

Usability Test: Calvin Dating Application

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Introduction

Thank you for agreeing to do this usability test for the new Calvin Dating app in development. The development team would like to see first-hand what it's like for real people to use the app, which we hope will help us improve the app.

We are testing the app, not you. You cannot do anything wrong here. We want to hear exactly what you think about the app. Be honest and do not worry about hurting our feelings. Your honest opinions and experiences will help us find problems that exist and will help us fix them.

For the test, we will ask you to do certain tasks and we would like you to think out loud while you are doing them. If you have questions, just ask. If you have comments, go ahead and make them. We will record your comments, but will not make them public. If, for any reason, you would like to quit this test, then just say so.

Calvin Dating is the dating app that helps bring together individuals on the Calvin College campus who are looking for a match made in heaven. Unlike OKCupid or Match.com, Calvin Dating was crafted with only Calvin Students in mind. By specializing this app strictly to the Calvin College culture our users can find the best possible match to the profile that you have created. The app involves four main activities that allow the user to create a profile, meet new people, communicate with their matches, and plan multiple dates. Users will be matched on a Calvin centric survey that also takes into account factors from their MBTI survey to their preference on man-buns.

Background Questions

We presume that you are a CS 108/ 262 student who routinely uses apps on their smart phone.

1. Have you ever used a dating app?
2. If so, what do you normally use the app for?
3. Did that app result in any kind of relationship?
4. Do you use or have you used a android system?
5. Before we begin, do you have any questions for me?

The Test

1. **Open the Calvin Dating App**
2. **Attempt to sign up – note that at this time an account will not be created for you**
3. **Log in using a valid account**
 - . Email: JSK01@students.calvin.edu
 - Password: calvin
4. **Take an introductory survey to start building your profile**
5. **View profiles and message other users**

Thanks

Many thanks for your willingness to help us test the new Calvin Dating app. This app is still under development, so we appreciate your help in fixing it up.

We will contact you soon with a summary of what we found and how we hope to use it to improve the app. We will keep the data from your individual session private and will only release aggregate data.