Team Contract

Team Name: Team 2

GOALS: What are our team goals for this project?
What do we want to accomplish? What skills do we want to develop or refine?

Learning Goals:

- Learn how to apply abstraction to software development projects, while also understanding its limitations and possible solutions to them
- Understand the strategic aspects of programming (e.g. program design and testing methodologies) in order to develop robust software at a faster pace
- Build an integrated understanding of various techniques applied to software development
- Discover alternative ways of approaching challenges by learning from the work experiences of team members

Skills to improve:

- Refine execution of agile development principles
- Improve decision making in the context of selecting frameworks for use in an information system

EXPECTATIONS: What do we expect of one another in regard to attendance at meetings, participation, frequency of communication, the quality of work, etc.?

- All members attend weekly meetings, with 24 hours notice provided if they're unable to attend.
- Time/Date every Sunday 2:00 pm (EST) | 1:00 pm (CDT) | 8:00 pm (SAST) at Zoom link provided via Discord
- Members to regularly check Discord channel in conjunction with Slack

POLICIES & PROCEDURES: What rules can we agree on to help us meet our goals and expectations, such as preparatory tasks, generating ideas, evaluating outcomes?

- Iterative approach- initially gain an understanding of how others in the team work and adjust procedures based on feedback
- Weekly meetings to be held to discuss work completed, and plan tasks for the upcoming week
- Google Drive to be used as a document repository, Discord channels can be created for extra organization if necessary (e.g. to store academic papers that could be used, along with articles and case studies)

- Submitted documents and reports are reviewed by all for spelling and grammar, adherence to UoEO style Harvard referencing and other submission guidelines
- Fair workload distribution- distribute work in such a way that everyone can have their ideas appear in the final product, while maximizing opportunities for productivity (e.g. Shan is on annual leave for 1½ weeks and has offered to work on more time-consuming tasks like research, but collaborative work should still be done in that timeframe)
- Encourage all group members to leverage work experience and take initiative in using their knowledge if possible (e.g. stepping up to solve challenges that they may have encountered in a work context).

ROLES: Which roles do we need in this project and how do we allocate them? Will there be a project lead? Is there a need to rotate roles?

- Shan- Project management. Create development strategy and plan milestones (with additional strategic input from Victor due to his relevant experience with the field of flight)
- Suresh + Victor: Coding and QA (assistance with ensuring the code is of a high standard, and advise on best practices in python, such as "pythonic" code)

CONSEQUENCES: How will we address non-performance regarding these goals, expectations, policies, and procedures? How do we resolve disagreements?

- Address non-performance
 - a. Discussion at Weekly meetings
 - b. Seeking assistance from team members/tutor
 - c. Reassignment of roles
- To resolve disagreements:
 - Refer to assignment guidelines on moodle
 - Seek Tutor's guidance where interpretations differ

By signing this contract, we confirm that:

- We have taken part in formulating these goals, expectations, roles, procedures, and consequences as stated in this contact.
- We agree to abide by the contents of this contract

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Team member name and date

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