CS4116 Software Test Report.

Performing the software test

* First and foremost, do your best to help your classmates improve their project, and keep in mind that you are also being evaluated on this assignment. Students who have clearly spent time considering and carefully evaluating their test site, and who have given detailed, thorough, and thoughtful feedback in their review, will receive the best grades for this assignment.
* This is an individual assignment. Do not do it as a group; this way the group being tested will get the best feedback.
* There are two parts to the test; first, register with the site and, second, test the search functionality.
* If some functionality is not available, note that in your answers below.
* Back everything up with examples. For example, if you try something that appears to cause the site to crash, give as much information as possible to help the other group fix the problem.
* Do not give one word answers.
* The group that you are testing are **not being graded**. This means that if you spot a problem in their site they will not be penalized by the teaching team; the point of this exercise is to help them find problems before the final demo, so please point out any problems you find, regardless of how minor they seem.
* You can assume that the project you are grading is in the correct location. That is, if you are grading Group XX, the project is on <http://hive.csis.ul.ie/cs4116/groupXX>. We use **leading zeroes**, so Group 2, for example, is <http://hive.csis.ul.ie/cs4116/group02>.

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Group being tested: Group01 (group08 had no material on hive)

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1. **Was there an index.html file? Was it obvious what the website was from the first page?**

To find the Index.php you must sign up then log in then in brings you to the index.php. I think it would be useful once you have “signed up” that it brings you to the log in page. As of now it just leaves you on the sign-up page and there is nothing to say that you must now log in.

1. **What is the site for? Describe the sort of people that the site targets.**

Looking at the name it looks like a dating website for professionals aimed at 25 to 50-year old’s maybe you can search your future partner by their profession or exclude a certain profession.

1. **How well did the individual registration section work? What happened when you put in malformed input (for example, mismatched passwords, wrong types, etc.)?**

The registration went well I put in a weak password just for the sake of the testing and it would not accept it because it was too weak. It allowed me to register the same email twice but would only accept the first password created. The account would not create if you put in 2 different passwords or if it was too short……. It would be good to see what is required to meet the password requirements.

1. **Did the search function work?**

Yes the Search function worked perfectly when the exact name was entered but you could not search part of the name e.g. by first name or by a letter

1. **What was the “look and feel” of the site like? Was it pleasant to use or were there rendering problems and/or missing links?**

I really liked the look and feel it wasn’t too full on. I really liked the look and layout of the user’s page where you could add people. There were two long pages search and users and I really like how responsive both these pages were especially the search as it was 6 users across the screen when it was maximized and changed to 1 user when you minimized the screen as much as possible. Something I felt that was misleading was that there was a register button on the navigation bar after I had already logged in.

1. **Do you have any additional suggestions or advice for your classmates? If so, please make them here.**

I think the Search Bar at the top of the screen and footer at the bottom of the screen could be made bigger because it is very hard to read the logo on the search bar and same problem with information on the footer. After the sign-up page you should redirect the user to the log in page because it causes a bit of confusion on what is the next step to access the site. The home page and the Admin page are exactly the same you should make one differentiate from the other maybe add a block, delete, Suspend, function. You seem to go with a blue theme throughout the website so maybe add a shadow effect to your buttons on search bar for when some one hovers the mouse over each tab…. You could make the pulling professionals logo a button to redirect you to the welcome/index page