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- A. University Enrolment
- B. Video Store
- C. Contact Management
- D. Telemarketing

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A. University Enrolment Problem statement

The university offers

- Undergraduate and postgraduate degrees
- To full-time and part-time students

The university structure

- Divisions containing departments
- Single division administers each degree
- Degree may include courses from other divisions

University enrolment system

- Individually tailored programs of study
- Prerequisite courses
- Compulsory courses
- Restrictions
 - Timetable clashes
 - Maximum class sizes, etc.

A. University Enrolment Problem statement (2)

- The system is required to
 - Assist in pre-enrolment activities
 - Handle the enrolment procedures

Pre-enrolment activities

- Mail-outs of
 - Last semester's examination grades to students
 - Enrolment instructions

During enrolment

- Accept students' proposed programs of study
- Validate for prerequisites, timetable clashes, class sizes, special approvals, etc.
- Resolutions to some of the problems may require consultation with academic advisers or academics in charge of course offerings

B. Video Store Problem statement

The video store

- Rentals of video tapes and disks to customers
- All video tapes and disks bar-coded
- Customer membership also be bar-coded.
- Existing customers can place reservations on videos to be collected at specific date
- Answering customer enquiries, including enquiries about movies that the video store does not stock (but may order on request)

C. Contact Management Problem statement

- The market research company with established customer base of organizations that buy market analysis reports
- The company is constantly on the search for new customers
- Contact management system
 - Prospective customers
 - Actual customers
 - Past customers
- The new contact management system to be developed internally and be available to all employees in the company, but with varying levels of access
 - Employees of Customer Services Department will take the ownership of the system
- The system to permit flexible scheduling and re-scheduling of contactrelated activities so that the employees can successfully collaborate to win new customers and foster existing relationships

D. Telemarketing Problem statement

- The charitable society sells lottery tickets to raise funds
 - Campaigns to support currently important charitable causes
 - Past contributors (supporters) targeted through telemarketing and/or direct mail-outs
- Rewards (special bonus campaigns)
 - For bulk buying
 - For attracting new contributors
- The society does not randomly target potential supporters by using telephone directories or similar means

D. Telemarketing Problem statement (2)

Telemarketing application

- To support up to fifty telemarketers working simultaneously
- To schedule the phone calls according to pre-specified priorities and other known constraints
- To dial up the scheduled phone calls
- To re-schedule unsuccessful connections
- To arrange other telephone callbacks to supporters
- To records the conversation outcomes, including ticket orders and any changes to supporter records

Example A.1 – University Enrolment

- Consider the following requirements for the University Enrolment system and identify the candidate classes:
 - Each university degree has a number of compulsory courses and a number of elective courses.

Fuzzy CompulsoryCourse

Relevant

Degree Course

ElectiveCourse

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Example A.1 – University Enrolment

- More requirements:
 - Each course is at a given level and has a credit-point value
 - A course can be part of any number of degrees
 - Each degree specifies minimum total credit points value required for degree completion
 - Students may combine course offerings into programs of study suited to their individual needs and leading to the degree in which enrolled

Example A.1— University Enrolment (solution)

Relevant classes	Fuzzy classes
Course	CompulsoryCourse
Degree	ElectiveCourse
Student	StudyProgram
CourseOffering	

Example B.1 – Video Store

- Consider the following requirements for the Video Store system and identify the candidate classes:
 - The video store keeps in stock an extensive library of current and popular movie titles. A particular movie may be held on video tapes or disks.

Relevant

MovieTitle VideoTape VideoDisk

Irrelevant

VideoStore Stock Library

Example B.1 – Video Store

More requirements:

- Video tapes are in either "Beta" or "VHS" format
- Video disks are in DVD format
- Each movie has a particular rental period (expressed in days), with a rental charge to that period
- The video store must be able to immediately answer any inquiries about a movie's stock availability and how many tapes and/or disks are available for rental
- The current condition of each tape and disk must be known and recorded

Example B.1 – Video Store (solution)

Relevant classes	Fuzzy classes
MovieTitle	RentalConditions
VideoMedium	
VideoTape	
VideoDisk	
(or DVDDisk)	
BetaTape	
VHSTape	

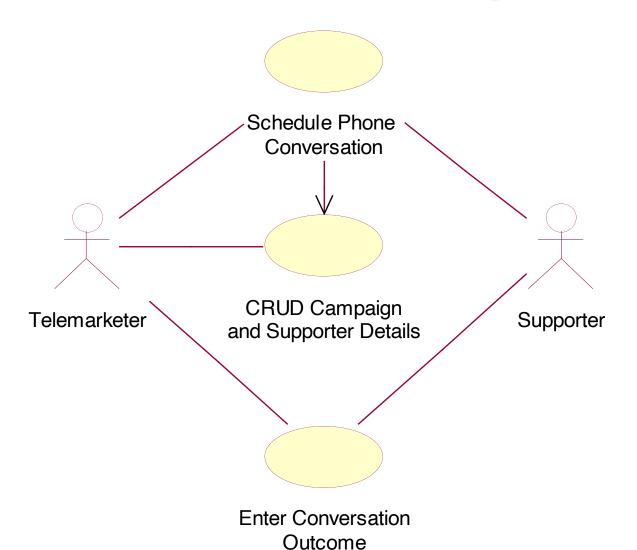
Example C.1 – Contact Management

- Consider the following requirements for the Contact Management system and identify the candidate classes:
 - To "keep in touch" with current and prospective customer base
 - To store the names, phone numbers, postal and courier addresses, etc. of organizations and contact persons in these organizations
 - To schedule tasks and events for the employees with regard to relevant contact persons
 - Employees can schedule tasks and events for other employees or for themselves
 - A task is a group of events that take place to achieve a result (e.g. to solve customer's problem)
 - Typical types of events are: phone call, visit, sending a fax, arranging for training, etc.

Example C.1 – Contact Management (solution)

Relevant classes	Fuzzy classes
Organization	CurrentOrg
Contact	ProspectiveOrg
Employee	PostalAddress
Task	CourierAddress
Event	

Example D.1 – Telemarketing Business use case diagram



Example D.1 - Telemarketing

- Consider the following textual description for the Telemarketing system's use cases and identify the candidate classes:
 - The telemarketer requests the system that the phone call to a supporter be scheduled and dialed up
 - Upon successful connection, the telemarketer offers lottery tickets to the supporter. During a conversation, the telemarketer may need to access and modify both campaign and supporter details (*CRUD*, *create* – *read* – *update* – *delete*)
 - Finally, the telemarketer enters the conversation outcome, i.e. the successful or unsuccessful results of the telemarketing action

Example D.1 – Telemarketing (solution)

Campaign

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Supporter (from Use Case View)

CampaignTicket

CallOutcome

Telemarketer (from Use Case View)