

1.DB Normalization:

- Introduction:
 - a process that helps organize and structure relational DB efficiently
 - a set of guidelines or rules are applied:
 - 1.1. designing the DB schema
 - 1.2. minimizing data redundancy(no repetitive data)
 - 1.3. ensuring data integrity
 - 1.4. eliminating data anomalies
 - 1.5. improving the efficiency and maintainability
- Key Benefits

2.Relationships in Django Models:

- Introduction
 - Model relationships allow defining how different tables(models) relate to each other
- Foreign Key
- ManyToManyField
- Related Name: when defining a FK from one model to another you can specify a related name for the reverse relationship
 - The related name allows you to access related objects from the other model conveniently
 - By default, the related name is generated automatically by appending '_set' to the lowercase name of the model that defines the FK

3.Types of Relationships:

- One-to-One:
 - 2required positional arguments:
 - the class to which the model is related
 - on_delete option
 - Most useful on the primary key of an object when that object 'extends' another object in some way

- One-to-Many:

- 2required positional arguments:
 - the class to which the model is related
 - required on_delete option
 - related_name is optional

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class Lecturer(models.Model):
    first_name = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
    )
    last_name = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
    )
    def __str__(self):
        return f'{self.first_name} {self.last_name}'
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class Subject(models.Model):
    name = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
    )
    code = models.CharField(
        max_length=10,
    )
    # a subject has only one lecturer, FK is many-to-one
    lecturer = models.ForeignKey(
        to='Lecturer',
        on_delete=models.SET_NULL,
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        null=True,
    )
    def __str__(self):
        return self.name

# print(lecturer1.subject_set.all())

class Student(models.Model):
    student_id = models.CharField(
        max_length=10,
        primary_key=True,
    )
    first_name = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
    )
    last_name = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
    )
    birth_date = models.DateField()
    email = models.EmailField(
        unique=True,
    )
    subjects = models.ManyToManyField(
        to='Subject',
        through='StudentEnrollment',
    )

class StudentEnrollment(models.Model):
    GRADES = (
        ('A', 'A'),
        ('B', 'B'),
        ('C', 'C'),
        ('D', 'D'),
        ('F', 'F'),
    )
    student = models.ForeignKey(
        to='Student',
        on_delete=models.CASCADE,
    )
    subject = models.ForeignKey(
        to='Subject',
        on_delete=models.CASCADE,
    )
    enrollment_date = models.DateField(
        default=date.today,
    )
    grade = models.CharField(
        max_length=1,
        choices=GRADES,
    )

class LecturerProfile(models.Model):
    lecturer = models.OneToOneField(
        to='Lecturer',
        on_delete=models.CASCADE,
    )
    email = models.EmailField(
        unique=True,
    )
    bio = models.TextField(

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        null=True,
        blank=True,
    )
    office_location = models.CharField(
        max_length=100,
        null=True,
        blank=True,
    )
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- Many-to-Many
 requires only 1 positional argument(the class to which the model is
 related)
 -through option

3.1.:

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ON DELETE:
    - SET_NULL -> only possible if null is True
    - CASCADE
    - PROTECT -> Protected error
    - RESTRICT
    - SET
    - DO_NOTHING

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TODO: install ipython