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IAN NICO CAULIN

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This University

Dear Mr. Caulin,

Greetings!

The **Google Developer Student Clubs USTP** is a non-profit organization, affiliated to **Google Developers**, with its remarkable aim to build technological solutions through programming education, while empowering and creating a community of developers who are passionate about uplifting communities through science, technology, and innovation.

As we wanted to help the community, specifically our university, we have come up with a solution in regards to an interactive campus map of USTP which has the same objectives of your proposed project. However, in our case, this is a proposal approved by the Office of the Student Affairs and Student Affairs and Services while on your end was a project in a subject.

As you already have your project - having its prototype, you still tried to ask permission from one of our developers of the said application last Friday, January 20, 2023 to use the 3D model to integrate with your project which we have appreciated. It was clear on that same day that we have rejected your proposal thus initiated to continue your 3D model.

However, just this day, January 24, 2023, we have seen your story on Facebook that you still integrated the 3D model made by one of our UI/UX developers. You highlighted that it was not a 3D model but a 2D image that turned out to be 3D. As technology enthusiasts, we have seen the similarities between our project on your end in which in just four (4) days, you created the entire campus.

In line with this, we are very skeptical about your project and **we are asking you to demonstrate to us on how you did it from scratch. This is a request from our organization.**

We are an organization who does not tolerate plagiarism and copyright issues. This was also supported by our university as per **Chapter 5 - Offenses and Penalties under Article 1 Academic Offense**, “*Plagiarism or a student’s unauthorized use of intellectual materials or writings (including computer programs) in one’s academic assignment without prior permission and acknowledging the author/source, and submitting such materials/writings as though they were his/her own*”, which has a consequence of **3-day suspension** and 2nd offense of **expulsion**.

Moreover, we are hoping that you can demonstrate to us on how you did it from scratch or if ever proven that you have used our project, even a picture of it, we will have to submit a letter for the chairman and the Office of the Student Affairs as well in regards to your offense. Kindly let us know when you are available so that we can set a meeting to discuss and assess it with the Technology Department.

Attached here are the screenshots of the messages including the stories that you have posted. We are hoping that you can perform our request and prove to us that we are wrong and we will be responsible for this and will apologize to you directly.

Thank you so much and have a great day ahead!

Building good things together,


YUL JHON O. JARANILLA
Lead and Chief Executive Officer, GDSC USTP

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Facebook
You're not friends on Facebook
2 mutual friends: Angel Rose Naval and Nstp Ustp-Cdo

Fri 6:25 PM

Good day, Ian! I am Yul Jaranilla, the Lead and Chief Executive Officer of Google Developer Student Clubs USTP. May I know what is your concern regarding our application?

 Ay wala man, igo raman ko nag ask ni joeninyo og copy sa 3d model sa school.

You can now message and call each other and see info like Active Status and when you've read messages.

 Kay among e puli atong 3d model sa among project

Ayy, if that's the case, the Trail map man gud is one of the major projects ni GDSC USTP this year. The concept, the 3D model, including the development, is sa GDSC mismo, not just sa isa lang ka person. It was already presented to the Office of Student Affairs napud including the student leaders sa university.

Unfortunately, we really cannot give you the access ato - although na open source to that, it will be launched naman gud sad next month and it's better if sa amo mismo gikan ang pag launch. We will give the source code after.

Joe was the developer, but the artist behind the 3D model was not him. So yeah, I regret to inform you nga ayaw lang sa siguro gamita for your project - even if you will give credits kay we want that to be exclusive sa as of now and will do a beta testing nuhon.

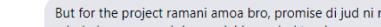


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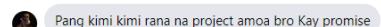
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Sorry kaayo and I hope you will understand.



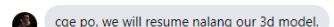
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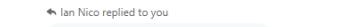
 Pang kimi kimi rana na project amo bro Kay promise

Yes, I understand. However, it is your hard work naman to make something and do better sa application. That blender model took a long process jud and I've asked the artist and dili jud siya musugot - including the organization. It's more like they were also part of your project naman gud if i push ninyo. I believe what you did kay okay naman ata to since gusto raman kaya sa inyong sir nga project lang - you don't have to make the same sa amo.

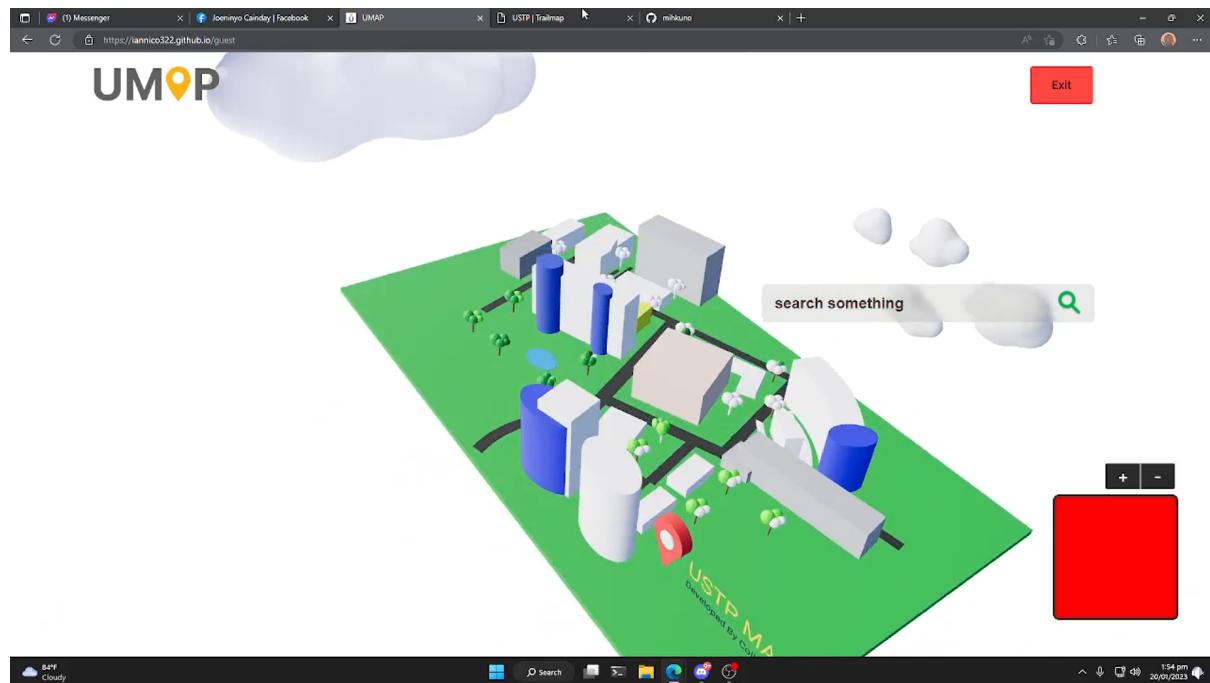
I am hoping nga ma understand sad nimo and i respect among decision. I am not threatening you ha but if ever lang ma found out namo nga na push through ni siya, we will send a formal complain jud sa chairman and sa dean. 😊



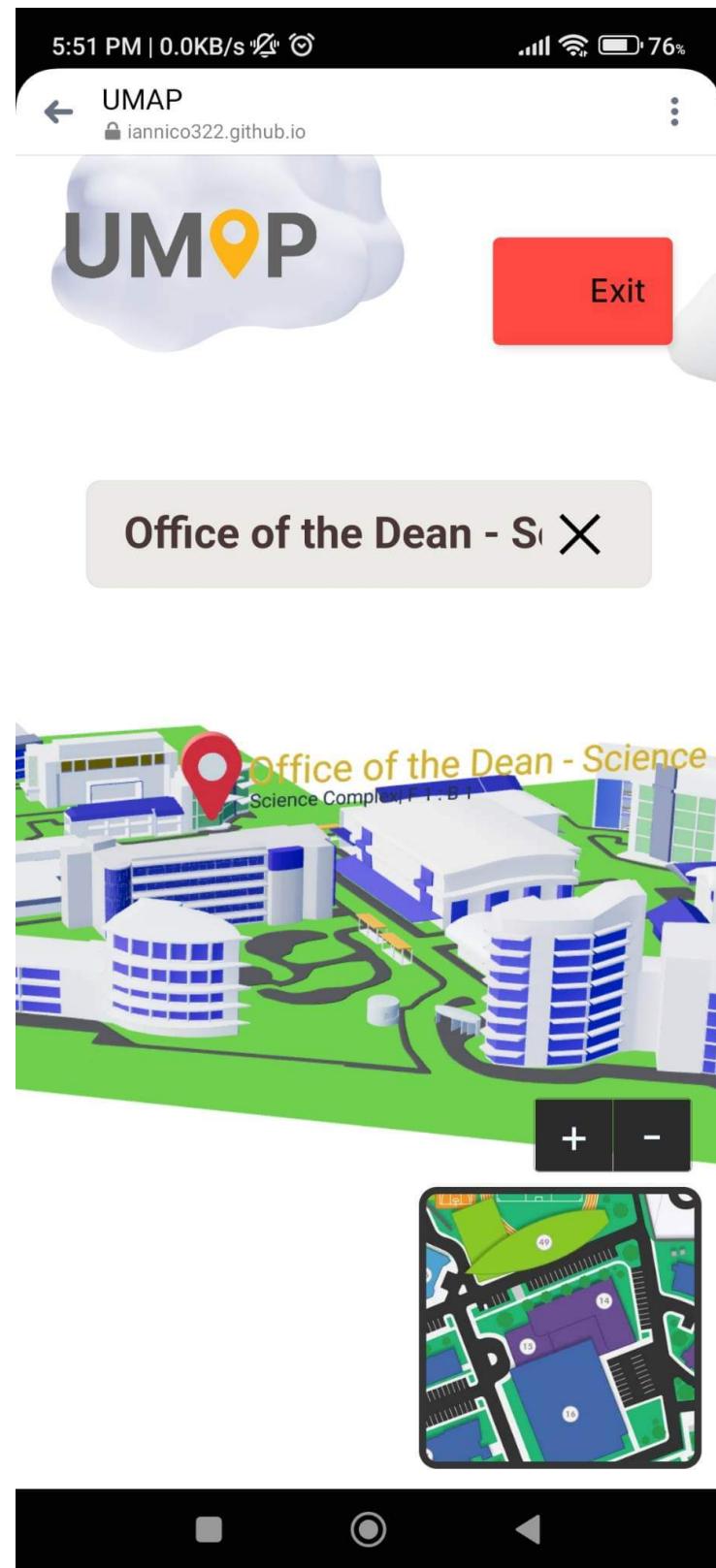




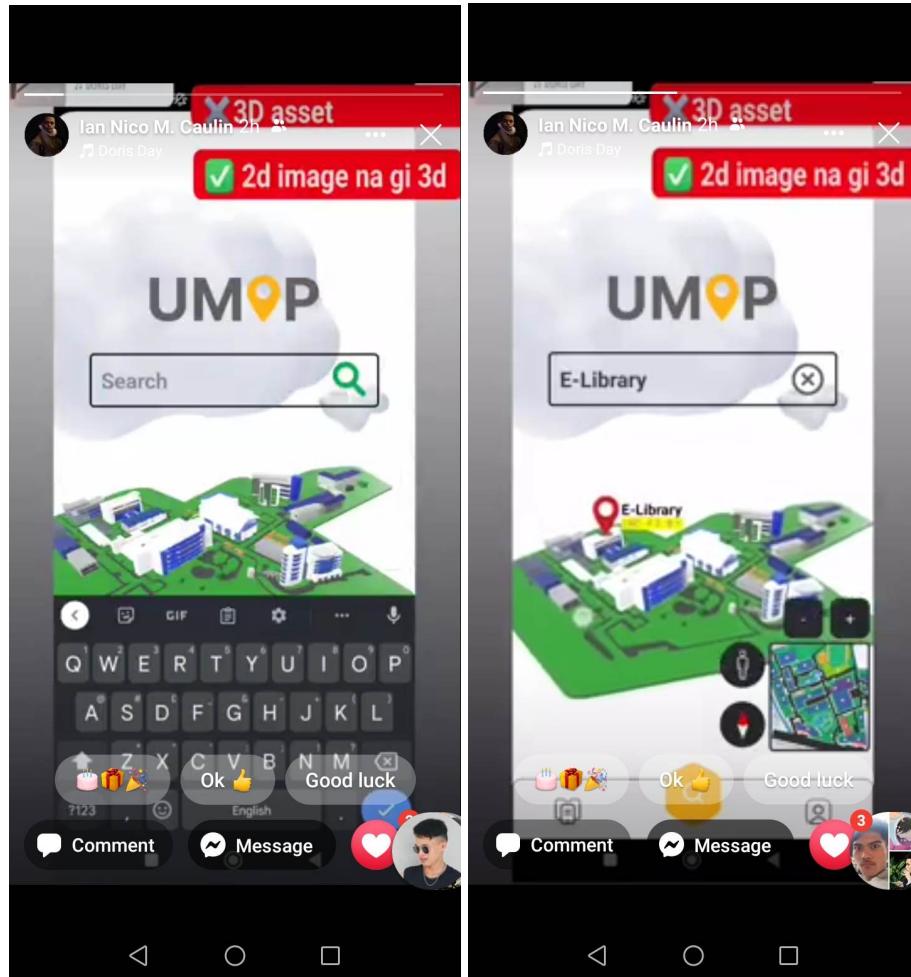




Initial Project before the integration of GDSC USTP 3D Model.



Proposed Output after the Integration of the GDSC USTP 3D Model



Facebook Story of the said concern.