go?
- **Result quality** do the final 10 picks actually fit the user? Runtime & token cost?

Have fun, iterate boldly, and show us how you think. We can't wait to see your agents in action!