Project Proposal: Bored & Broke "B&B"

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Why this idea?

- Thinking about the future:
 - Postgraduate life
 - New cities
 - Possibility of not knowing many people
 - Financial responsibilities







- Difference in culture:
 - "Like Culture"
 - Interests/personality over physical appearance



V1

- Users create accounts and give their names, locations, price ranges, and a short bio
- Users will then be shown all of the events (activities, hikes, concerts, etc.) in their area, within their price range
- None of the events display "likes" so users will have no idea how popular it is
- Users can "save" events



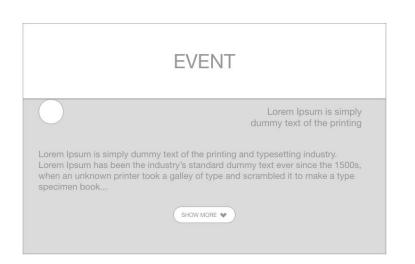


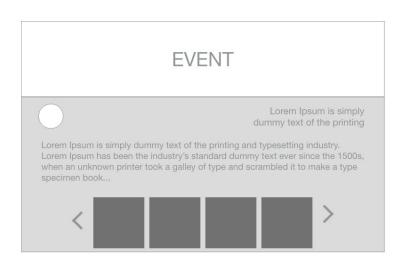
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- Then users will be taken to the event page
 - They have option to add an event-specific tagline that will appear to others going to the event
 - The event page will have event info & will show the bios and taglines of everyone else who saved this event
- If you're drawn to someone's tagline/bio then you click "Message this person on Facebook"
- All the activities a user saves are stored to their profile

Hoping to make some friends at this corgi beach day!

MODALS: Wireframes

















- The web frontend will be responsive and work cohesively with different screen resolutions
- The design will remain consistent across all browsers
 - Chrome, Safari, Firefox, Internet Explorer and Edge
- A mobile application will be developed if time permits







B&B vs. Meetup



Meetup:

- Teaching, learning (workshops), mentoring communities
- Networking, career-centered
- "It brings people together to do, explore, teach, and learn..."
- "...pursuit of moving their lives forward."

B&B:

- Casual/Informal/"Chill"
- Focus on meeting someone new and participating in an activity/event that you share an interest and can afford
- Community for the sake of community

B&B vs. Tinder



Tinder

- Described as "the world's most popular app for meeting new people. Swipe.
 Match. Chat. Date."
- Is purely "people" driven. All interactions revolve around meeting new people and finding people to message

B&B

- Is not driven by people but rather by events and activities
 - Select events first and foremost then option to find people to go to event with
- Culture difference: Not going in with the expectation of dating. Instead, expecting to find new friends

B&B vs. Facebook



Facebook

- Online social networking, not primarily used for events
- Events show information about the event and show who is going with links to Facebook profiles
- Number of people going to the event is very visible from the event page

B&B

- Platform is event-focused
- Features for finding people to go with
- Can't see who/how many people are going
- Culture difference: not weird to message people because that's the point

Qualifications

- Make an MVP before adding features on our "wish list"
- Divide & conquer based on our individual skill sets
- Courses we have taken have prepared us!
 - Interaction Design
 - Programming Languages
 - Data Structures
 - Databases
- APIs: Eventbrite, Eventful, Ticketmaster, Meetup, Transit&Trails, RIDB



What each team member contributed

Each member helped to create this project proposal!

- We all wrote the document together and made sure we hit each point for the description and justification sections.
- All did the presentation together

Questions?