Assignment 1 – Limbo User Stories

The goals of this exercise are to get some practice with user stories.

Tasks

1. Study the attached template.
2. Tear off this cover sheet.
3. Fill in the gray cells by typing directly in the document.
   1. In the “As a/an” column put in Owner, Finder, Admin, or any combination as appropriate.
   2. In the “I want to…” and “so that…” columns add sentence fragments so that the template reads like plain English.
4. Check grammar and typos.
5. Add team member names.
6. Print one hardcopy.
7. Bring to class.

Evaluation

The assignment will be evaluated on the basis of these instructions, writing, clarity, accuracy, thoroughness, and ingenuity.

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| Id | As a/an | I want to... | so that... |
| 1 | Owner | Know if someone found my stuff | I can recover my stuff at its location. |
| 2 | Owner | Report my lost stuff | If someone finds it they will know that I’m want to recover it. |
| 3 | Owner | Include descriptive information about my stuff such as make, model, color, etc. | If someone finds it they know that it’s mine. |
| 5 | Owner | Include personalized information about the missing item. | If someone finds my stuff they will better know if it is the one I’ve lost. |
| 6 | Owner | Attach a photograph of the lost item | If someone finds it they will have a better idea what the item looks like. |
| 7 | Owner | Leave contact information like my phone and email address | The person who finds my item can notify me as soon as possible. |
| 8 | Owner | Know the status of my stuff | Recover my stuff when it is has been found. |
| 9 | Owner / Finder | NOT have to create a login or register with a system | I don’t have to remember username / password |
| 10 | Owner | Update the status of my stuff. | Someone who finds an item like mine with know that it is not mine. |
| 11 | Finder | Report found stuff | If someone is looking for it they will know where it is. |
| 12 | Admin | Login securely first and foremost | I can do privileged tasks. |
| 13 | Admin | Get a report on the L&F inventory | Keep track on inventory for management purposes. |
| 14 | Admin | Purge items in the system | Do periodic housekeeping |
| 15 | Admin | Create other admin users | Administer access to the system |
| 16 | Admin | Modify my password and other account info | I can keep my account secure. |
| 17 | Admin | Delete admin users | Users who are no longer with the organization won’t have administrative access. |
| 18 | Admin | Have a two-tier admin system | Some there are regular admin users and admin super-users who can create and modify other admin users. |
| 19 | Owner | Input some validating info about myself | When I recover the item, the L&F manager can positively identify me. |
| 20 | Finder | Upload a validation photograph of a found item. | The L&F manager can positively add the item to the inventory of the found items. |
| 21 | Finder/ Owner | Have a direct messaging system that is private and secure. | Both the finder and the owner are able to coordinate a meeting spot and time to exchange the found item. |

1. Foto Search, <http://sr.photos1.fotosearch.com/bthumb/ARP/ARP123/limbo.jpg>, Accessed: 31 Jul 2013 [↑](#footnote-ref-1)