

Design Document

Requirements:

A Great Reads book is the **system** (A class control logic part) that allows user to have their **book** and **shelf**, to **share** their **review**. Firstly, it **reads** the **file** from computer. And then user will have a **menu** which has options that **add** or **remove** books and shelves, add review, **show** the book or shelf information, and **move** book on or off the shelves. After system ends, all **information** (**ArrayLists**) will **save** back to file by **report system**.

Color codes: **Nouns** (either rejected, or name changes), **Obvious Classes**, **Behaviors**

Design:

How this program run:

- 1. Main send file to the FileScanner
- 2. FileScanner read the file and store information into Entity classes
- 3. Book and Shelf object will hold List of information
- 4. OperationSystem will accept those objects and do the logic part
- 5. GreatReadsMenu will present menu for user to do their action and passing user choice to OperationSystem
- 6. After client quit, then write all information from OperationSystem into file

-Main: Passing file name into FileScanner

-Book: Hold list of shelves it is on

-Shelf: Hold list of books it has

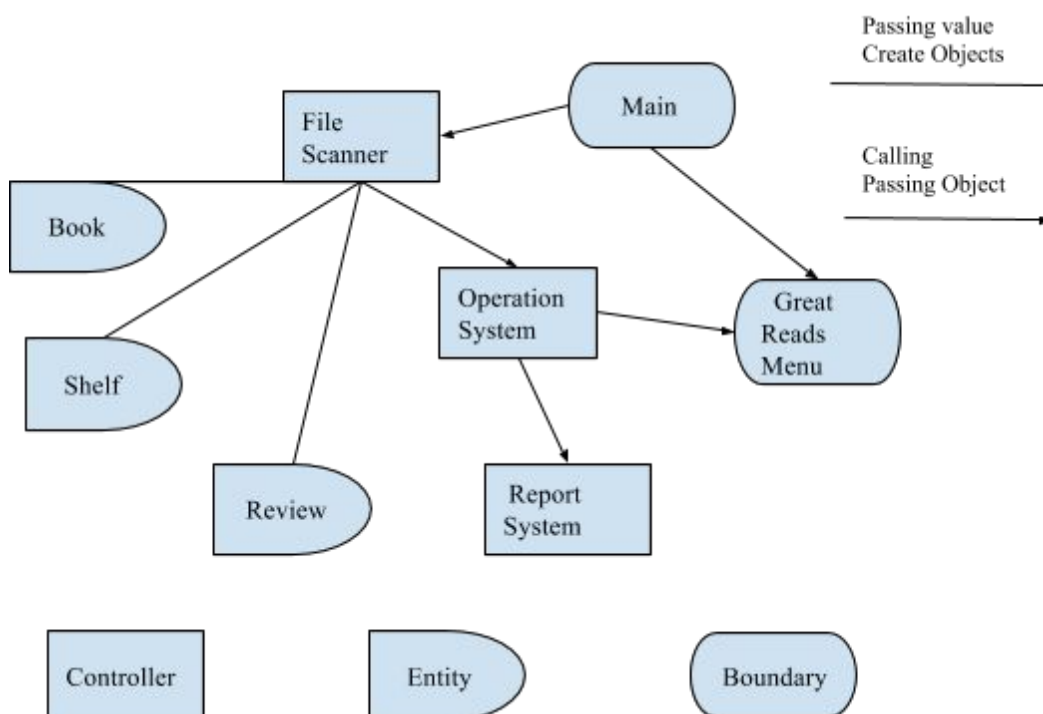
-Review: An entity that Book will hold it

-FileScanner: Read from file and passing value into entity class to get object back
And then send it to OperationSystem

-GreatReadsMenu: Ask user to enter choice and send them to OperationSystem

-OperationSystem: Get data and user choice to control the program

-ReportSystem: Get data from OperationSystem and save back to the file



Testing:

1. User input: to check input mismatch
 - a. they cannot enter the number not in the option
 - b. they cannot add the same book and shelf
 - c. they cannot enter empty when they are required to enter something
 - d. they cannot enter year outside of 1450-2100
 - e. they cannot move book to the shelf that has this book, or remove book from shelf does not have this book
2. Reading file: to check null pointer
 - a. if user do not enter file name use default file
 - b. if there is no default file, create a file as default
3. OperationSystem: to check logical part
 - a. display information if there is no book or shelf or review in the system
4. Entity:
 - a. to check if parameter in the equals() is the type of object I am expecting for
 - b. to check if parameter in the compareTo() is the type of object I am expecting for

Conclusions:

In the program, the speed of iterating the lists can be boosted, writing file and reading file could be done by `BufferFileOutputStream` and `BufferFileInputStream`. For the Collection object use, it is necessary to think which container is more efficient.

From this assignment, I have deeper understanding of OO design and also learned that it is good way to keep code simple.