INTRODUCTION

1.1 Overview

Event management is the process of creating and maintaining an event. This process spans from the very beginning of planning all the way to post-event strategizing. At the start, an event manager makes planning decisions, such as the time, location, and theme of their event. During an event, event managers oversee the event live and make sure things run smoothly. After an event, event managers are tasked with reviewing event data, submitting KPI and ROI findings, and staying on the ball for any post-event offerings. All different branches of planning go into event management, including various types of sourcing, designing, regulation checks, and on-site management. In event management, you could be in the process of creating a conference, a product launch, an internal sales kick-off, or even a wedding. Really, any event that requires considerable planning and execution is event management.

1.2 Purpose

➤ Manage Attendee Information:

Salesforce can be used to capture and store attendee information, including registration details, contact information, and preference.

➤ Marketing and Communication:

Salesforce provides powerful marketing and communication tools that can be used to promote the event, send email invitations, and track RSVPs.

2. Problem Definition and Design Thinking:

2.1 Empathy Map

Start by defining the target audience for your event. Who are the attendees, and what are their characteristics and preferences? Use Salesforce's data and analytics tools to gain insights into your audience, such as demographics, interests, and behavior.

Identify the key touchpoints that attendees will have with your event, such as registration, check-in, sessions, and networking events. Use Salesforce to map out the attendee journey and identify areas where you can improve the attendee experience.

Use the empathy mapping framework to define the attendee's experience at each touchpoint. What are the attendee's thoughts, feelings, and motivations at each stage of the journey? Use data and feedback from previous events to inform your understanding of the attendee experience.

Identify the pain points that attendees may experience at each touchpoint. What are the barriers to attendance or engagement, and how can Salesforce be used to address these challenges? Use Salesforce's automation and personalization tools to improve the attendee experience and reduce friction points.

Based on your empathy map, develop solutions to improve the attendee experience at each touchpoint. Use Salesforce's customization and integration tools to implement these solutions and track their impact on attendee satisfaction and engagement. Continuously monitor attendee feedback and engagement using Salesforce's analytics tools, and use this feedback to refine your event management processes and improve the attendee experience over time.

2.2 Ideation and Brainstorming map Screenshot:

1. Define the Problem:

Start by defining the problem you are trying to solve or the goal you want to achieve with your event management using Salesforce. For example, you may want to increase attendance at your events, improve attendee engagement, or streamline your event management processes.



2.Generate Ideas:

Use brainstorming techniques to generate ideas for how Salesforce can help you achieve your event management goals. Encourage team members to share their ideas and build on each other's ideas. You can use tools like mind mapping or whiteboarding to visualize your ideas and make connections between them.



3. Categorize Ideas:

Once you have generated a list of ideas, categorize them based on their potential impact and feasibility. Use a scoring system to rate each idea based on factors such as the resources required, the level of effort, and the potential impact on your event management goals.



4. Prioritize ideas:

Use your scoring system to prioritize the ideas that are most likely to have a significant impact on your event management goals and are feasible given your resources and capabilities. Consider which ideas are most aligned with your organization's mission and values.



5. Create an action plan

Once you have identified your top ideas, create an action plan for how you will implement them using Salesforce. Assign roles and responsibilities, set timelines and milestones, and establish metrics for measuring success.



6. Test and refine:

Implement your ideas using Salesforce and test them in real-world scenarios.

Continuously monitor your progress and refine your approach based on feedback and data.

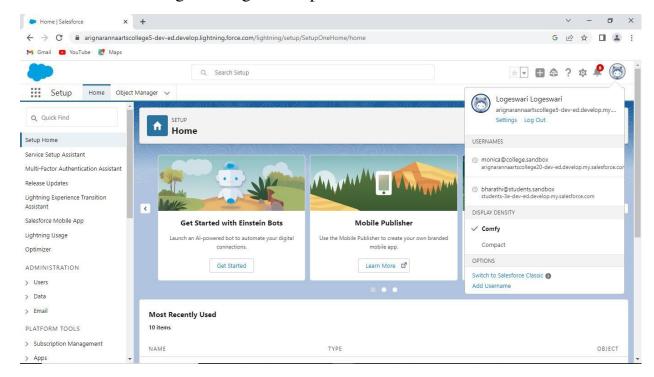
3. Result

3.1 Data Model

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Event	Data Type: Text
Attendee	Field Label: Id
	Data Type: Auto number
	Field Label: Phone
	Data Type: Phone
	Field Label: Email
	Data Type: Email
	Field Label: Tickets
	Data Type: Picklist
	Field Label: Event Name
	Data Type: Master-detail Relationship
Speaker	Field Label: Bio
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	Field Label: Event Name
	Data Type: Look-up Relationship

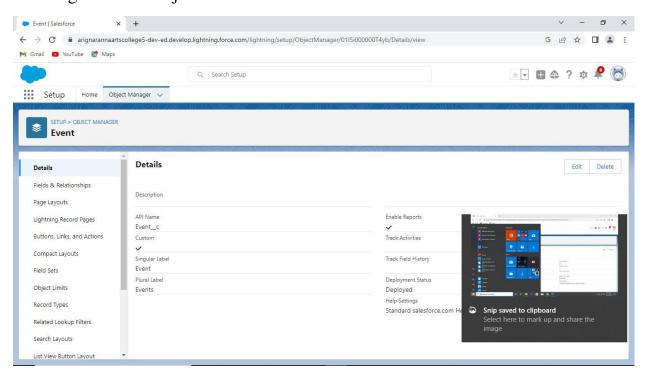
3.2 Activity and Screenshot

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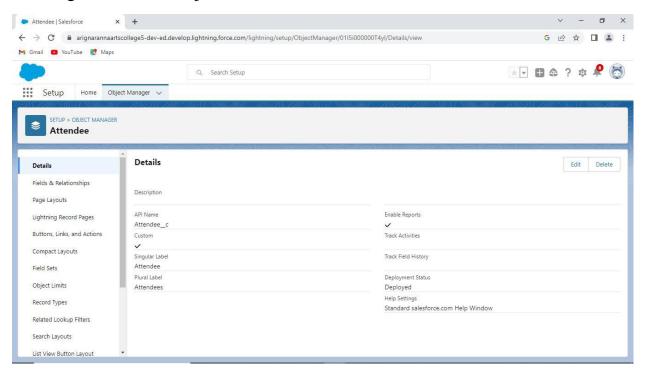


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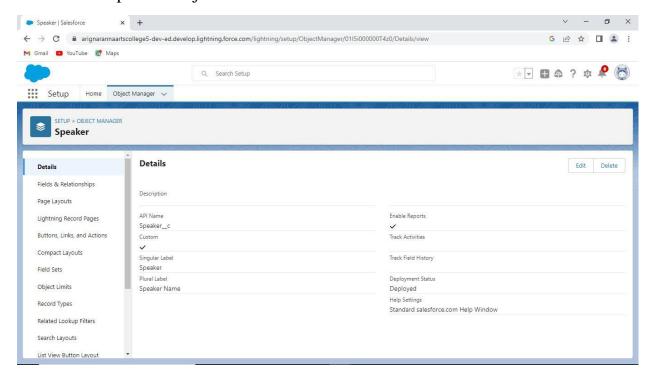
Creating of Event Object



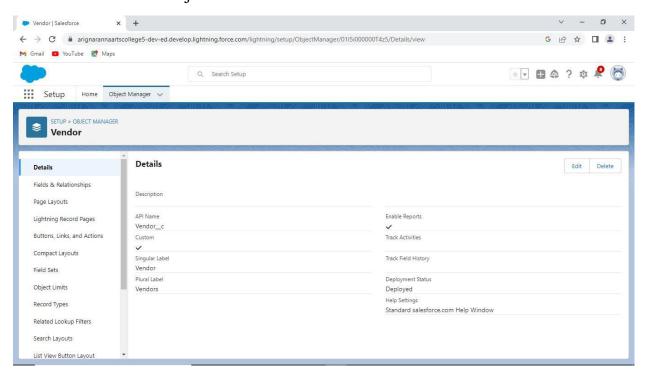
Creating of Attendee Object



Creation of Speaker Object

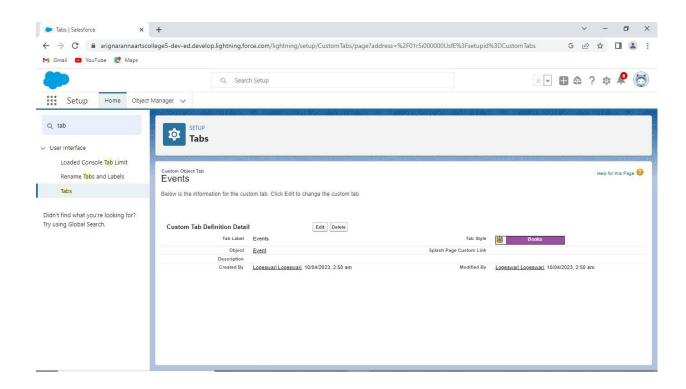


Creation of Vendor Object

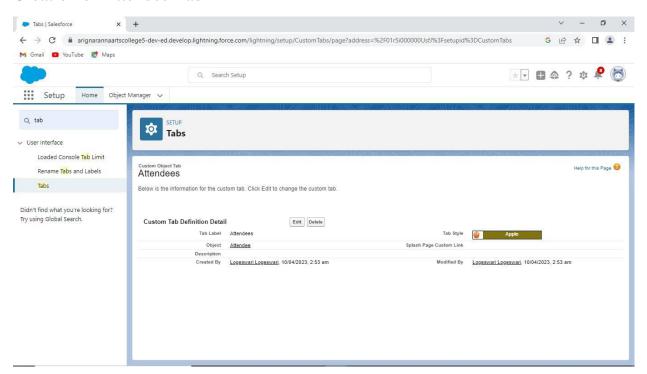


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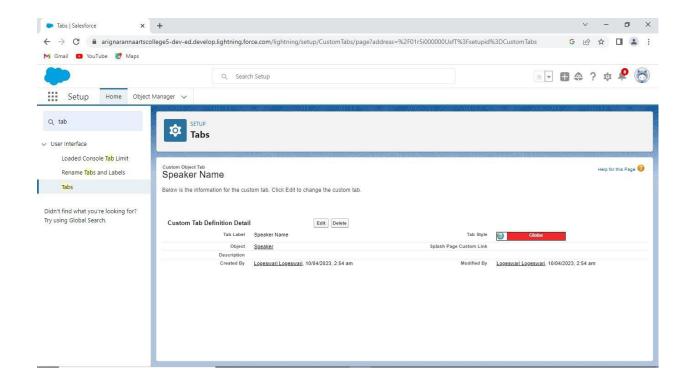
Creation of Event Tab



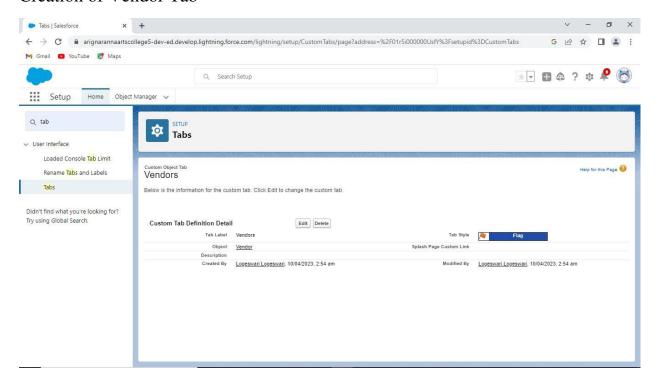
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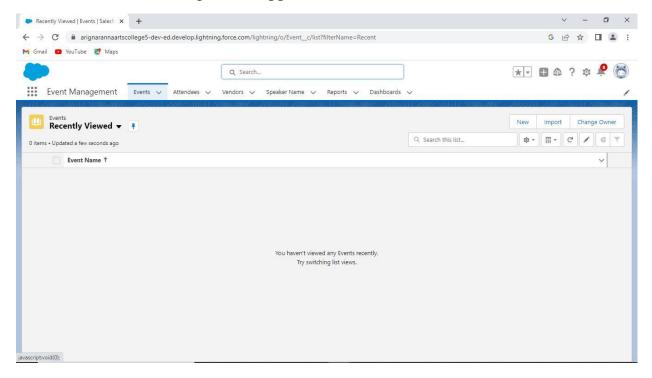


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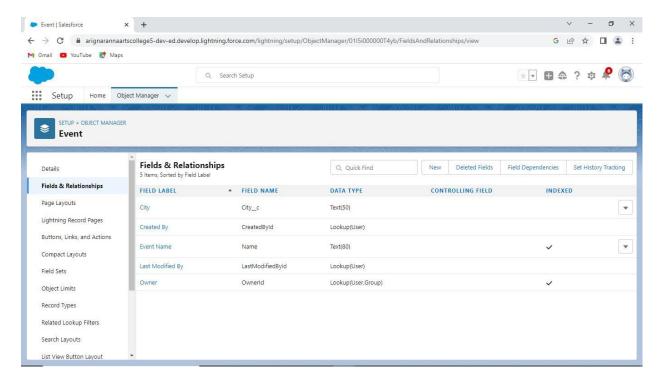
Lightning App

Creation of Event Management App

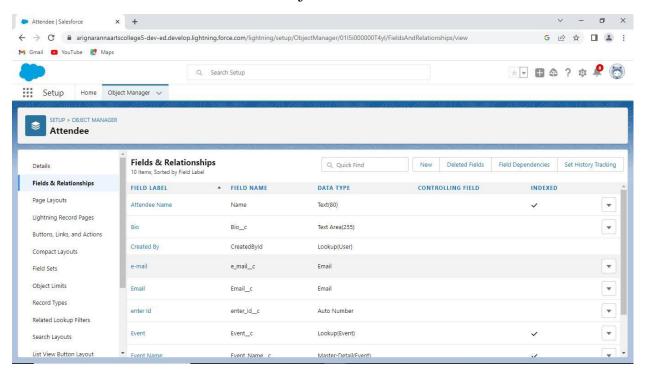


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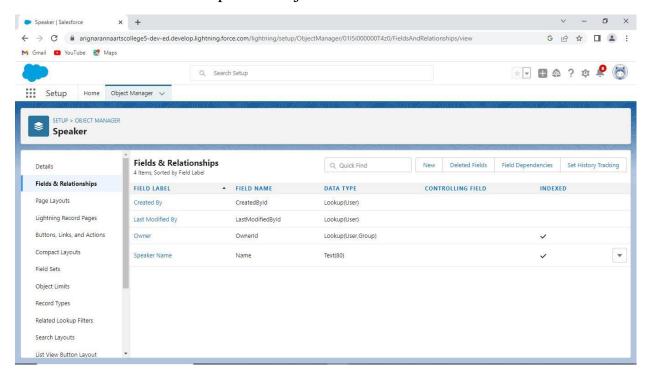
Creation of Field for The Event Object



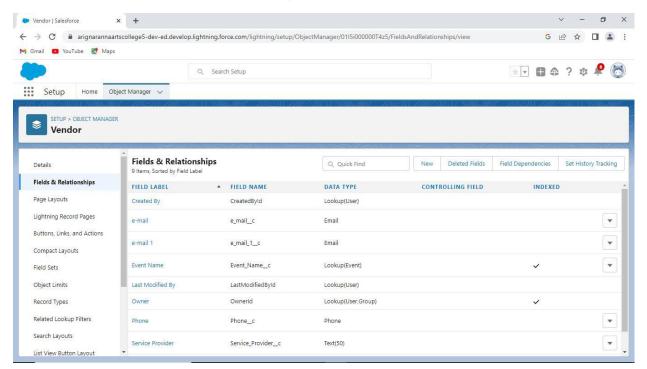
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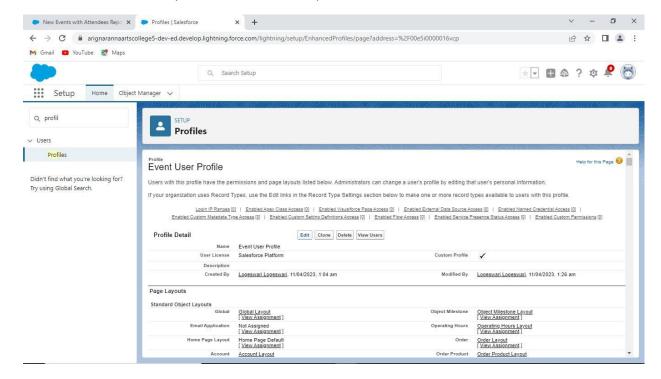


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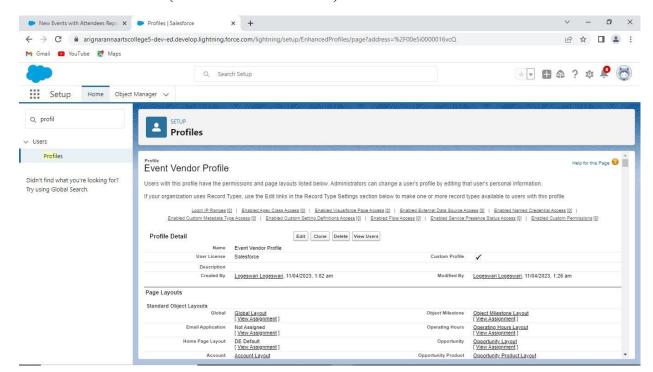


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Creation on Profile: (Event User Profile)

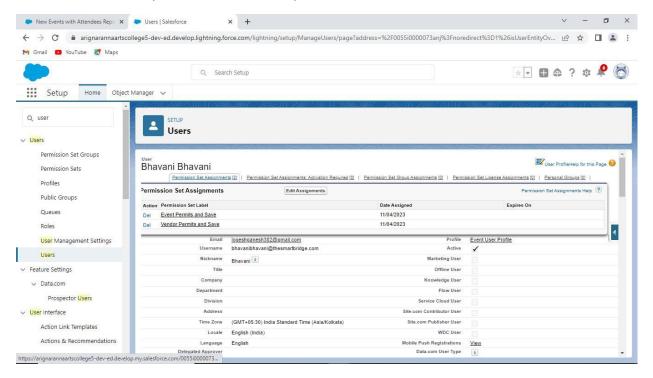


Creation on Profile: (Event Vendor Profile)

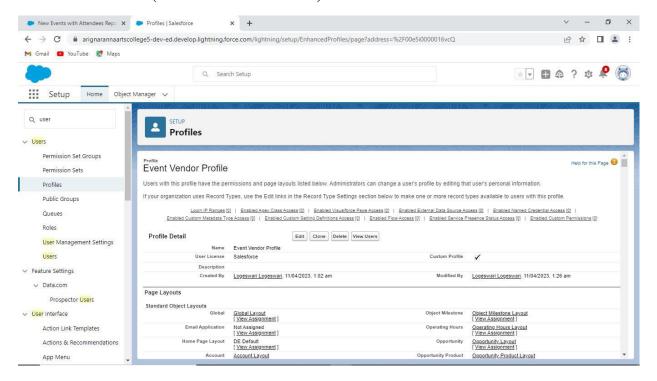


Users

Creation on User:(Event User Profile)

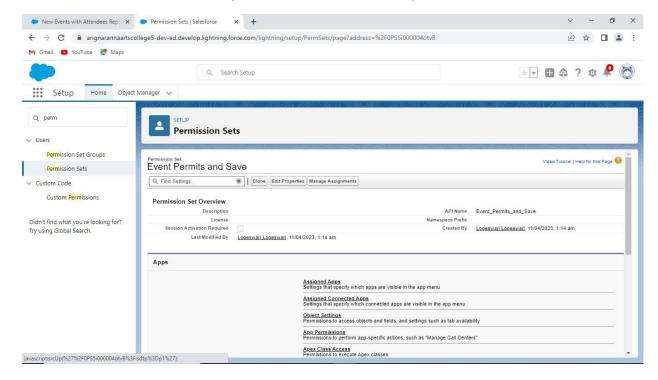


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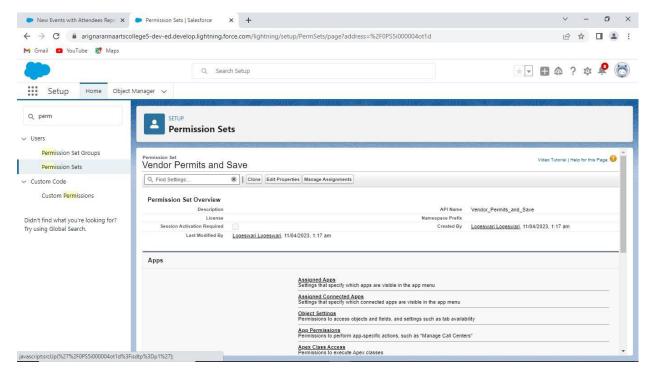


Permission Sets

Creation a Permission Sets:(Event Permits and Save)

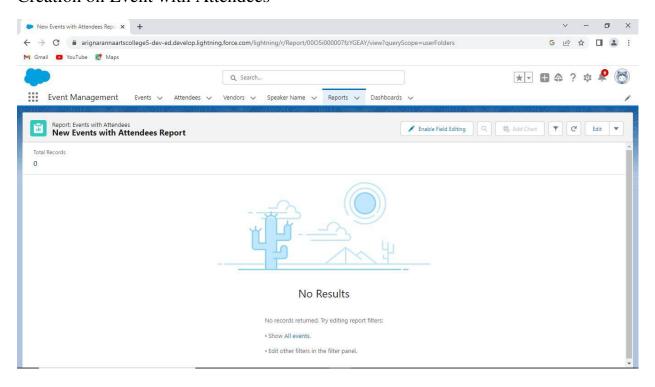


Creation a Permission Sets:(Vendor Permits and Save)



Reports

Creation on Event with Attendees



4. Trailhead Profile Public URL

Team Lead – https://trailblazer.me/id/fmnbczh

Team Member 1- <u>trailblazer.me/id/logeshganesh302</u>

Team Member 2- https://trailblazer.me/id/keerj9

Team Member 3- https://trailblazer.me/id/fdsae

5. ADVANTAGES & DISADVANTAGES:

Advantages of using Salesforce for event management:

Centralized data:

Salesforce allows you to store all event-related data in one place, including registration, attendee information, tasks, and analytics. This makes it easier to manage your events and access all relevant information quickly and easily.

Customization:

Salesforce is highly customizable, so you can create custom objects, fields, and workflows to meet your specific event management needs.

Automation:

You can use Salesforce's automation tools, such as workflows and triggers, to automate event-related tasks and streamline your event management processes.

Reporting and analytics:

Salesforce provides robust reporting and analytics tools, allowing you to track event performance metrics and make data-driven decisions.

Integration:

Salesforce can be integrated with other event management tools, such as Eventbrite or Event, to provide a more comprehensive event management solution.

Disadvantages of using Salesforce for event management:

Cost:

Salesforce can be expensive, especially for smaller organizations or those with limited budgets.

Complexity:

Salesforce can be complex and require a significant amount of training to use effectively. It may not be suitable for organizations with limited technical resources or expertise.

Customization requirements:

Customizing Salesforce for event management can require a significant amount of time and resources, especially if you need to create custom objects, fields, or workflows.

Dependence on Salesforce:

If your organization relies heavily on Salesforce for event management, any downtime or issues with the platform can cause significant disruptions to your event management processes.

APPLICATION:

Set up your Salesforce account:

If you haven't already, create a Salesforce account and set up your organization. You can use the Salesforce Nonprofit Success Pack (NPSP) if you are a nonprofit organization.

Create an event object:

Create a custom object in Salesforce to store information about your events, such as the event name, date, location, and attendees.

Set up registration:

Create a custom object to store information about event registrations, such as the attendee name, contact information, and registration status. You can use Salesforce's built-in Web-to-Lead or Web-to-Case functionality to capture registration data from your website.

Manage attendees:

Use Salesforce's campaign functionality to manage event attendees. Create a campaign for each event, and add campaign members (i.e., registered attendees) to the campaign. This will allow you to track attendance and send email communications to attendees.

Manage event tasks:

Create tasks in Salesforce to manage event-related tasks, such as sending invitations, ordering supplies, and coordinating volunteers.

FUTURE SCOPE:

Salesforce has a range of features and tools that can be utilized for event management. Some potential future scopes for event management using Salesforce are:

- 1. Integrated event management platform: Salesforce can be used to create an integrated platform for event management. This platform can be used to manage all aspects of event planning, from creating event pages and registration forms to managing attendees, tracking payments, and handling post-event follow-ups.
- 2. Mobile event management app: Salesforce can also be used to create a mobile app for event management. This app can be used by event planners to manage events on the go, from any location. Attendees can also use the app to check in, access event details, and network with other attendees.
- 3. Personalization and automation: With Salesforce, event planners can personalize their communications with attendees by using data to segment attendees into specific groups and targeting them with relevant content. Additionally, automation can be used to streamline repetitive tasks such as email campaigns and registration reminders.
- 4. Analytics and reporting: Salesforce can also provide valuable insights into event performance through analytics and reporting. Event planners can use this data to optimize future events, identify areas for improvement, and measure event ROI.

5. Integration with other tools and platforms: Salesforce can be integrated with other tools and platforms to enhance event management capabilities. For example, integration with social media platforms can be used to promote events and engage with attendees, while integration with payment gateways can streamline the payment process.

Overall, the future scope for event management using Salesforce is vast, and organizations can leverage the platform to create seamless and engaging events that deliver measurable results.