

CMSC355 - Group 13

Status Report

03/31/2021

1) Project Members:

- *Janissa Hamilton*
- *Jamarr Brooks*
- *Jaehoon Lee*
- *Jacob Picardat*

2) Accomplishments for the week -- and which team members participated/contributed

- *Setting up a time to work together (all)*
- *Creating design documentation*
- *Persevering despite early setbacks!*
- *Jaehoon -- designed storyboard, UML diagram, locating software/resources, brainstorming/design, orchestration module*
- *Janissa -- some storyboard work, UML diagram, architecture diagram, locating software/resources, brainstorming/design*
- *Jacob -- made IPO chart*
- *Jamarr -- IPO charts*

3) List of Milestones to be completed and anticipated date (indicate which ones are in danger of not being met)

- *Sprint 1- all -- 4/1/2021*

4) List of issues, problems, or concern(s)

- *Communication:* the biggest issue! Asynchronous communication is not ideal for group work at the best of times.
- *Personal issues* -- Unfortunately, a personal emergency impacted productivity and availability.
- *Planning:* Schedules are not clear, so it is hard to plan time to work together in advance. Additionally, communication has impacted planning because responses are often delayed by a few hours between team members.
- *Accountability:* I (Janissa) think because we do not know each other, it is harder to conceptualize the group as a team or prioritize this work above other classes. This is not a result of ill will, just the natural result of not having any way to see or contact each other more directly.
 - *Moving forward, I will personally begin brainstorming and sketching things out on my own, so that the group will always have something started to work with if we cannot meet until close to the due date. (Janissa)*