

CSE 170 Intro to HCI Assignment 5

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Step 1: Revisit Heuristic Evaluations

After reviewing all the heuristic evaluations we got from our evaluators, we decided to implement our prototype #2 and make changes listed below according to the feedbacks:

List of violations and those we won't implement:

1. Template for review creating page: we consider this feedback and think that we would like to give users more freedom and reduce complicated functionalities on review creating page.
2. Font – we'll not provide users with option to change the font and color since sometimes it will be extremely difficult for other users to read if the color and font are not "web-friendly".

Changes to make for the prototype:

1. Back button from the specific game page to any other pages and make smoother navigation flow. Sketch navigation flows accordingly.
2. Review button on the game main page
3. Sort buttons for the game page -
4. Add feed by individual user's browse history or depending on every day news
5. Add a section "Genre" at the bottom of the homepage or a separate section(optional)
6. Embedded YouTube video section
7. A way for the user to edit their reviews or delete their reviews – there should be a way for users to edited their submitted page or pages they're working on and also delete a certain page

Step 2: Make a Development Plan

Note: Week 6 and Week 7's Plans are subject to change and Week 8-10's plans still need to be filled during the process of designing.

Development Plan Google Sheet URL: [Link Here](#)

Excel Version: [Link Here](#)

Step 3: Complete Home Screen & Key Links

We made a GameRev Navigational Skeleton for the entire team. [Link Here](#)
Details:

GameRev Navigational Skeleton

*Bold = Completed & Pushed

HEADER (On all Pages)

Logo -> Home
Search Icon -> Search Page
Dropdown
Account-> Profile Page
Create a Review->Create a Review Page
Settings-> Settings Page
Log out -> Log out confirmation page

FOOTER (On all Pages)

About Gamerev -> About Page
Terms of Service-> Terms of Service Page
Settings -> Settings Page

HOME PAGE

Featured -> ???
Featured Games -> Game Page
Featured Reviews -> Review Page
Create Review->Create a Review Page

SEARCH PAGE

User -> User Page
Game -> Game Page

USER PAGE

Game Picture -> Game Page
Review -> Review Page
Edit Profile -> Settings Page

REVIEW PAGE (EDIT MODE)/CREATE A REVIEW PAGE

Publish -> Review Page (Published Mode)
Cancel -> ???

REVIEW PAGE (PUBLISHED MODE)

Edit (If Owner) -> Review Page (Edit Mode)
Delete Review -> "Are you sure?" Dialogue
If yes -> Review Deleted Page

If no -> Close "Are you sure?" Dialogue

REVIEW DELETED PAGE

Return to Profile -> User Page

SETTINGS PAGE

Save->Home Page
Cancel->Home Page

GAME PAGE

Create Review -> Create a Review Page
User Image -> User Profile

Home Page URL:

<http://gamerev.herokuapp.com/>

Key links added since last assignment:

1. Add Footer Page
2. Redesign the home page to make it prettier
3. Add Sample User Profile Page – if you click “username” on the top right corner and select “account” under the dropdown menu
4. Add Personal Setting Page - if you click “setting” at the bottom of the page it allows you to change your personal settings and security information.

Step 4: Revisit the Brief

During the designing process of our page, we used HTML, CSS and JavaScript learned from the labs to implement our Game Review page ideas. For example, we designed our page header and made our CSS Header file, which will be used in every single page since our plan is to keep the header always showing. We also used a lot of bootstraps to help us with reducing workload.

The individual review page by users meets the theme of our studio of storytelling since it allows users to tell their stories about their game playing experiences and share the unbiased and idiosyncratic reviews with other people. We would like to give our users the freedom to speak out and at the same time help them be exposed with stories by others, that why we discuss to put a big review button on the home page and give users freedom to personalize their “create review” page instead of doing a template. It is in consistent with the “Exposure” idea(on tumblr) of the studio.