User Stories

| Epic | User Story | Description |
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| User Interface (UI) Design | New User/Registered User – Navigation | As a new/registered user, I want to navigate the platform easily so that I can find what I need without confusion. |
| | | Implement a clean and intuitive navigation menu. Use consistent design patterns across all pages. Ensure responsiveness for various devices and screen sizes. |
| | New User/Registered User – Interface | As a user, I want to have a visually appealing interface so that I can enjoy using the platform. |
| | | Create a modern and attractive design theme. Use high-quality images and icons. Incorporate animations and transitions for a smooth experience. |
| | Registered User – Customize my dashboard | As a user, I want to customize my dashboard so that I can access my frequently used features quickly. |
| | | Allow users to rearrange widgets on their dashboard. Provide options to add or remove specific modules. Save user preferences for future visits. |

| New User/Registered |
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| User – Interface |
| Feedback |

As a user, I want to receive clear feedback from the interface so that I know when actions are successful or if there are errors.

- Implement success and error messages for user actions.
- Use visual indicators like loading spinners or progress bars.
- Provide tooltips and help messages where necessary.

Admin – User interactions

As an admin, I want to analyze user interactions so that I can improve the UI based on user behavior.

- Integrate analytics tools to track user interactions and behavior.
- Generate reports on common navigation paths and drop-off points.
- Use data to make informed decisions on UI improvements.

User Registration System

New User – Create an account

As a **new user**, I want to **create an account** so that I can **access the platform**.

- Provide an account creation form with fields for username, email, and password.
- Implement email verification to validate the user's identity.
- Ensure strong password requirements to enhance security.

Registered User – My Account

As a **registered user**, I want to **log in** to my account so that I can **manage my courses**.

- Create a login form with fields for email and password.
- Implement 'Remember Me' functionality to keep users logged in.
- Provide a password reset option in case users forget their password.

Admin – Manage user accounts

As an admin, I want to manage user accounts so that I can handle user-related issues.

- Provide tools for account deactivation/reactivation and deletion.
- Allow viewing and editing user details.
- Implement logging for user account changes for audit purposes.

Registered User – Update my profile information

As a **user**, I want to **update my profile information** so that I can **keep my account details current**.

- Provide an interface for updating personal information such as name, email, and password.
- Implement verification for changes that require security checks, like updating the email address.
- Allow users to upload a profile picture.

| Course Listing |
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| & Search |

Registered User – Browse the course catalog

As a user, I want to browse the course catalog so that I can discover new courses.

- Display a list of available courses with basic details like title, instructor, and duration.
- Implement filters for categories, difficulty levels, and ratings.
- Allow users to sort courses by popularity, newest, and highest rated.

Registered User – Search for specific courses

As a user, I want to search for specific courses so that I can find exactly what I'm looking for.

- Provide a search bar with autocomplete suggestions.
- Highlight matching search terms in the results.
- Support advanced search options like keyword, author, and date range.

Instructor – Tagging system

As an instructor, I want to tag my courses with relevant keywords so that users can find my courses easily.

- Provide a tagging system for courses.
- Ensure tags appear in search results and filters.
- Allow instructors to edit or remove tags.

| Content Management System | Instructor – Upload course | As an instructor, I want to upload course materials so that I can share content with students. |
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| | | Provide an easy-to-use interface for uploading videos, documents, and quizzes. Organize content into modules and lessons. Allow instructors to preview content before publishing. |
| | Instructor – Manage course settings | As an instructor, I want to manage course settings so that I can update course details and availability. |
| | | Allow editing of course titles, descriptions, and tags. Enable setting start and end dates for course availability. Provide options to manage enrolled students and their progress. |
| | Admin – Moderate course content | As an admin, I want to moderate course content so that I can ensure quality and compliance. |
| | | Provide tools for reviewing and approving course content before publication. Allow flagging of inappropriate or low-quality content. Implement a feedback system for users to report content issues. |
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| Payment Processing | Registered User – Payment System | As a user , I want to purchase a course so that I can access premium content . | |
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| | | Integrate a secure payment gateway to handle transactions. Offer multiple payment options, including credit/debit cards and digital wallets. Generate invoices and send them via email upon successful purchase. | |
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| | Registered User – Payment history | As a user, I want to view my payment history so that I can keep track of my spending. | |
| | | Provide a detailed transaction history in the user's account section. Allow users to download receipts in PDF format. | |
| | | Implement filters to view transactions by date and course name. | |
| | Registered User – Discount Code System | As a user , I want to apply discount codes so that I can get a discount on course fees . | |
| | | Integrate a field for entering discount codes during checkout. | |
| | | Validate discount codes and apply the discount to the total amount. Display the updated price after the discount is applied. | |
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| Admin – Revi | ew a | nd |
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| Manage trans | actio | ns |

As an admin, I want to review and manage transactions so that I can handle any payment-related issues.

- Provide an admin dashboard for viewing all transactions.
- Include options to issue refunds or manage disputes.
- Generate financial reports for accounting purposes.

Progress Tracking

Registered User – Track my progress

As a user, I want to track my progress in a course so that I can see how much I've completed.

- Display a progress bar for each enrolled course.
- Break down the course into modules and mark completed ones.
- Provide a summary of time spent on each module.

Registered User – Completion Certificate

As a user, I want to receive completion certificates so that I can showcase my achievements.

- Generate a certificate upon course completion.
- Allow users to download and print the certificate.
- Provide a verification code for employers or institutions to validate the certificate.

Registered User – Notifications – Course Milestones

As a user, I want to receive notifications for course milestones so that I can stay motivated.

- Users are able to access the Notifications menu/section.
- Send notifications for key milestones, such as module completion or quiz scores.
- Include motivational messages and tips in the notifications.
- Allow users to customize notification preferences.

Instructor – View student progress

As an instructor, I want to view student progress so that I can assist students who are falling behind.

- Provide a dashboard for tracking student progress.
- Highlight students who have not completed recent lessons.
- Allow instructors to send automated reminders to students.
 - Users are able to turn off receiving reminders from instructor from Notifications menu.