

Waiter System – Practical Workshop 8

Objectives

The main objective for Workshop 8 is to complete the CRUD functionality for the employee system by extending what was already done in the previous workshops sessions to also include:

- The listing of employees by their specific role
- The ability to edit the details of an employee
- 1. Open the DB class for coding. Include an **enum** *DBOperation* for the three Crud functions: Add, Edit
- 2. Open the *EmployeeDB* class to include the Edit functionality as follows:
 - 2.1 Add a third parameter *operation* of type *DB.DBOperation* to the *FillRow* method. This is to ensure that the ID, and the EMPID field are not changed during the edit and delete operations.
 - 2.2 We will change the existing code to check for the state/operation being selected as follows:

```
//2.2.1 write the code for the FillRow Method header ---make sure you have added the 3rd
parameter as indicated in question
{
    HeadWaiter headwaiter;
    Runner runner;
    Waiter waiter;

//2.2.2 write the code here to check: if the operation is an Add operation.
    {
        aRow["ID"] = anEmp.ID;
        aRow["EmpID"] = anEmp.EmpID;
    }
---The rest of the code stays the same---
```

2.3 In the *Utility Methods* region: We need a private method *FindRow* to find a row in the database. This method finds and returns the row for a specific employee(by ID) in a specific table. The method has two parameters: An Employee object *anEmp*, and a variable *table* of type string. The method is not complete.

```
You are required to complete it — 2.3.1-2.3.9.

//2.3.1 Write the method header for the FindRow method
{

//2.3.2 declare a variable rowIndex initialised to 0

//2.3.3 declare a variable myRow of type DataRow

//2.3.4 declare a variable returnValue and initialise it to -1;

foreach (DataRow myRow_loopVariable in dsMain.Tables[table].Rows)

{

//2.3.5 assign myRow_loopVariable to myRow

//Ignore rows marked as deleted in dataset

//2.3.6 if the row is not in a delete state (i.e if the row state of myRow is not the deleted state of the DataRowState)

{

if (anEmp.ID == Convert.ToString(dsMain.Tables[table].Rows[rowIndex]["ID"]))

{

//2.3.7 assign rowIndex to returnValue

}

//2.3.8 Increment the rowIndex counter

}

//2.3.9 the method should return the variable returnValue to its caller;
}
```

2.4 Add a second parameter operation of type DB.DBOperation to the DataSetChange method

We will need to change the code in the *DataSetChange* method to include all database operations. The code is given below. It is not complete. Make changes to it and complete the program

```
//2.4.1 Method header - write the code for the header
    DataRow aRow = null;
    string dataTable = table1;
    switch (anEmp.role.getRoleValue)
        case Role.RoleType.Headwaiter:
            dataTable = table1;
            break;
        case Role.RoleType.Waiter:
            dataTable = table2;
            break;
        case Role.RoleType.Runner:
            dataTable = table3;
            break;
    }
        switch (operation)
        case DB.DBOperation.Add:
                 aRow = dsMain.Tables[dataTable].NewRow();
                 FillRow(aRow, anEmp, operation)
                 dsMain.Tables[dataTable].Rows.Add(aRow); //Add to the dataset
                break:
        // For the Edit section you have to find a row instead of creating a new row.
                aRow = dsMain.Tables[dataTable].Rows[FindRow(anEmp,dataTable)];
        //2.4.1 Write the code to Fill this row for the Edit operation by calling the FillRow method
 }
```

2.5 Build Update Parameters that will communicate with the SQL Commands – in this case, the Update Command. The code is given below – complete the code.

```
private void Build_UPDATE_Parameters(Employee anEmp)
{
    SqlParameter param = default(SqlParameter);
    param = new SqlParameter("@Name", SqlDbType.NVarChar, 100, "Name");
    param.SourceVersion = DataRowVersion.Current;
    daMain.UpdateCommand.Parameters.Add(param);
    // 2.5.1 TO DO: -: Do for all fields other than ID and EMPID as for the Build Insert parameters.
    Ofcourse, depending on the role. The code is similar to the Build_INSERT_Parameters that you created param = new SqlParameter("@Original_ID", SqlDbType.NVarChar, 15, "ID");
    param.SourceVersion = DataRowVersion.Original;
    daMain.UpdateCommand.Parameters.Add(param);
}
```

2.6 After the Update Parameters, we need to create an *Update Command* method that must be used to insert values into one of the three tables. Assumption is that the ID and EMPID cannot be changed. The code is given below – complete the code.

- 2.7 The final step in the **EmployeeDB** is to call the *Create_UPDATE_Command* method in the UpdateDataSource method below the *Create_INSERT_Command* method.
- 3. We will now focus on the EmployeeController class to include the Edit functionality.
- 3.1 In the **EmployeeController** class we need to add another search function called *FindIndex* to find the index of the employee in the collection. This method receives an employee object *anEmp* and returns the index of the employee in the collection. The is similar to the *Find* method

```
//3.1.1 write the header of the method.
{
    int counter = 0;
    bool found = false;
    found = (anEmp.ID== employees[counter].ID);
    while (//3.1. 2 if the employee has not been found and the search has not reached the end of the collection)
    {
        //3.1.3 Increment the counter
        found = (anEmp.ID == employees[counter].ID);
    }
    if (found)
    {
        return counter;
    }
    else
    {
        return-1;
    }
}
```

3.2 We will now change the parameter list of the *DataMaintenance* method to include the database operations. Then, we change the *DataMaintenance* method to use a switch statement to cater for the different actionswhen adding, editing or deleting.

- 4. We will make changes to the EmployeeListingForm, for example to reset the EmployeeListingForm to a View state and hide thetextboxes and labels to make the UI ready and presentable for the user
- 4.1 Double click on the Edit Button to create the editButton Click event.
 - a) In the editButton Click event set the Formstate to edit
 - b) Call the EnableEntities method with the value true

4.2 Create a *submitButton_Click* event. Once the user has made the changes to the specific employeethis button may be clicked. The code is given below – complete the code

```
{
       //4.2.1 Populate the employee object of the form with the contents of the textboxes
       (Create a method PopulateObject similar to the one in the EmployeeForm class to
       help you to populate the employee object. After creating the method, call the
      method here.)
        / //4.2.2 If the form is in the Edit state
           //4.2.3 Call the DataMaintenance method of the EmployeeController by passing it this object and the
                   database operation that you would like to do, as parameters.
         else// you will write the delete code - this to be done in Workshop 9
           //4.2.4 Call the FinalizeChanges method
           //4.2.5 Clear all the textboxes.
           //4.2.6 Set the FormStates, state, back to the view state.
           //4.2.7 Reset the form to hide all labels, textboxes and buttons by calling the ShowAll method
           (passing it false and roleValue as parameters)
           //4.2.8 Refresh the ListView - by setting it up again! (simply call the setUpEmployeeListView method)
4.3 In the EmployeeListingForm_Activated event, make sure that, if not already done so, perform the following
       // 4.3.1 The view of the employeeListView is the Details view.
      //4.3.2 call the setUpEmployeeListView method
      //4.3.3 call the ShowAll method to reset the controls.
4.4 Set up the EmployeeListingForm constructor as follows – if not already done so:
             InitializeComponent();
             employeeController = empController;
             this.Load += EmployeeListingForm Load;
             this.Activated += EmployeeListingForm Activated;
             this.FormClosed += EmployeeListingForm FormClosed;
             state = FormStates.View;
    _____
```

Debug and RUN – try to select an employee, edit their details and check if the information was edited in the Dataset

Some notes on the Building of update parameters

```
private void Build UPDATE Parameters(Employee anEmp)
      //---Create Parameters to communicate with SQL UPDATE
      //Step 1: Create a variable of type SqlParameter
        SqlParameter param = default(SqlParameter);
                                                          //An Object that is the value of the parameter.
                                                          //The default value is null.
                                                          // SqlParameter param = null;
          /* The SqlParameter represents a parameter to a SqlCommand
          * and optionally its mapping to DataSet columns.
          * This class is found in the "System.Data.SqlClient" namespace.*/
      //Step 2: //Creating instance of SqlParameter - define properties of the SqlParameter class
         param = new SqlParameter("@Name", SqlDbType.NVarChar, 100, "Name");
          /* ParameterName: It is used to specify a parameter name...."@Name"
          * SqlDbType: It is used to set the SQL Server Datatypes for a given parameter....SqlDbType.NVarChar
          * Size: It is used to set the maximum size of the value of the parameter.
           * Value: It is used for assigning or getting the value of the parameter.
          */
```

//Step 3: we inform the update command what version of the value needs to be loaded.

param.SourceVersion = DataRowVersion.Current;

/* we inform the update command what version of the value needs to be loaded.

- * to do this we use the: SqlParameter.SourceVersion Property
- * This property is used by the SqlDataAdapter.UpdateCommand during
- * an update to determine whether the original or current value is
- * used for a parameter value. This lets primary keys be updated.
- * This property is set to the version of the DataRow used by
- * the DataRow.Item property, or one of the DataRow.GetChildRows methods of the DataRow object.
- * gets or sets the DataRowVersion to use when you load Value
- * One of the DataRowVersion values. The default is Current. You can find other values here

/*Step 4: we call the Update Command to add the parameter to the Parameters collection.

* The SqlParameterCollection.Add Method adds a SqlParameter to the SqlParameterCollection.*/daMain.UpdateCommand.Parameters.Add(param);