Full-Stack Developer Assignment

Overview

Create a full-stack web application for a task management system using **React** for the frontend and **Node.js with Express or Django with DRF (or any backend framework of choice)** for the backend. The application should allow users to:

- Register and log in with authentication (JWT).
- Create, read, update, and delete (CRUD) users.
- Create, read, update, and delete (CRUD) tasks.
- Assign tasks to different users.
- Attach up to 3 documents (PDF format) to tasks and view those documents when viewing task details.
- Filter and sort tasks based on status, priority, and due date.
- Store data in PostgreSQL or MongoDB.
- Store files in either local machine or any cloud storage such as S₃
- Ensure proper API documentation and include automated tests.
- Containerize the application using Docker.

Requirements

AUTHENTICATION & AUTHORIZATION:

- Implement user registration and login with password hashing.
- Use JWT-based authentication.
- Ensure users can only manage their own tasks unless they have an admin role.
- Secure frontend routes based on authentication and authorization roles.

FRONTEND REQUIREMENTS:

- Use React for the frontend.
- Implement **Redux**, **Context API**, **or any state management library** for state management.
- Use **React Router** (or equivalent in other frameworks) for navigation.

- Build a responsive UI with TailwindCSS, Bootstrap, or Material UI.
- Implement client-side form validation.
- Consume backend APIs efficiently and handle loading/error states.
- Display real-time task updates using WebSockets (optional but preferred).
- Allow users to upload documents when creating or updating a task.
- Provide a way to view attached documents when viewing task details.

BACKEND REQUIREMENTS:

- Implement RESTful APIs following best practices.
- CRUD operations for Users and Tasks.
- Admin users should be able to create, edit, and delete any user.
- Users should have attributes: **email**, **password**, **role**.
- Tasks should have attributes: title, description, status, priority, due date, assigned to, and attached documents.
- Implement filtering, sorting, and pagination when listing users and tasks.
- Implement file upload functionality for attaching documents to tasks.
- Provide API endpoints to retrieve and download attached documents.

DATABASE:

- Use PostgreSQL or MongoDB (Preferably Docker containers that can be run locally).
- Define appropriate schema/models with relationships.
- Store file metadata in the database while keeping actual files in a storage solution (e.g., local storage, AWS S₃, Firebase Storage).

GIT & VERSION CONTROL:

- Use Git for version control with meaningful commit messages.
- Provide a **gitignore** file to exclude unnecessary files.
- Use feature branches and make pull requests for code reviews (optional).

DOCKER & DEPLOYMENT

- Containerize the application using **Docker**.
- Provide a **Docker Compose** file for easy setup.
- Ensure the application can run with a single command (docker-compose up).
- Bonus: Deploy the application to Heroku, AWS, Vercel, or DigitalOcean.

TESTING

- Write unit and integration tests for authentication and task management.
- Use **Jest**, **Mocha**, **PyTest**, **or Cypress** depending on the chosen tech stack.
- Ensure at least 80% test coverage.

DOCUMENTATION

- Provide a well-structured **README.md** with setup instructions.
- Document API endpoints using **Swagger or Postman collection**.
- Include a brief explanation of the project structure and design decisions.

DELIVERABLES

- A **public GitHub repository** with the project.
- **README.md** with setup instructions.
- Automated test cases.
- API documentation (Swagger/Postman collection).
- Docker configuration files (Dockerfile & docker-compose.yml).

EVALUATION CRITERIA

- Code quality and structure.
- Proper use of authentication and authorization.
- API design and adherence to RESTful principles.
- Database schema design and queries.
- Implementation of filtering, sorting, and pagination.
- Git commit history and best practices.
- Quality and coverage of test cases.
- Clarity and completeness of documentation.
- Responsiveness and usability of the frontend.
- Proper handling of file uploads and retrieval.

SUBMISSION

Submit the **GitHub repository link** within **2 days** from the assignment receipt.

You are encouraged to submit a working demo via a publicly accessible URL. While preferred, this is not mandatory.