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What's the problem?





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A website for...

collecting shared experiences for a group of people preserving memories for sharing and reflection fostering feelings of community



Research





User Research Methods

We researched six users, using directed storytelling, interviews, and bricks & mortar observation.

- Directed storytelling was conducted about experiences at the HCII Happy Hour event on Feb. 27th.
- Interviews and observations were conducted about photo collection – digital and real-world.

We extracted common motivations, values, and processes of users that informed our design process.

Directed Storytelling Findings

Individuals...

have different roles within groups.
remember important highlights of events.
enjoy retelling stories of past events.
look forward to viewing pictures of past events.
desire some control over what is shared with others.

Brick & Mortar Observation Findings

Physical versus Digital Albums

Similarities

Pride

Structured

Filtered

Triggers emotions

Permanence

Differences

Pace

Level of detail

Personal investment

Privacy

Audience

Source of collected objects

Competitive Analysis

Photo Repositories





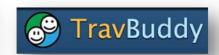
Experience Reviews





Travel Journals





Blogs





Social Networking Sites







Synthesis



Modeling



Target Group

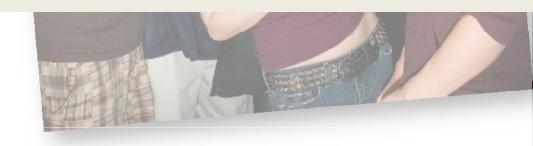


Target Group



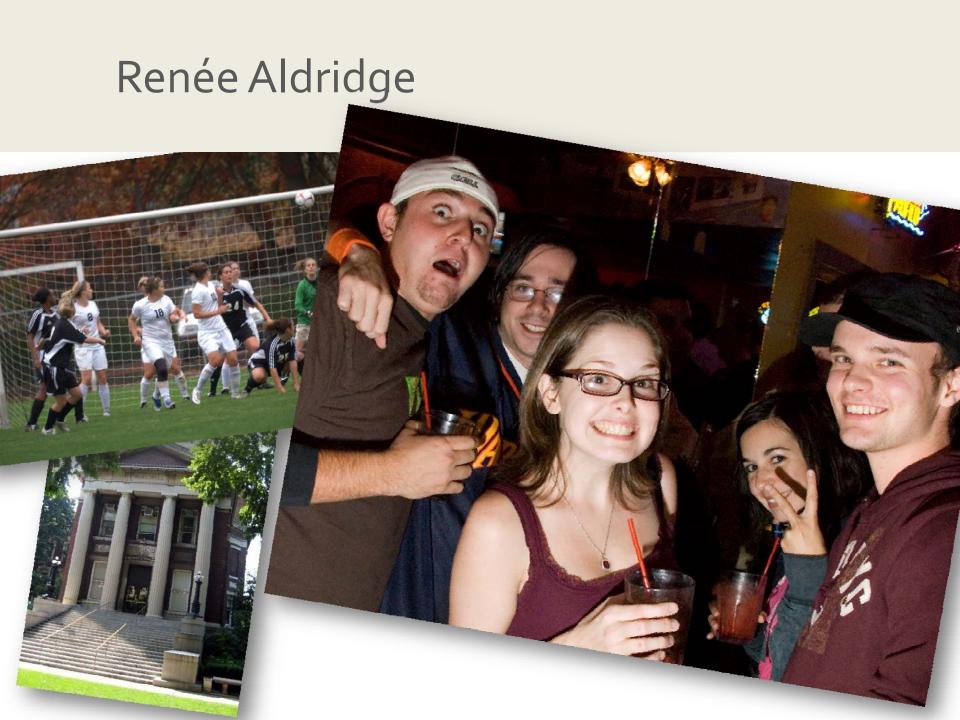


Personas



Justin Branch









home

settings

logout

Justin Branch's Groups + add new group



Columbia Photographers



Columbia Psych '09



Branch Family



SF High School '05

Remember this?



NYC Fall 2007

Group: Columbia Psych '09 Data: Cantombor 14 2007

Demo

