Assignment: PHP Blog Security

To complete the assignment, you will need to add the following functionality that is missing from the default blog site, each of these should have their own tabs:

- → Login (should not be visible when logged in)
- → Log out (should be visible only when logged in)
- → Register User (should not be visible when logged in)
- → Privacy Policy (always visible)

Note: there is a DropBox for your code when you are done.

In addition to the DropBox, you must show in person or create a video (with permission) demonstrating the following functionality being tested:

- Register a new user (succeeds, refresh database before and after to show the change)
- LOGIN: wrong user, wrong password (fails)
- LOGIN: right user, wrong password (fails)
- LOGIN: trying to use SQL injection: ' OR 1=1 for username and password (fails)
- LOGIN: Right username and password (succeeds and tabs change appropriately)
- Show the privacy policy (on recording you should slowly scroll through)
- LOG OUT: logging out changes the tabs appropriately

You should maintain the CSS (look and feel) of the site while adding functionality to it.

Hint 1: **menu.php** is where the tabs are!

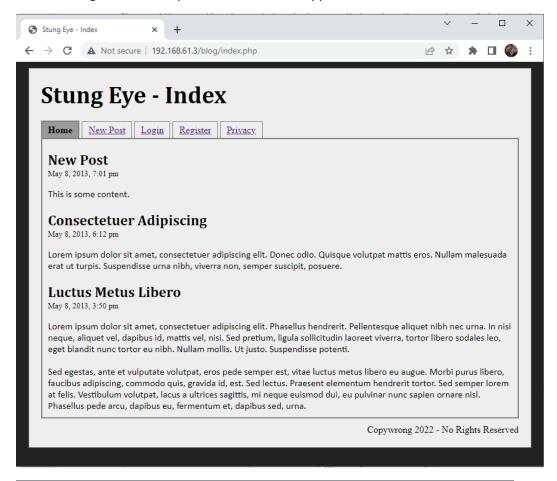
The following code snippet shows how to make decisions using php based on whether the session variable 'username' has been set.

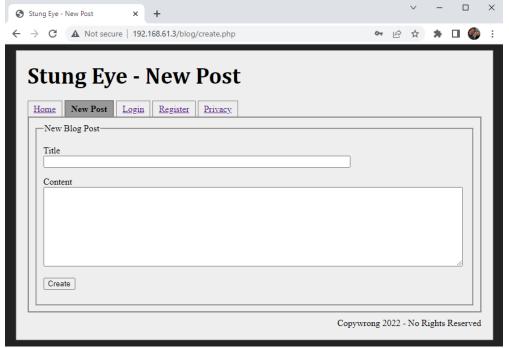
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<?php
    if (!isset($_SESSION['username']))
{ ?>
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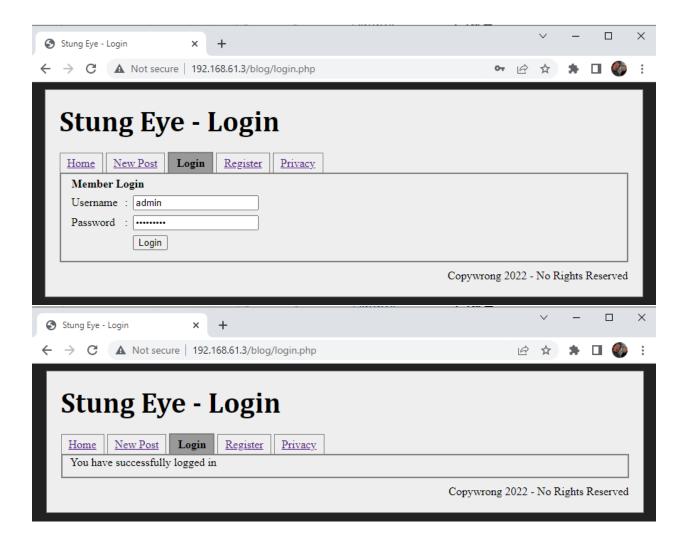
Hint 2: Look at index.php and review how it references menu.php. Just note that we're using our own databaseconnections.php file instead of the premade database.php. If you follow the same format in the new files, you can easily keep the same format/css going.

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Hint 3: Use <div id="all_blogs"> on all your new pages! (all html/php in here will be in a nice box for you!)
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The following shows a completed version of the application:







Note: Once logged in the tabs change and Log out is now visible!

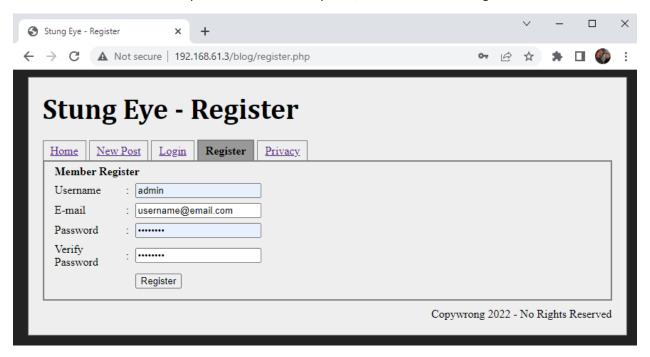
The "Register" tab disappears, because we're logged in.



Clicking on "Logout" causes a message to appear and then the user should be transferred back to the index or login page automatically.

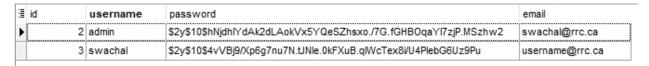


The register in this image contains an email and a verify password. Feel free to include these if you want! For the email to work, you'll want to add it as a column to the database and modify your code to take in the new parameter. This is easy to do with copy/pasting the code used already and just adding the email field with the same patterns. This isn't required, but it's a fun challenge!



Registering a user shows a success page and redirects to being logged in.. or redirects to the login.

The database should contain a properly hashed value with salt:



Here is an example privacy policy. You can just find anything on the internet within reason, use a template generator if you want, just customize it and make it for a blog. ©

You should not just copy paste the screenshot privacy policy (this is an EXAMPLE).

