

Changes Made to the Initial ERD

Normalization to Third Normal Form (3NF)

- Eliminated multivalued and composite attributes for a more structured database design.
- Ensured that all non-key attributes fully depend on the primary key, reducing redundancy and improving data integrity.

Resolution of Many-to-Many Relationships

• Converted many-to-many relationships into associative tables with appropriate foreign keys to maintain relational consistency.

Primary Key Implementation for Every Entity

• Assigned a primary key (PK) to each table, ensuring unique identification of records.

Foreign Key (FK) Integration for Relationship Enforcement

- Incorporated foreign keys (FK) to uphold referential integrity between entities.
- Example: The **BOOKINGS** table references the **USERS** and **SHOWS** tables through foreign keys, establishing a well-structured relationship.

Optimization of Attribute Data Types

 Refined attribute types to align with expected data values (e.g., DECIMAL for monetary fields, DATE/TIME for timestamps) to enhance data accuracy.

Ensuring Data Integrity and Consistency

 Applied constraints, such as NOT NULL, on essential fields to enforce data integrity and prevent incomplete records.

The revised ERD now reflects a well-structured logical data model that adheres to 3NF principles, ensuring efficiency, consistency, and clarity.