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Application Development for Mobile and Ubiquitous Computing

BlackList Final Presentation

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 You want to go out, but under no cirmcunstances do you want to talk about politics

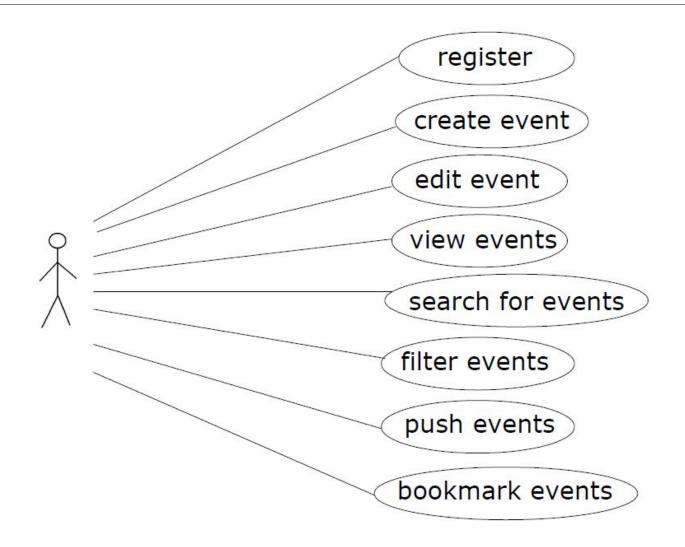
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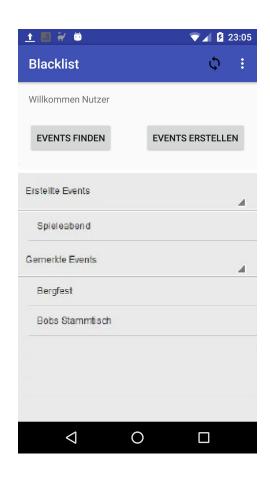
 Create and look for events -> tell people what you don't want to do

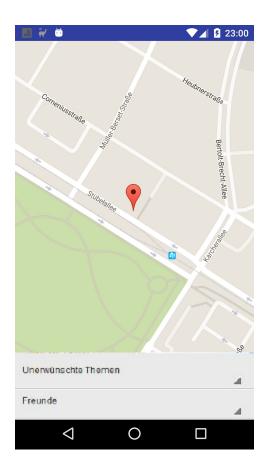


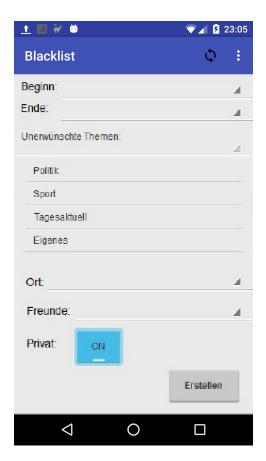
Use Case Diagram













Client:

- Android SDK and Google Maps API
- SQLite Database
- Android Asynchronous Http Client

Server with database:

- MySQL
- JSON
- RESTful Webservice









Usability challenge

- Support different devices -> form factor
 - Tablet users see more fragments on one screen (map plus "tag cloud" for topics)
- Center map on user location
 - getLastPosition onCreate (check whether permission is granted)
- Remind user about upcoming events
- Highlight current events in search



Offline challenge

- Caching of "important" events
 - tagged important by user
 - events nearby and of friends
- Make sure there's always last known coordinates
- Don't show map if offline → show list
- Store created events on device until connection is established
- Synchronisation of both databases
- Adaption of Communication:
 - Error detection, Forward error correction
 - delayed write-back



Energy challenge

- Battery safer mode
 - if battery is low and device is not being charged
- → no real time GPS
 - only once onCreate





- Need some time to getting used to API
- Better to have a real device rather than just an emulator

 Overall learned a lot about development on Android



Any questions?