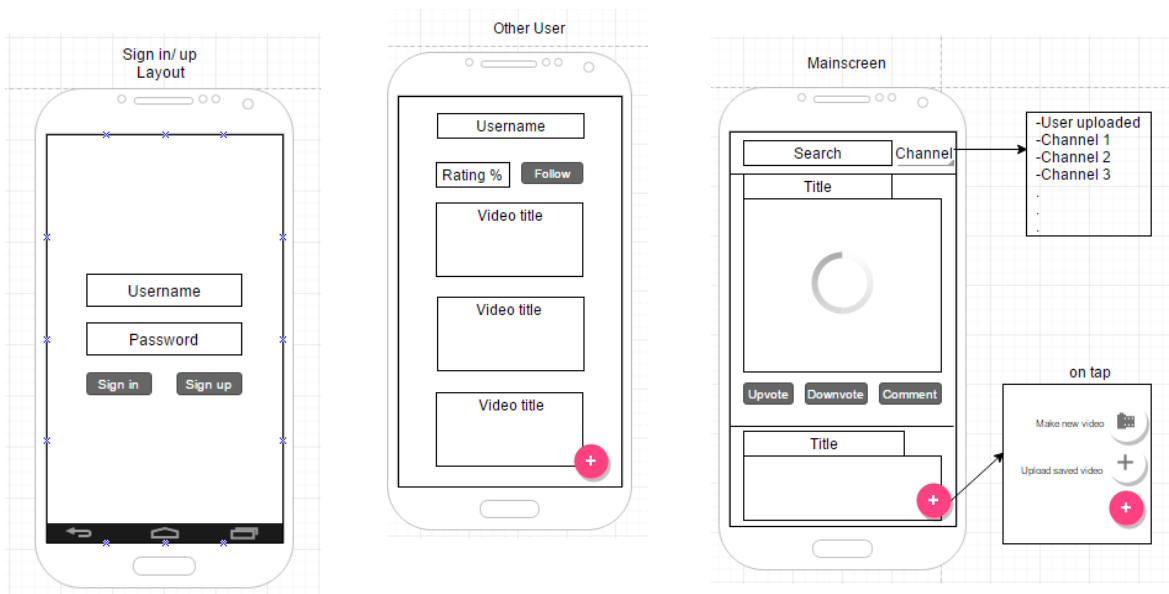


Newsvid Development Documentation

First stand-up:

In our first sprint, we worked on the basic wireframes of our app. Doing this resulted in the decisions of which screens the app needed to function. We started off with a number of ideas that would have been nice to include but were not necessary for our product.



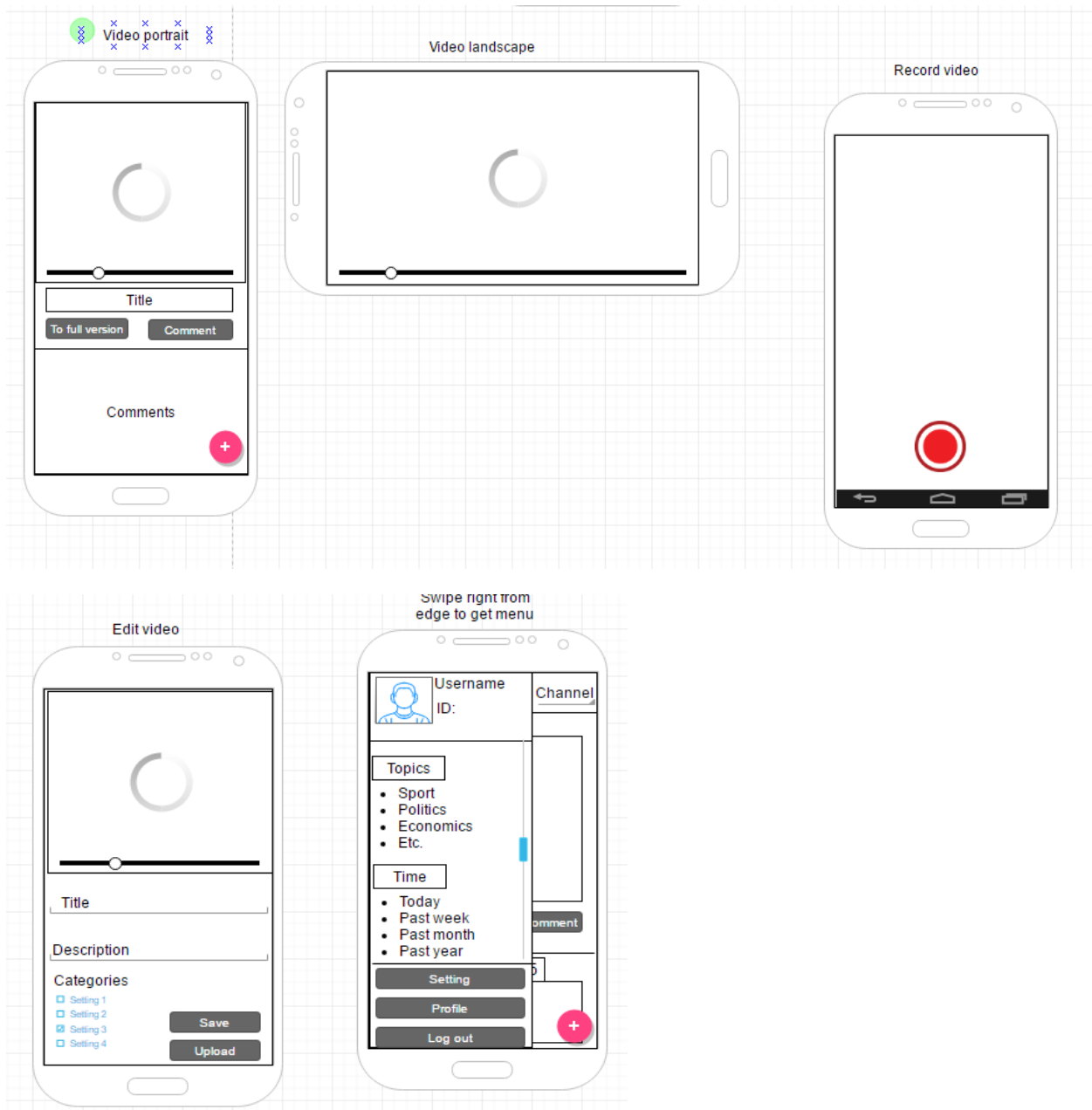
These are the wireframes that we managed to complete and the other screens that we needed are the record screen, the playback screen and the settings.

We started off with a number of different ideas for features we could include, most of which would have required a lot more work to implement. These included things like a friends list, where you can see what friends are uploading and commenting. This feature was reduced to a simple comment feature that still allows a social aspect and does not subtract from the primary goal of the app.

Another feature that was considered was the inclusion of live streaming, which would potentially improve the app by providing even faster coverage of events, but the number of issues with this far outweighed the benefits. This system could very easily be abused and used in unintended ways.

Second stand-up

In this sprint we continued creating wireframes and started getting feedback from other people. We also started working on the mockups of the app. At this point it was too early to start getting feedback on these mockups.



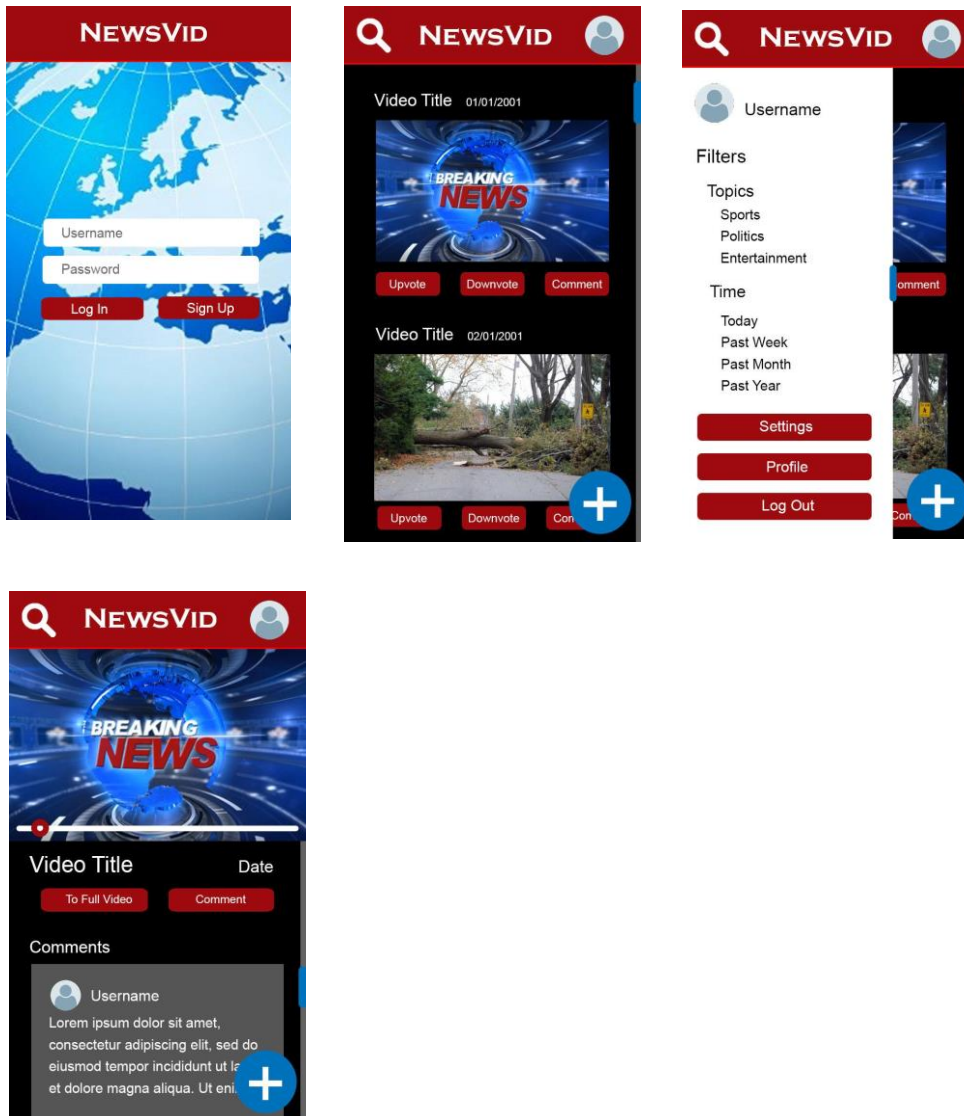
These are the wireframes that were completed during this sprint.

During this phase we also discussed and decided on the intended primary content of our app. We initially had two different ideas about the format of the videos, the first of which was that news channels would upload one 10-minute video a day that covered all of the news, while the other idea was that news channels and users would be limited to 2 or 3 minutes and each video

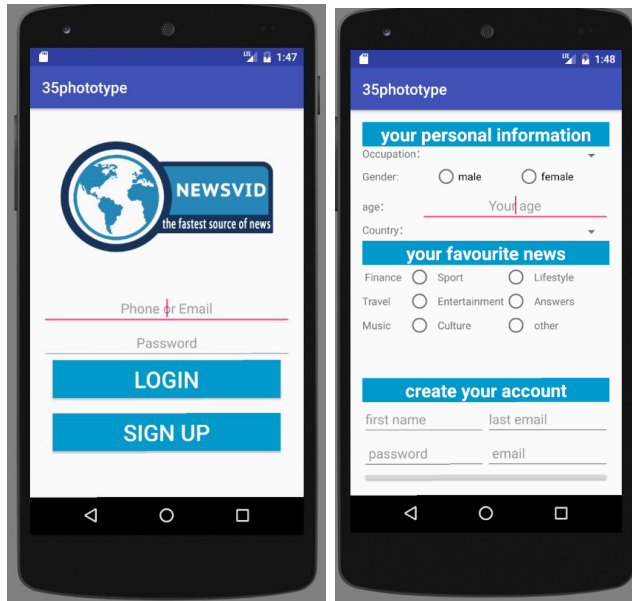
would have to focus on one topic. A compromise was made and we decided that both options can work together, with news companies uploading one long video each day that links to a lot of smaller videos that they published throughout the day.

Third stand-up

During this sprint, we completed the mockups and started working on the actual prototype. Additionally, we started working on the promotional website.



These are some of the mockups based on the wireframes from earlier.

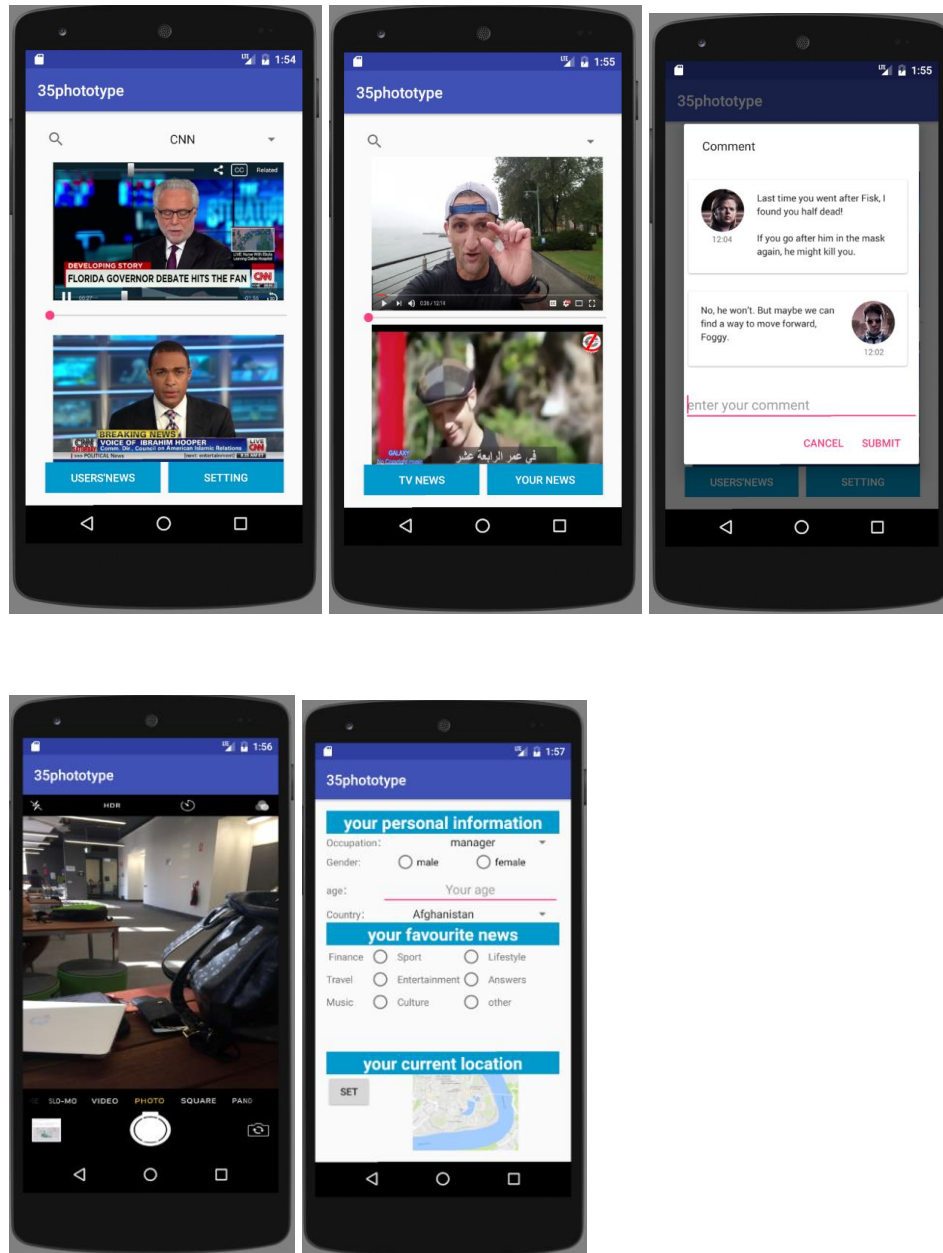


These two screens are the login page and the sign up page.

We also discussed the options of the promotional material, and chose a website over a video due to our skills.

Another decision that was made during this sprint was the fact that we should put more emphasis on the user upload feature and less on the length of the videos. Although this doesn't really change the design of the app, it affects the promotional website and our presentation.

Final Product:



These (and the previously shown ones) are the screens that we completed for the prototype. In order, they are news from tv channels, user uploaded videos, comments, recording view and settings. There is no way to actually watch a video in the prototype but they would simply play inline so it would look the same as the two first pages.

The change in video playback location and comments section was done based on feedback. The original design would require much more time and was a lot less user friendly than our final solution.