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Title:

Online System For On Demand Household Services.

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INTRODUCTION ->

This full stack web application will serve as a bridge, connecting skilled service professionals and customers, making it easy for users to discover and connect with skilled workers such as electricians, plumbers, computer repair technicians, painters, carpenters, cleaners, and more.

INTRODUCTION ->

Type of Project: Application type.

Broad Area:

- Full stack development
- Blockchain
- Machine Learning

OBJECTIVES

- 1. To develop a platform that connects skilled workers with customers, offering a straightforward registration process, efficient appointment booking and scheduling process.
- 2. To create an integrated location-based system that enables customers and service professionals to locate each other and access maps and directions for service appointments.

OBJECTIVES

- 3. Implement **blockchain** to securely store work records, reviews, ratings and other sensitive information, enhancing trust and transparency of the platform.
- 4. Utilize **machine learning** to develop intelligent **chatbots** equipped with natural language processing which improves user interactions.

EXISTING SYSTEM ->

- Lack of a centralized platform for service providers and customers.
- Absense of location-based services.
- Lack of Standardization.
- Absense of work management tools for service professionals.
- Limited user engagement.

Limitations:

- Time consuming
- Inefficiencies in Appointment Scheduling & Tracking
- Lack of Transparency

PROPOSED SYSTEM ->

- Centralized platform
- Integration of location-based services for efficient appointment tracking.
- Providing work management tools for service professionals.
- Better quality of service through user's reviews and ratings.
- Securing the work records, user's ratings & reviews in blockchain.
- Improved user engagement through chatbots.

Advantages:

- Not time consuming
- Efficienct appointment tracking
- Standardized pricing and services.
- Enhanced trust and transparency.

WHAT PROBLEMS ARE WE SOLVING?

Customer's perspective =

- Service Discovery
- Service appointments / Bookings
- Geographical Inefficiencies
- Standard pricing
- Quality of service
- Genuinity of service ratings
- User engagement

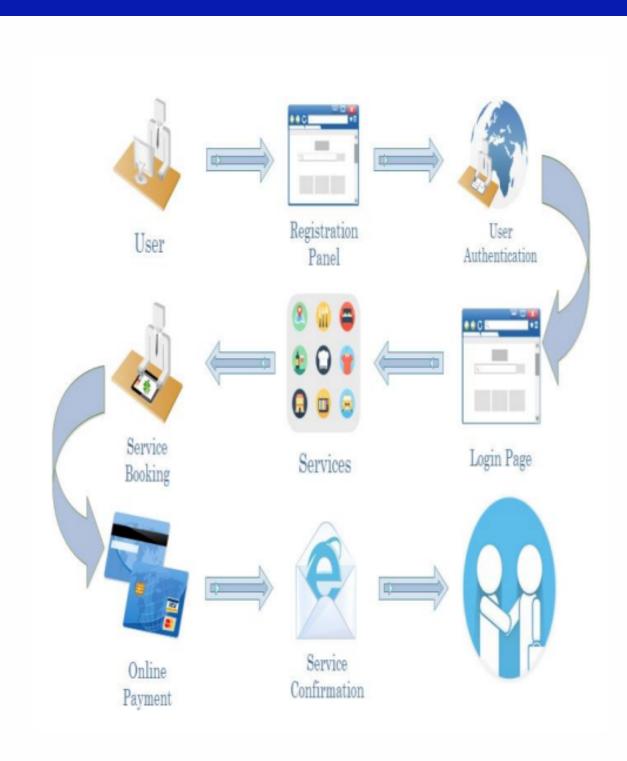
Worker's perspective =

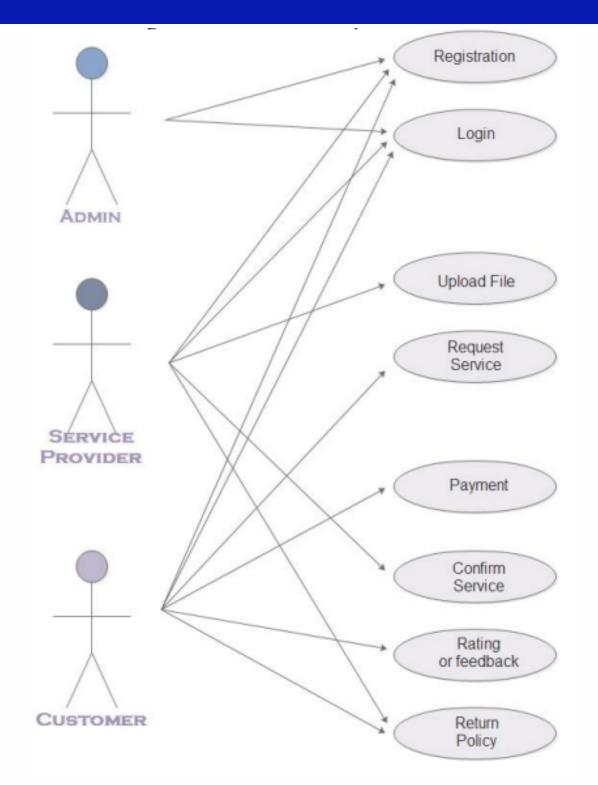
- Increased opportunities for work
- Manage appointments
- Track earnings

1. An Online System for Household Services: [Link]

A research paper published by N. M. Indravasan, Adarsh, Shruthi C, Shanthi K, Dadapeer in International Journal of Engineering Research & Technology (IJERT), 2018.

- A web-based and mobile application that provides various home services at the doorstep.
- The system uses WordPress, PHP, MySQL, and a payment gateway to implement the registration, service, payment, and feedback modules for users and service providers.
- The system reduces the hassle of finding and bargaining with skilled professionals, offers a secure and convenient payment method.
- The system can be extended by adding more features such as location tracking, work management tools, chatbot based user interaction, and tamper proof reviews and ratings.





High level design and the use case diagram as explained in the paper

2. The Internet Computer for Geeks: [Link]

A whitepaper published by "The DFINITY Team" in 2022

- The Internet Computer Protocol (ICP) blockchain is a decentralized network of computers that can host websites, dapps, and other online services.
- Allows http requests.
- Interaction without tokens.
- Infinite scaling
- O nodes in cloud
- Cost of 1 gb = \$5 in ICP whereas \$3.5M in etherium
- Creation of node = 2 secs in icp vs 5 mins in etherium

3. JustDial: [Link]

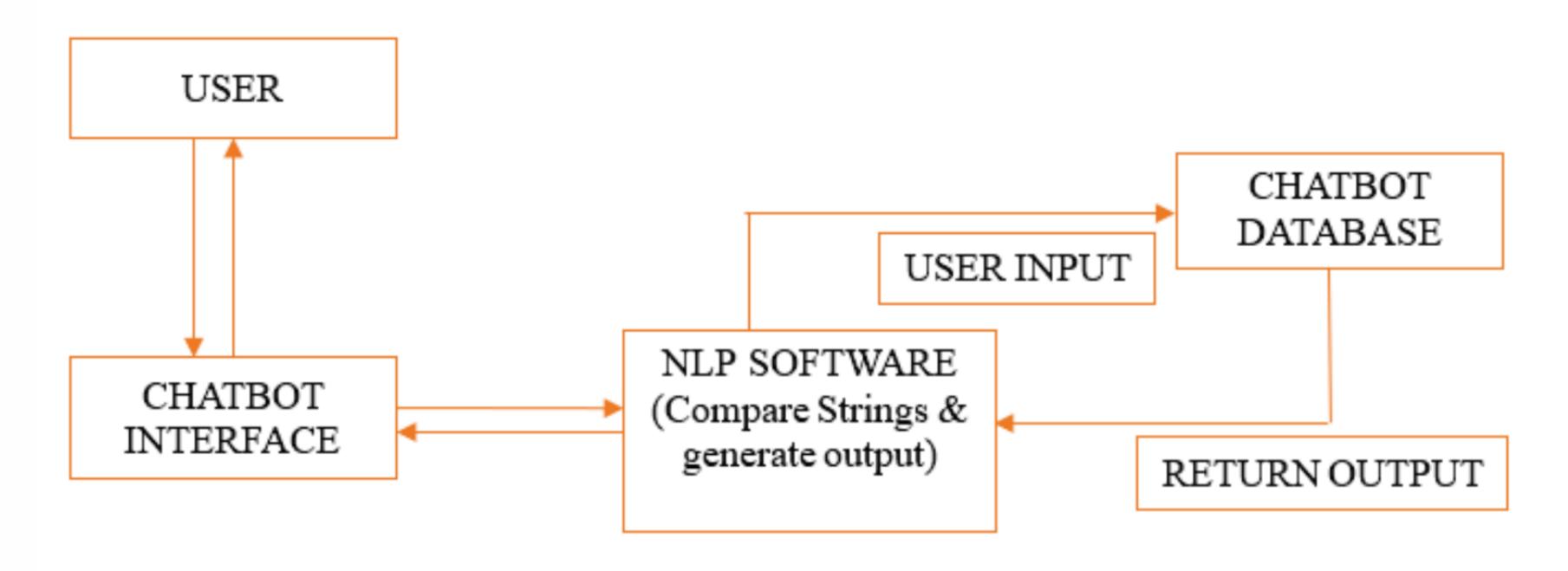
JustDial is a popular online local search service in India, providing a directory of businesses and services.

- Traditional local search and directory service
- Just few details about the business and contact info of the service professional is given.
- User Reviews and Ratings
- Few other features like Geolocation Tracking, Work Management Tools, Interactive User Experience, Tamper-Proof Reviews and Ratings are not there in JustDial which makes our project unique.

4. Conversational Al Chatbots: [Link]

A research paper published by a group of researchers in International Conference on Intelligent Technologies (CONIT), 2021.

- The paper reviews various chatbot systems that are used in different domains such as education, healthcare, business, etc.
- The paper discusses the basic terminology, design, architecture, advantages and disadvantages of chatbots.
- The paper suggests that chatbots can be improved by adding emotion, multilingualism, and personalization features.
- The paper concludes that chatbots are a powerful tool that can facilitate communication, provide information, and automate tasks.



Chatbot design as explained in the reseach paper =

HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

- Processor: Quad-core processor or higher.
- **Memory**: At least 8 gb of RAM.
- **GPU**: A dedicated GPU with a minimum of 4 GB of VRAM.

SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

Jupyter Notebook - For ML model

VS Code - As a Code editor

Python 3.10 - For ML model

NumPy - For ML model

Pandas - For ML model

Node.js - For Backend development

Express.js - For Backend development

React.js - As a Frontend framework

Bootstrap , CSS - For Frontend designs

MongoDB - For Database operations

Motoko - P.language for ICP blockchain

DFINITY Canister - SDK for blockchain



