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Selected Interface and Rationale

WHAT

- Mobile application
- Limited notifications, all tasks available within the app

WHY

- Localized solution, AKA a "one stop shop"
- Integrates well with other information the user may store on their phone, like their calendar and contacts
- Familiar interface and easy to access and create

Prototype Structure

PROTOTYPE:

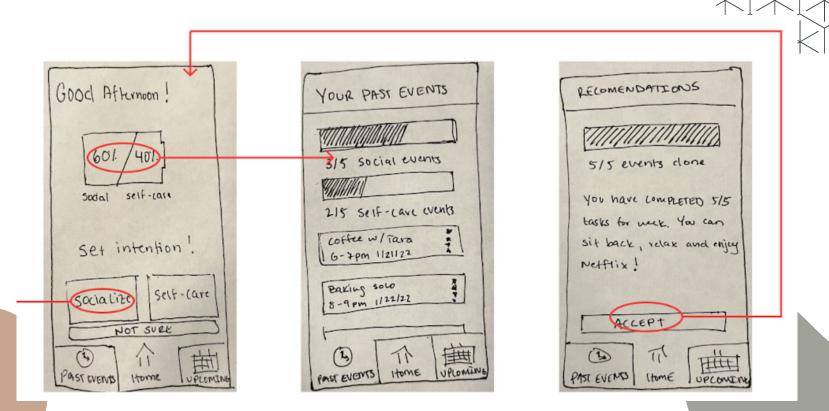
- Handwritten-sketches transferred to POP by Marvel
- Each task flow incorporated into user journey

TESTING METHODOLOGY:

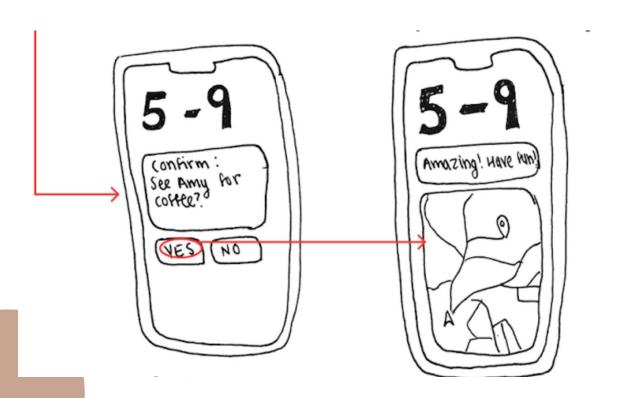
- Zoom call, shared computer screen
- Explained basic intention behind the app, then asked users to think out loud
- Asked users to walk through prototype 3 times to test learnability
- Used 3 Leichhardt scale prompts



Task #1: Users are prompted to set their intention for the day by choosing a time and place.

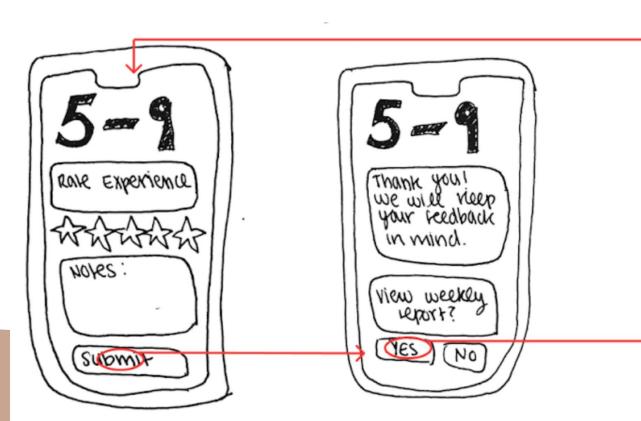


Task #2: Users confirm plans and receive guidance and reminders to reach destination



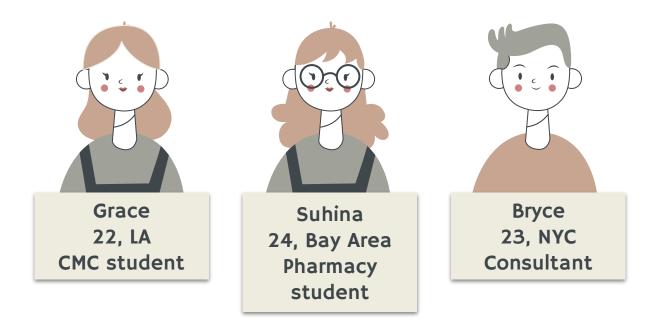


Task #3: Users rate and provide feedback on each activity to finetune later recommendations



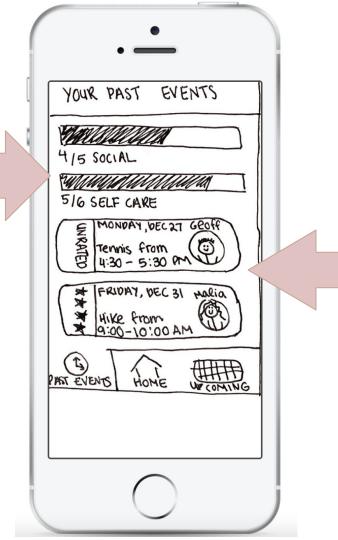


Interviews

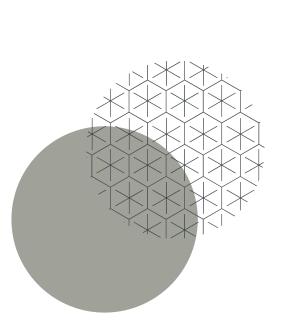


Our Roles: Tara: Facilitator, Platon/Amy: Observer, Anooshree: Notetaker

Could you try scheduling a different type of activity than the one you just scheduled?



On a scale of 1-5, how useful is it to... ...set an intention? ...do an intention? ...reflect on an intention?



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Results



#I: Verified our design was learnable

- All three users were able to complete tasks more quickly after being exposed to the app before
 - user 1 time decreased by 1:45 secs,
 - user 2 time decreased by 1:05 secs,
 - user 3 time decreased by 1:13 secs
- Flow of picking a time, person, then activity was viewed as intuitive

#2: Users found activities useful

- Users reported that app gave the right amount of options, one user noted that this was especially helpful given that she feels indecisive when making plans
- Users enjoyed being able to see specific information about the activity on the details page (map, travel time, weather)
 - one user noted that this was the hardest part of making plans

#3: Social battery icon was confusing

- Users were confused by the meaning of and distracted by the social battery icon on the home page
- Users were unsure who was in charge of setting social battery
- One user noted it implies self-care is less valuable than socializing

#4: UI wasn't fully connected between tasks

- Dead end with iMessage after invitation made it impossible to return to the app without restarting the prototype
- Some suggested activities did not fit well with the suggested time which confused users
- Users felt that the app did not guide them towards the other two tabs of past events and upcoming events

#5: Using star-based ratings felt awkward

- Setting intention and rating intention were rated comparatively lower than doing intention
- Star-based rating system did not resonate with users: they had a hard time seeing how they would rate without feeling like they are rating their friend

Suggested UI Changes

Change star-based rating system to mood rating system

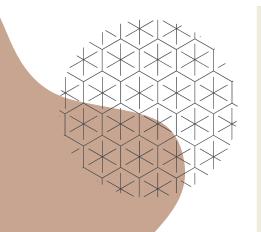
Create a notification icon that prompts user to rate unrated activities/view upcoming ones



Change to two separate batteries that track self-care and socializing and keep that in the past events tab

Replace social battery icon with dynamic background

Summary



- Integrate tasks to make user experience more seamless
- Explain graphics and make them intentional
- Be conscientious of setting and social dynamics when planning and prompting