



# requirements

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# introduction

This document outlines the business requirements for roomies. The requirements may be updated or revised when necessary. Revisions for the project will be noted here along with final approvals.

## URLs

- development : <http://dev.roomiesapp.com>
- staging : <http://staging.roomiesapp.com>
- production : <http://roomiesapp.com>

# revision history

DATE	AUTHOR	VER	CHANGE REFERENCE
03-02-2011	Zachary Nicoll	1.0	Created document
03-07-2011	Olivier Lacan	1.1	Added page-specific requirements for Home, About, Tasks/Expenses, Notifications
03-09-2011	Zachary Nicoll	1.2	Added page-specific requirements for Achievements and cleaned up some copy for the official deliverable
03-11-2011	Olivier Lacan, Zachary Nicoll	1.3	Added detailed requirements for each individual page, amended legal & copyright information, removed comments on user stories & detailed requirements, added deployment URLs, renamed Notifications page to Corkboard.

# approvals

DATE	APPROVER	TITLE	COMMENTS

# reviewers

DATE	RECEIVER	TITLE	COMMENTS

# general notes

Roomies saves time by dealing with tedious or repetitive tasks. It saves money by helping you to not forget to pay rent, utilities, and bills. It saves friendships by saving everything else.

Roomies takes care of reminding your roomies that they owe you money for rent or groceries. You don't have to nag or be passive aggressive about it, and it makes living together easier.

Roomies gives you peace of mind. Once you set roomies up, it's our responsibility to remind you of what is due. If we ever mess up, you get one month of free service. If it happens again (we don't count on it) you get two months. Again? Four months. You get the picture. It's not in our best interest to disappoint you, and if we did we wouldn't just be losing your trust, we would be losing money as well. And we really can't afford to lose either.

Think about what matters. Sure bills are important, but it's not something you want to think about all the time. When you have something better to do, like studying for a final, going out with friends, spending all night refreshing Twitter & Reddit, or working on getting your dream job doing what you love, you dedicate yourself to it without worrying if your forgot to pay this or that.

# user stories

## home page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.1.1	Users should be able to sign in/log in.
I.1.2	Users should be shown screenshots of the application.
I.1.3	Users should be shown a screencast of the application workflow.
I.1.4	Users should be able to register directly from the home page.
I.1.5	Users should be able to read testimonials from existing Roomies users.

## corkboard page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.2.1	Users should be able to quickly notice urgent tasks & expenses.
I.2.2	Users should be able to view a present-centric calendar of tasks & expenses due in the near-future.
I.2.3	Users should be able to view lower in the page a long-term list of tasks & expenses.
I.2.4	Users should be able to click on “Add task” & “Add expense” buttons taking them directly to the creation page for those items.
I.2.5	Users should be able to click on a listed task or expense and view more details.

I.2.6	Users should be able to see their roomies' task completion status.
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## expenses & tasks creation page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.3.1	Users should be able to create/edit/delete a task.
I.3.2	Users should be able to create/edit/delete an expense.
I.3.3	Users should be able to mark status of a task/expense as completed.

## achievements page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.4.1	Users should be able to view recent achievements
I.4.2	Users should be able to view progress on gaining other achievements
I.4.3	Users should be able to compare their achievements with other roomies.



## about page story

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.5.1	Users should be able to learn more about us and what motivated us to create Roomies.
I.5.2	Users should be able to read our mantra.
I.5.3	Users should be able to see our faces.

## privacy policy page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.6.1	Users should be able to clearly understand what we do with the data they enter in Roomies.

## terms of service page

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
I.7.1	Users should understand that abuse of the application will warrant a warning from our team, and if this warning isn't observed we reserve the right to suspend their account.
I.7.2	Users should know that any interruption of service will trigger automatic refunds and free months of subscriptions in case of repeated interruptions.

# detailed requirements

## home page

ITEM	ELEMENTS
I.1.1.1	sign in form : email, password, sign in button, remember me checkbox
I.1.1.2	sign up form: name field, email field, password, sign up button
I.1.1.3	screenshot assets
I.1.1.4	screencast asset
I.1.1.5	testimonials copy from beta testers
I.1.1.6	slogan : “Making living together easier”

## corkboard page

ITEM	ELEMENTS
I.2.1.1	corkboard-like background
I.2.1.2	large display of urgent & past due tasks & expenses
I.2.2.1	calendar-like list of tasks & expenses due today & tomorrow
I.2.3.1	list of tasks & expenses due in the long term
I.2.3.2	label on each list item indicating the assignees for the task or expense
I.2.6.1	list of tasks & expenses with more than one assignee
I.2.6.2	display completion status for each individual roomies task or expense

## expenses & tasks creation/update page

ITEM	ELEMENTS
I.3.1.1	task creation/edit form : purpose field, due date field (with automatic date parsing), recurring date checkbox, assignees field, create/edit button (if edit, display status radio button & delete link)
I.3.2.1	expenses creation/edit form : purpose field, due date field (with automatic date parsing), recurring date checkbox, cost field, assignees field, create/edit button (if edit, display status radio button & delete link)

## achievements page

ITEM	ELEMENTS
I.4.1.1	grid-view of recently earned achievement badges
I.4.2.1	list of achievements the user is closest to earning with progress bar
I.4.3.1	list of all roomies achievements (user and user's roommates)
I.4.3.2	score display (points) for each roomie

## about page

ITEM	ELEMENTS
I.5.1.1	story of roomies copy
I.5.2.1	our philosophy copy
I.5.3.1	team photo assets

# legal & copyright

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