

Ideation Document

Title: Business Networking and Mentorship

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1. Project Overview Objective

To provide a platform where business professionals can efficiently find, connect with, and receive guidance from experienced mentors within their industry. By fostering these relationships, we aim to accelerate professional growth, increase knowledge sharing, and strengthen industry connections.

2. Description

The rapid pace of the business world means professionals must continuously upgrade their skills, strategies, and networks. While books, seminars, and online courses provide immense value, there's nothing quite like personalized guidance from someone who's been through the trenches. This platform seeks to bridge the gap between up-and-coming professionals and seasoned industry veterans, creating a space for genuine learning and mentorship.

3. Technical Description

3.1 Users (Website Functionalities):

1. Profile Management:

- Set up and edit profiles; choose roles (mentor or mentee).
- Upload/change profile picture.

2. Search and Connect:

- Send and respond to connection requests.
- Search for mentors/mentees based on criteria like industry or skills.

3. Booking System:

- Browse and book available time slots of mentors.

4. Communication:

- Direct messaging between mentors and mentees.

Feedback and Ratings:

- Rate sessions and view received feedback.

3.2 Admin (Desktop Application Functionalities):

1. User Management:

- Oversee all registered users; activate or deactivate accounts.

2. Content Moderation:

- Approve or delete user-uploaded content.

3. Event Management:

- Organize and manage networking events; view RSVPs.

4. Booking Oversight:

- Monitor and manage mentorship bookings.

5. Communication Tools:

- Send platform-wide announcements.

6. System Management:

- Handle system backups and updates.



