INFRASTRUCTURE & GITHUB FEEDBACK

Group Number: 8
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In general, your GitHub seems to be actively used and has submissions posted exactly where they belong, which is great. For the following weeks, please implement the following changes to your GitHub submissions as it would affect your grade in the future:

- Weekly Reports naming convention should be "CS 442 Weekly Report for Week N.pdf". Replace N with the current week's number.
- The coding scenario outlines a narrative that you are attempting to implement for the first release. Give the file a more meaningful title than just the group number and 'First Scenario'. For reference, notice that the professor mentioned "Environmental Scenario" for his adventure game in the sample.
- All members should actively participate in GitHub submissions/commits.

I cannot find any invitation link for Jira or any equivalent infrastructure. Please add me (rrizvi3@uic.edu) and Professor Bell (jbell@uic.edu) to your projects as soon as possible. Failure to do so will result in us being unable to assess your project progress. As a result, I cannot provide any specific feedback. However, here is what we generally look out for:

1. All members have accessed Jira (or equivalent) and have assigned task(s) to themselves. Additionally, for simplicity of member identification, please ensure that each member in the group has a unique avatar.
2. There are items in the backlog at all times.
3. Each sprint follows the deadline as presented in the schedule section displayed on the course website (starting and ending at the correct times)
4. Tasks need to have changed states (from "To Do" to "In Progress" to "Done") as the week progresses. This does not mean that each task needs to be completed by the end of the week as it is highly dependent on the group's progress.
5. Try to maintain the correct structure for writing stories - "As a _, I want _, so that _". Good stories follow INVEST rules. If you want, you can add sub-tasks to each story once it is created.
6. If there is an option to mention story points / the estimated "effort" for each story, please include it for all stories.

If this is an error or if you require any assistance, please contact the instructors / TAs as we will be grading this progress this week onwards.