Key Features and Assessment

1. Employer Features: Post Job Listings

- Assessment: Straightforward CRUD operations to manage job postings.
- Allows students to practice form validation, file uploads (e.g., for job descriptions or logos),
 and database management.

2. Job Seeker Features: Search and Apply for Jobs

- Assessment: Dynamic search with filtering and sorting (e.g., by job type, location, or salary)
 will reinforce skills in querying databases using JPA or Hibernate.
- Applying for jobs can involve file uploads (e.g., resumes), showcasing secure file handling practices.

3. Profile Management

- **Assessment**: Both employers and job seekers will need role-specific profile pages, giving students hands-on experience with role-based access control (e.g., Spring Security).
- o Provides exposure to front-end dynamic form handling and integration with REST APIs.

4. Intuitive and Scalable Design

- Assessment: Responsive design ensures students learn front-end frameworks like Bootstrap, Tailwind, or Material-UI.
- Scalability encourages clean architecture (e.g., MVC) and potentially introduces cloud deployments for handling growing data loads.

Innovative Suggestions

1. Al-Driven Job Recommendations

- Feature: Use an AI algorithm to suggest jobs to job seekers based on their profile, preferences, and past applications.
- Implementation: Implement a recommendation engine using machine learning libraries or APIs.

2. Video Resumes and Video Interview Scheduling

- **Feature**: Enable job seekers to upload video introductions and allow employers to schedule video interviews within the platform.
- o Implementation: Integrate a video streaming service like WebRTC or Zoom API.

3. Skill Assessment Tests

- Feature: Employers can attach skill tests to job postings, and job seekers must complete them as part of their applications.
- o **Implementation**: Build quizzes or coding tests with real-time evaluation and scoring features.

4. Employer Dashboard with Insights

- Feature: Provide analytics to employers about job post views, applications, and candidate quality.
- o **Implementation**: Use data visualization libraries like Chart.js or D3.js to display stats.

5. Job Alerts for Job Seekers

- Feature: Notify job seekers about new job postings matching their preferences via email or in-app notifications.
- Implementation: Use a scheduled task with Spring Boot (e.g., Quartz Scheduler) for sending alerts.

6. Geo-Location Based Search

- Feature: Include a map view for job locations and allow location-based filtering.
- Implementation: Integrate Google Maps API or Leaflet.js.

7. Multi-Language Support

- o **Feature**: Offer the platform in multiple languages to broaden accessibility.
- Implementation: Use i18n (internationalization) libraries for dynamic text translation.

8. Gamification for Job Seekers

- Feature: Add gamified elements like achievement badges for completing profiles or applying to a set number of jobs.
- Implementation: Create a points-based system and display progress on dashboards.

9. Endorsements and Reviews

- Feature: Let job seekers endorse peers and employers leave reviews for candidates they've hired
- o **Implementation**: Design a review and endorsement module with ratings and comments.