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Spent about 3 days sifting through the different options to allow users to upload files to our site. The one thing I learned is you get what you pay for. The choice that best suited our needs was http://www.perlscriptsjavascripts.com/perl/upload_pro/index.html (about \$150)

Try a Google search using "cgi scripts upload files real estate" and you should find some designed specifically for real estate. I can share some features that you probably want to look for. The script referenced above wasn't the first one we bought. We spent about half the money and got about 1/10 of the features. The 3 biggest features we never thought of until trying to implement the script were:

1. Customizable user registration forms.
2. The users uploaded files automatically update their own personal web page, which can also be customized by you.
3. Fully customizable user interface. The first script we bought had a lot of grammatical errors in the interface, some of which we couldn't fix.

I don't remember any of the options I looked at storing the user uploads directly into a database but I may have just overlooked this feature.

Good luck in your search

"Doug Stewart" <DougStewart@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:AD79BCA7-94FD-45E0-9981-475E6B5074B5@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

>I am creating a site to sell property. I would like to be able to give
>estate
> agents a userid/password which would allow them to upload photos (of
> houses)
> and text (house descriptions) to my site. I would like to be able to edit
> the
> results or delete items. It needs to be dead simple or I won't be able to
> set
> it up and the estate agents won't be able to use it. What SW package
> should I
> use?
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- > Ideally it would be a free package, but I could spend a couple of hundred
- > dollars. I could not spend thousand of dollars.
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- > I believe that www.french-property.com has an off-the-shelf package for
- > much
- > of this, but don't know what it is (I mention this as I suspect the clever
- > people on this board could look at the site and tell me).
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- > Ideally, I would also like to store the results in a database (SQL???) so
- > that I will have the future capability to search on the information.
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- > Thanks for any suggestions and for your consideration in reading this.
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- > Regards, Doug Stewart

• **References:**

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