User Authentication and Profiles

1. Login Page 🔗

- **Purpose**: Allow existing users (freelancers or clients) to log into the platform securely.
- **Design**:
  - A **clean, simple UI** with a professional look, featuring:
    - **Email and Password Fields**.
    - A **"Forgot Password?" Link** for password reset page.
    - **Registration button**: with a link to the role selection page.
- **Functionality**:
  - Backend logic to authenticate users securely, verifying credentials.

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2. Password Reset Page 🔗

- **Purpose**: Help users recover their accounts.
- **Design**:
  - Email input field.
  - A **"Send Reset Link" button** to send a password recovery email.
- **Functionality**
- An email with a link to reset the password and create a new one will be sent to the user's registered account.

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3. Registration 🔗

- **Purpose**: Enable new users to create an account.
- **Design**:
  - **Registration page basics**:
    - **Buttons**: First Name, Last Name, email, password, confirm password, register
- **Functionality**:
  - Backend logic to register new users in the database. Check the password confirmation and create an account for the user.

Validation requirements 🔗

Field	Validation Criteria	Example Error Message
Email	Required, valid format, unique, no disposable domains **email format**: `example@domain.com`.	"Please, enter your email address." "Please, enter a valid email address." "This email is already registered." "The email or password is incorrect."

Password	Required, 8-20 characters, must include uppercase, lowercase, number, and special character, no spaces	"Please, enter your password." "Password must be 8-20 characters and include uppercase, lowercase, a number, and a special character." "The email or password is incorrect."
Password Confirm	Required, matches the password	"Passwords do not match." "Please, confirm your password."

4. User Profile 🔗

Profile Page (Viewable by Others) 🔗

- **Purpose**: Could showcase freelancers' skills, experience, and availability to potential clients (or) client information to freelancers they've worked with (or are working with) and the organization they belonged to.
- **Design**:
  - **Header Section**:
    - Profile picture and full name.
    - Company name they are working (optional)
    - Job title or tagline (e.g., "Graphic Designer | Logo Specialist").
    - Button "edit profile"
  - **Review section**:
    - A section showing client reviews and ratings.
    - Average rating (e.g., 4.8/5 stars).
  - **Main Sections**:
    - **About Me**: A brief bio or introduction.
    - **Skills**: Displayed as badges (e.g., "UI Design", "JavaScript").
    - **Pricing**:
      - Hourly rate or gig-based pricing structure.
      - A "Contact Me" or "Hire Me" button for clients to initiate a conversation or order.
    - **Portfolio**:
      - Gallery of work samples (images, videos, or links).
      - Ability to view details for each portfolio item.
  - **Sidebar**:
    - Availability status (e.g., "Available for work").
    - Social media or LinkedIn links.

Profile Page (Editable by User) 🔗

- **Purpose**: Allow users to customize and update their profiles.
- **Design**:
  - **Form Fields**:
    - Name, address, phone number, tagline, bio, skills (tag-based input).
    - Qualification, Years of Experience, Portfolio samples, Project Categories

- Portfolio upload section (support for multiple file types and links).
- Pricing setup with clear project rate fields.

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5. Organization Profile 🔗

Profile Page (Viewable by Others, if applicable) 🔗

- **Purpose**: Display a group of people working as a company and showcasing their services.
- **Design**:
  - Header Section:
    - Profile picture (if applicable) and name (or company name).
    - Services provided by this company
    - User (or) Employee count of the company
  - Main Sections:
    - **Previous Orders**:
      - A list of completed gigs, including freelancer names and order summaries.
    - **Feedback from Previous Clients**:
      - Reviews left by clients about working with the company.

Profile Page (Editable by Organization Admin) 🔗

- **Purpose**: Allow clients to manage their profiles.
- **Design**:
  - Form Fields:
    - Company name
    - Address
    - Company description
    - Contact information (email, phone, optional links to websites or social media).