Standup 10/23

What did we finish last week

- Jack: Start designing/building GUI on Xcode. Created pages that represent the skeleton of the app.
- Breea: Integrate Firebase Authentication for user login, third-party login, and profile management.
- Caroline: Practiced making Al-generated outfit matches using fal-ai/cat-vton in the browser playground.

What will we work on this week

- Jack: Continue building GUI and fine tuning design to be user friendly.
- Breea: Set up and maintain the Firebase backend database for storing profiles, clothing images, and metadata.
- Caroline: Write a python program that makes calls to the fal-ai/cat-vton API. The
 program takes in an image of a person, an image of a clothing item, and the type
 of clothing item it is (upper, lower, overall, inner, outer). The program then returns
 an image of said clothing item generated onto said person. (About 3 cents per
 picture)

What problems do we have

Sometimes on the first run it'll take awhile for the generated image result to come back (about 2 minutes), but it does get faster on subsequent runs and seems to settle around 12-or-so seconds.

What help do we need

 Unfortunately the fal-ai/cat-vton model is still not fast enough for real-time generation. Thus, we'll need some sort of loading "spinner" while it waits 12-seconds or so for the images to generate.