Objective

Create an actor tracking website and mobile app that will allow a user to follow actors or movie/TV series and notify them via text or email when a new movie or TV series with that actor is released.

User Stories

- As a user, I want to be able to create an account to follow a specific actor, movie or TV series.

- As a user, I want to be able to setup notifications via email or text to alert me when a movie/TV series is released.

- As a user, I want to be notified when an actor has a new movie or TV series coming out.

- As a user, I also want to be notified when a series I follow resumes after hiatus or when it's canceled.

- As a user, I want to receive recommendations based on my past browsing history.

- As a user, I want to be able to share what I'm watching on social media.

- As a user, I want to be able to connect with online retailers and create wishlists to be notified when/if the price of a DVD or digital movie/TV series on the wishlist drops.

- As a user, I want to be able to search for a movie/TV series to find out what streaming services are offering them to be viewed and the price.

- As a user, I want to save a list of my subscription streaming services.

- As a user, I want to be able to setup notifications when a movie/TV show is added to a streaming service to which I already subscribe.

Tech Stack

React, React bootstrap, node.js/express, web sockets for notifications, could possibly pull from IMDb API.

I want to work on this because I really enjoy watching TV and movies in my free time. However, since I "cut the cord" it is harder to keep track of new TV offerings, where to find them on streaming, or if they are free or paid. I also don't see movie trailers as often as I used to, and it would be nice to be able to know when an actor I like is going to be in something. There are many websites that do some of these things, but it would be nice to condense it all into one. I think it adds to my portfolio because everybody watches TV and anything that is going to make the average person's life easier is an excellent project to undertake.