

Project Task: Build a Netflix Clone Using Laravel



Objectives:

- To understand and implement Laravel MVC structure.
- To build a user-friendly UI for browsing and streaming videos.
- To practice CRUD operations, authentication, and database relations.
- To gain experience in front-end integration with Blade templates.

Project Requirements and Tasks:

1. Set Up Laravel Project

- Install Laravel and set up the basic environment.
- Configure a MySQL database for the project.

2. Database Structure

- Create tables for `users`, `movies`, `genres`, `categories`, `actors`, and `watchlists`.
- Define relationships:
 - Movies: Each movie can belong to multiple genres and categories.
 - Genres & Categories: Many-to-many relationship with movies.
 - Actors: Many-to-many relationship with movies.
 - Watchlists: Each user can add multiple movies to their watchlist.

3. User Authentication

- Use Laravel Breeze or Laravel Jetstream for user registration and authentication.
- Enable login, registration, and profile management.

4. Admin Dashboard

- Create a basic admin dashboard with access to CRUD operations for:
 - Movies: Add, edit, and delete movies.
 - Genres and Categories: Create and manage genres and categories.
 - Actors: Add actors and assign them to movies.

5. Movie Browsing and Streaming Interface

- Set up a homepage with a list of all movies, using Blade templates.
- Allow users to filter movies by genre, category, and actor.
- Include a detail page for each movie with information about the genre, actors, description, and an embedded video (use a placeholder for the video).

6. Watchlist Feature

- Enable users to add movies to their watchlist.
- Create a separate page for users to view their watchlist.
- Allow users to remove movies from their watchlist.

7. Search and Recommendation System

- Implement a search feature to find movies by title.
- Basic recommendation logic (e.g., suggest movies from the same genre or with the same actor).

8. User Reviews and Ratings (Optional for Extra Challenge)

- Allow users to rate and leave reviews for movies.
- Display average ratings and recent reviews on each movie's detail page.

Frontend and Styling:

- Use a CSS framework (Bootstrap or Tailwind CSS) to style the pages.
- Create a responsive design that adjusts well on different screen sizes.