

Book review site/app

Git link to the project:

<https://git.fhict.nl/I515059/kajanbookreview>

Introduction:

Books are by no means a new phenomenon. Some people (especially in the younger generation) are slowly transitioning to digital books as opposed to physical ones. However, no matter the form, the vast majority of people who do enjoy reading (and those who are new to the hobby) rely on other people's opinions – critics' and/or fellow enjoyers of the endeavor – to pick their next book to dig into and lose themselves in.

Whether you are a casual reader or a dedicated enthusiast like myself, you will certainly make use and take into consideration books' reviews and ratings – consciously or otherwise. That is exactly the kind of thing I hope to achieve with my application – help people decide what they want to read next and also allow them to do the same for their fellow bookworms.

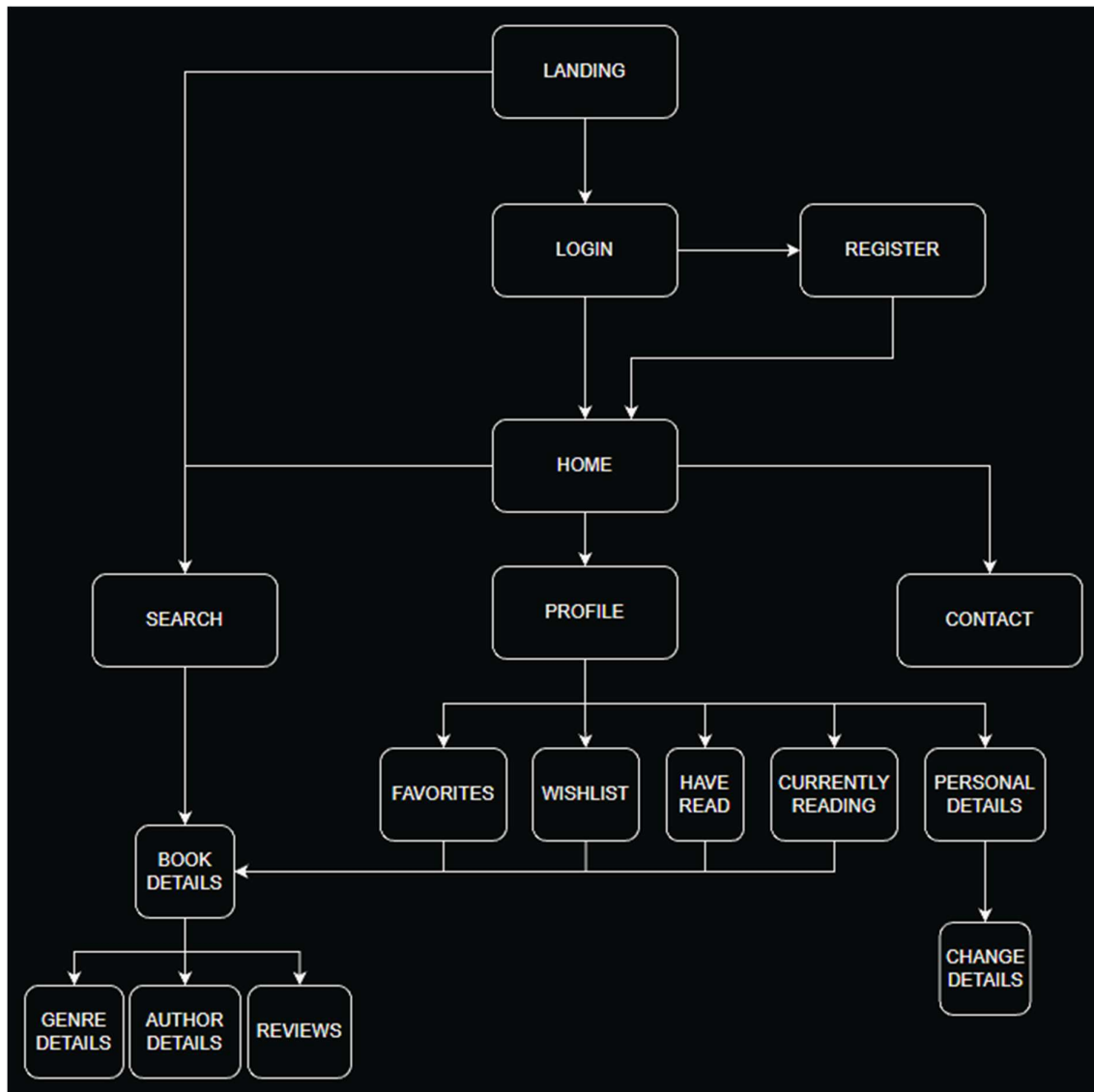
Here are some **basic features** that I would like my application to include:

- 1) A desktop application for management/administrative purposes (adding/removing books, etc.)
- 2) A web application for the customers
- 3) Databases for books and users
- 4) Creating accounts and logging in (Maybe also distinguish between regular users and authors),
- 5) Searching for books based on name, genre, or author,
- 6) Reading information about a selected book (title, genre, author, pages, description, etc.),
- 7) Reading and giving ratings (star ratings or a similar rating system) and reviews,
- 8) Upvoting/Downvoting other people's reviews,
- 9) Acquiring reputation points for reviews - the more reviews, the more "trusted" the user's reviews are considered (might get some extra bonuses/advantages for reaching review milestones or something along those lines),
- 10) Create and manage their own favorites / want-to-read / have-read / currently-reading lists.

Some far-fetched ideas to implement if there is enough time:

- 1) Allow logging in directly with a Google account,
- 2) Get recommendations based on the user's most-liked and most-read authors/genres,
- 3) Choose to be notified when a book in their wish list is released (presumably by email)

Sitemap



Wireframe examples

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