Assignment 1 – Limbo User Stories

The goals of this exercise are to get some practice with user stories.

Tasks

1. Study the attached template.
2. Tear off this cover sheet.
3. Fill in the gray cells by typing directly in the document.
   1. In the “As a/an” column put in Owner, Finder, Admin, or any combination as appropriate.
   2. In the “I want to…” and “so that…” columns add sentence fragments so that the template reads like plain English.
4. Check grammar and typos.
5. Add team member names.
6. Print one hardcopy.
7. Bring to class.

Evaluation

The assignment will be evaluated on the basis of these instructions, writing, clarity, accuracy, thoroughness, and ingenuity.

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| Id | As a/an | I want to... | so that... |
| 1 | Owner | Know if someone found my stuff | I can recover my stuff at its location. |
| 2 | Owner | Report my lost stuff | If someone finds it they will know that I’m want to recover it. |
| 3 | Owner | Include descriptive information about my stuff such as make, model, color, etc. | A finder will have plenty of information on what I have lost and can identify that it is my item they have found. |
| 5 | Owner | Add my name to a list of people of what lost similar items | If someone finds my stuff they will better know if it is the one I’ve lost. |
| 6 | Owner | Attach a photograph of the lost item | If someone finds it they will have a better idea what the item looks like. |
| 7 | Owner | Leave contact information like my phone and email address | If someone finds it they will be able to contact the owner with details on where it is and when they can get it. |
| 8 | Owner | Know the status of my stuff | Recover my stuff when it is has been found. |
| 9 | Owner / Finder | NOT have to create a login or register with a system | I don’t have to remember username / password |
| 10 | Owner | Update the status of my stuff. | Someone who finds an item like mine with know that it is not mine. |
| 11 | Finder | Report found stuff | If someone is looking for it they will know where it is. |
| 12 | Admin | Login securely first and foremost | I can do privileged tasks. |
| 13 | Admin | Get a report on the L&F inventory | Ensure items are being returned to owners once found by finders and that no items are getting stuck on the site either not being found or not being resolved once found. |
| 14 | Admin | Purge items in the system | Do periodic housekeeping |
| 15 | Admin | Create other admin users | Administer access to the system |
| 16 | Admin | Modify my password and other account info | No one will be able to access admin privileges that shouldn’t have admin privileges |
| 17 | Admin | Delete admin users | Users who are no longer with the organization won’t have administrative access. |
| 18 | Admin | Have a two-tier admin system | Some there are regular admin users and admin super users who can create and modify other admin users. |
| 19 | Owner | Input some validating info about myself | When I recover the item, the L&F manager can positively identify me. |
| 20 | Owner | Link their Marist email address to the account | When an item is found matching the description of the one I’ve lost I will be notified. |
| 21 | Admin | See any reports of lost items that have been open for x amount of days | Old unresolved reports do not clutter the System for new Finders or Owners. |

1. Foto Search, <http://sr.photos1.fotosearch.com/bthumb/ARP/ARP123/limbo.jpg>, Accessed: 31 Jul 2013 [↑](#footnote-ref-1)