Notes 9/15

(Client Meeting)

Forgive me if not everything is accurate... I couldn’t understand half of what she said over the phone. If there is anything I missed or got wrong, please feel free to make changes.

Important Notes:

* Lunch-and-Learn
  + Date: Oct. 18th (Friday)
  + Time: 12 pm (ish)
  + Location: Feature 23
  + Topic: Boostrap 4 new feature?
* Film Festival
  + Date: Oct. 15-17th
  + Location: Main library?
  + We need to attend

Mike:

* make first meeting a 'get to know the client' meeting. (intrapersonal)
  + what does she want?
  + what is the problem she wants solved?
* Empathize with the client and their needs.
  + 'connect' with the client, put yourself in their shoes.
* Constraint based approach (if client doesn't have time to work with us)
  + relies on us coming up with ideas to solve her problem.
* Stay out of the technical side of things.
  + Stay more in the 'business' domain.
* We all need to be on the 'same page' with the client's needs.
  + "Everyone needs to be able to tell the same story"

Karthik:

* If client cannot meet up on a consistent basis, he will fill the role of the client

Client:

* Client's problem:
  + She doesn't have the time or manpower to do an 'efficient' voting system.
* Mobile app will only consist of the "public viewing" aspect of the project.
* Film Festival:
  + Before Film Festival:
    - Voting:
      * Not allowed
    - Films:
      * Needs to be able to add/modify/delete(cancel) films
      * She has a cut off date for film applicants, a few days after she has a full schedule of films.
  + During Film Festival:
    - Block - 1 hour time period which multiple films are shown
    - Voting:
      * 1 vote per person per block
      * Voting should be able to be done by the app or web.
        + there will be kiosk there for people without phones.
      * Challenge - get votes of 300ish people in a timely manner.
      * Challenge - How to prevent 1 person from voting multiple times?
    - Films:
      * Multiple films shown in a single block
      * Films are not shown by genre
        + there will be multiple genres in a single block
      * The film creator (director/maker/etc.) will be present when their film is shown
      * Overall around 100 films over 3 days
    - Leaderboards:
      * Is displayed outside of the viewing area, and should be updated in real-time.
        + We should find out if she wants the leaderboards to be by genre + overall or just overall.
  + After Film Festival:
    - Voting:
      * Not allowed
      * Counted up and display logistics (info) on various categories (will need to go more in depth at a later date)
        + Should calculate the winners
    - Films:
      * archived? (need to know more)
* Website:
  + (we haven't talked about this yet, we prioritized trying to understand the client's problem.)
* Client already has:
  + logo, art, background, color themes
  + domain names that are similar to current website.