

I6: Individual Assignment #6 – Heuristic Evaluation (Other Team)

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Heuristic Evaluation


Goal: To evaluate the three tasks given to me by the group and give appropriate feedback).

Results: For the results, I have divided it up by task and what could be improved and what works well.

1. Search and find a job

Problem	Usability Heuristics	Severity
"Task Market" title is not really consistent with the rest of the app. I don't really know the difference between "task" and "job". I think it would be good to pick one.	Consistency and Standard	Minor
"User Name" criteria on the main Task Market page seems unnecessary while searching for a job, this could just be shown when the user clicks on the specific task.	Aesthetic and Minimalist design	Minor
For the "Task Details" page, it would be nice if the content on this page was left aligned. It is sometimes hard to read things that are centered text wise.	Aesthetic and Minimalist design	Cosmetic

2. Post a job

Problem	Usability Heuristics	Severity
 I am a little bit confused about why "Post Job" is in an orange box while the rest of the menu items are not. If this is a way to show the user the status of which page	Consistency and Standard Visibility and System Status	Major

they are on, it would be good to make every clickable tab orange when the user is on it. If this button is the main action item, I think it needs to be placed somewhere else because it is confusing why it has an orange background.		
“E_mail” field is not necessary if the user has already logged in. They should not have to re-enter their email to post a job.	Error Prevention Aesthetic and Minimalist design	Minor
Job post confirmation is a nice touch	Visibility and System Status	Good

3. Apply for a job

Problem	Usability Heuristics	Severity
“E_mail” field is not necessary if the user has already logged in. They should not have to re-enter their email to apply for a job.	Error Prevention Aesthetic and Minimalist design	Minor
“Please Describe Yourself” box should be a little bit bigger/wider. It has been tested that people write more if they are given a bigger box and for a job application, I think people would appreciate knowing more about their applicants.	Error Prevention	Major
Save functionality would be nice to have if a user doesn’t finish writing their application and wants to come back later to finish it	Error Prevention	Minor

Summary: Overall, the interface looks good. I think you guys have the basic functionality down, but some things need cleaning up in terms of cosmetics and consistency.