Team Meeting - Week 2

https://github.com/mduddin112203/YWCC307-018-Team3-Project

Date: 04/15/2025

Time: 5:00 PM Location: Virtually Via

Discord

Meeting called by: Eric Perez Type of meeting: Recon and Research

Facilitator: Jonathan Malave Note taker: Mike Duran

Timekeeper: Md Uddin

Attendees: Md Uddin, Jonathan Malave, Eric Perez, Mike Duran

Please read: • Company Case Studies: Hilton, Marriott, Accor – Al adoption summaries

Singapore Smart Nation Al policy overview

Please bring:

• Notes on Marriott's Al presence in Asia

Any updates on voice assistant and chatbot technologies used in hospitality

Minutes

Agenda item: Competitor Recon Presenter: Md Uddin

Discussion:

Reviewed how Hilton and Accor are implementing AI for customer service and personalization. Compared their features to Marriott's offerings and identified where Marriott may lag behind.

Conclusions:

Marriott has room to improve in customer-facing automation and multilingual capabilities. This opens an opportunity for our proposed AI model.

Action items		Person responsible	Deadline
•	Compile comparison chart of Hilton, Accor, and Marriott Al features	Mike Duran	04/20/2025
~	Note gaps in Marriott's AI experience	Jonathan Malave	04/20/2025
/	Save all source links and upload to GitHub wiki	Md Uddin	04/20/205

Agenda item: Local Al Policy Impact Presenter: Mike Duran

Discussion:

Discussed Singapore's government investment in AI, particularly in customer service, digital trust, and multilingual services. These align well with the direction of our project.

Conclusions:

Singapore's AI ecosystem is supportive, which gives strong justification for rolling out advanced hotel-based AI there.

Action items		Person responsible	Deadline
/	Write summary of Singapore's AI policy landscape	Jonathan Malave	04/20/2025
~	Link government references to GitHub repo	Md Uddin	04/21/2025
/	Begin creating the Slide Presentation	Md Uddin	Tentative

Agenda item: Feature Validation and Research Presenter: Jonathan Malave

Discussion:

Each member brought forward two real-world hotel AI examples. We evaluated which features (chatbots, voice assistants, mobile keys) were most feasible for integration into Marriott's operations.

Conclusions:

The team decided to focus on multilingual voice assistant, mobile check-in kiosk, and predictive guest service request system.

Action items		Person responsible	Deadline
~	Finalize and document top 3 proposed features	All Members	04/20/2025
~	Research cost/benefit of voice assistants in hotels	Eric Perez	04/20/2025
~	Begin outline of feature explanation slides for final presentation	Mike Duran	04/20/2025

Other Information

Observers:

None

Resources:

- 1. NetSuite. (n.d.). Al in hospitality: Use cases, benefits, and future trends. Oracle NetSuite. https://www.netsuite.com/portal/resource/articles/business-strategy/ai-hospitality.shtml
- 2. GovInsider. (2023, November 30). Singapore's Smart Nation 2.0 policy focuses on AI and building resilience. https://govinsider.asia/intl-en/article/singapores-smart-nation-20-policy-focuses-on-ai-and-building-resilience
- 3. Global Legal Insights. (2023). AI, machine learning & big data laws and regulations: Singapore. Global Legal Group. https://www.globallegalinsights.com/practice-areas/ai-machine-learning-and-big-data-laws-and-regulations/singapore/

Special notes:

Next meeting is scheduled for 04/24/2025 at 05:00 PM EST via Discord