

Problem

Raw ingredients come in packages too large for individuals, making food waste inevitable whenever an individual cooks for themself. This problem is compounded by a desire to eat a variety of different meals and a lack of experience cooking meals from scratch.

Eat Together

Gatherings

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Mapo Tofu

Saturday May 5th, 2:00 PM

Vegan Chinese Late Lunch Spicy

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Greeting and Cooking

Join or create public gatherings to meet

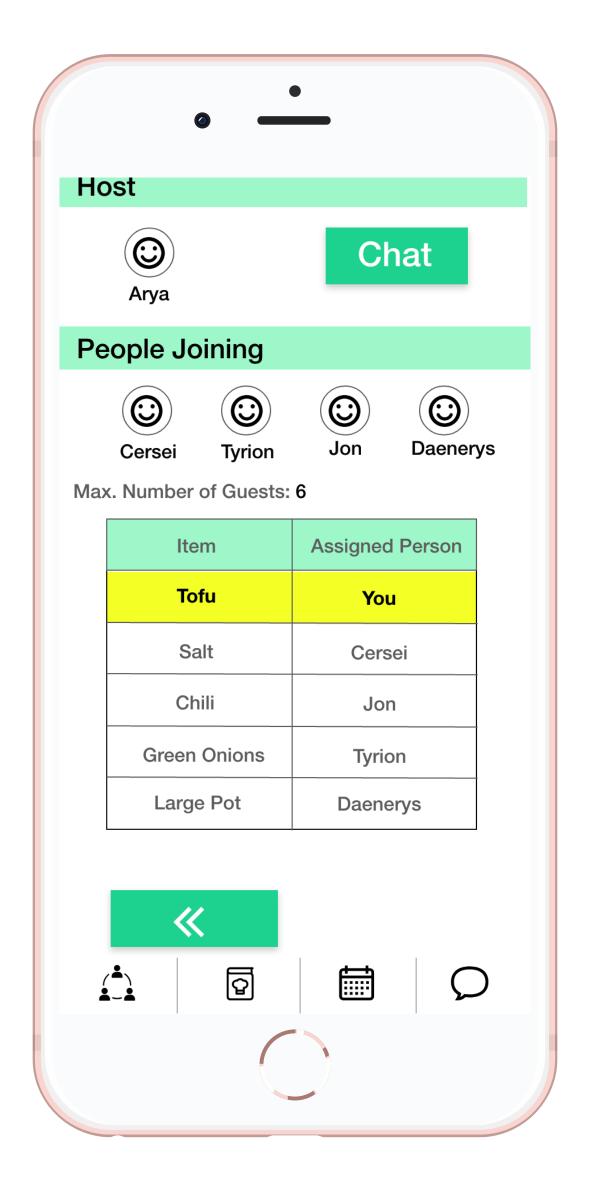
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Cancel Attendance



Reduce Waste



Bring Your Own Ingredients

Contribute to a gathering with ingredients that you have readily available so they don't go bad.

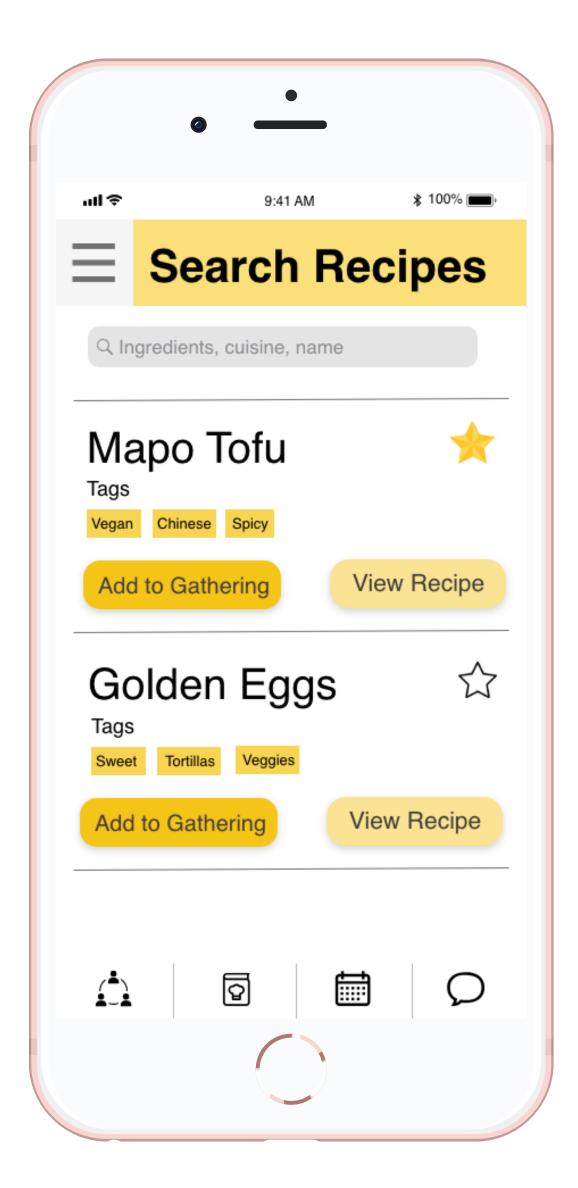
Design Process

Value Proposition

Forage helps people create and find gatherings near them to cook delicious meals. Forage recommends food recipes based on everyone's food restrictions and automatically calculates the amount of food needed to minimize food waste.



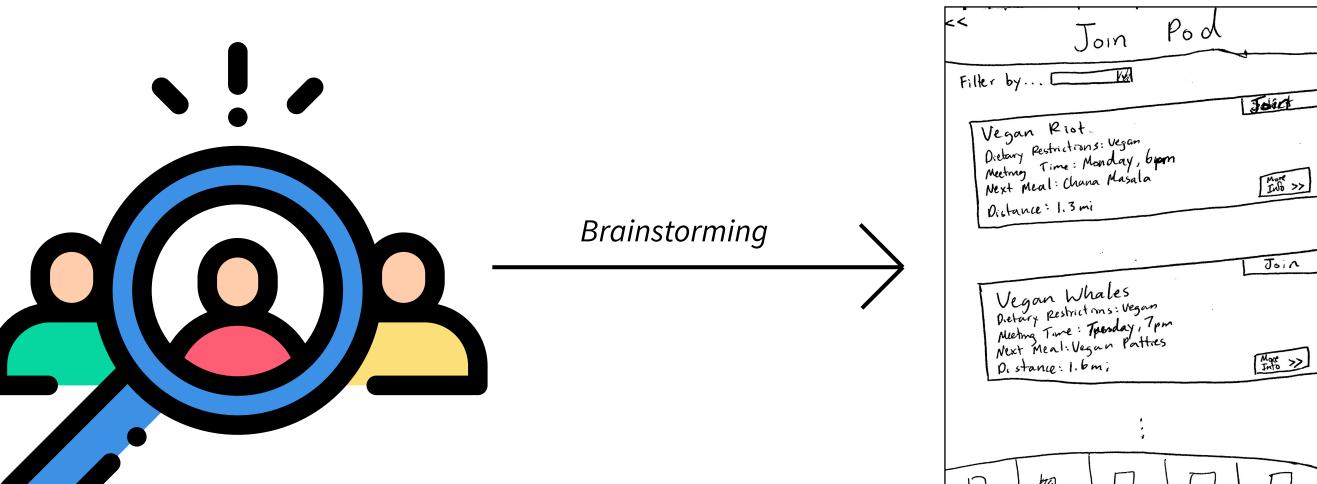
Meet New People

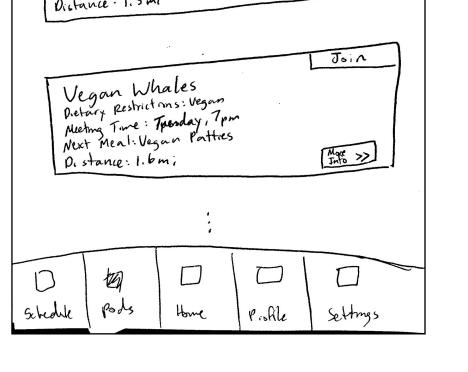


Food Restrictions

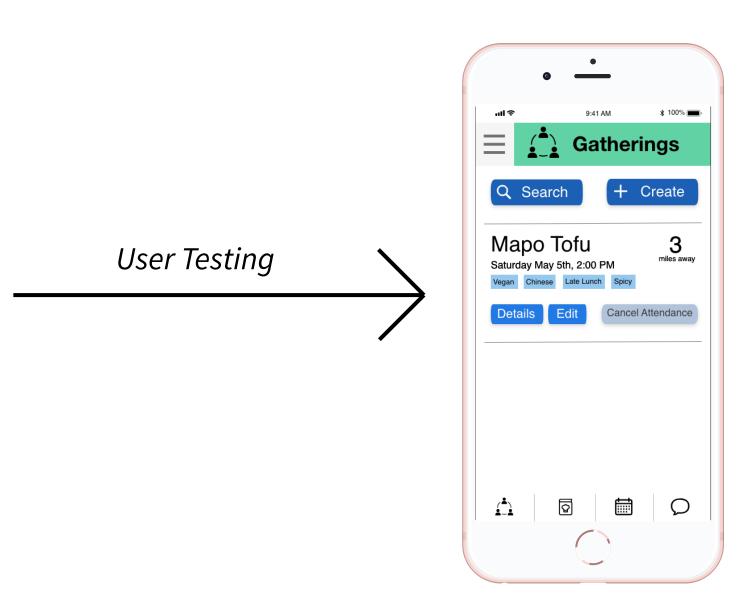
Search recipes satisfying everyone's food restrictions and add them easily to a new gathering.

new people while cooking delicious meals.









High-Fidelity Prototype

After additional testing and feedback, we chose the final features and developed an interactive prototype through Adobe XD.

User Research

We conducted contextual inquiries with students living off-campus to determine why they wasted food and what behaviors could mitigate such waste.

Low-Fidelity Prototype and Testing

We translated our research and brainstorming process into a paper prototype that was refined through user testing.