

Meeting Notes

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| Date | 11/5/2013 |
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Action Items

- Create presentation for tomorrow: Louis
 - Add docs (contract, notes, minutes, progress report) to git repo: Louis
 - Next meeting: Sunday @ 1:30 PM to hammer out the data model, diagrams, wireframes, etc
 - Potential 2nd meeting: Monday @ 1:30 PM
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Needed for pitch:

- Purpose, goals, and context -- WHY
- Key concepts, features, challenges -- WHAT
- Risks and their mitigations -- HOW

What:

A "RushApp" that is an information tracking system for rushees during fraternity rush.

Why:

The current method is:

- a slow process
- has a lot of people to manage
- involves storing information in an uncentralized, decoupled manner (PowerPoints, Spreadsheets, Google Docs, etc). The information store is decoupled from the presentation view. Also there is no mobile view.
- Tedious to create presentations / update rushee information
- Some applications already exist (RushTap.com, ChapterSpot.com, ChapterPlan.com), but are ugly/look too sanitized

Our method is:

- faster
- serves as a central place to store rushee information so everyone can view / edit it
- Will have two modes: a presentation mode and data viewing / editing mode

Key Concepts:

- rushee
- brother

- event
- primary contact for rushee
- status
 - Bid not given: push harder, stay the course, lay off
 - Bid given: open, rejected, accepted
- course of action for rushee
- presentation mode
- reminders to primary contacts
- vote / likes / dislikes

Risks:

- Development:
 - Don't know how to full screen view/presentation view
 - Doing a mobile view is unknown territory
 - Concurrency issues - handling multiple people editing information
 - Single thread Daemon
 - Doing modal views
 - Scaling possible associations in the database
 - Filtering by certain tags
 - Containing personal information
 - Attempt to automatically grab Facebook data (images)
 - Manually add facebook profile
 - Storing Images
 - Pulling data from different services, ie Twitter, etc
- Design:
 - Trust: Need to verify that brothers are in the fraternity, and that the fraternity is legit
 - Admin account to verify users joining the application
 - Brother messing up an application
 - Only Admin can delete information

Features

- Create a Brother Account to Access System
- View All the Rushees and their recruitment status
- Create New Rushee Profiles and Update their information
- Go to Presentation mode and see all the Rushees' information
- Track the Events that Rushees Attend
- Assign Primary Contacts for a Rushee

- Receive Reminders to Update Information for Rushees
- Admin Account can add brothers and remove information
- Incorporate Facebook Information Onto Rushee Profile
- Access Mobile Version of Site
- Incorporate Rushees' Twitter feeds (and Facebook Posts?)
- Track Which Brothers Met Which Bros
 - Voting system