Walkthrough Document - User Guide

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Although not all server-side functionalities are implemented, the existing website should be able to demonstrate how the website will behave, as if they were fully implemented with all necessary server-side technologies.

index.html

This is the home page of the MyBlogPost. On the nav bar, users can find links to create new account page or to login page. Blog posts are located on the left side of the page, simply click to see the contents. Searches, archives, and categories are located on the right side of the page, but they are not functional.

createAccount.html

This is the page where users can enter their information and create an account. Enter all required informations (actually all fields), which will then be validated using Javascript to make sure there is no empty field in the form. If there is an empty field or the password does not match, the form will not be submitted and a warning message will be displayed. Once the form is all filled out, press Create New User button. A message will be displayed with PHP to indicate the account has been created.

login.html

Users can login with any username and password. Once logged-in, a message will be displayed with PHP to let the user know that they are now logged-in. On the bottom of the page, users can find a link to reset the password. Additionally, a special login page for admin can also be found.

resetpassword.html

Users can reset the password using their email address. Enter the email address in the input field and press the Reset Password button. Note that the form will not be submitted if the input field is left blank. Once the form has successfully been submitted, a message will be shown to indicate the reset email has been sent.

admin_page.html

In this page, admins can find a user (with username, email, and post), enable/disable a user, and modify/remove user blogs or posts. Enter any information, appropriate messages will be displayed upon clicking the submit button.

newpost.html

This page is pretty straightforward. Select category, enter title and message, and upload image. Once done, click the post button located at the bottom and a message will be shown to let the user know that the post has been created.

editprofile.html

In this page, users can change their username, change the e-mail address, change the password, change the profile image, and close the account. Input any information and press Update Your Profile button. A message will be displayed. To close an account, simply click Close My Account button located at the bottom of the page.