App Evaluation

Name of the App The topography of modernism

URL https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=de.mad.tdm

Mask with X which features you can find in the app

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Describe the content structure of the app:

This app aims to inform visitors about modernism in Weimar, as well as to invite them to experience it through the app. Therefore, the app's content is devided into two modes, one giving information and two navigating you through the city. For the information part, photos, short articles and audio provide adequate material. There is also a brief history overview in the form of a timeline/trivia graph. There is also a glossary feature, that explains certain terms. For the navigation part, you can have an overview of all the sights' location on a map. Furthermore, the app can navigate you from your exact position to the sight you want to visit, through a GPS map. Both information and navigation features of the app work very well. The app has a very easy and elegant design that includes custom designed icons that depict the sights.

Opinion: Which features would you use in your prototype App for Weimarpedia, and why?

All in all, the application is very well structured and designed. However, our idea has nothing to do with provinding information or wayfinding in Weimar. Therefore, the main thing we can draw inspiration from this application is its straightforward design. The features that we would use in our prototype is Participation and Participation Upload, as we are more interested in creating an app that gets feedback from the people. This features were not part of this app though.