Course 360

User's Manual

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1. Product Overview

Course 360 is course registration and management system that provides the student with features such as course search, course registration, course reviews and grade distribution for each course. The student can also see the schedule of the classes he/she has enrolled for. A group and personal chat feature is also available for the students to interact with the professors and other fellow students, so as to have discussions on topics related to the course.

The software also facilitates the professor with the features such as getting his/her class schedule details, class details such as timings and location, grade distribution for the course and statistics of students enrolled for their course. The group and personal chat feature is also available for the professor to interact with the students and help resolve any queries. The registrar is the super user who has the ability to add or remove professors or students in the system. The registrar can also see the statistics of the students enrolled in each term for one academic year. The registrar can also add, delete or make changes to any courses offered in the term. The reviews provided by the students can be edited or deleted by the registrar. A user profile for all the three types of the users is available where in the user can upload his/her image and update other details such as permanent address, telephone number, alternate email, etc.

2. System Requirements

For the product to operate, following are the minimum hardware and software system requirements which need to be installed.

Software Requirements

- Postgres 10.2
- Node
- Python3
- Pip3

Hardware Requirements

- I3 processor
- 2GB RAM
- 500 GB Hard Disk

3. Product Installation

Once the above hardware requirements have been fulfilled, kindly follow the steps below to install the product.

1. Installation of pip3. Please follow the link for details on how to proceed with the installation.

https://pip.pypa.io/en/stable/installing/

2. Installation of Python3. Please follow the link for details on how to proceed with the installation.

https://www.python.org/downloads/release/python-371/

3. Set up of the Node.js server. Please follow the link for details on how to proceed with the installation.

https://nodejs.org/en/download/

4. Installation of Postgresql database. Please follow the link for details on how to proceed with the installation.

https://www.postgresql.org/download/windows/

5. Installation of npmjs package manager for Javascript. Please follow the link for details on how to proceed with the installation.

https://www.npmjs.com/package/npm

Following are the commands for the installation steps:

Npm install Npm start

pip3 install -r requirements.txt

Mac/linux:

Python3 -m Controller.course360

Windows

Python -m Controllers.course360

To run the UI application locally:

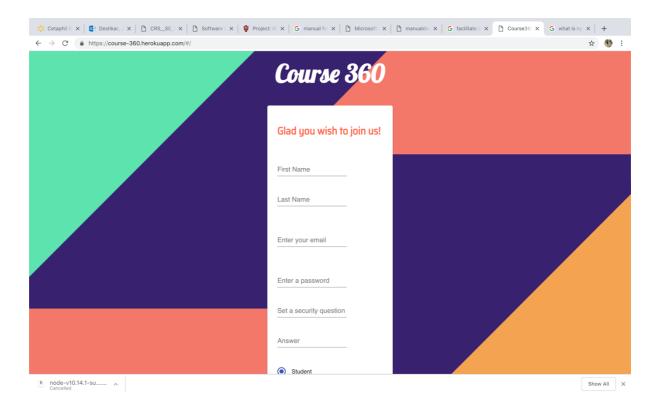
- 1. Download source code locally from git repo... Provide link here
- 2. Go to the local folder and npm install
- 3. npm start

The application runs locally on 3000 port.

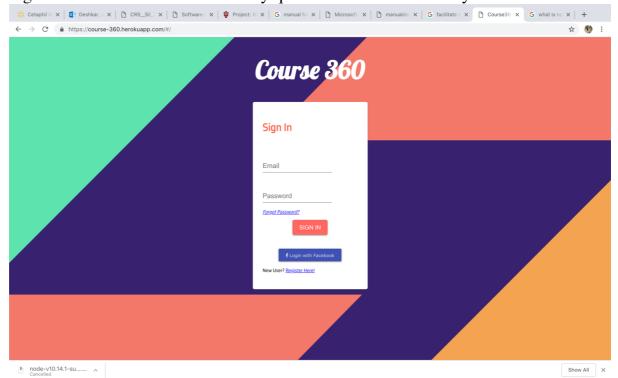
4. Product Operation

Once the software has been successfully installed, following are the sequence of steps to guide the user through the start -up, modes of operation and actions which can be performed within the tool.

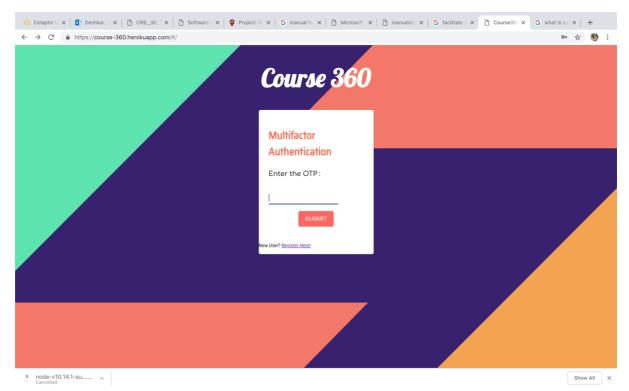
• This is the start -up page of the user. Once the user has filled in all the details, an activation link is sent to the registered email id. On clicking the activation link, the user can now access the functionalities.



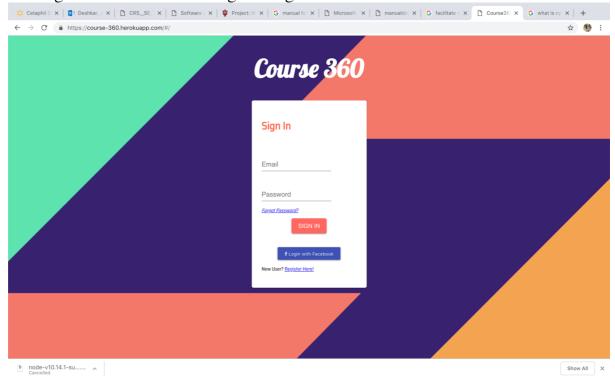
• If the user forgets or wants to reset the password, a password recovery tool is available to reset the password. A one time password is sent to the registered email id once the security question has been correctly answered.



• Once the user is activated, for logging into the portal, a one time password is sent to the email address.

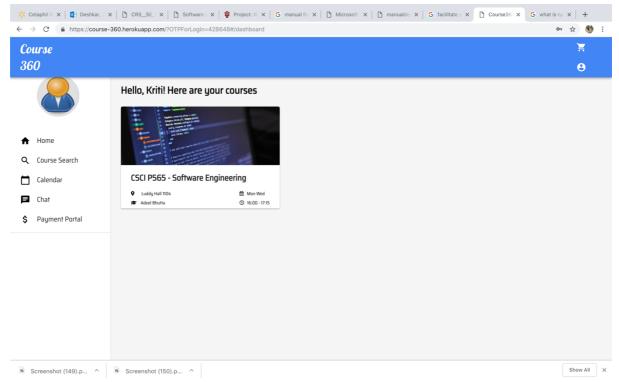


• The registered user can also login using his/her facebook credentials.

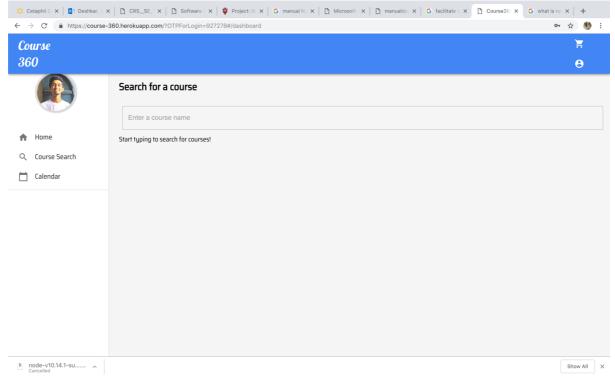


Following are the functionalities available for the student.

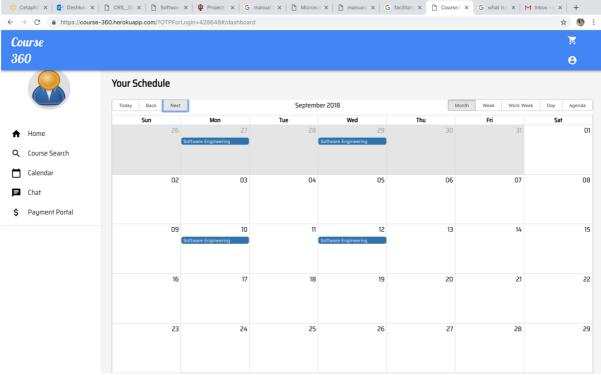
• Start-up page for the student.



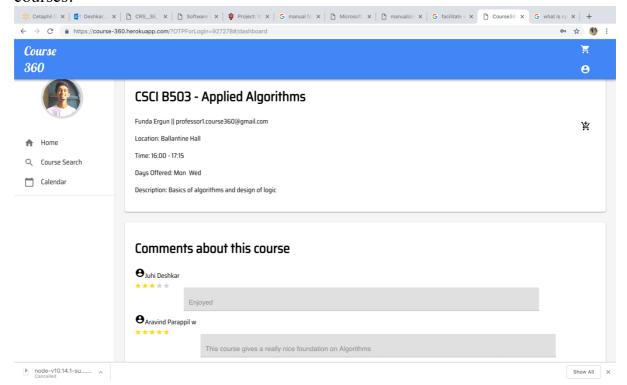
• Course Search: The student can search for any course and know the details for each course.



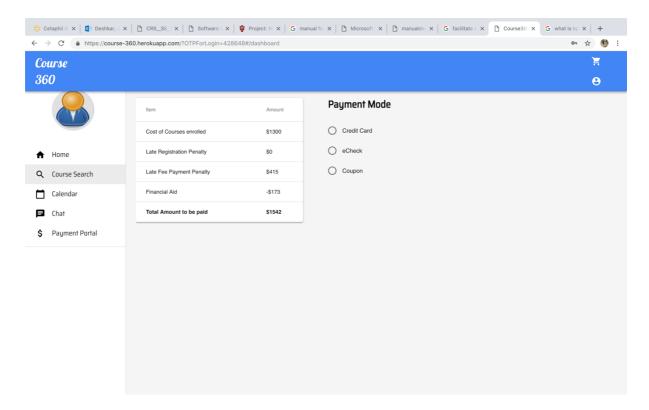
• Calendar: The student can see his class schedule using this tool for the current semester.



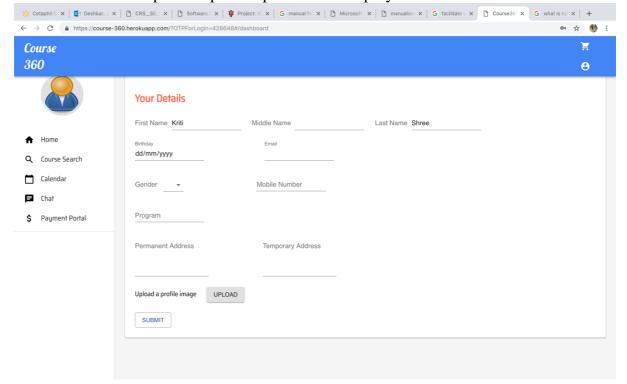
• Course registration: The student can search for the courses and enrol for them too. The add to cart icon enables the student to add the courses. The courses are validated to ensure there is no clash of timings in the selected courses.



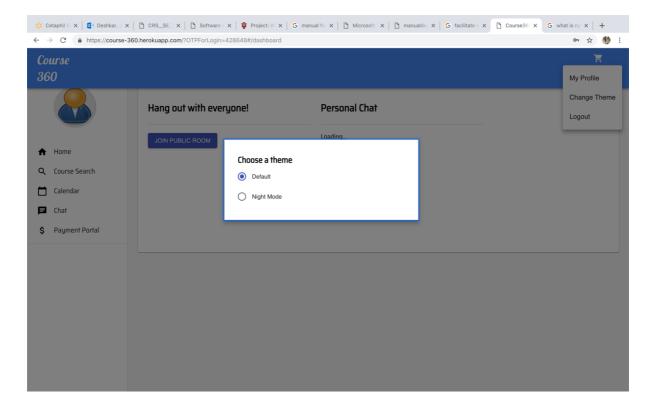
• Payment: The student can pay for the courses he/she has enrolled for and pay as well. Once the payment is successful, an email with the payment confirmation is sent to their registered email id.



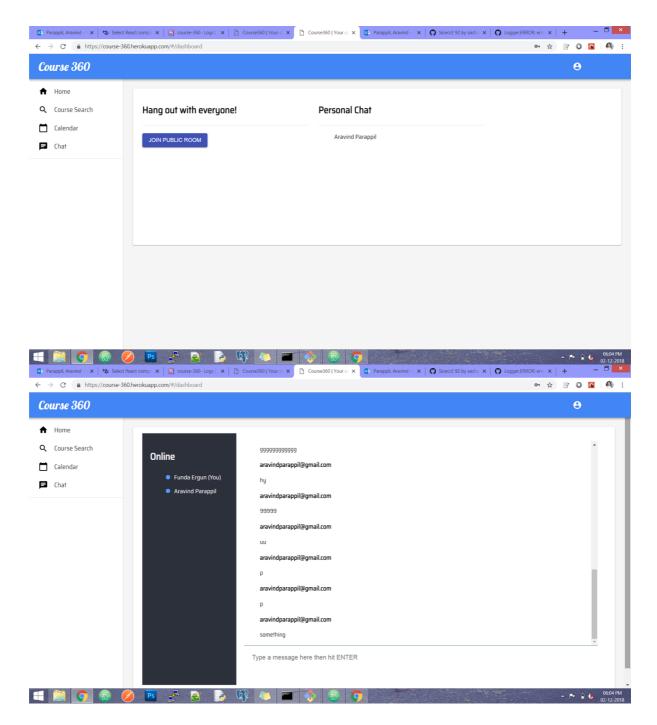
• User profile: The student has a user profile where in his/her personal details such as home address, permanent address, phone number, etc can be added. The user can also upload a profile picture for display.



• Customisable themes: The user can choose either of the themes for their dashboard.

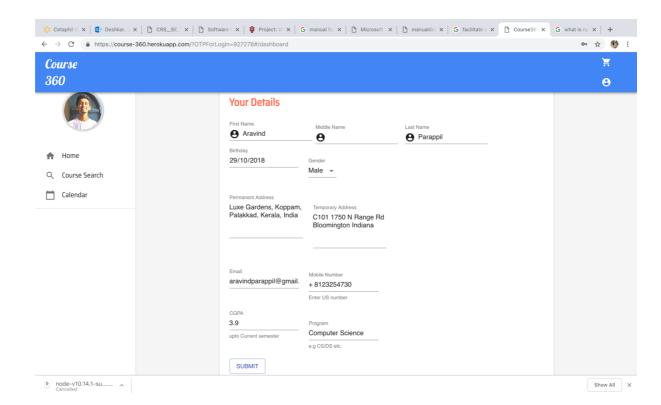


• Chat feature: The group and personal chat feature is available for the student to have discussions.

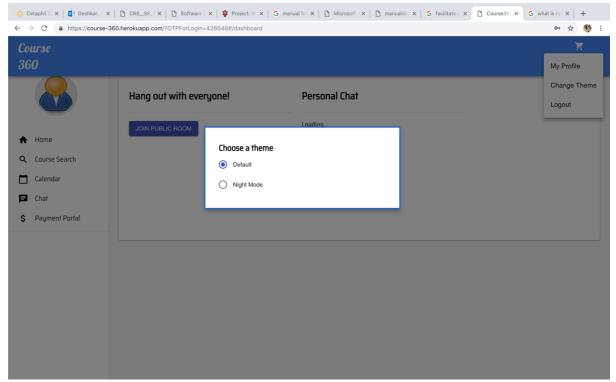


Following are the functionalities available for the professor.

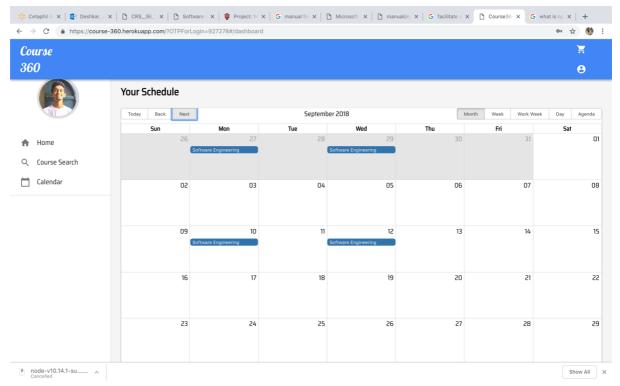
• User profile: The professor has a user profile where in his/her personal details such as home address, permanent address, phone number, etc can be added. The user can also upload a profile picture for display.



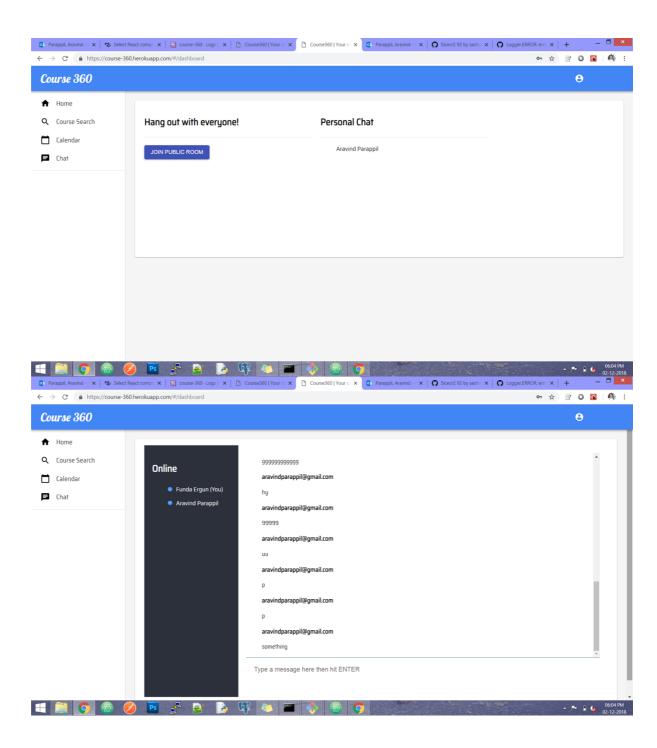
• Customisable themes: The user can choose either of the themes for their dashboard.



• Calendar: The professor can get a schedule of all the classes over the entire semester in the calendar.

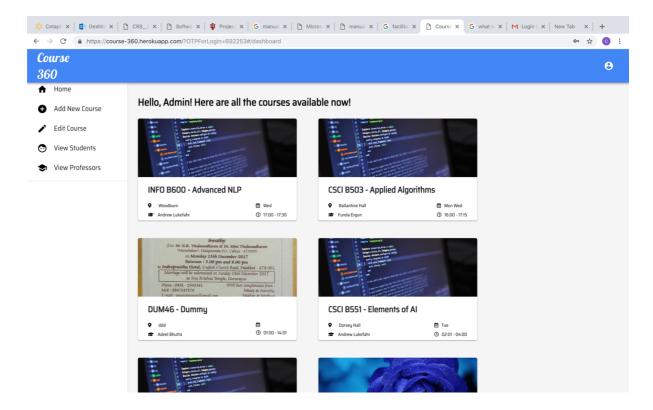


• Chat: The group and personal chat feature is available for the professor as well.

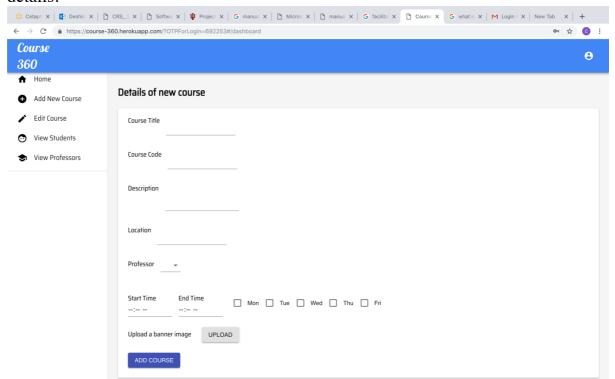


Following are the functionalities available for the registrar.

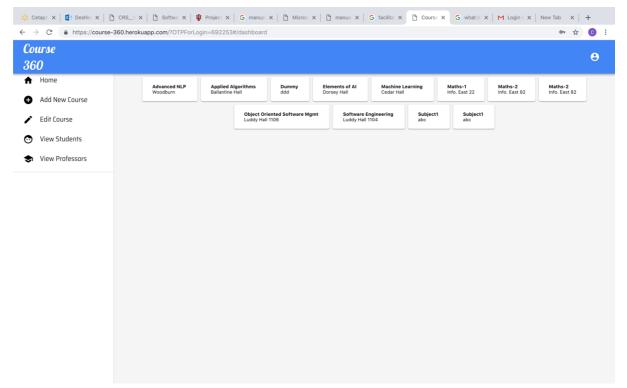
• Home Page: This is the home page for the admin. It displays all the functionalities available for the admin.



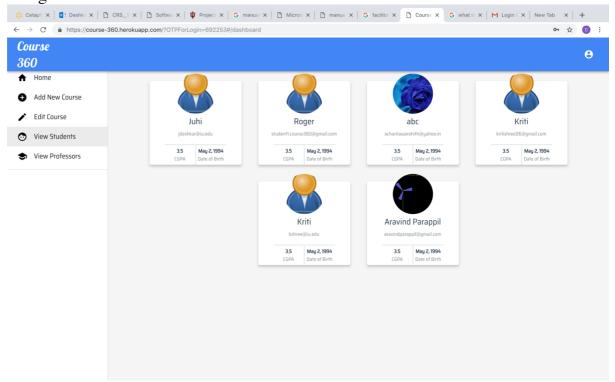
• Add new course: The admin can add new courses by providing all the details



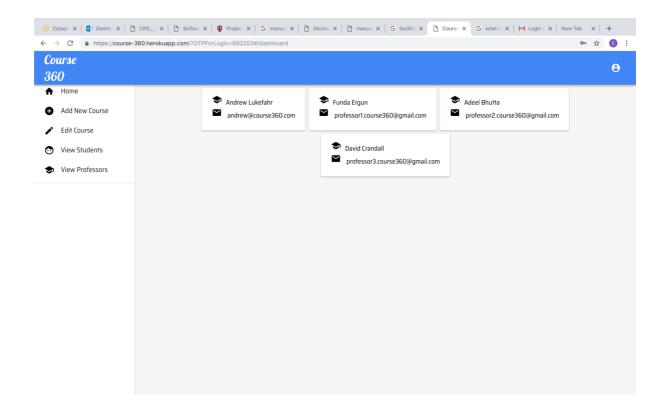
• Edit course: The existing courses can be added, deleted or updated.



• View Students: The admin can view all the students currently enrolled along with their details.



• View Professors: The admin can view the list of all the professors.



5. Known Defects

- The validation of course timings sometimes are not correctly identified sometimes.
- Calendar for showing the schedule of student or professor does not show recurring events properly.

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