

Internet and Web Systems 1

Week 3 Report

Tasks Achieved:

1. I started working on the project this week and I came up with the idea to create a **'Novel/Book rating and recommendation system'**.
2. I started researching and thinking through the idea of how would I want the look and feel of the web app.
3. I also have to think about the fact that there are thousands of novels and how many would I like to integrate in my app and how will I do it.
4. IN the meantime, I decided that for any user to give a rating to a book it needs to have an account on my app.
5. Thus, I created a simple login and signup Page. I used the basics of HTML and CSS to achieve it. The login page has field areas to enter the username and password. Along with that it has links to resetting the password if forgotten and also to sign up as a new user. On clicking the 'Don't have an account link?', the user is redirect to a signup form where he can sign up using email or using Facebook/Twitter/Google.

Problems and Solutions:

1. The only problem I had was narrowing down an idea for the web app for the project. I had many ideas in my mind but I had to narrow it down to one.
2. I went through online resources considering the factors, such as which would give me maximum learning experience and also its output will be good enough.
3. Also after deciding on the above idea, I went through the existing web apps which serve the same purpose of rating books and studied its interface and UI.

References:

1. <https://flaviocopes.com/sample-app-ideas/>
2. <https://www.goodreads.com/>