## Lab 1 - Writing a User Story

### Writing a User Story

When writing user stories, we typically want to state the following:

* Who is performing the action
* What action do they want to perform
* What is the value of this action

An initial requirement might be “Customers can view film listings”.

To turn this into a user story we must follow the user story template:

As a ... [User]

I want ... [Feature]

So that... [Details]

So the user story for the initial requirement above would be:

As a customer,

I want to view film listings,

So that I can choose which movie I would like to watch

### Writing Acceptance Criteria

A good way of writing acceptance criteria is using the “Given, When, Then” canvas.

Given [precondition],

When [action],

Then [testable outcome]

For example:

Given the user is on the login page

When I enter the correct login details

And press the login button

Then it takes me to my personal user page