University database management system report

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Problem statement

Creating Qt application which would manage university database of a given example with possibility to upload it, view, edit fields, add profiles, delete profiles, sort listings by any of the fields and finally to save new file.

Individual project specification

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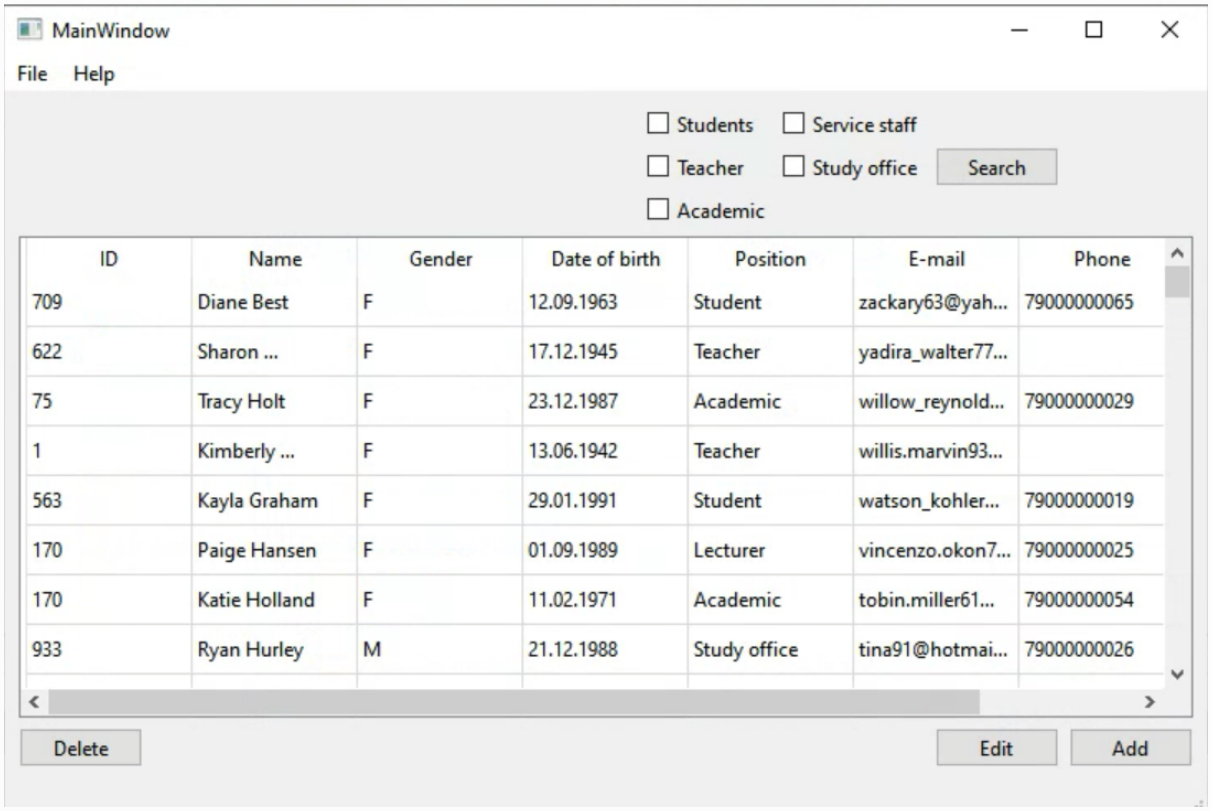
Implementation details section

Generally I sticked to seminar approach of implementing most of the frontend and backend logic.

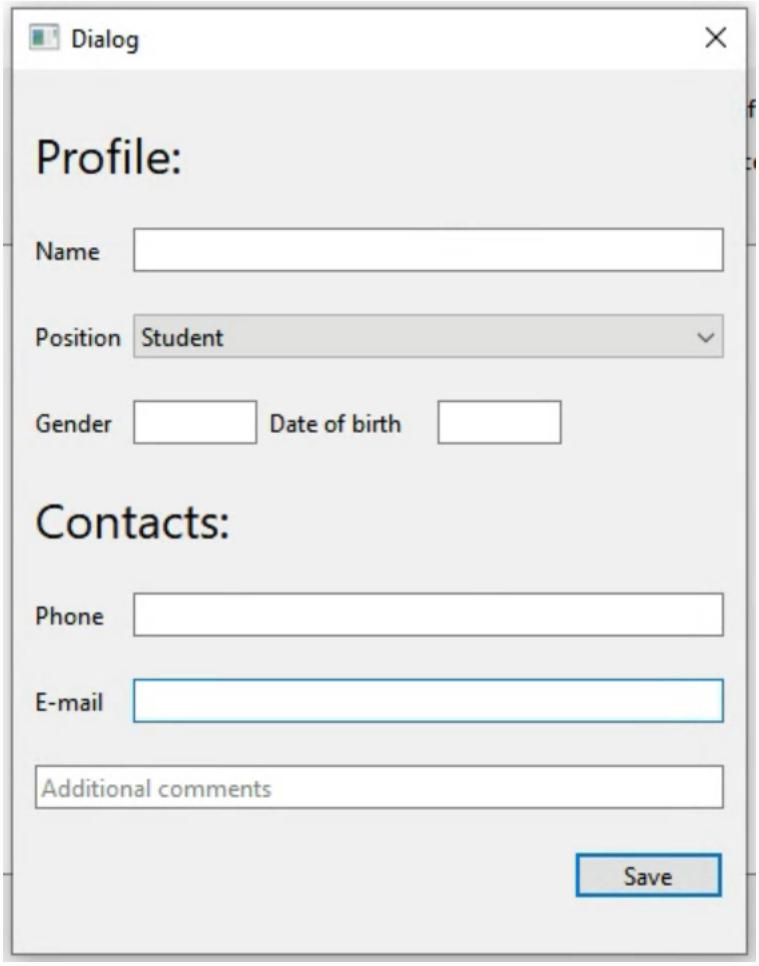
The worst issue I met was setting up Qt for Mac M1 machine, loss of the time after which I moved to Windows machine.

Main Window:



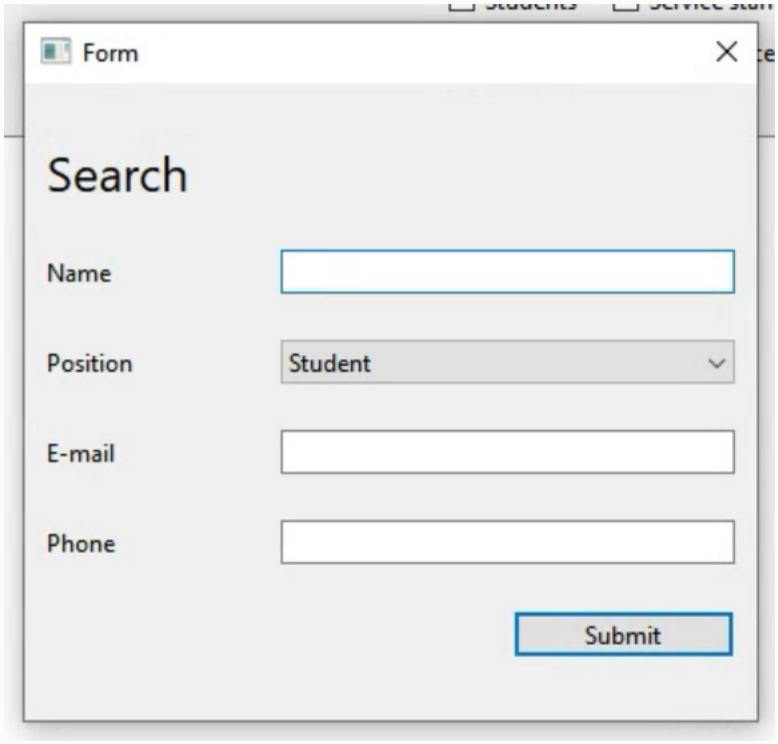
Made using Grid Layout for window size adjustment, QTableView for displaying the table, QPushButtons for some actions, QCheckBoxes for filtering and QActions for all buttons in menu.

Adding profile filling window (same for editing):



Made using Grid Layout, combobox to choose out of limited number of options for person's position.

Search window:



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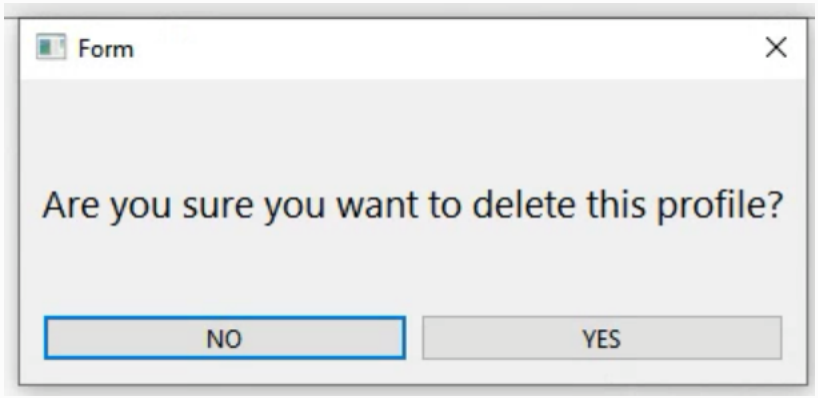
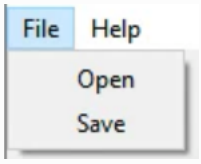
Delete confirmation window:



File section dropdown:



About widget:

All the model logic is stored in UniversityModel with all the necessary overrides over QAbstractTableModel class.

Editing of the listings could be done both by clicking right on fields in table and by special form.

Results and discussion

Basic requirements for project were fulfilled as well as the window markups, unfortunately not all the advanced requirements like sorting and search were implemented. There is a slight change to ui of the main window where the input window was supposed to be, as there is no sense in it since search function should be created by clicking ‘search’ button and getting special dialog window to input information there, so I got rid of that field.

Conclusion

Firtstly, it is not finished project, where sorting and search functions are still to implement.

When new row is added id is now taken from name but it is better to make check for existing id’s and make it adjustable to that.

Possible further development was suggested by author of specification including photo implementation to existing system, for which I would use cloud system. Export to different formats could appear useful in practice.