

ASTL: A Simple TODO List

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Introduction

ATDL: A Simple TODO List is a simple TODO List management application which runs on web browsers. The front end uses Bootstrap and the backend uses Django. With the aid of application, the user can add event, manage undone event, see missed event and mark event as urgent. All data are stored in a Database and could be retrieved after the browser is closed. User can also migrate the database to other applications without losing the data.

Requirements

Required libraries/env:

- Python3
- Django 2.2
- Bootstrap 4 (by CDN)

Run project (choose an available port)

- `cd ./foo/atdl`
- `python manage.py runserver 0.0.0.0:24445`
- Go to browser, and visit <http://127.0.0.1:24445>

Front end and Usages

The Front end uses Bootstrap 4. The scripts are cited by CDN so the app should be linked to a valid internet. There are three parts/applications matched with applications in Django (see Part 3).

Home Page

Home page (index.html) contains Navigation Bar, Input Group, Instructions, Messages, Today's events. The layout of home page is as follows.

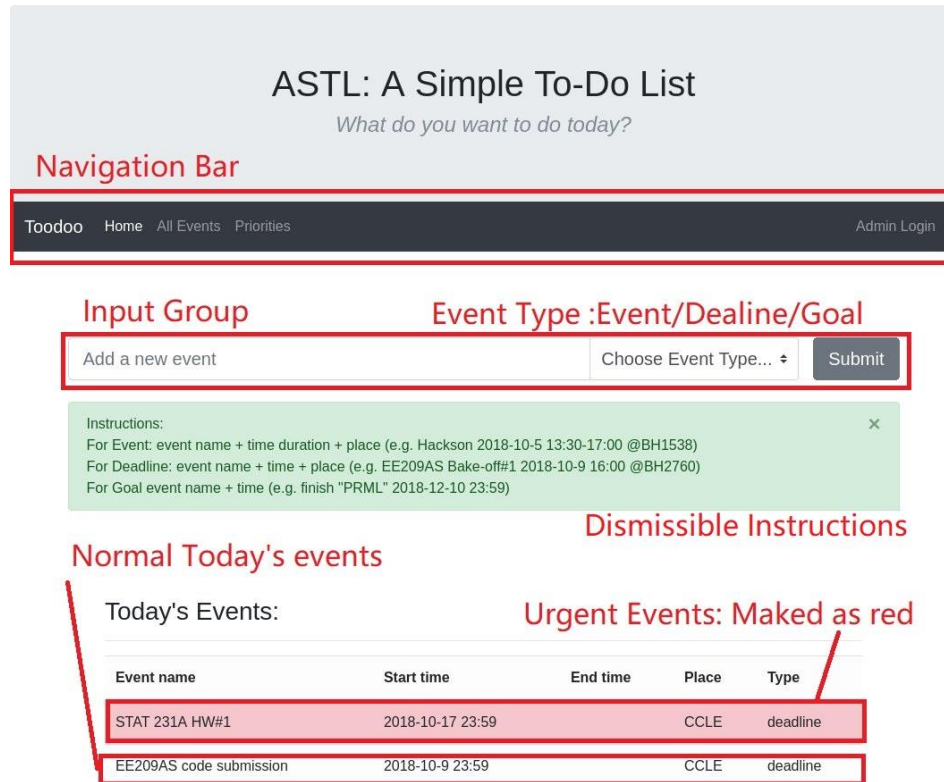


Fig. 1 Layout of **Home** page

Navigation bar

Navigation bar directs to the other two activities (namely “**All Events**”, “**Priorities**”). The “**Admin login**” tuple can redirect to Django backend administration page.

Input Group

Input Group can receive formatted inputs and pass the value to backend event identification algorithm “add_2_db” in sd.views. The user can choose to input three types of events, namely Event, Deadline, Goal. An Event should be consisted of a name, start time, end time, place. A Deadline should be consisted of a name, start time, place. A Goal should be consisted of a name, start time. A summary of input requirement is shown in Table 1.

Table 1 Required information for input group

| Event Type | Name | Start time | End time | Place | example |
|------------|------|------------|----------|-------|--|
| Event | Y | Y | Y | Y | Hackson 2018-10-5 13:30-17:00 @BH1538 |

| | | | | | |
|----------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Deadline | Y | Y | N | Y | EE209AS Bake-off#1 2018-10-9 16:00 @BH2760 |
| Goal | Y | Y | N | N | finish "PRML" 2018-12-10 23:59 |

A mandatory event type should be added by an option list on the right of input group. See Fig. 2 for details.

Fig. 2 Add event type to input group

Instructions

Instructions is a dismissible message box which can remind user of the input grammar defined in **Input Group**.

Fig. 3 Instructions

Messages

Messages is a message box indicating the add status of the submitted data from **Input Group**.

There are 4 types of messages: (1) success: the event is successfully submitted; (2) danger: time wrong: the format of time is incorrect; (3) danger: place wrong: the input does not indicate a place; (4) danger: name wrong: the input does not indicate an event name (name with only spaces(/s) is not allowed).



Fig. 4 Four types of messages (success, time wrong, place wrong, name wrong)

Today's Events

Today's Events is a table which can display urgent events (marked as red) and the current day's undo events from saved database. The layout can be shown as follows. The urgent events are always placed on the top and the following current day's undo events are placed by upcoming order.

Normal Today's events

Today's Events:

Urgent Events: Maked as red

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type |
|-------------------------|------------------|----------|-------|----------|
| STAT 231A HW#1 | 2018-10-17 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline |
| EE209AS code submission | 2018-10-9 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline |

Fig. 5 Layout of Today's Events.

All Events

All Events page (allEvents.html) contains Navigation Bar, All Events and Done events.

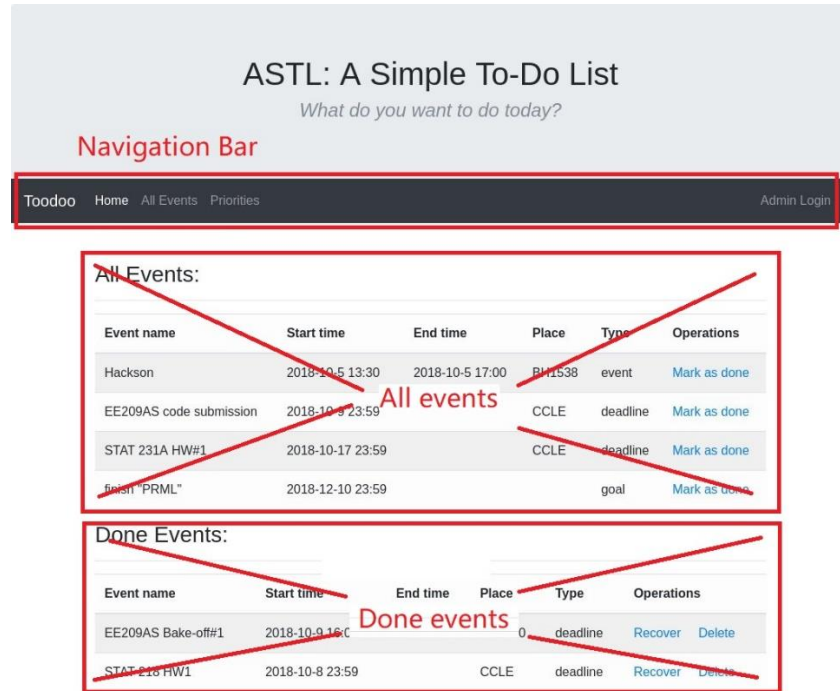


Fig. 6 Layout of All Events

Navigation Bar

Same as in **Home Page**.

All Events

All Events contains all undo events, all event items are placed with upcoming order. The table indicates the event's name, start time, end time (optional), place, type, operations.

All Events:

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type | Operations |
|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|
| Hackson | 2018-10-5 13:30 | 2018-10-5 17:00 | BH1538 | event | Mark as done |
| EE209AS code submission | 2018-10-9 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline | Mark as done |
| event name | 2018-10-13 22:22 | | UCLA | deadline | Mark as done |
| STAT 231A HW#1 | 2018-10-17 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline | Mark as done |
| finish "PRML" | 2018-12-10 23:59 | | | goal | Mark as done |

Fig. 7 All Events Table

There is a “Mark as Done” operation in each row of the events. Once clicked, the event in the corresponding row would “mark as done” and be removed from **All Events**. The “mark as done” events can be found in **Done events**.

Done events

Done Events contains all done events, all event items are placed with reverse time order. The table indicates the done event’s name, start time, end time (optional), place, type, operations.

Done Events:

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type | Operations | |
|--------------------|------------------|----------|--------|----------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| event name | 2018-10-13 22:22 | | UCLA | deadline | Recover | Delete |
| EE209AS Bake-off#1 | 2018-10-9 16:00 | | BH2760 | deadline | Recover | Delete |

Fig. 8 Done Events Table

There are two operations, “Recover” and “Delete” in each row of the events. Once “Recover” is pressed, the event is marked as “undone”, removed from Done Events and reappear to **All Events** Table. Once “Delete” is pressed, the event is removed from backend database, and would not appear again.

Priorities

Priorities page (weeklySchedule.html) contains Navigation Bar, Urgent Events, Missed Events, Upcoming Events.

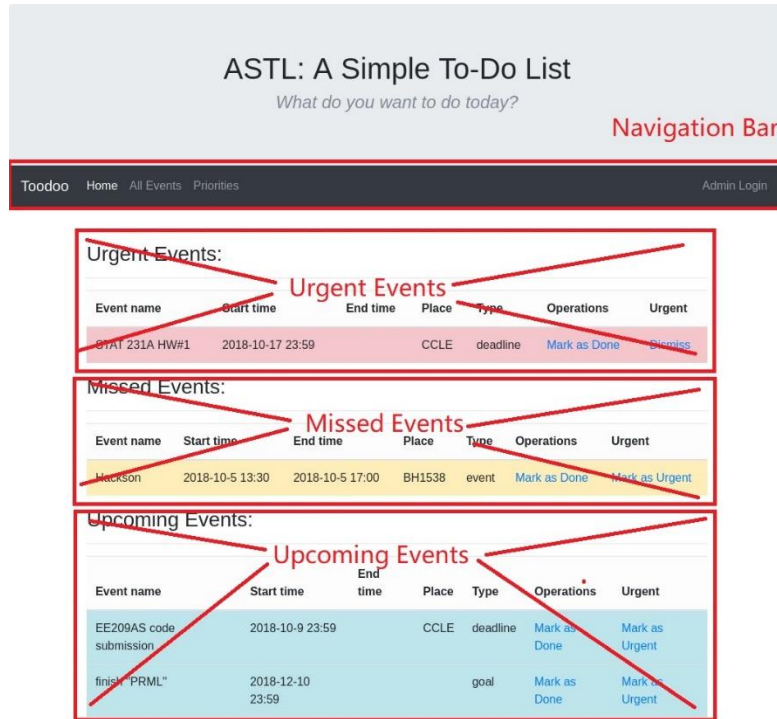


Fig. 9 Layout of **Priorities**

Navigation Bar:

Same as in **Home Page**.

Urgent Events

Urgent Events displays a list of events marked as “urgent”. The table indicates the urgent event’s name, start time, end time (optional), place, type, operations, urgent. The “urgent” event is also shown in **Home Page**.

Urgent Events:

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type | Operations | Urgent |
|----------------|------------------|----------|-------|----------|--------------|---------|
| STAT 231A HW#1 | 2018-10-17 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline | Mark as Done | Dismiss |

Fig. 10 Urgent Events Table

In Operations field, the user can mark the event as done, but the event **would still remain as urgent**.

In Urgent field, the user can dismiss the urgent event, and the event would be removed from urgent events (and may to missed events or upcoming events, according to the status)

Missed Events

Missed Events displays a list of events which is undone passed events/deadline/goals. The table indicates the urgent event's name, start time, end time (optional), place, type, operations, urgent.

Missed Events:

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type | Operations | Urgent |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|-------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Hackson | 2018-10-5 13:30 | 2018-10-5 17:00 | BH1538 | event | Mark as Done | Mark as Urgent |

Fig. 11 Missed Events Table

In Operations field, the user can mark the event as done and the event would be moved to **Done List** in **All Events**. (and would reappear if the user recovers the event)

In Urgent field, the user can mark the event as urgent, and the event would go to **Urgent Events Table** and **Today's events** in **Home Page**. (and would reappear if the user dismisses the event)

Upcoming Events

Upcoming events displays a table of upcoming undone events in time-increase order. The table indicates the urgent event's name, start time, end time (optional), place, type, operations, urgent.

Upcoming Events:

| Event name | Start time | End time | Place | Type | Operations | Urgent |
|-------------------------|------------------|----------|-------|----------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| EE209AS code submission | 2018-10-9 23:59 | | CCLE | deadline | Mark as Done | Mark as Urgent |
| finish "PRML" | 2018-12-10 23:59 | | | goal | Mark as Done | Mark as Urgent |

Fig. 12 Upcoming Events Table

In Operations field, the user can mark the event as done and the event would be moved to **Done List** in **All Events**. (and would reappear if the user recovers the event)

In Urgent field, the user can mark the event as urgent, and the event would go to **Urgent Events Table** and **Today's events** in **Home Page**. (and would reappear if the user dismisses the event)

Backend and Data Structure

The project uses Django 2.2 w/ sqlite Database as backend.

File Structure & Applications

There are three applications under Django Framework. The basic data structure, `uq_event()` is defined in `sd.models()`.

`sd`: corresponding to **Home Page**

`all_events`: corresponding to **All Events**

`weekly_schedule`: corresponding to **Priorities (changed function as development)**

The file structure is generated automatically under Django Framework. Below is the file path and files marked as (*) are modified/written additionally.

```
*
├── [4.0K] all_events
│   ├── [ 63] admin.py
│   ├── [ 94] apps.py
│   ├── [  0] __init__.py
│   ├── [ 57] models.py
│   ├── [ 60] tests.py
│   └── [1.1K] views.py *
├── [136K] db.sqlite3
├── [ 538] manage.py
├── [4.0K] sd
│   ├── [ 63] admin.py
│   ├── [ 79] apps.py
│   ├── [  0] __init__.py
│   ├── [1.2K] models.py *
│   ├── [ 60] tests.py
│   └── [11K] views.py *
├── [4.0K] template
│   ├── [5.8K] allEvents.html *
│   ├── [7.0K] index.html *
│   ├── [ 463] usedFunctions.js *
│   └── [8.0K] weeklySchedule.html *
├── [4.0K] toodoo
│   ├── [  0] __init__.py
│   ├── [3.3K] settings.py
│   ├── [1.8K] urls.py *
│   └── [ 389] wsgi.py
├── [4.0K] weekly_schedule
│   ├── [ 63] admin.py
│   ├── [104] apps.py
│   ├── [  0] __init__.py
│   ├── [ 60] tests.py
│   └── [1.5K] views.py *
```

Fig. 13 File structures

Event Object

The main data structure object in the project is `uq_event()` object. The object is defined in `sd.models.py`. The object has the following attributes.

Table 2 Attributes of Event Object

| Attribute | Description | Type | Default |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| evt_name | Event name | char | Required Field |
| evt_place | Event place | char | |
| evt_exact_time | Exact event time | char | Required Field |
| evt_year | Year | char | Required Field |
| evt_month | Month | char | Required Field |
| evt_date | date | char | Required Field |
| evt_end_time | Event end time | char | |
| evt_done | Whether event is done | boolean | False |
| evt_type | Event type: (event, deadline, goal) | char with choice | |
| Uuid | Unique event ID | char | NA |
| unix_tmp | Unix timestamp of event exact time | float | 1000000000.0 |
| urgent | Whether is urgent | boolean | False |

Event Object Automata

Below is an automata of `uq_event()`. Once the input pass integrity check, an `uq_event()` is established.

- If the user marks the event as done (in **All Event**), the object would go to *Done* State.
- If the user mark the event as urgent (in **Priorities**), the object would go to *Urgent* State.
- If the user recovers the event in *Done* State (in **All Event**) and the current time is *smaller* than the event's unix timestamp, the object would go to *Initial* State.
- If the user deletes the event in *Done* State (in **All Event**) the object would go to *Delete* State and the object would be removed directly.
- If the user recovers the event in *Done* State (in **All Event**) and the current time is *larger* than the event's unix timestamp, the object would go to *Missed* State.
- If an object in *Missed* State in marked as Urgent (in **Priorities**), the object would go to *Urgent* State.
- If an object in *Missed* State in marked as Done (in **Priorities**), the object would go to *Done* State.
- If an object in *Urgent* State is dismissed (in **Priorities**) and the unix timestamp is *smaller* than current time, the object would go to *Missed* State.

- If an object in *Urgent* State is dismissed (in **Priorities**) and the unix timestamp is *larger* than current time, the object would go to *Missed* State.

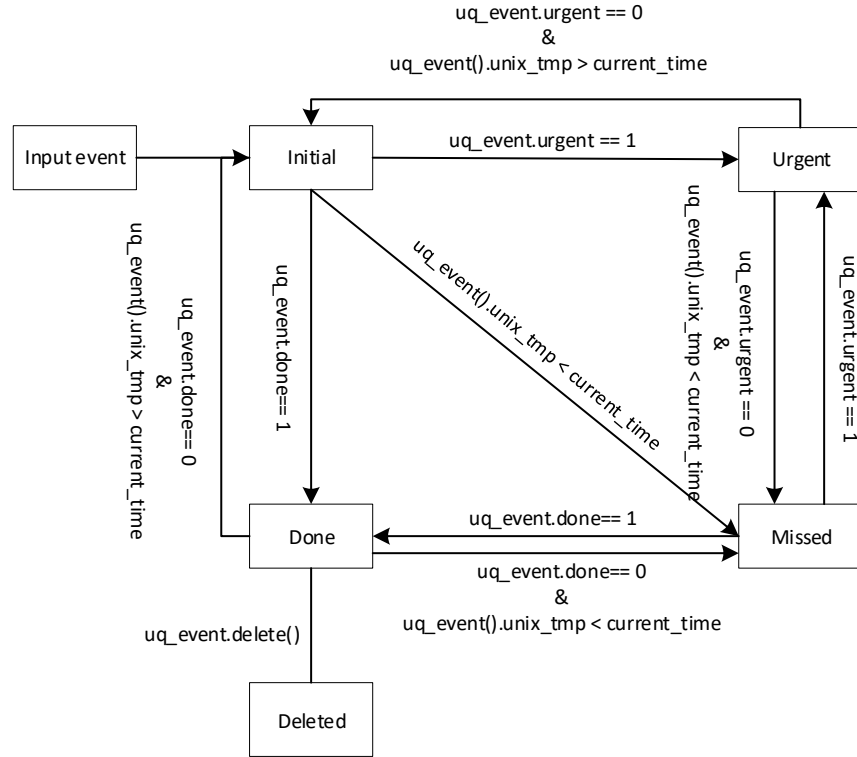


Fig. 14 Automata of `uq_event()`