

Esoteric Enterprises Financial Platform - Updated Design Document

1. Executive Summary

1.1 Project Overview

Esoteric Enterprises needs an attractive, secure financial website that enables customers to:

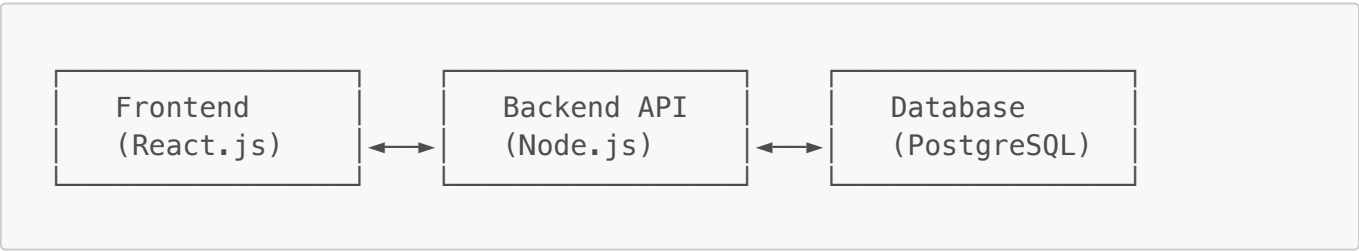
- Create accounts and log in securely with two-factor authentication
- Access a dashboard to view their loan performance and earnings
- View their loan details (principal, monthly payments, bonuses, withdrawals)
- Track growth charts showing bonuses and withdrawals over time
- Access and download important documents
- Schedule meetings with the financial team

1.2 Key Objectives

- Secure financial data protection
- Modern, intuitive user interface
- Scalable architecture for future growth
- Maintainable, well-documented codebase

2. System Architecture

2.1 System Architecture



2.2 Technology Stack

Frontend

- **Framework:** React 19.1.1 with TypeScript
- **UI Library:** Material-UI (MUI) v7.2.0 with Emotion styling
- **Routing:** React Router DOM v7.7.1
- **Charts:** Chart.js 4.5.0 with React-ChartJS-2 integration
- **HTTP Client:** Axios 1.11.0
- **Testing:** React Testing Library with Jest
- **Build Tool:** React Scripts (Create React App)
- **Deployment:** Heroku with serve for production

Backend

- **Runtime:** Node.js with Express 5.1.0
- **Language:** JavaScript with TypeScript support
- **Authentication:** JWT tokens + Speakeasy 2.0.0 for TOTP 2FA
- **Password Security:** Bcryptjs 3.0.2 hashing
- **File Processing:** Multer 2.0.2 for uploads
- **Excel Processing:** XLSX 0.18.5 for bulk operations
- **Security:** Helmet 8.1.0, Express-rate-limit 8.1.0, CORS 2.8.5
- **Validation:** Express-validator 7.2.1
- **Email:** Nodemailer 7.0.6 (configured but notifications disabled)
- **QR Codes:** QRCode 1.5.4 for 2FA setup
- **JWT:** Jsonwebtoken 9.0.2 for secure token handling
- **Testing:** Jest 30.0.5 with Supertest 7.1.4
- **Environment:** Dotenv 17.2.1 for configuration
- **Deployment:** Heroku

Database

- **Database:** PostgreSQL with pg driver 8.16.3
- **Connection:** Connection pooling with SSL support
- **Environment:** Production and test database isolation
- **Backup:** Database safety measures with production protection
- **Testing:** Dedicated test database with automated cleanup

3. Core Features

3.1 User Authentication

- Account registration with validation
- Two-factor authentication (TOTP authenticator apps with QR codes)
- JWT token authentication with configurable expiration
- Secure password hashing with bcrypt
- Session management with token validation
- Rate limiting for login attempts
- Email verification (disabled - database columns remain but functionality removed)

3.2 Customer Portal

Dashboard

- Loan balance overview with Material-UI cards
- Monthly payment tracking with bonus calculations
- Recent transaction display
- Interactive growth chart
- Transaction history with real-time updates
- Responsive design with purple/dark theme

Account Management

- Personal profile management with form validation
- Contact information display
- 2FA setup and management interface
- Account verification status display

Financial Data

- Comprehensive loan transaction history
- Advanced filtering and sorting capabilities
- Real-time loan performance metrics
- Bonus and withdrawal tracking
- Transaction categorization and analytics
- Portfolio dashboard with advanced metrics

Document Center

- Secure document library with categorization
- Document upload/download with file validation
- Access control and authorization
- File size and type restrictions
- Clean file management system

Request Management

- Withdrawal request creation and tracking
- Meeting request scheduling with admin workflow
- Status updates and approval process
- Request history and management

3.3 Admin Panel

- Comprehensive customer management dashboard
- User account administration and verification
- Loan creation and management tools
- Transaction management and processing
- Document management with batch upload capabilities
- Excel bulk upload for loan data processing
- Advanced user filtering and search
- Request approval and management workflow
- System monitoring and user activity tracking

4. Security Framework

4.1 Authentication Security

- **Two-Factor Authentication:** TOTP via authenticator apps or SMS
- **Password Protection:** Bcrypt hashing with salt rounds

- **Token Authentication:** JWT with configurable expiration
- **Rate Limiting:** Protection against brute force attacks
- **Password Policy:** Strength requirements and validation

4.2 Data Protection

- **Encryption:** TLS/SSL for all communications
- **Input Validation:** Sanitization of user inputs
- **SQL Injection Defense:** Parameterized queries
- **XSS Prevention:** Content security policies

4.3 Monitoring & Backup

- **Performance Monitoring:** Error tracking and analytics
- **Security Logging:** Audit trails for authentication
- **Automated Backups:** Daily encrypted database backups

5. Database Design

5.1 Core Tables

```
-- Users table
CREATE TABLE users (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    email VARCHAR(255) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    password_hash VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
    first_name VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
    last_name VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
    phone VARCHAR(20),
    role VARCHAR(20) DEFAULT 'user',
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
    updated_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
    requires_2fa BOOLEAN DEFAULT false,
    last_login TIMESTAMP,
    email_verified BOOLEAN DEFAULT false,
    email_verification_token VARCHAR(255),
    email_verification_expires_at TIMESTAMP,
    account_verified BOOLEAN DEFAULT false,
    verified_by_admin INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    verified_at TIMESTAMP
);

-- Loan accounts table
CREATE TABLE loan_accounts (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    account_number VARCHAR(50) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    principal_amount DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
    current_balance DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
    monthly_rate DECIMAL(5,4) DEFAULT 0.01,
    total_bonuses DECIMAL(15,2) DEFAULT 0.00,
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total_withdrawals DECIMAL(15,2) DEFAULT 0.00,
created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
updated_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Loan transactions table
CREATE TABLE loan_transactions (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  loan_account_id INTEGER REFERENCES loan_accounts(id),
  amount DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
  transaction_type VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,
  bonus_percentage DECIMAL(5,4),
  description TEXT,
  transaction_date DATE NOT NULL,
  created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Documents table
CREATE TABLE documents (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
  title VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
  file_path VARCHAR(500) NOT NULL,
  file_size INTEGER,
  category VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
  upload_date TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- User sessions tracking
CREATE TABLE user_sessions (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
  token_hash VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
  expires_at TIMESTAMP NOT NULL,
  created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Two-factor authentication
CREATE TABLE user_2fa (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
  secret VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
  is_enabled BOOLEAN DEFAULT false,
  backup_codes TEXT[],
  created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- 2FA attempt tracking
CREATE TABLE user_2fa_attempts (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
  attempt_time TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP,
  success BOOLEAN NOT NULL,
  ip_address INET
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);

-- Payment schedule
CREATE TABLE payment_schedule (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    loan_account_id INTEGER REFERENCES loan_accounts(id),
    payment_date DATE NOT NULL,
    base_amount DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
    bonus_amount DECIMAL(15,2) DEFAULT 0.00,
    total_amount DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
    status VARCHAR(20) DEFAULT 'pending',
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Withdrawal requests
CREATE TABLE withdrawal_requests (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
    loan_account_id INTEGER REFERENCES loan_accounts(id) ON DELETE
    CASCADE,
    amount DECIMAL(15,2) NOT NULL,
    status VARCHAR(20) DEFAULT 'pending',
    reason TEXT,
    reviewed_by INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    reviewed_at TIMESTAMP,
    completed_by INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    completed_at TIMESTAMP,
    notes TEXT,
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Meeting requests
CREATE TABLE meeting_requests (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
    preferred_date DATE NOT NULL,
    preferred_time TIME,
    topic VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
    description TEXT,
    status VARCHAR(20) DEFAULT 'pending',
    reviewed_by INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    reviewed_at TIMESTAMP,
    scheduled_date TIMESTAMP,
    meeting_link VARCHAR(500),
    notes TEXT,
    phone_number VARCHAR(50),
    location TEXT,
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

-- Account verification requests
CREATE TABLE account_verification_requests (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    user_id INTEGER REFERENCES users(id) ON DELETE CASCADE,
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    status VARCHAR(20) DEFAULT 'pending',
    reviewed_by INTEGER REFERENCES users(id),
    reviewed_at TIMESTAMP,
    notes TEXT,
    created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

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6. API Endpoints

6.1 Authentication & User Management

POST /api/auth/register	- User registration with validation
POST /api/auth/login	- Login with 2FA support
POST /api/auth/logout	- Secure logout
POST /api/auth/complete-2fa-login	- Complete 2FA login flow
GET /api/user/profile	- Get user profile
PUT /api/user/profile	- Update user profile
POST /api/user/request-account-verification	- Request account verification

6.2 Two-Factor Authentication

POST /api/2fa/setup	- Initialize 2FA setup with QR code
POST /api/2fa/verify-setup	- Verify and enable 2FA
GET /api/2fa/status	- Get current 2FA status
POST /api/2fa/generate-backup-codes	- Generate backup codes
POST /api/2fa/disable	- Disable 2FA

6.3 Loan Management

GET /api/loans	- Get user loans
GET /api/loans/:loanId/transactions	- Get loan transaction history
GET /api/loans/:loanId/analytics	- Get loan performance analytics

6.4 Document Management

GET /api/documents	- Get user documents
GET /api/documents/:id/download	- Download document
POST /api/admin/documents/upload	- Admin document upload
GET /api/admin/documents/:id/download	- Admin document download
DELETE /api/admin/documents/:id	- Delete document

6.5 Request Management

POST /api/withdrawal-requests	- Create withdrawal request
GET /api/withdrawal-requests	- Get user withdrawal requests
POST /api/meeting-requests	- Create meeting request
GET /api/meeting-requests	- Get user meeting requests

6.6 Admin Operations

GET /api/admin/users	- Get all users with filtering
GET /api/admin/users/:id/documents	- Get user documents
GET /api/admin/users/:id/loans	- Get user loans
GET /api/admin/users/:id/transactions	- Get user transactions
PUT /api/admin/users/:id/verify	- Verify user account
POST /api/admin/create-loan	- Create new loan
GET /api/admin/loans	- Get all loans
PUT /api/admin/loans/:id	- Update loan
POST /api/admin/loans/:id/transactions	- Add loan transaction
GET /api/admin/loans/:id/transactions	- Get loan transactions
DELETE /api/admin/loans/:id	- Delete loan
GET /api/admin/withdrawal-requests	- Get all withdrawal requests
PUT /api/admin/withdrawal-requests/:id	- Update withdrawal request
POST /api/admin/withdrawal-requests/:id/complete	- Complete withdrawal
GET /api/admin/meeting-requests	- Get all meeting requests
PUT /api/admin/meeting-requests/:id	- Update meeting request
GET /api/admin/verification-requests	- Get verification requests
PUT /api/admin/verification-requests/:id	- Update verification request
POST /api/admin/loans/excel-upload	- Bulk loan upload via Excel
GET /api/admin/loans/excel-template	- Download Excel template
DELETE /api/admin/documents/:id	- Delete document

6.7 System Health

GET /api/health	- Health check endpoint
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7. User Interface Design

7.1 Design Approach

- Modern purple and black color scheme
- Professional design for financial confidence
- Fast loading with sub-second performance

7.2 Key Pages

1. Login/Register

2. **Dashboard**
3. **Transactions**
4. **Documents**
5. **Profile**

7.3 Dashboard Design

Color Palette: Custom purple (#6f5cf2) with matte black (#1F2937).

Design Features:

- Purple gradient headers with shadows
- Matte black backgrounds
- Purple accents with hover animations
- White typography for contrast
- Card-based layout with rounded corners
- Modern icons and micro-interactions

8. Development Timeline

Phase 1: Foundation (Weeks 1-2)

- Set up development environment
- Create basic React app with routing
- Set up Node.js backend with database connection
- Implement user registration and login

Phase 2: Core Features (Weeks 3-4)

- Build user dashboard
- Create transaction display and filtering
- Implement basic account management
- Add simple charts for financial data

Phase 3: Document Management (Weeks 5-6)

- File upload system for admins
- Document categorization and storage
- Download functionality for users
- Admin panel for customer management

Phase 4: Polish & Deploy (Weeks 7-8)

- Security hardening and testing
- UI/UX improvements
- Performance optimization
- Production deployment and testing

9. Budget Breakdown

Development Costs

- **Frontend Development:** \$2,500
- **Backend Development:** \$3,000
- **Security Implementation (inc. 2FA):** \$2,000
- **Loan Management System:** \$1,000
- **Payment Processing:** \$500
- **Database Setup & Design:** \$600
- **Testing & Deployment:** \$400

Total Development: \$10,000

Monthly Operational Costs

- **Backend Hosting** (DigitalOcean): \$20/month
- **Database Hosting:** \$15/month
- **Frontend Hosting** (Netlify/Vercel): Free
- **SSL Certificate:** Free (Let's Encrypt)
- **Domain:** \$15/year
- **Calendly:** \$10-\$20/month
- **DocuSign** \$10-\$20/month **Total Monthly:** ~\$60-70

10. Future Features

These are some other features that you could consider implementing in the future, but wouldn't be in scope for the current website.

Advanced Features (Future Phases)

- Advanced analytics and reporting
- Mobile applications
- Automated compliance reporting
- Advanced monitoring and alerting
- Load balancing and auto-scaling
- Microservices architecture

Enterprise Security Features

- Penetration testing
- Advanced intrusion detection
- Compliance certifications
- Advanced audit logging
- Encryption at rest

11. Success Metrics

Technical Goals

- Page load times under 3 seconds
- 99% uptime

- Zero security incidents
- All core features working properly

Business Goals

- Easy customer onboarding
- Customers can access their data quickly
- Documents are easily accessible
- Admins can manage customer data efficiently

12. Testing Infrastructure (Implemented)

12.1 Comprehensive Test Suite

- **Jest Testing Framework:** 30.0.5 with Supertest for API testing
- **Database Safety:** Production database protection with isolated test database
- **Test Coverage:** Enhanced authentication, user profiles, loans, API integration
- **Security Testing:** Rate limiting, XSS prevention, SQL injection protection
- **File Upload Testing:** Document upload validation with automatic cleanup
- **Environment Isolation:** Dedicated test environment configuration

12.2 Test Suite Coverage

auth-enhanced.test.js	- Complete authentication flows
user-profile.test.js	- Profile management and validation
loans-basic.test.js	- Loan operations and transactions
robust-api.test.js	- API integration and error handling
admin-comprehensive.test.js	- Admin operations and management
security-advanced.test.js	- Security measures validation
performance-load.test.js	- Performance and load testing
api-integration-edge.test.js	- Edge cases and integration
excel-upload.test.js	- Excel bulk upload functionality

12.3 Database Safety Features

- **Production Protection:** Hard-coded prevention of test execution against production
- **Test Database Isolation:** Automatic esoteric_loans_test database usage
- **Environment Validation:** Tests fail if NODE_ENV !== 'test'
- **Clean State Management:** Automated database cleanup between tests
- **Connection Validation:** Verification of correct database connections

13. Risk Mitigation

Technical Risks (Addressed)

- **Data Loss:** Database safety measures and test isolation implemented
- **Security Breach:** Comprehensive security testing and validation
- **Test Data Contamination:** Production database protection implemented

- **Code Quality:** Extensive test coverage with automated validation

Business Risks

- **Scope Creep:** All major features successfully implemented
- **Security Compliance:** 2FA, rate limiting, and security measures in place
- **Maintainability:** Well-documented codebase with comprehensive tests