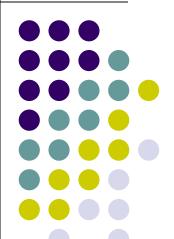
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#### **Problem Statement**



College students putting themselves through college need to be frugal and significantly depend on discount coupons to save money.







## Why is this problem important?



- College is expensive & coupons save money
- Too many coupons! How do I find them?
- Every college student has a smartphone







# **Background Research**





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# Methodology





#### **Solution: CouPal**



A platform to help students find coupons based on location, interests and purchase history, and share those coupons with friends



Spare and Share a couple of bucks







## **Find Coupons**

















### **Manage Coupons**

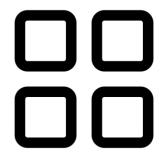








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**Group - Sort** 



Recent



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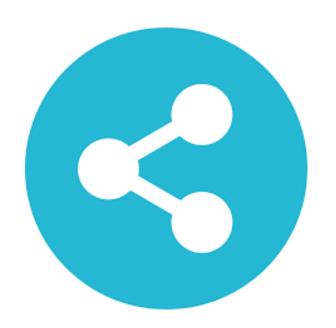


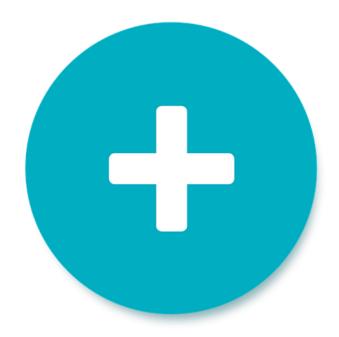
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# **Share/Add Coupons**









## **Implementation Plan**





### **Primary Frameworks**





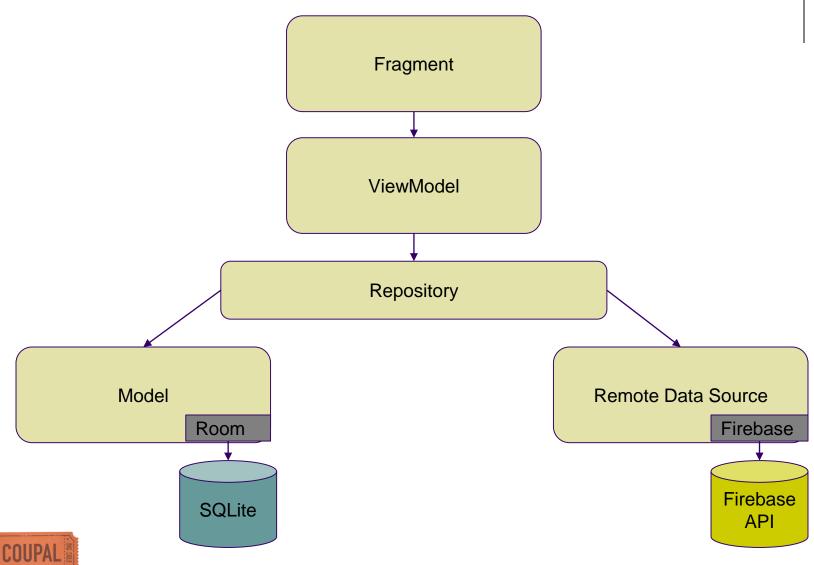






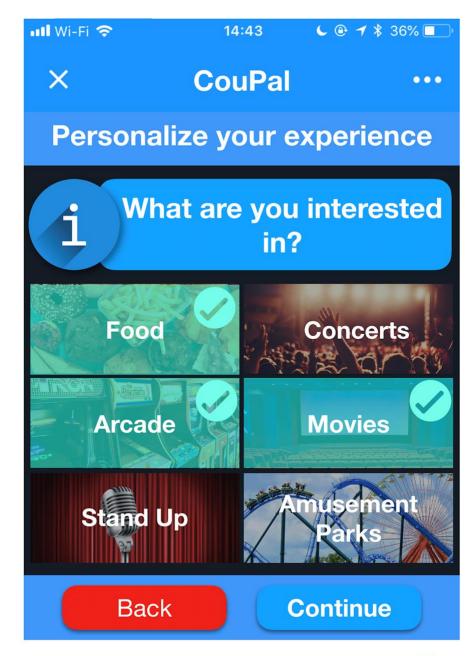


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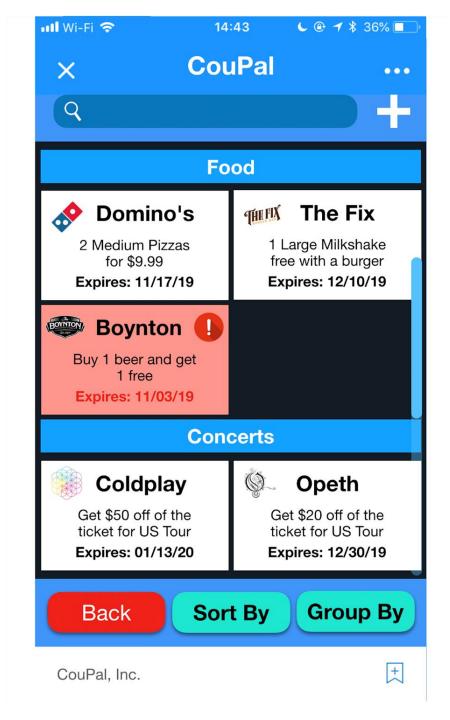
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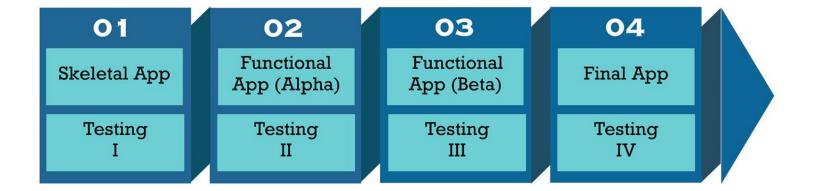










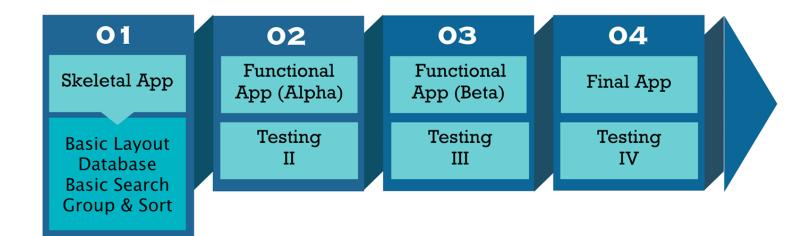




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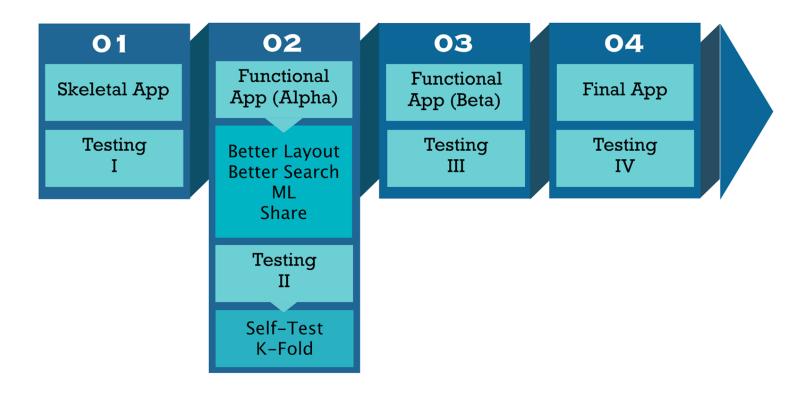
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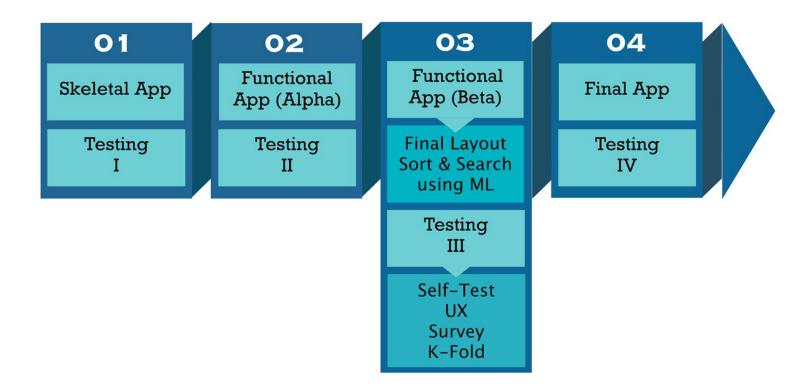






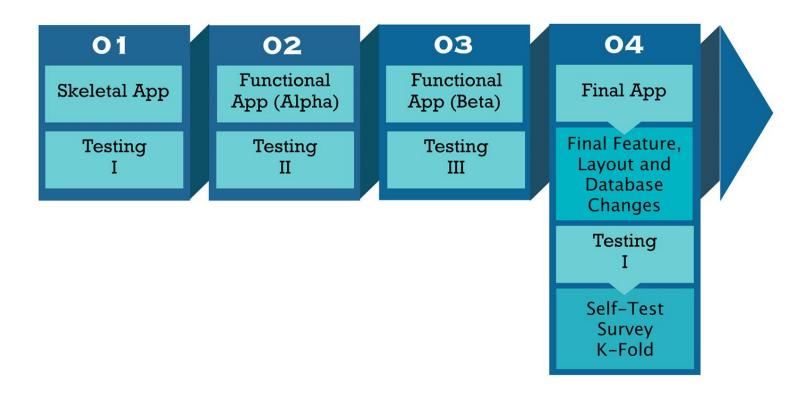














### **Evaluation Plan**



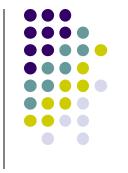


#### **Evaluation Plan**

- Iterative Self Testing
- Surveys
- User Experience (UX) testing
- K-Fold Cross Validation









### **Difficulty Points (36)**

- Difficulty Level 1 (4)
  - 5 Screens.
  - Maps.
  - Location Sensing.
  - REST APIs to pull coupons from.
  - SMS for sharing coupons.
- Difficulty Level 2 (6)
  - Awareness API.
- Difficulty Level 3 (10)
  - ML for recommendation system and user clustering.

**Questions?** 





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