# Project Pitch: Job Application Manager

Team 24: The Hexadecimators



**Problem:** It is hard to keep track of the jobs one has applied to, and the different results and statuses of each application.

# **User Story 1**

Persona: a professional considering changing career fields.

As a professional considering entering a new career field, I want to be able to explore many possible opportunities in order to find a position that best fits the skill-set I have developed.

- Can use the tagging feature to filter applications if they are open to entering several different new fields
- Can also use these tags to generate relevant resumes for each field or position

# User Story 2

Persona: students with discipline in several fields applying for multiple positions with multiple categories (New Grad/Intern, SWE/Hardware/Data analyst, etc)

As a student seeking for positions with multiple types, I want to be able to categorize them based on types to keep track of them more easily. A clear categorization also helps me with time management since I will know what type of positions are due soon so that I can put more efforts in preparing for interviews for that type of jobs.

• Can use the tag feature to categorize applications based on type of jobs and sort them by soonest deadline.

# User Story 3

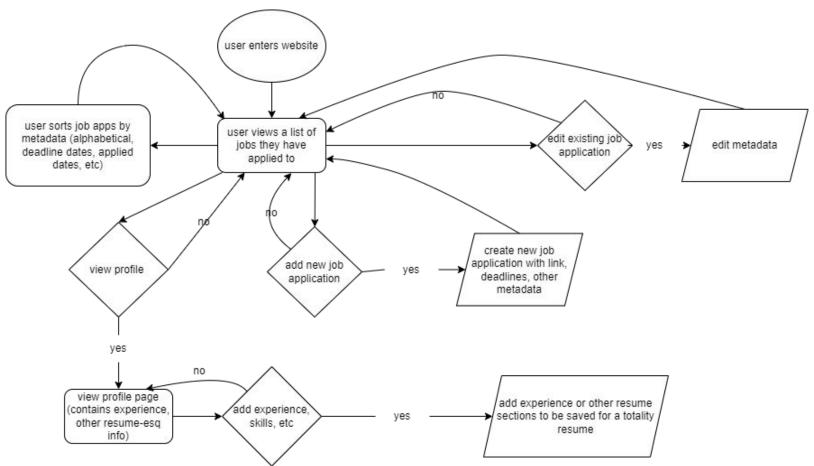
Persona: a person who is looking for a job and has a high volume of applications

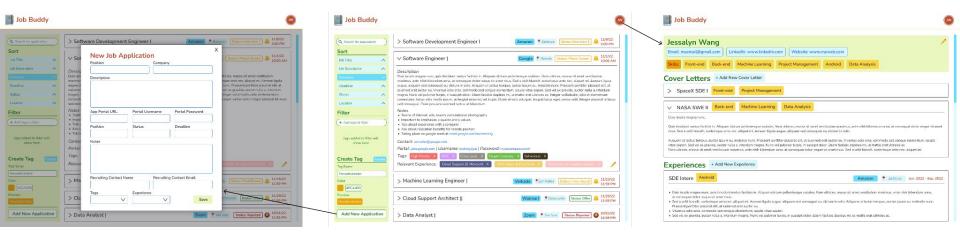
As a person who has applied to hundreds of jobs, I need a place to manage all of my applications, especially the different statuses and metadata related to each, as I could be in the process with multiple companies at any given time.

- Can use the ability to store notes and deadlines to keep track of what is due first as well as important tidbits of information such as company values, interview format, etc.
- Can use the resume feature to easily keep track of all experiences for putting together a one page resume for each application.

# **Solution:** Job Application Manager

## **User Flow**

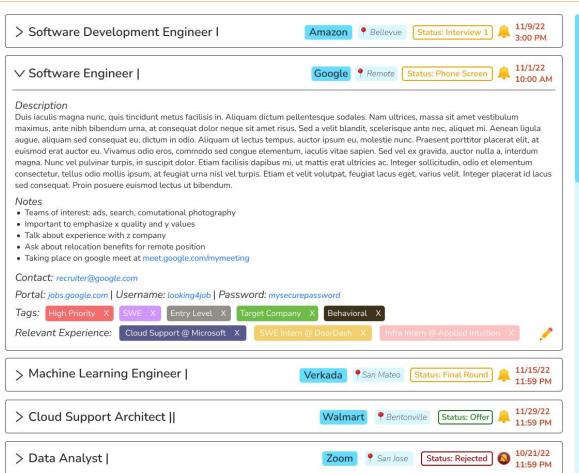


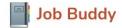




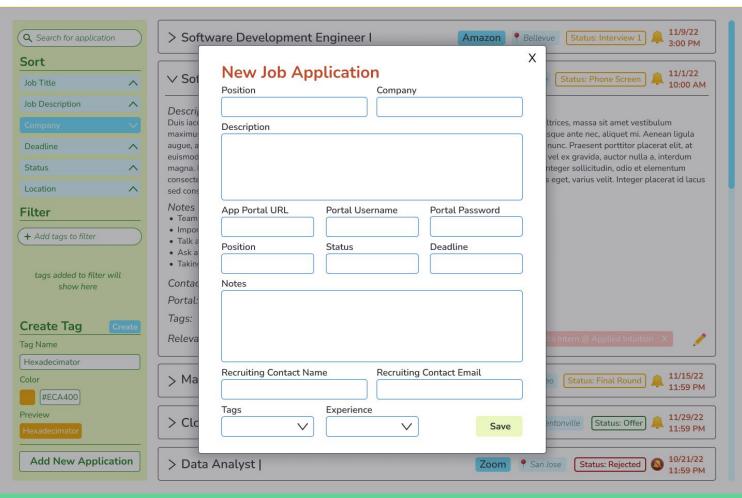






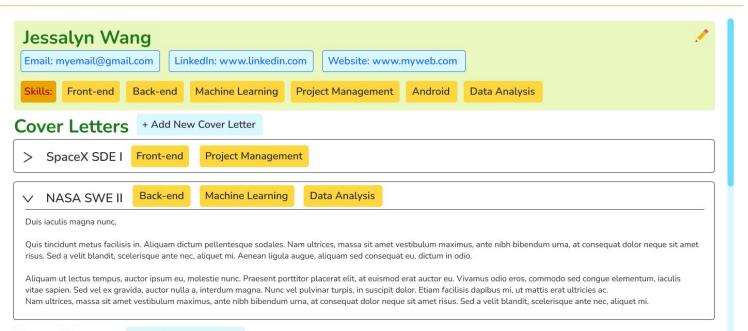












#### Experiences

+ Add New Experience

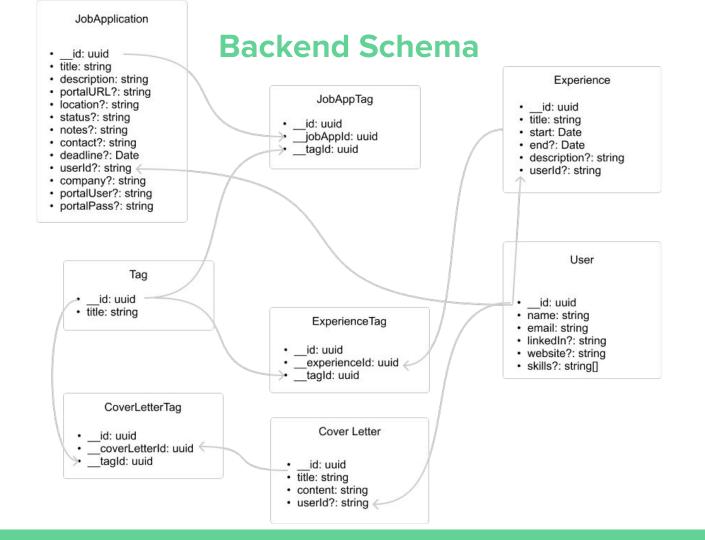
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#### Features

- 1. Contact information: Recruiters/Hiring Managers
- 2. Link to third party app portal + username and password used for the portal
- 3. Deadlines for applications
- 4. Interview dates and times and topics, company principles
- 5. Job description and title
- 6. Offer information for comparison/leveraging + deadline
- 7. Ability to tag applications with base or custom tags
- 8. The ability to save information on your entire experience and tag each experience for easy resume generation
- 9. Personal notes
- 10. Keyword search, filtering, and sorting of applications, experiences



# Risks, Pitfalls, Rabbit holes

- One of the risks will be coming from the users themselves. If some of the information
  has been entered with mistakes, it could be hard for users to recover info such as
  contact information as well as search results since we will not account for typos.
- One possible rabbit hole is that we will focus on providing a lot of features when in reality it is best to have less features for better usability and less density/confusion.
  - Hopefully mitigate by having third party users test the application as development is going
- Another risk is having ambiguously defined features, such as priority. Users can sort by priority, but it is very likely that multiple applications will have equal/unassigned priority, and it would differ by user opinions on what should happen in this case
- A pitfall is that we are not able to get all of the features done due to time restraints. In this case, we will have to scale back features and focus on what is important. At a baseline, we want to be able to add jobs with title and description, tags, and sort/filter by title/description or tags

# Project Roadmap

Weeks 0-5: Team building, division of roles, brainstorming, design work

Week 6: Project pitch

Week 7: CI/CD pipeline finished, First dev tasks done

Week 8: Second and third dev tasks done, re-evaluate scope if needed

Week 9: Fourth and fifth dev tasks done, re-evaluate scope if needed

Week 10: Final testing and stretch goals

# Roles + Technologies

Front-end: Isabelle, Eric, Jin, Pierre

Back-end: Jessalyn, Alex, Hayk, Qingxin

Design: Srivasta, Isabelle, Eric

<u>Technologies:</u> HTML, CSS, Javascript for front-end, back-end. Node + Jest for testing. If time permits, a cloud-based side