

Functional Team Plan

YouTube Music App. Members: Miles, Jen, Moss

Dates: 9/8/2020-9/21/2020

Working Hours (**PST**): When we are available to each other for open slack communication and video meetups.

Week 1

Monday - Friday: 7am-7pm PST main office hours. After 7 pm will be heads down time and may take up to an hour to respond on Slack

Friday: Right after class happy hour, regroup and structure weekend work hours.

Saturday: TBD

Sunday: 8-12pm, hours flexed to extend if needed

Week 2

Monday - Friday: 7am-7pm PST main office hours. After 7 pm will be heads down time and may take up to an hour to respond on Slack

Friday: Right after class happy hour, regroup and structure weekend work hours.

Saturday: Deliverable consolidation, build out slide deck and rough script (**TBD**)

Sunday: Presentation refine + practice (**TBD**)

Team Core Tenets

“We will communicate progress and next steps daily”

- Communication and keeping it consistent. We will set aside time each day to check in on what we accomplish/progress to determine next steps by
 - Conducting a stand up meeting at the beginning of each day
 - Fun introduction
 - Each member shares what they accomplished and what needs to get done.
 - Team decides actionable steps to achieve determined goals

“We will create (and maintain) a document to track progress” & “We will keep our shared Google Drive clean and neat”

- For consistency, tracking work for deliverables
 - Spreadsheet plan/tracker
 - Deliverable gets placed into shared Google File when completed
 - File name protocols
 - Name. Deliverable Title (in progress file)
 - Final. Deliverable Title (final deliverable)

“We will structure in space for fun in our daily check ins”

- Stand up will start with something fun
- Fridays, happy hour after class
- Consistent check ins and informal time together

“We will build in intentional boundaries” & “We will look out for each other”

- Time off is blocked out
- Paying attention to unsaid vibes and addressing them with teammates
 - Honest approach to communicating frustrations or setbacks
 - Expressing needs to team and team adheres to what you need
 - Collaboration vs compromise

Policies

1. Communication
 - a. Slack
 - b. Open, honest communication
2. Feedback
 - a. As often as it makes sense
 - b. When task on deliverable is finished
 - c. When an individual is complete, the whole team reviews to check off from the task list.
 - d. Sandwich method for feedback (Jen). Finish with positive (Moss). Actionable/constructive (Miles).
3. Decision Making
 - a. Going back to research and users
 - b. What is our “Why”
4. Conflict resolution
 - a. Listening to all concerns
 - b. Moving forward with the user at the forefront of our resolution. What outcome is going to benefit our users?
5. Problem Solving Style
 - a. Brainstorming; heads down for a allotted time to generate ideas
 - i. Format decided dependent on problem
 - b. Share and find solutions as a group