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1. Functional Requirements - Prioritized

1. Priority 1:

Guest User:

- 1.1 Guest users shall be able to search based on a street name and zip code
- 1.2 Guest users shall be able to filter listings based on various prices, beds, baths, home types, and amenities
- 1.3 The media of the house posted by the homeowner shall be visible to the guest users
- 1.4 The location of the house on an interactive map for each listing shall be visible to the guest users
- 1.5 Guest users shall be able to register
- 1.6 Guest users shall be able to see the distance from the house to the university for every listing

Registered User:

- 1.8 Registered users shall be able to experience all the functionalities experienced by the guest users
- 1.9 Registered users shall be verified using their @mail.sfsu.edu or sfsu.edu email id
- 1.10 Registered users shall be able to post new listings
- 1.11 Registered users shall be able to see the contact details of landlords renting or selling their property and students/faculty looking for a roommate and message them
- 1.12 Registered users shall be able to reset forgotten password
- 1.13 Registered users shall have a personalized dashboard to check postings and messages

Admin:

- 1.14 Admin shall be required to approve the registered landlords listing in 24 hours, before it goes live. Approval shall be marked by a “verified” icon
- 1.15 Admin shall be able to delete flagged listings

1.16 Admin shall be able to delete flagged accounts and users

1.17 Admin shall be able to enforce terms and conditions for the website

2. Priority 2:

Guest User:

2.1 Guest users shall be able to sort based on price (highest/lowest), newest listing/ date posted

Registered User:

2.2 Registered users shall be able to create a short profile about themselves including their contact information

2.3 Registered users shall be able to save the filter, sort and search options to avoid repetitions

2.4 Registered users shall be able to see a personalized home page with recommendations

2.5 Registered users shall be able to update their password

3. Priority 3:

Guest User:

3.1 Guest users shall be able to see the nearby Restaurants, Laundromat, Bart station, Grocery and other essentials for every listing on the website

Registered User:

3.2 Registered users shall be able to save their favorite listings to view later

3.3 “Number of views” for every listing shall be visible only to registered users

2. List of main data items and entities

User: Someone who interacts with the website.

- Guest: Any user with/without an account can browse the listings on the website.
- Registered: User with an account who can post a listing (landlord) or reply to a listing (SFSU student/faculty).
- Admin: User who is registered and has special privileges for approving a listing to be shown on the website.

User registration record: Form for any guest user to register

- Name: Full name of the user
- Email: Email id to create an account
- Password: Password associated with the email id which will be encrypted
- Phone number: Contact detail of the user or landlord
- Profile pic: Optional profile picture of the user

Listing record:

- Title: Unique title given to the apartment/housing/room listed
- Description: Short description of the apartment/housing/room
- Price: Cost of the listing available to buy/rent
- House Type : Houses, Condos, Apartments, Town Houses
- Number of bed
- Number of bath
- Number of parking spots?
- Is the space furnished ? (Yes/No)
- Is the space for rent or sale ? (Rent/Sale)
- Are pets allowed ? (Yes/No)
- Is smoking allowed ? (Yes/No)
- Listing media (can be a list of pictures, not just a single picture)
- Listing status (Posted -> Verified -> Not available)

- Posted when the tenant/seller posts the listing
- Approved once the admin approves the listing
- Not available once the listing is occupied/sold

Address components:

- Building number
- Apartment
- Street name
- Zip code
- City
- State

Messages:

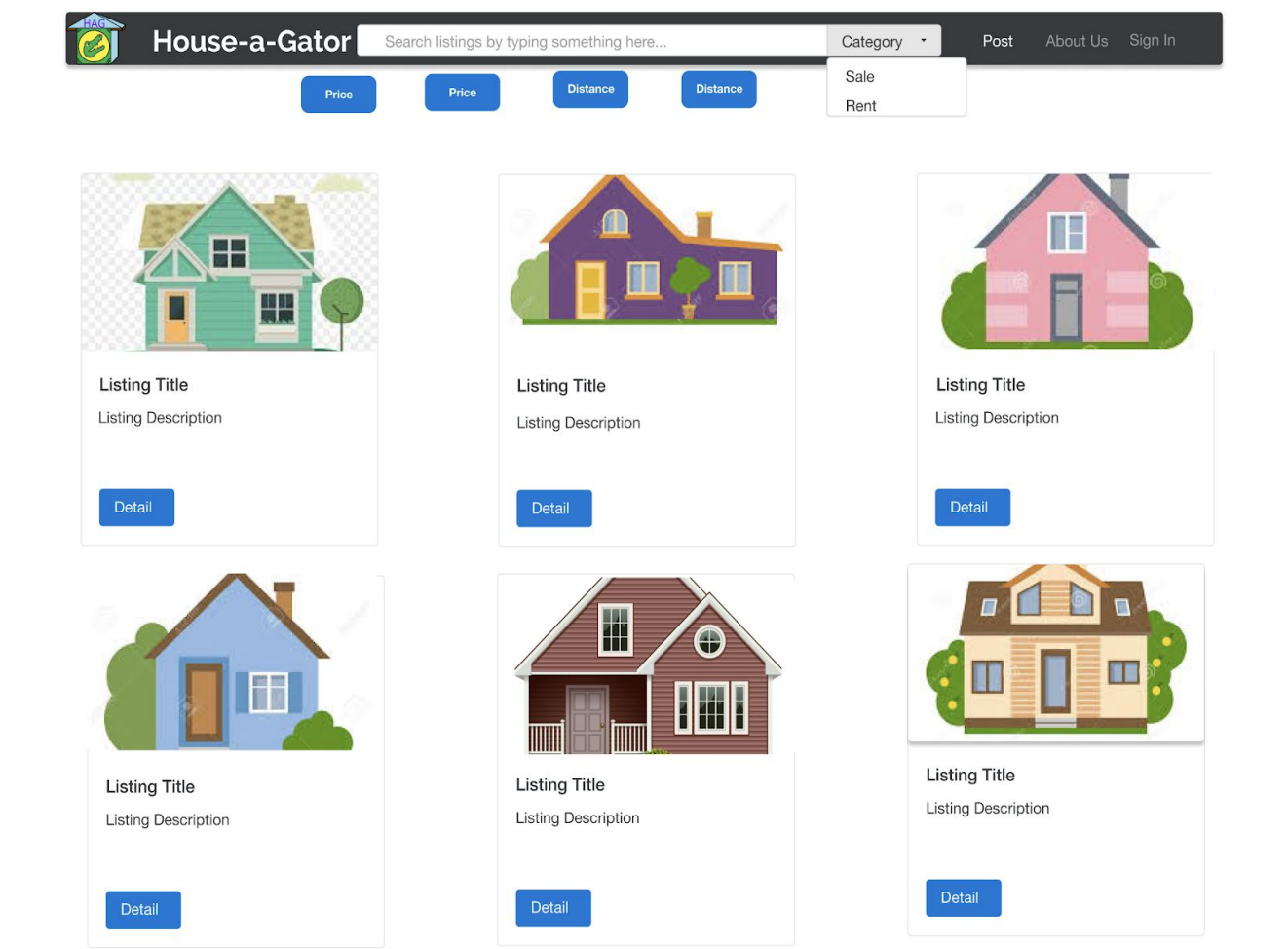
- Message ID
- Receiver ID: Current users ID
- Sender ID: User ID of the registered user
- Listing ID: Reference to property
- Date: Send/received date of the message
- Text: Content of the message

3. UI Mockups and Storyboards

Guest User


Abraham is a guest user to the House-a-Gator website. As a guest user he can view the different listings on the home page and also search for different categories in the search bar and also be able to choose different filters to refine the listing results on the home page.

Home Page



Listing Detail Page for Guest User





If Abraham wants to view the detailed version of the listing. Once he clicks on the listing card on the home page, he is redirected to the listing detail page where he can view more pictures ,detailed description of listing with map view.

**House-a-Gator**

Category ▾


- Apartment
- house
- studio

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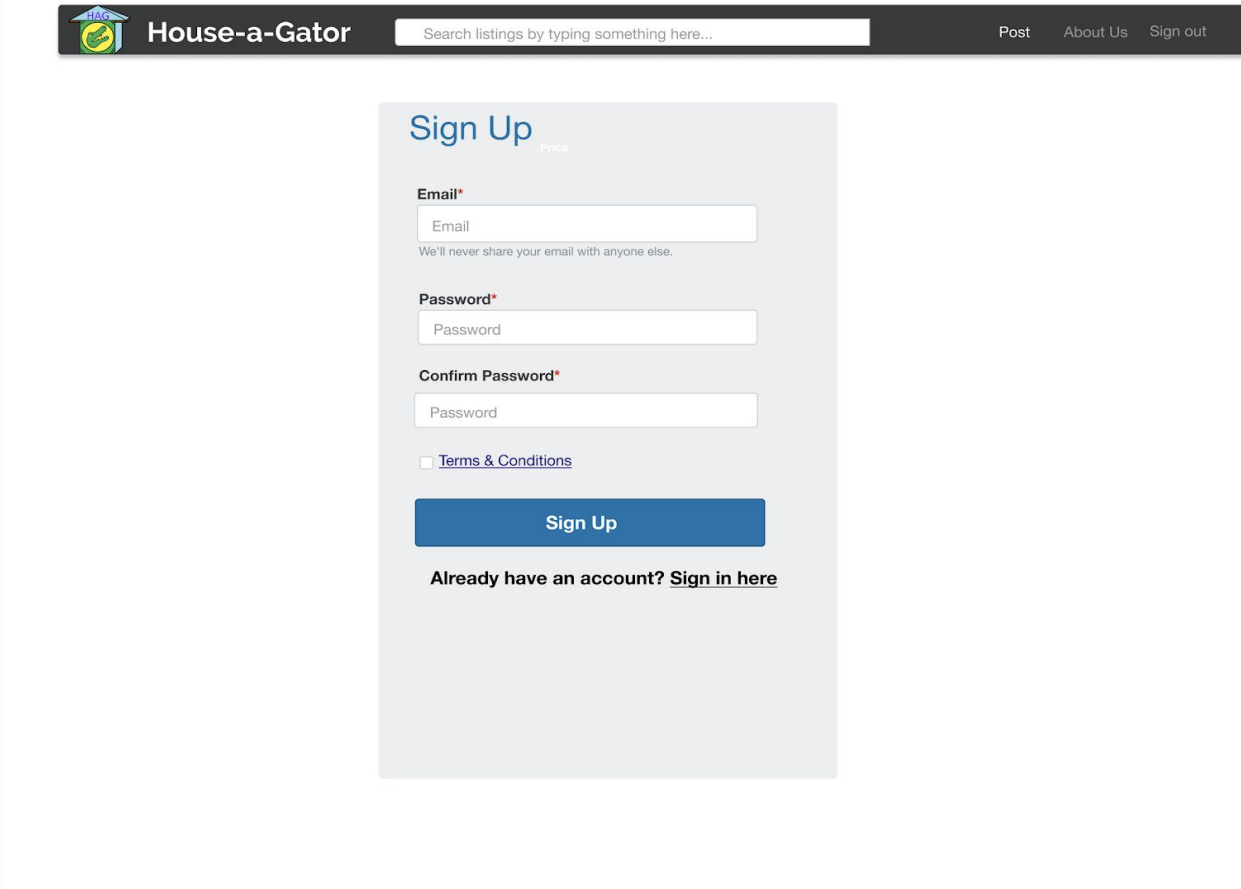
Listing Address:
Listing Price
Listing Apartment Detail Info
Cooling: Available
Pets: No pets

[Request to apply](#) [Message Seller](#)



Sign Up Page

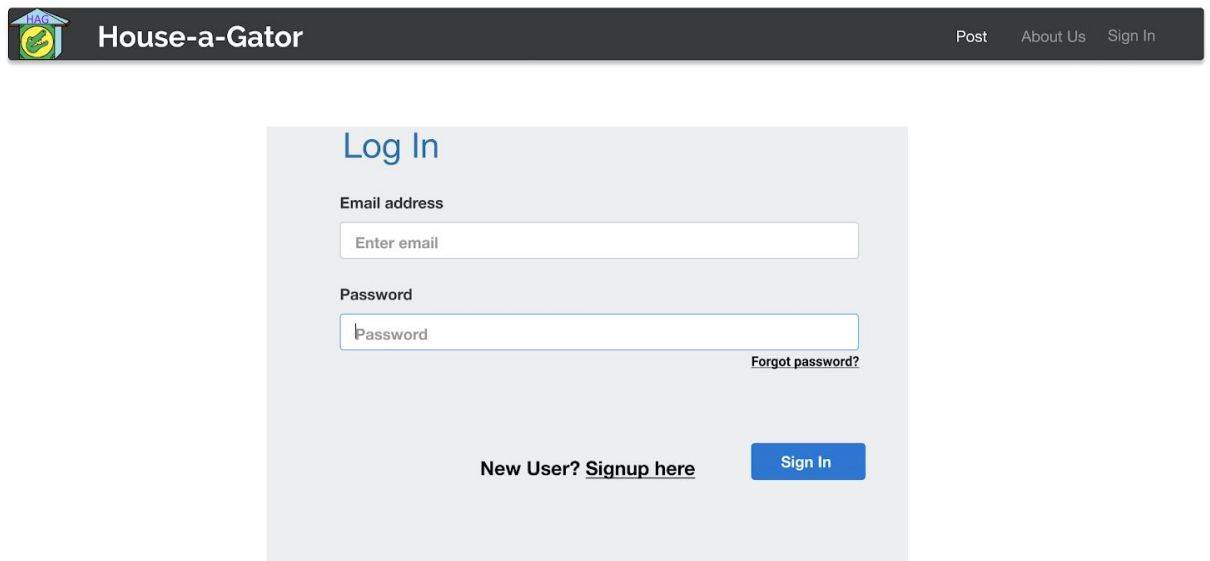
When Abraham tries to contact the seller from the listing detail page, House-a-Gator application is redirected to login/signup screen . He is able to register by giving email and password.



The screenshot displays the 'Sign Up' page of the House-a-Gator application. At the top, a dark navigation bar features the House-a-Gator logo on the left, a search bar with the placeholder text 'Search listings by typing something here...', and links for 'Post', 'About Us', and 'Sign out' on the right. The main content area is a light gray box titled 'Sign Up' in blue, with a small 'Price' link below it. The form includes three input fields: 'Email*' with a placeholder 'Email' and a note 'We'll never share your email with anyone else.', 'Password*', and 'Confirm Password*'. Below these is a checkbox for 'Terms & Conditions'. A blue 'Sign Up' button is positioned below the checkbox. At the bottom of the form, a link reads 'Already have an account? [Sign in here](#)'.

Login Page

Once Abraham is registered , he should be able to login with an email address and password into the House-a-Gator website.



The image shows a web browser displaying the login page of a website called "House-a-Gator". The website has a dark header bar with the logo on the left and navigation links "Post", "About Us", and "Sign In" on the right. The main content area is light gray and contains a "Log In" section. This section has two input fields: "Email address" with a placeholder "Enter email" and "Password" with a placeholder "Password". To the right of the password field is a link "Forgot password?". Below the input fields, there is a link "New User? [Signup here](#)" and a blue "Sign In" button.

House-a-Gator

Post About Us Sign In

Log In

Email address

Password

[Forgot password?](#)

New User? [Signup here](#) [Sign In](#)

Message Seller

Once Abraham login into the application, he will be able to contact the seller from the listing detail page. When he clicks on message seller , message to seller modal will be prompted asking about the message



Message to Seller

Title

optional

Message:

I would like to get a tour of this house, can you please arrange for an in-person tour ?

Cancel


Send Message

Registered User

Vanessa is a registered user of the House-a-Gator application. As a registered user , she is able to post the new listing by clicking on the post link on navbar.

Home Page


Disclaimer

**House-a-Gator**

Category ▾
Apartment
house
studio

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Recently posted: Filter by: [Price](#) [Distance](#)




Listing Title

Listing Description

distance to SFSU


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New Listing

In the new Listing Page where Vanessa can post listing information and images about the house she wanted to sell.

New Listing

Title *

Address *

Price *

Beds *

Baths *

Type *

☐ Rent ☐ Sell

Category *


Apartment ,Studio,room,house


Images *

It may take 24 hours to get posted

User Dashboard

Vanessa can check about her listings and messages on the user dashboard page .

**House-a-Gator**


Category 

Apartment
house
studio

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My Listings

Total Number of listing :3




Listing Title
Listing Price

[Info](#)



Listing Title
Listing Price

[Info](#)



Listing Title
Listing Price

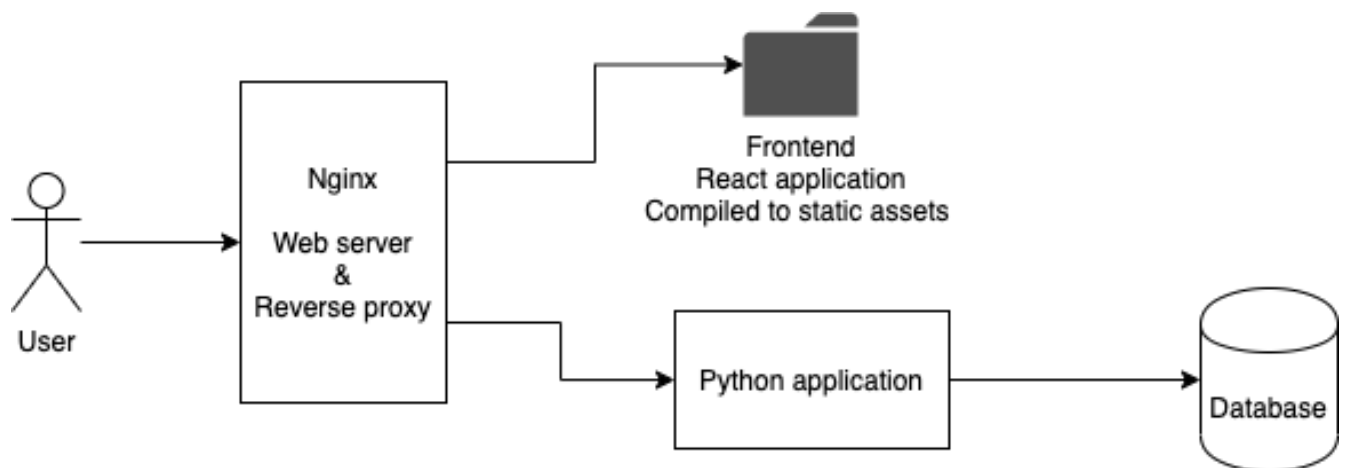
[Info](#)

Recieved messages

#	Sender	House title	Message
1	Mark	Otto	I would like to get a tour of this house, can you please arrange for an in-person tour ?
2	Jacob	Thornton	I would like to get a tour of this house, can you please reach out to me at +1-123-456-6789
3	Larry	the Bird	Please send me the floorplan of the house to me <i>this-is-totally-a-valid-email@mail.sfsu.edu</i>

4. High level Architecture, Database Organization:

4.1 Application Architecture:



4.2 DB organization:

Database name : HouseaGator

- Registration_record
 - User_id (primary key)
 - email
 - password
 - first_name
 - last_name
- Listings
 - Listing_id (primary key)
 - Listing_title
 - Listing_description
 - Street_name
 - Building_number
 - Apartment

- City
 - State
 - Country
 - Landmark
 - Listing_price
 - Listing_type
 - Listing_status
 - Listing_views
 - Furnished
 - Square_foot
 - Number_of_bed
 - Number_of_bath
 - Parking_spots
 - Number_of_occupants
 - Pet_policy
 - Smoking_policy
- Listings_media
 - Listings_media_id (primary key)
 - Listing_id (foreign key)
 - Listing_media
- Listings_home_type
 - Home_type_id (primary key)
 - Listings_id (foreign key)
 - Home_type
- Messages
 - message_id (primary key)
 - Sender_id (foreign key)
 - Receiver_id(foreign key)
 - listing_id(foreign key)
 - Date
 - Message_text
- **Media Storage:** File systems
- **Search/filter architecture and implementation:** SQL and *%like*

- **APIs:**

- Registration -> POST /user
- Login -> POST /session
- Post Listing -> POST /listing
- Get Listings (with filters and search params) -> GET /listings?<query_param>
- Get Listing details -> GET /listings/<listing-id>
- Send message -> POST /messages
- Get messages sent to me -> GET /messages?receiverId=<userId>

5.Identification of key risk factors

Risks	Resolution
Skills : Possessing little knowledge with front-end or back-end language.	Splitting the work up between two different groups, to assign personnel with more knowledge to designated tasks. Having others in the team teach either-side.
Schedule: Not always being available at the same time due to life and other classes.	Have a message board on Discord to keep everyone up to date. Can schedule video conferences when team members are available. Modifying functional requirements to fit the schedule.
Technical: Not knowing specific implementation of code for a function.	Providing necessary comments in the code. Researching online to find a way to get it working. Ask the team if they potentially know how to get a function to work properly.
Teamwork: New to teamwork type of programming with GitHub sharing	Other members possess knowledge of how to manage the Git commands. Pointing members in right direction to find the needed knowledge
Legal/content: N/A	Images to be downloaded from google images. Address of commercial properties to be used for listing

6. Project management

For M2, we split the team into two chunks.

- Frontend
- Backend

The front-end team worked on developing mockups needed for the milestone 2 document. The back-end team worked on data modeling without being blocked. Once the frontend team came up with a list of screens, the entire team held a review with the whole team and came up with a list of APIs to integrate with the frontend. The entire team had some discussion here to finalize the APIs and list of screens.

Our team also created a trello board to assign the tasks. This is a great way to track progress for the project, and it can be updated asynchronously. It will be helpful especially in an online based environment where all of us need not be working at the same time. It also saves time in our weekly meetings.