Requirements of Coursera Website

1. User Authentication & Profile Management

User Story 1.1: Secure Registration & Login

As a user,

I want to sign up and log in securely using different authentication methods, So that I can access my learning dashboard safely.

Acceptance Criteria:

Users can sign up via: email/password, Google, Facebook, LinkedIn, Apple ID.

Password encryption using bcrypt/salted hashing.

User Story 1.2: Role-Based Access Control (RBAC)

As an administrator, I want to assign different roles (student, instructor, admin), So that users can only access authorized features.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Students: Can enroll in courses, access course materials, take assessments.
- **Instructors:** Can create/manage courses, track student performance.
- Admins: Can manage users, courses, platform settings.

2. Course Discovery & Enrollment

User Story 2.1: Al-Powered Course Recommendations

As a learner,

I want to receive personalized course recommendations, So that I can quickly find courses that match my interests.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Al-powered recommendations based on past enrollments, skills, job market trends.
- Trending courses, top-rated, and best-selling course suggestions.

User Story 2.2: Flexible Enrollment & Payment Options

As a learner,

I want to enroll in courses using different payment options, So that I can choose a pricing model that suits me.

Acceptance Criteria:

- One-time purchase, monthly subscription (Coursera Plus), financial aid options.
- Integration with Stripe, PayPal, Apple Pay, Google Pay, cryptocurrency payments.

3. Course Filtering & Search

User Story 3.1: Advanced Filtering Options

As a learner,

I want to filter courses by multiple criteria (category, difficulty, duration, language, instructor, price, etc.),

So that I can easily find the most relevant courses.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Filtering by: subject, skill level, duration, language, price, instructor, rating, certification availability.
- Real-time search with auto-suggestions and Al-powered semantic search.
- Dynamic updates without page reload (AJAX-based filtering).

User Story 3.2: Performance & Accessibility

As a learner,

**I want fast and accessible filtering,

So that I can quickly find courses on any device.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Filtering must work instantly (<1 second response time) even for 100,000+ courses.
- Keyboard navigable, screen reader compatible, ARIA labels for accessibility.
- Localization support for different languages.

4. Learning Experience & Course Content

User Story 4.1: Video Streaming & Offline Learning

As a student,

I want to stream high-quality course videos and download them for offline access, So that I can learn at my convenience.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Adaptive streaming with CDN caching and bandwidth optimization.
- Download feature for offline access in mobile apps.
- Auto-generated subtitles in multiple languages.

User Story 4.2: Al-Powered Auto-Grading & Assessments

As a student,

I want to complete assignments and receive instant feedback, So that I can track my learning progress.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Auto-grading for quizzes, multiple-choice, and coding challenges.
- AI-based plagiarism detection for assignments.
- Al-powered chat assistant for learning support.

5. Interactive & Gamified Learning

User Story 5.1: Peer Reviews & Group Discussions

As a student,

I want to collaborate with peers and receive feedback, So that I can improve my learning through community engagement.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Discussion forums, live Q&A sessions, and group projects.
- Peer-reviewed assignments with a grading rubric.

User Story 5.2: Gamification & Progress Tracking

As a student,

I want to earn rewards and track my learning progress,

So that I stay motivated throughout the course.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Badges, leaderboards, and certificates for milestones.
- XP points and streak tracking for daily engagement.
- Al-driven personalized learning paths.

6. Certification & Skill Verification

User Story 6.1: Blockchain-Based Certification

As a student,

I want to receive a secure and verifiable certificate,

So that I can showcase my achievements to employers.

Acceptance Criteria:

- Digital certificates stored on **blockchain for tamper-proof verification**.
- QR code & verification link for employers.