

@Backend:Phase1

Task 1

/Database-ERD



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\$ Watch First 3 Chapters from this [Course](#) till “mapping to relationship types”.

\$ Watch these two videos on “using Lucid for ERD design”:

- > [Entity Relationship Diagram \(ERD\) Tutorial - Part 1](#)
- > [Entity Relationship Diagram \(ERD\) Tutorial - Part 2: Primary key...](#)

\$ Other Useful resources along this phase:

- > [Baraa Course](#)
- > [Eng-Ramy ITI Course](#)
- > [DR-Amr Internal DBs Course](#)

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“You are the Lead Backend Engineer for 'UniCore'. The product manager has given you the business rules for the new university system. Your job is to translate these words into a technical ER Diagram and then map that diagram into a Relational Schema (Tables) that the development team can use.”

Analyse these rules to identify Entities, Attributes (Composite/Multivalued), Relationships, and Weak Entities.



\$ Business Rules:

> The Department & Faculty (1:1 & 1:N)

- The university has multiple **Departments** (Attributes: Name, Code, Building Location).
- Each Department has many **Instructors** (Attributes: ID, Name, Salary, Hire Date).
- **Constraint:** An Instructor belongs to exactly **one** Department.
- **Constraint:** Each Department is managed by exactly **one** "Head of Department" (who is an Instructor). An Instructor can only manage one department.

> The Users & Contact Info (Attributes)

- For every **Student** and **Instructor**, we must store their **Address**.
- **Constraint:** The Address is complex; we need to access the *City*, *Street*, and *Zip Code* separately (Hint: Composite Attribute).
- **Constraint:** Both Students and Instructors can have multiple **Phone Numbers** (Hint: Multivalued Attribute).

> The Course Catalog (Recursive Relationship)

- Departments offer **Courses** (Attributes: Course Code, Title, Credits).
- **Constraint:** A Course can have other courses as **Prerequisites**. (e.g., "CS102" requires "CS101"). A course can have many prerequisites, and a course



can be a prerequisite for many others.

> Student Dependents (Weak Entity)

- The university offers health insurance to students' families. We need to track **Dependents** (Name, Birthdate, Relationship).
- **Constraint:** A Dependent cannot exist in the database without a related Student. If the Student leaves, the Dependent data is removed.

> Enrollment (M:N Relationship with Attributes)

- **Students** enroll in **Courses**.
- When a student enrolls, we must record the **Enrollment Date** and the final **Grade**.

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> An ER Diagram(Visual) Showing:

- **All Entities (Strong & Weak).**
- **All Attributes (Simple, Composite, Multivalued, Key, Derived).**
- **All Relationships with correct Cardinality (1:1, 1:N, M:N) and Participation (Total/Partial).**
- **Use Lucidchart to make the ERD or any platform, but I will use Lucid in the model answer**



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\$ After you finish all of that, make a folder on Google Drive, upload the ERD as Image and make a screen record explaining what you have done in 5-10 mins video.

\$ Submit Google Drive folder link on the task chat on Discord, **and make sure that I can view the folder (give me access)**

You can make the access public to all or just give access to these emails:

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/Deadline

\$ Thursday, February 12 at 11:59 PM

Wish you the best. ❤️

