**RentScout Help Page**

**Login Page**

**Create Account:**

* Enter an *@calvin.edu* email address in the **Email** field.
* Enter a password of your choice in the **Password** field.
* Retype the password in the **Confirm Password** field.
* **Save your password!** (There is no password reset option yet.)

**Log In:**

* Enter your registered email address and password.
* Press **Log In**.

**Navigation Bar**

* The bar is located at the bottom of the screen
* The navigation bar provides access to:
  + **Properties List Page**
  + **Favorites Page**
  + **Profile Page**
* The navigation bar should be accessible from every other screen.

**Properties List Page**

This page features two yellow buttons at the top: **Filter** and **Sort By**.

**Sort Properties:**

* Press **Sort By** to open the sorting menu.
* Select one or more sorting criteria (e.g., **Rating**, **# Bedrooms**).
* Sorting is layered, for example:
  + Sorting by **Rating** first puts the highest rated properties at the top.
  + Sorting by **# Bedrooms** second will sort by the number of bedrooms *next*. Sorting in this order prioritizes the highest ratings where bedroom counts are equal.

**Sort Options Explained:**

* **Distance to School**: Proximity to Calvin University.
* **Distance to Bus**: Proximity to the nearest bus stop.
* **Cost ($/month)**: Average monthly rent, provided by landlords.
* **Rating**: Average student reviews for the property.
* **# Bedrooms**: Number of bedrooms (as reported by landlords).
* **# Bathrooms**: Number of bathrooms (e.g., 0.5 = toilet + sink).
* **Low to High**: Smallest numbers first.
* **High to Low**: Largest numbers first.

**Filter Properties:**

* Press **Filter** to open the filtering menu.
* Use checkboxes to select desired filters (e.g., distance, cost).
* Reset filters by pressing **Clear Filters**.
* Apply filters by pressing **Show Results**.

**Property Details Page**

* Tap a property to view details or add it to favorites.
* Press the red **Add to Favorites** button to save a property.

**Details Include:**

* Property information
* Landlord contact (if available)
* Reviews:
  + To leave a review, press the red button at the bottom of the page.
    - Rate the property (1–5 stars).
    - Provide a written explanation for your rating. Ensure reviews are appropriate and accurate to avoid the moderators removing both the reviewer and review from the app.

**Favorites Page**

* Tap the **heart button** on the navigation bar to access saved properties.
* The favorites page stores all properties you’ve saved from the properties list.

**Profile Page**

* View personal account information.
* Tap **Log Out** to sign out of the app.
* The **Reviews** section lists all reviews submitted by the user.