Spring 2020 Project: Student to Career Visualization Tool

Capstone Weekly Status Report
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https://github.com/dep7/CS475-SPR20-SeniorProject

REPORT WEEK 1 (JAN 20- JAN 26)

- A. Weekly Accomplishments
 - a. Worked on the proposal during time allowed. Professor gave us some changes that were needed to for the proposal.
 - 1. Put Gantt chart on separate page with orientation landscape
 - 2. Make the activities and Gantt chart more detailed
 - o Adding in the midterm project launch
 - 3. Separate the problem statement section into Introduction and Problem Statement
 - b. During Class time we took advantage of the leftover time and began working on requirements.
 - 1. Jake made a word document for us to brainstorm some possible requirements for the system.
 - 2. Team collectively went into the document and worked on brainstorming high level requirements
 - 3. Team collectively went into document and broke down the high-level requirements
- B. Problems/Issues
 - a. No Current Issues
- C. Next week's planned work
 - a. Continue to refine the functional requirements
 - b. Look into database and data to populate it
 - c. Make a repository to store, update, and keep track of work
- A. Time log

Jake: 4.5 hrs, Joshua: 4.5 hrs, Danielle: 6.0 hrs. Total: 15.0 hrs

REPORT WEEK 2 (JAN 25- JAN 31)

- A. Weekly Accomplishments
 - a. Worked on the first set/draft of functional requirements.
 - 1. Focuses mainly on the requirements for the database in order to get started creating the database and assembling the fake data that will populate the database.
 - b. Made a Git Repository for all documentation, code, and project information.
 - 1. Link: https://github.com/dep7/CS475-SPR20-SeniorProject
 - 2. No current information has been uploaded yet.
 - c. Started assembling the Functional Requirements Project Documentation
- B. Problems/Issues
 - a. No Current Issues
- C. Next week's planned work
 - a. Continue to refine the functional requirements
 - 1. Expanding on the requirements for the other parts of the project (like webpage, graphical features, etc.)
 - 2. Refine the requirements of the database requirements
 - b. Get requirements approved by Dr. Dimitoglou (for the database, specifically)
 - 1. To get started on the database creation and the formulation of the fake data with the approved requirements.
 - c. Look into database attributes and design
 - d. Formulate of fake data
- D. Time log

Jake: 5 hrs, Joshua: 5 hrs, Danielle: 5 hrs. Total: 15.0 hrs

REPORT WEEK 3 (FEB 1- FEB 7)

- A. Weekly Accomplishments
 - a. Drafted up the UI design for the Student Visualization Tool.
 - 1. Reviewed it as a group and discussed any possible changes that needed to be made to the design.
 - 2. Specified that on the search page, that if the user does not supply certain information then there will be a default or that there will be graphics that remain empty for the user.
 - a) SQL statements will be made to take care of the exceptions.
 - b) There will not be a search section for the name of the students.
 - b. Updated the requirements based on the UI design that was drafted up
 - c. Looked into the things needed to set up environment for starting development work.
 - d. Uploaded UI design picture to the Git Repo.

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 - e. Attributes for the fake data that we will make was thought out based on the search page that was designed. The attributes that will be currently needed are:

| Name | Type | Description | Parameters/Notes |
|----------------|--------------------|---|---|
| Name | Char or VarChar | Name of the student | Data that we as the developers will only be using |
| DOB | Date | Date of Birth of student | developers will only be using |
| isInGradSchool | Boolean | Did the student go to Graduate School postgraduation? | If true, enter name and major of Graduate School |
| gradSchoolName | Char or VarChar | Name of Graduate School | Only asked if isInGradSchool is true |
| graduateMajor | Char or VarChar | Major that the student pursued in Graduate School | STEM Choices will be set and be chosen through drop down* |
| Major | Char or VarChar | Major that the student graduated with | STEM Choices will be set and be chosen through drop down* |
| Minor | Char or VarChar | Minor that the student graduated with | STEM Choices will be set and be chosen through drop down* |
| graduationDate | Date | The date the student graduated | |
| isEmployed | Boolean | Did the student work post-graduation? | If true, enter name of employer, date of employment and salary |
| employmentDate | Date | The date the student was hired | Only asked if isEmployed is true |

| employerName | Char or VarChar | Name of the company the student works for | Only asked if isEmployed is true Choices will be set and be chosen through drop down* |
|--------------|--------------------|--|---|
| salary | Double | How much the student is making at employer | Only asked if isEmployed is true |

^{*}If the choice is not found in the list then, other shall be selected.

B. Problems/Issues

a. No Current Issues

C. Next week's planned work

- a. Continue to refine the functional requirements (continued from last week)
 - 1. Expanding on the requirements for the other parts of the project (like webpage, graphical features, etc.)
 - 2. Refine the requirements of the database requirements
 - 3. Get them into a formal document
- b. Uploaded requirements document to the Git Repo.
- c. Get database requirements approved by Dr. Dimitoglou (continued from last week)
- d. Make changes that were discussed to the Search Page UI
- e. Formulate of fake data based on the attributes that are listed above
- f. Create the shell of the database without adding the data in
- g. Once database requirements are approved, create the data with updated attributes and load into the database.
- h. Get environment set up for start of development (by Monday)
 - 1. Download Composer, PHP, and Laravel
 - 2. Download Wamp Server

D. Time log

Jake: 3 hrs, Joshua: 3 hrs, Danielle: 3.5 hrs. Total: 9.5 hrs