

Perigo



### Problem

- 1. Facebook Marketplace and sub groups like Free and For Sale are not great interfaces for buying and selling of used items
- 2. Other alternatives like Craigslist are outdated and don't work well within a tight knit community like USC

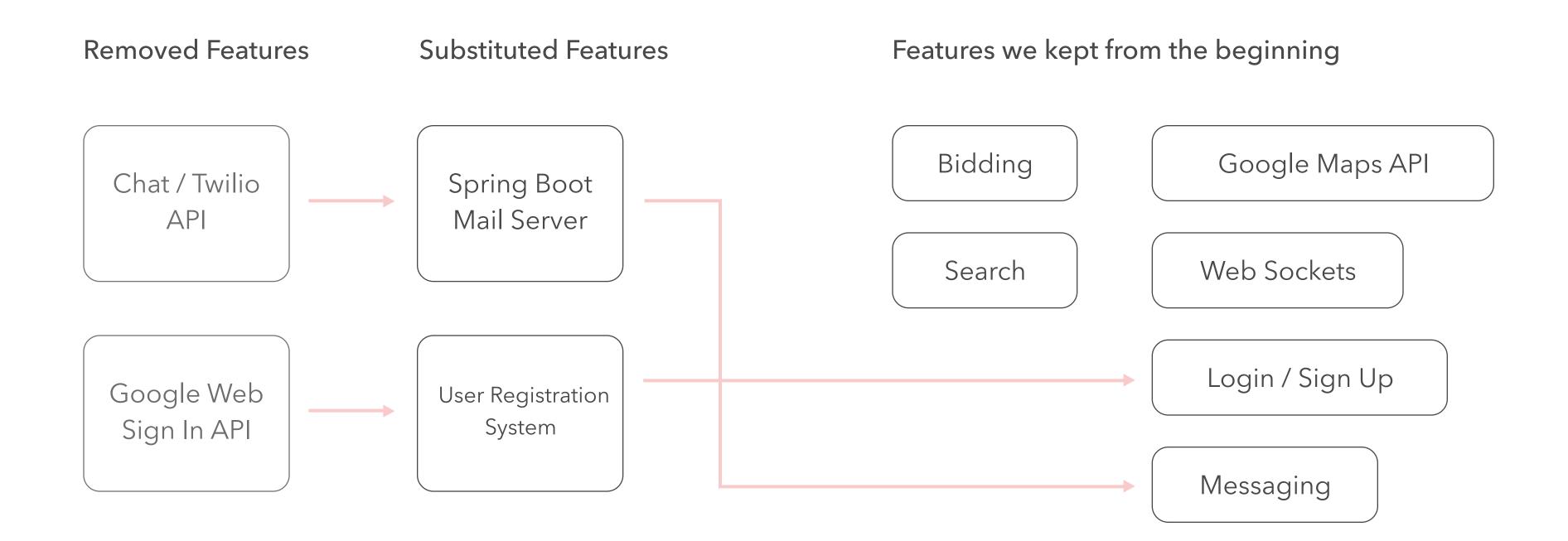


## Solution

Create an intuitive and easy to use web interface that allows members of the USC community to trade, sell, and buy goods from / with one another

# Design and Development Decisions

#### Project Design





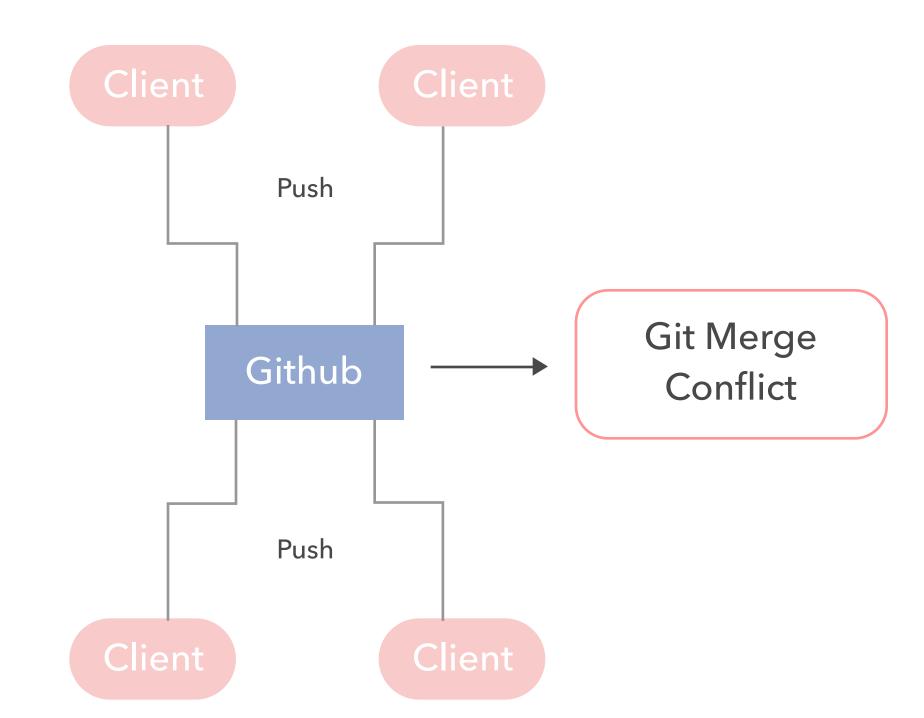
## Teamwork

### What worked

Coding as a Group
Half Frontend - Half Backend
Organizing the work on GitHub
Slack Channels

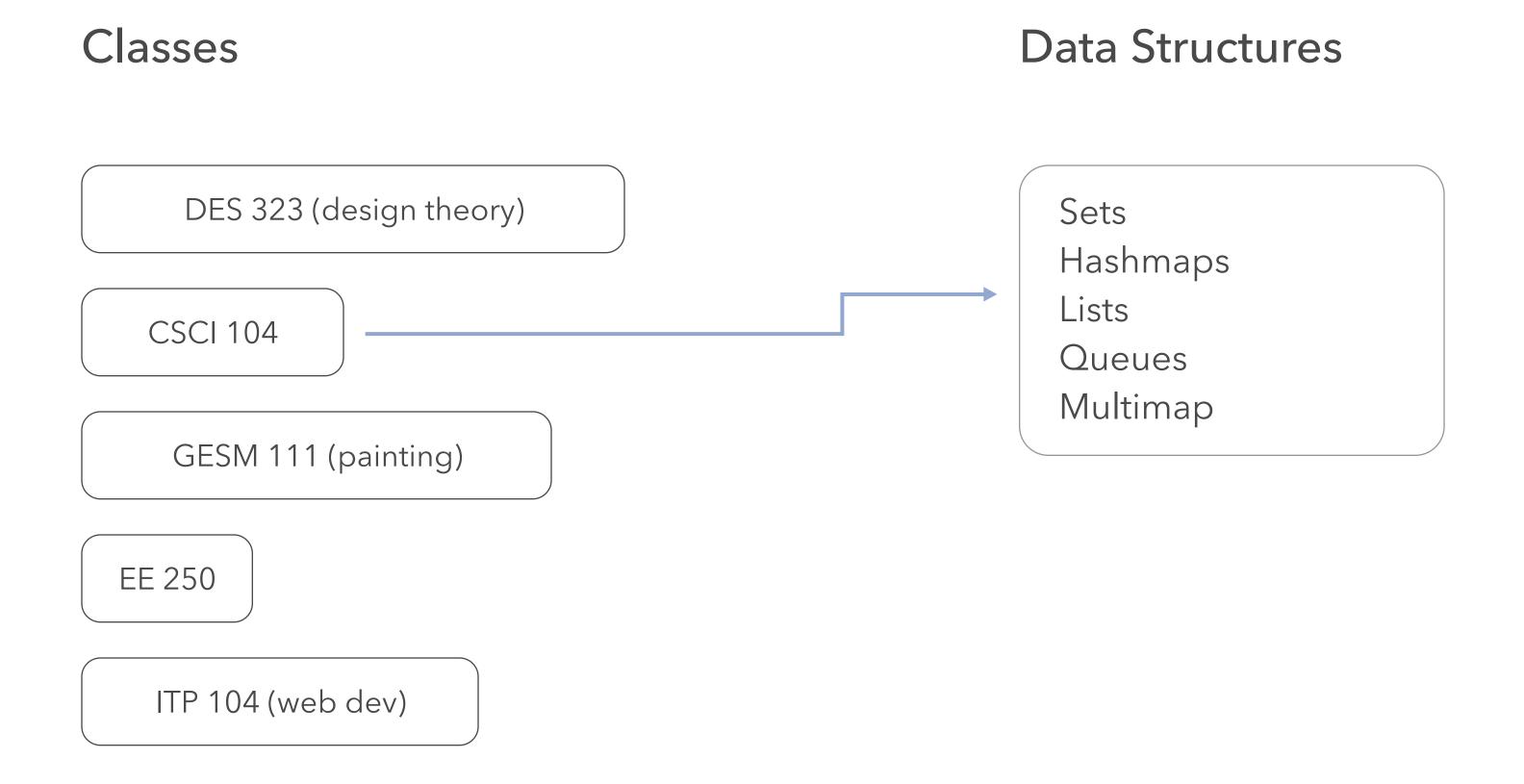
What didn't work

Splitting the work
Version control, Merge Conflicts





### Outside Classes and Data Structures





## Multithreading and Networking

### Multiple threads

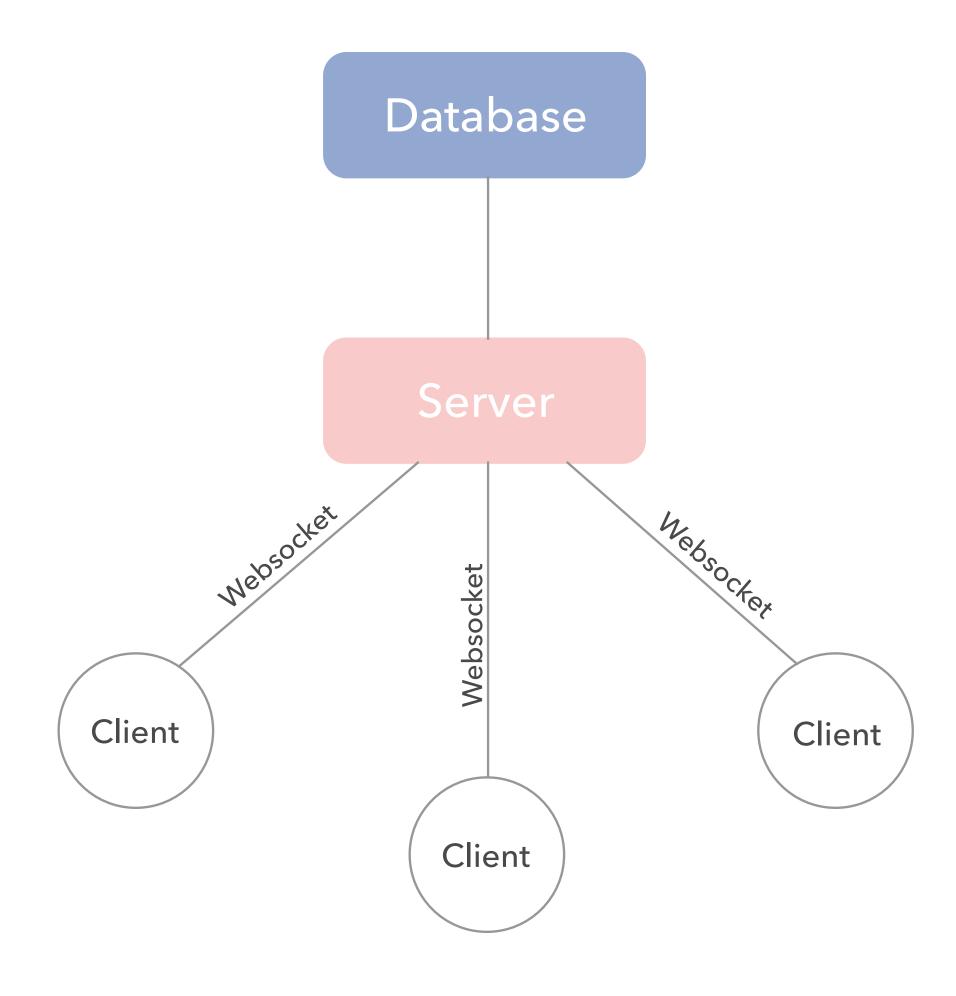
Asynchronous AJAX calls to backend

A thread loops through the database to check if any bidding is expiring in 5 minutes or less

Another thread alerts users if any biddings are soon to expire

### Networking and WebSockets

New thread for every new logged in user websocket connection





### Tools Used

#### Software and Programs

Icon Design, Page Layout, Prototyping







Testing AJAX, track merges, frontend / pair programming (teletype), communication









### Outside Topics

Non-Relational Databases (mongoDB)

**REST API** 

Password Hashing

Cookies

Image Encoding

**User Registration** 

**Version Control** 

**APIs Used** 

Google Maps Firebase



## User Login Functionality

Functionality	Guest	Authenticated User
Viewing / Searching items		
Bidding / Purchasing items		
Listing an item		
Adding item to saved list		
Notifications on bid items		
Messaging seller		