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High-fidelity Prototype

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For the search page, we took the ability to search for organizations or positions from Ismael's prototype, with the location of the filters taken from Som's prototype. We decided that the filters were best on the side of the search results, because these filters should be visible and modifiable at all times during searching. Additionally, this side placement is familiar to users.

For the position page, we decided to use Som's design of allowing users to apply in-app, rather than Ismael's design of simply contacting by email. Som's design was particularly alluring, because it allows users to apply with their profile, similar to LinkedIn. This way, the profile becomes more useful for the user, rather than simply being useful for searching functions.

Additionally, for the organization page, we decided to use Som's in-app messaging service, rather than Ismael's Kijiji-like email service. This way, the user does not have to leave the application to keep in contact with the organizations. This was a difficult decision to make, since both Ismael and Som believed in their approach. The input of the other group members helped resolve this disagreement.

For the sign up pages, Robert and Justine picked out the essential categories from each of their sign up processes. Justine's lo-fi prototypes and testing resulted in some user confusion in terms of checkboxes and manual input options that would lead to extraneous results that we would not be able to search through later on. This is why we decided to use Robert's functionality in filling out the profile itself to allow for a more straightforward usability experience with no confusion over how to actually input the information.

A new consistent feature we added across all of the pages was a navigation bar that can redirect users back to the homepage or landing page depending on if they were signed in. This navigation bar also included extra features allowing users to navigate to their messages, categories, searching and even editing their profile they created in sign up. We made this decision for in order to help our pages that we created in lo-fi flow seamlessly.

Note: on the search page, in order to use the search functionality, type in 'Ecosource' and click away from the search bar. The result will then appear.

Prototype link:

<https://app.atomic.io/d/cUYtSkbdry6T>