Exercise: Create a Simple Library Management System

Setting Up the Project

- 1. Create a new Django project.
- 2. Create new apps within the project.

Models

- Define a Book model with fields: title, author, published_date, ISBN, and available.
- 2. Define a Member model with fields: first_name, last_name, email, and membership_date.
- 3. Define a Loan model with fields: book (foreign key to Book), member (foreign key to Member), loan_date, and return_date.
- 4. Make and apply migrations to create the corresponding database tables.

Admin Panel

- 1. Register the Book, Member, and Loan models with the admin site.
- 2. Create a superuser to access the admin panel.
- 3. Use the admin panel to add some books, members, and loans.

Views and Templates

- 1. Create a view to list all books.
- 2. Create a view to display details of a single book.
- 3. Create a view to list all members.
- 4. Create a view to display details of a single member.
- 5. Add URL patterns to map to these views.
- 6. Create templates to display the list of books, details of a single book, list of members, and details of a single member.

Adding and Updating Books

- 1. Create a form for the Book model.
- 2. Create a view to handle the creation of new books.
- 3. Create a view to handle the updating of existing books.
- 4. Add URL patterns to map to these views.
- 5. Create templates to render the forms for creating and updating books.

Managing Loans

- 1. Create a form for the Loan model.
- 2. Create a view to handle the creation of new loans.
- 3. Create a view to handle returning of books.
- 4. Add URL patterns to map to these views.

5. Create templates to render the forms for creating and returning loans.

Member Management

- 1. Create a form for the Member model.
- 2. Create a view to handle the creation of new members.
- 3. Create a view to handle the updating of existing members.
- 4. Add URL patterns to map to these views.
- 5. Create templates to render the forms for creating and updating members