

# User Stories

As a user, I want to easily understand the signup form, so that I can quickly and correctly fill in all the required fields.

**AC1: Concise fields and placeholders in the sign up form**

GIVEN the user is on the home page,  
WHEN they access the signup form,  
THEN the form has clear and concise labels for each field  
AND appropriate placeholders for each of them.

**AC2: Filling ALL the required fields in the authentication form**

GIVEN the user is on the login/signup page,  
WHEN they fill in all the required fields (and eventually part of the optional fields) and submit the form,  
THEN the user is logged in successfully.

**AC3: Filling PART of the required fields in the authentication form**

GIVEN the user is on the login/signup page,  
WHEN they submit the form without all the required fields,  
THEN an error message is displayed  
AND the user is not registered.

As a user, I want to modify my personal data, so that, in case I enter something wrong, I can change that information to be accurate.

**AC1: SUCCESSFULLY profile edit**

GIVEN the user is on "MyProfile" page,  
WHEN they edit one or more fields and save the changes,  
THEN the user's personal data is updated to the new values.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY profile edit**

GIVEN the user is on "MyProfile" page,  
WHEN they edit profile information with invalid data for that field,  
THEN an error message indicating the invalid fields is displayed  
AND the user's profile is not updated.

As an applicant, I want the modifications made to my profile to be propagated to all my sent applications, so that I don't have to update or resend all of them.

**AC1: SUCCESSFULLY propagation of applicant's profile edit**

GIVEN the applicant has an active account and an associated CV,  
WHEN they edit any field in their profile,  
THEN the sent applications display the modified data.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY propagation of applicant's profile edit**

GIVEN the applicant has an active account and an associated CV,  
WHEN they edit any field in their profile,  
BUT there is an error updating the profile data,  
THEN an error message is displayed, and the applicant remains on the edit page.

As an applicant, I want to receive, per email/notification, details regarding the status of my applications (accepted for interview/rejected), so that I stay informed about the stage I am in the recruitment process.

**AC1: SUCCESSFULLY receiving email/notification with details about applications status**

GIVEN the candidate has applied for a job,  
WHEN they are accepted for an interview / their application is rejected,  
THEN they receive an email/notification containing details about applications status.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY receiving email/notification with details about applications status**

GIVEN the candidate has applied for a job,  
WHEN they are accepted for an interview / their application is rejected,  
BUT there is a system error preventing the sending of notifications,  
THEN the failure is stored and the action is retried.

As an applicant, before the interview day, I want to receive an e-mail/notification with the date and time set for the the interview, so that I will not forget about it.

**AC1: SUCCESSFULLY receiving reminder email/notification about upcoming interview**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview,  
WHEN there is one day left until the upcoming interview,  
THEN they receive an email/notification which reminds about the date and time of the interview.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY receiving reminder email/notification about upcoming interview**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview,  
WHEN there is one day left until the upcoming interview,  
BUT there is a system error preventing the sending of notifications,  
THEN the failure is stored and the action is retried.

As an applicant, I want to be able to request interview date changes, so that, if something comes up in my schedule, I can reschedule the interview without sending emails to the interviewers.

**AC1: Applicant SUCCESSFULLY changes interview date**

GIVEN the applicant has been scheduled for an interview  
WHEN they submit a request to change the interview date,  
AND the request is approved by the main interviewer in charge with that interview,  
THEN the applicant receives a confirmation email/message for the date change request  
AND all the concerned interviewers receive a notification about the date change  
AND the interview date is successfully updated based on the applicant's request.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY change of interview date by the applicant**

GIVEN the applicant has been scheduled for an interview  
WHEN they submit a request to change the interview date,  
BUT the request is denied or encounters errors,  
THEN the applicant receives a notification stating the reason for denial or the encountered errors  
AND the interview date remains unchanged and the applicant is informed about this.

As an applicant, if my application is accepted, I want to select from a set of available slots, so that I choose the time that fits best for my interview.

**AC1: Applicant SUCCESSFULLY selects interview slot**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview  
AND they are on "MyInterviews" page and click the "Schedule interview" button,  
WHEN they select one of the available slots from the displayed calendar,  
THEN their interview is scheduled for that slot.

**AC1: UNSUCCESSFULLY selection of interview slot by the applicant**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview  
AND they are on "MyInterviews" page and click the "Schedule interview" button,  
WHEN they select one of the available slots  
BUT there occurs a concurrency issue  
THEN an error message is displayed  
AND their interview is not scheduled for that slot.

As an applicant, I want to be notified of any interview changes, so that I may modify my program accordingly.

**AC1: SUCCESSFULLY receiving email/notification about rescheduled interview**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview,  
WHEN there is a change in the time set for the upcoming interview,  
THEN they receive an email/notification with the updated time for the interview.

**AC2: UNSUCCESSFULLY receiving reminder email/notification about rescheduled interview**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview,  
WHEN there is a change in the time set for the upcoming interview,  
BUT there is a system error preventing the sending of notifications,  
THEN the applicant is called by an interviewer.

As an applicant, I want the interview room to be easy to access and use, so that I can focus on the assessment.

**AC: Ease of access to the interview room**

GIVEN the candidate has been accepted for an interview,  
WHEN they are on "MyInterviews" page,  
THEN they view clear instructions about how they access and use the interview room.

As an applicant, I want to withdraw my applications, so that I can give up on applications I am no longer interested in or created by accident.

**AC: Application withdrawal**

GIVEN the candidate has applied for a job  
AND they are not interested in that position anymore,  
WHEN they are on "MyApplications" page and click on the "Withdraw" button,  
THEN the application details are removed from the database  
AND the application is not displayed on the "MyApplications" page anymore.

As an applicant, I want to check the status of my applications, so that I plan my job search and interview preparation activities.

**AC: Check status of active applications**

GIVEN the candidate has applied for one or more jobs,  
WHEN they are on "MyApplications" page,  
THEN the applicant views a status (pending / accepted / rejected) for any of their active applications.

**AC: Check status of applications - no active applications**

GIVEN the candidate has no active application,  
WHEN they are on "MyApplications" page,  
THEN a message saying that there are no active applications is displayed.

As an unauthenticated user (potentially applicant), I want to be aware of all the stages of the recruitment process, so that I can decide whether I want to create an account on the platform.

**AC: Transparent recruitment process**

GIVEN the is on the home page,  
WHEN they view the "Recruitment process" section,  
THEN they view all the stages of the recruitment process.

As an applicant, I want to filter the offered positions, on criteria such as: requirements, period, location, so that I can quickly find the best fit.

**AC: Filter positions - results**

GIVEN the candidate is on the "Jobs" page,  
WHEN they select a filter criteria and a desired value for it  
AND there are some items in the positions list which match,  
THEN the list of these filtered positions is displayed.

**AC: Filter positions - no results**

GIVEN the candidate is on the "Jobs" page,  
WHEN they select a filter criteria and a desired value for it  
BUT there are no items in the positions list which match,  
THEN a "Sorry" message is displayed  
AND the list of all the applications is displayed.

As an interviewer, I want my applicants to have valid accounts and not impersonate other people, so that the recruitment process stays legal and relevant.

**AC: Create valid account**

GIVEN an unauthenticated user is on the sign up page,  
WHEN they fill in the sign up form with accurate personal data  
THEN their account is created.

**AC: Create account - blocked**

GIVEN an unauthenticated user is on the sign up page,  
WHEN they fill in the sign up form with impersonate data,  
THEN their account is not created.

As an interviewer, I want to be able to filter the applications based on keywords, so that I quickly find the candidates who best fit to my offered positions.

**AC: Filter candidates - results**

GIVEN the interviewer is on the "Applications" page,  
WHEN they select a filter criteria and a desired value for it  
AND there are some applications which match,  
THEN the list of these filtered applications is displayed.

**AC: Filter candidates - no results**

GIVEN the interviewer is on the "Applications" page,  
WHEN they select a filter criteria and a desired value for it  
BUT there are no applications which match,  
THEN a "Sorry" message is displayed  
AND the list of all the applications is displayed.

As both an interviewer and an applicant, I want to view specific messages for any incorrect operations performed on the platform, so that I know what to fix.

**AC: Specific error messages**

GIVEN the user is on any page of the platform,  
WHEN they take an action (eg. form filing in),  
AND the action taken is not valid,  
THEN a specific error message is displayed.

As both an interviewer and an applicant, I don't want to view positions that aren't available anymore, so that I don't waste time on checking them and their details out.

**AC: Unavailable positions not displayed anymore**

GIVEN a candidate is accepted for a position,  
WHEN an user access the "Jobs" page,  
THEN the already occupied or expired position is not displayed anymore.