

# **CS215: Web and Database Programming**

## **Assignment 6**

### **Submission Log**

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## **Assignment Overview:**

This assignment implements AJAX updates for an interactive blogging web application, building upon the previous assignments. Features include periodic updates of blog posts and comments, as well as AJAX-based up-vote and down-vote functionality.

## **URL to the Web Application:**

<https://students.cs.uregina.ca/~your-username/assignment6/>

## **User Accounts for Testing:**

1. **Username:** mehrab123@gmail.com  
**Password:** Password123!
2. **Username:** nahid123@gmail.com  
**Password:** Password123!
3. **Username:** parthib123@gmail.com  
**Password:** Password123!

## **File List and Description:**

1. **ajaxHandler.js:** for all the ajax handling. dynamic updates for blogs, comments, and votes without requiring a page reload.

**Contributor: Nahid Al Hasan**

2. **get\_comment\_updates.php:** for updating the comments automatically in every 2 minutes.

**Contributor: Mehrab Hossain**

3. **get\_recent\_blogs.php**: refreshes blogs in every 2 minutes so that the recent blog is at the top.

**Contributor: Parthibuzzaman**

4. **process\_vote.php**: processing for the upvotes and downvotes for the comments.

**Contributor: Nahid Al Hasan**

5. **blogdetails.php**: Made changes to this to accommodate php codes for efficiency and dynamic vote counter.

**Contributor: Parthibuzzaman**

6. **login.php**: Added recent posts to show at the top

**Contributor: Mehrab Hossain**

I have made sure to include small changes in here as well as a lot of the previous submissions have been changed. Below I have provided the mysql code as the mysql code was also changed after the submission of Assignment 4.

MySQL:

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CREATE TABLE users (  
-> id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> fname VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,  
-> lname VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,  
-> dob DATE NOT NULL,  
-> email VARCHAR(255) UNIQUE NOT NULL,  
-> screenname VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,  
-> password VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,  
-> avatar VARCHAR(255),  
-> created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP  
-> );
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CREATE TABLE posts (
  -> id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  -> user_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> content TEXT NOT NULL,
  -> image_path VARCHAR(255),
  -> created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
  -> upvotes INT DEFAULT 0,
  -> downvotes INT DEFAULT 0,
  -> FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE
  -> );

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CREATE TABLE comments (
  -> id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  -> post_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> user_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> content TEXT NOT NULL,
  -> created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
  -> upvotes INT DEFAULT 0,
  -> downvotes INT DEFAULT 0,
  -> FOREIGN KEY (post_id) REFERENCES posts(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
  -> FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE
  -> );

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CREATE TABLE post_votes (
  -> id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  -> user_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> post_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> vote_type ENUM('upvote', 'downvote') NOT NULL,
  -> created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
  -> UNIQUE KEY unique_user_post_vote (user_id, post_id),
  -> FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
  -> FOREIGN KEY (post_id) REFERENCES posts(id) ON DELETE CASCADE
  -> );

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CREATE TABLE comment_votes (
  -> id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  -> user_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> comment_id INT NOT NULL,
  -> vote_type ENUM('upvote', 'downvote') NOT NULL,
  -> created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
  -> UNIQUE KEY unique_user_comment_vote (user_id, comment_id),
  -> FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
  -> FOREIGN KEY (comment_id) REFERENCES comments(id) ON DELETE
CASCADE
  -> );

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First Database:

\$dbname = 'nah661';

\$username = 'nah661';

\$password = '25Thfeb2023';

Second Database:

\$dbname = 'mhf255'

\$username = 'mhf255'

\$password = 'Laftkey\_4280'