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Elements of the user stories that were most helpful in developing my initial test cases include having the product backlog, the priority of the user stories and the gist of what the users would like to see.

Communication between me and the Product Owner during the development of the test cases is critical. This is because if there is no communication, and the program is finished, the product owner would want to change how it is. This would lead to having to redo the project, which costs more money and time. The Product Owner can be helpful during this phase by explaining the gist of what is expected, and showing examples of what is expected.

What I found that was missing from the user stories that would have been helpful was that there were no instructions on how the program was to look like, and how it would be organized, such as the placement of the menu, and how the filters would be saved under an account. To get this additional information for next time, I could ask the team of developers, Product Owner and end users of how they would implement the filter menu, and account options.

To: Christy

Subject: User Story Needs

Dear Christy,

After testing the user stories with the provided slideshow, the implementation of the filter menu is critical. Where would the menu placement be located? I am thinking about having it at the top corner of the slideshow, and for the account, have it redirect the user to the website. Having more wireframes of what you would like to see with the menu and filter options, along with the account would be much help.

Thanks,

Andrew