D424 – Software Capstone

Task 3

Capstone Proposal Project Name: Vacation Scheduler Mobile App

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Class Design

The Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application is a mobile solution designed to help users plan and manage their vacations efficiently. Developed in Java with the Room framework in Android Studio, it allows users to schedule trips, add excursions, and keep track of important dates.

This document outlines the class design of the application, focusing on the Model-View-ViewModel (MVVM) architecture that ensures a well-structured and maintainable system. This project aims to provide a user-friendly and robust database-driven experience that supports creating, updating, deleting, and managing vacations while integrating alerts and validation.

Class Design Overview

To maintain an organized and scalable system, the application follows the MVVM architecture:

The UI Layer (View) handles the display and interaction with users.

The ViewModel Layer manages the app's logic and bridges the UI and data.

The Repository Layer ensures smooth data flow and manages database interactions.

The Model Layer structures and stores data in a Room database.

This structure enhances data management, separation of concerns, and scalability.

Application Components

Model Layer (Data Layer)

This layer defines the core data structures and their relationships:

Vacation: Stores details such as name, location, start date, and end date.

Excursion: Represents planned activities linked to a specific vacation.

VacationDatabase: Manages the Room database instance.

VacationDao & ExcursionDao: Provide methods to fetch, insert, and delete vacation and excursion records.

Repository Layer

The repository serves as the middle layer between the database and the ViewModel, ensuring that data is retrieved and updated efficiently without the UI directly accessing the database.

ViewModel Layer

This layer manages UI-related data while ensuring efficiency:

- **VacationViewModel**: Retrieves vacation data and provides it to the UI in real-time.

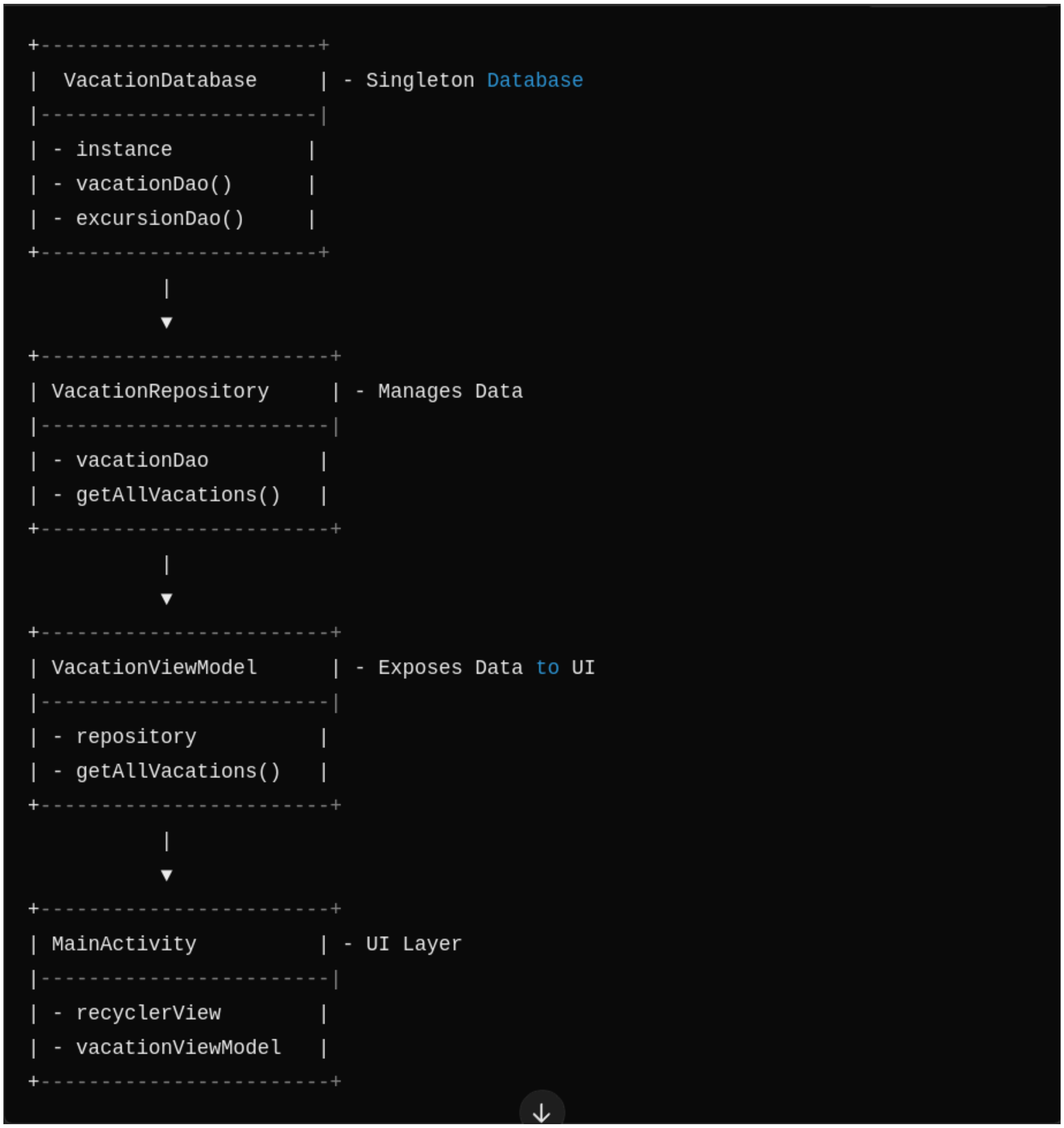
UI Layer (View Layer)

The UI layer presents data to users and allows interaction:

- **MainActivity**: Displays vacations in a list using RecyclerView.
- **VacationAdapter**: Manages how vacation details are displayed dynamically.

Application Workflow

1. Users launch the app and view a list of their planned vacations.
2. Users can add, update, or delete vacations.
3. Each vacation can have excursions added to it.
4. Alerts notify users of upcoming trips.



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|  VacationDatabase     | - Singleton Database
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| - instance           |
| - vacationDao()      |
| - excursionDao()     |
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| VacationRepository     | - Manages Data
|------------------------|
| - vacationDao          |
| - getAllVacations()    |
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| VacationViewModel      | - Exposes Data to UI
|------------------------|
| - repository           |
| - getAllVacations()    |
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| MainActivity          | - UI Layer
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| - recyclerView         |
| - vacationViewModel    |
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UI Design

The Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application is designed for simplicity and ease of use, with a clean layout and intuitive navigation. The interface follows Material Design principles to provide a familiar experience for Android users.

- **Main Screen**
    - Displays a personalized welcome message.
    - Allows users to search for vacations within a date range.
    - Buttons for adding a vacation, generating reports, and logging out.
    - A list of vacations with titles and locations makes viewing and selecting easy.
- **Vacation Detail Screen**
    - Displays vacation details such as title, location, and dates.
    - Radio buttons are used to select the vacation type (Business or Leisure).
    - Buttons are available to update, delete, or set an alert for the vacation.
    - Options to share vacation details via email, clipboard, or SMS.
- **Excursion Management**
    - Users can view and manage excursions linked to a vacation.
    - List format for easy navigation.
- **Authentication Screens**
    - Simple registration and login forms.
    - Clear input fields for username and password.
    - Buttons to switch between login and registration.

The UI uses a consistent color scheme with purple, blue, and red for primary actions. Buttons are well-spaced, text is legible, and user interactions follow intuitive patterns to ensure a smooth experience.

Unit Testing Plan

Introduction

This document provides a comprehensive overview of the unit testing process for the Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application.

The primary objectives of this testing phase were to validate date handling within the application and ensure the accuracy

of vacation title management. The unit tests were executed in Android Studio using the JUnit framework and a combination of terminal, IDE, and HTML report views.

Purpose

The purpose of the unit testing was to verify the functionality of the Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application,

explicitly focusing on date validation and vacation title management. The testing process ensured the accuracy

and reliability of the application's core functionalities. No significant remediation was required as all tests

passed successfully. However, minor logic improvements were made to handle edge cases effectively.

Overview

The tests were conducted to validate that the application correctly handles invalid date ranges and

ensures the accurate storage and retrieval of vacation titles. The testing method involved creating

specific test cases for date validation and title management, executing these tests using JUnit, and

verifying the outcomes against expected results. Any errors encountered during testing were addressed

by refining the validation logic and rerunning the tests to ensure success.

Test Plan

Items Required:

- Android Studio development environment
- JUnit testing framework
- Mockito library for mocking

Features Tested:

- Date Validation in vacation scheduling.
- Vacation title management.

Deliverables:

- Test scripts and source code.
- Test result screenshots
- HTML test report

Task:

- Implement test cases for date validation and title management.
- Execute tests and verify results.
- Capture screenshots of the test process and outcomes.
- Document the testing process and results.

Test Execution Steps

Test 1: Validate Date Handling

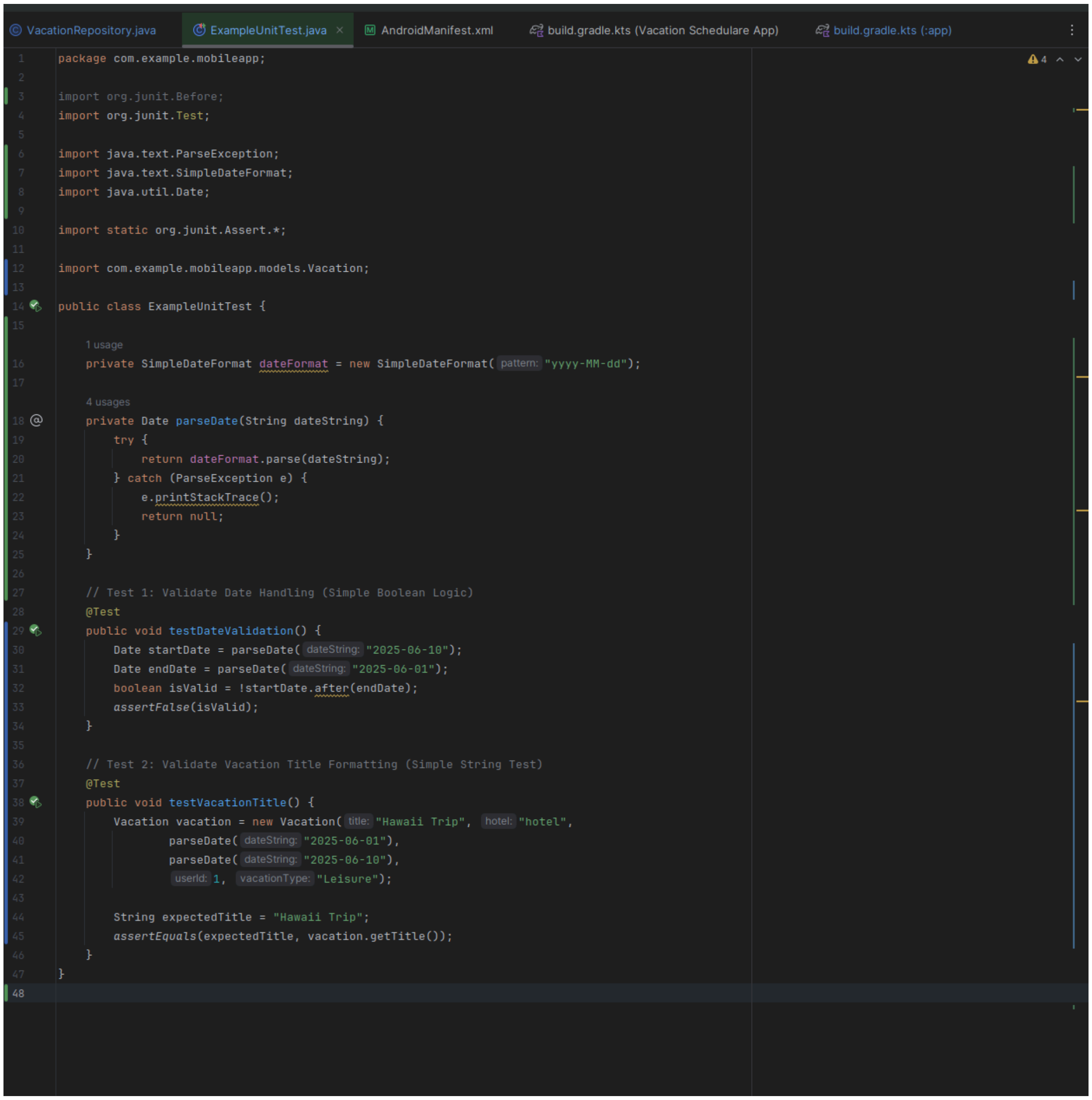
1. Create a Vacation object with a start date of 2025-06-10 and an end date of 2025-06-01.
2. Invoke the `isDateValid` method with these dates.
3. Verify the method returns `false`.

Test 2: Vacation Title Validation

1. Create a Vacation object with the title "Hawaii Trip."
2. Use `getTitle()` to retrieve the title.
3. Assert that the returned title is "Hawaii Trip."

Unit Test Code

Below is the test code implemented to validate date handling and vacation title formatting.



```java
package com.example.mobileapp;

import org.junit.Before;
import org.junit.Test;

import java.text.ParseException;
import java.text.SimpleDateFormat;
import java.util.Date;

import static org.junit.Assert.*;

import com.example.mobileapp.models.Vacation;

public class ExampleUnitTest {

    1 usage
    private SimpleDateFormat dateFormat = new SimpleDateFormat( pattern: "yyyy-MM-dd");

    4 usages
    private Date parseDate(String dateString) {
        try {
            return dateFormat.parse(dateString);
        } catch (ParseException e) {
            e.printStackTrace();
            return null;
        }
    }

    // Test 1: Validate Date Handling (Simple Boolean Logic)
    @Test
    public void testDateValidation() {
        Date startDate = parseDate( dateString: "2025-06-10");
        Date endDate = parseDate( dateString: "2025-06-01");
        boolean isValid = !startDate.after(endDate);
        assertFalse(isValid);
    }

    // Test 2: Validate Vacation Title Formatting (Simple String Test)
    @Test
    public void testVacationTitle() {
        Vacation vacation = new Vacation( title: "Hawaii Trip",  hotel: "hotel",
                parseDate( dateString: "2025-06-01"),
                parseDate( dateString: "2025-06-10"),
                 userId: 1,  vacationType: "Leisure");

        String expectedTitle = "Hawaii Trip";
        assertEquals(expectedTitle, vacation.getTitle());
    }
}
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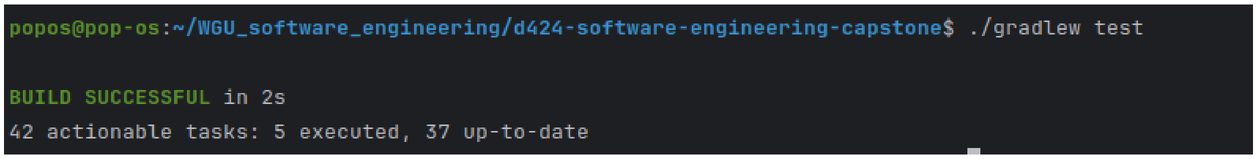
Test Results

Test 1: Validate Date Handling

- **Result:** Passed
- **Observed Output:** The `isDateValid` method correctly returned `false` for an invalid date range.



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popos@pop-os:~/WGU_software_engineering/d424-software-engineering-capstone$ ./gradlew test

BUILD SUCCESSFUL in 2s
42 actionable tasks: 5 executed, 37 up-to-date
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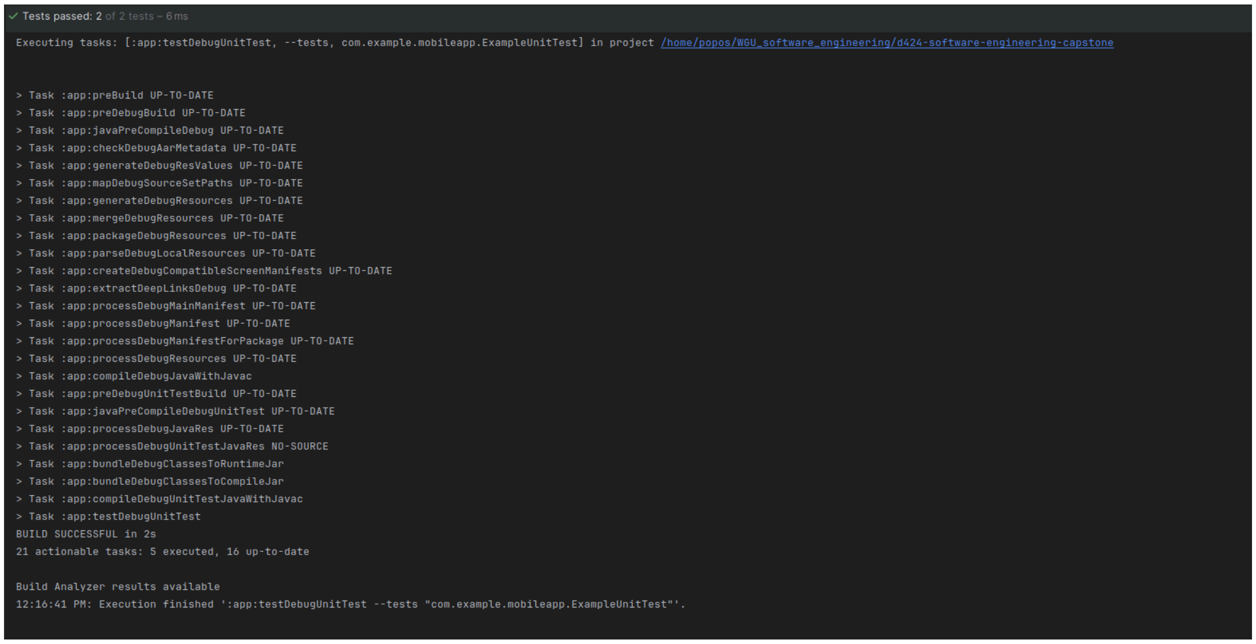
Test 2: Vacation Title Validation

- **Result:** Passed
- **Observed Output:** The `getTitle()` method correctly returned "Hawaii Trip" as expected.



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✓ Tests passed: 2 of 2 tests – 6 ms
Executing tasks: [:app:testDebugUnitTest, --tests, com.example.mobileapp.ExampleUnitTest] in project /home/popos/WGU_software_engineering/d424-software-engineering-capstone


> Task :app:preBuild UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:preDebugBuild UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:javaPreCompileDebug UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:checkDebugAarMetadata UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:generateDebugResValues UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:mapDebugSourceSetPaths UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:generateDebugResources UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:mergeDebugResources UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:packageDebugResources UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:parseDebugLocalResources UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:createDebugCompatibleScreenManifests UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:extractDeepLinksDebug UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugMainManifest UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugManifest UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugManifestForPackage UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugResources UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:compileDebugJavaWithJavac
> Task :app:preDebugUnitTestBuild UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:javaPreCompileDebugUnitTest UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugJavaRes UP-TO-DATE
> Task :app:processDebugUnitTestJavaRes NO-SOURCE
> Task :app:bundleDebugClassesToRuntimeJar
> Task :app:bundleDebugClassesToCompileJar
> Task :app:compileDebugUnitTestJavaWithJavac
> Task :app:testDebugUnitTest
BUILD SUCCESSFUL in 2s
21 actionable tasks: 5 executed, 16 up-to-date

Build Analyzer results available
12:16:41 PM: Execution finished ':app:testDebugUnitTest --tests "com.example.mobileapp.ExampleUnitTest"'.
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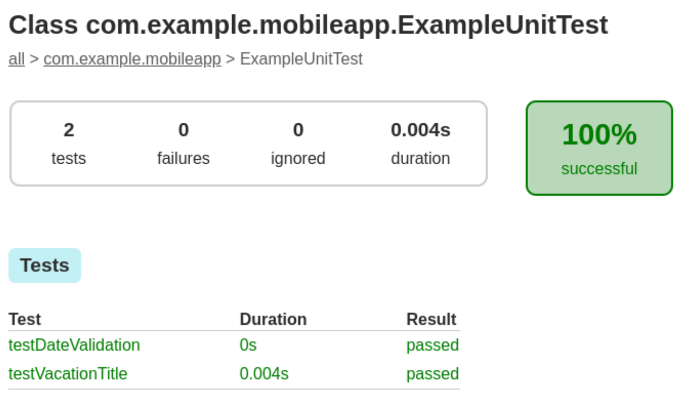
HTML Test Report

The HTML report provides a detailed and graphical view of the test results, showing all tests passed with a 100% success rate.



Class com.example.mobileapp.ExampleUnitTest

all > com.example.mobileapp > ExampleUnitTest

2	0	0	0.004s	100%
tests	failures	ignored	duration	successful

Tests

Test	Duration	Result
testDateValidation	0s	passed
testVacationTitle	0.004s	passed

Summary of Changes

Improved Date Validation Logic:

- During testing, it was observed that the `isDateValid` method needed clearer logic to handle edge cases.
- Updated the date comparison logic to ensure accurate validation of start and end dates.

Refined Vacation Title Handling:

- I added a unit test for title validation to confirm the accuracy of data retrieval from the Vacation object.
- No changes to the Vacation model were needed, as the initial implementation was correct.

Overall Testing Outcome:

- All tests passed successfully, indicating the core functionalities of the Vacation Scheduler Application are working as expected.
- The application is ready for further testing or deployment as required.

Hosted Web Application

Hosted Web Application Link:

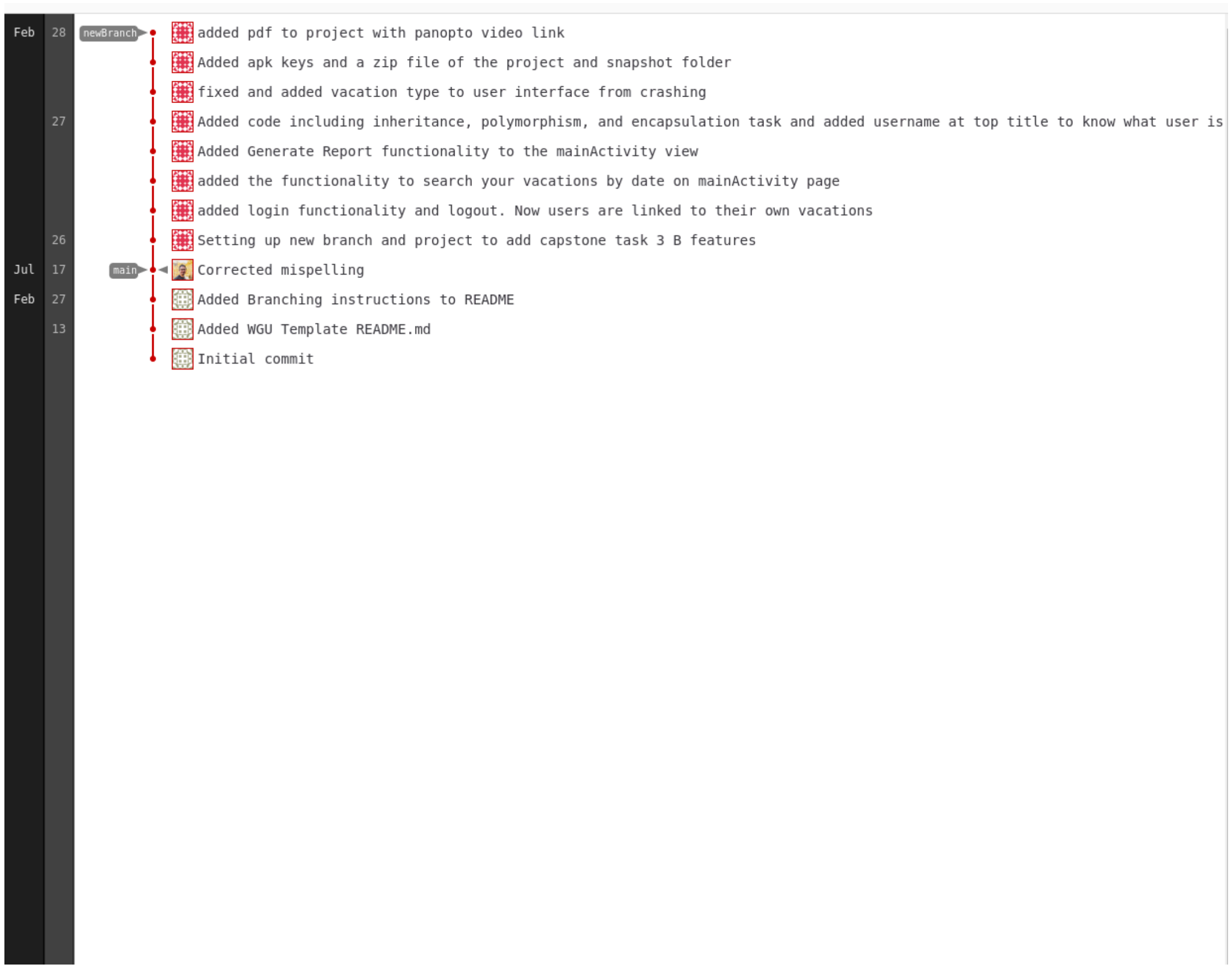
https://github.com/Jreddysmith/Vacation-Scheduler-Mobile-App/releases/tag/v1.0.0

GitLab Repository & Branch History

GitLab Repository Link:

https://gitlab.com/wgu-gitlab-environment/student-repos/jsm1481/d424-software-engineering-capstone

GitLab Branch History:



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                   Added apk keys and a zip file of the project and snapshot folder
                   fixed and added vacation type to user interface from crashing
    27             Added code including inheritance, polymorphism, and encapsulation task and added username at top title to know what user is
                   Added Generate Report functionality to the mainActivity view
                   added the functionality to search your vacations by date on mainActivity page
                   added login functionality and logout. Now users are linked to their own vacations
    26             Setting up new branch and project to add capstone task 3 B features
Jul 17  main       Corrected mispelling
Feb 27             Added Branching instructions to README
    13             Added WGU Template README.md
                   Initial commit
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User Guide For Setting Up and Running the Application

Introduction

The Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application helps users plan and manage vacations and excursions. This guide explains installing, setting up, and using the app efficiently.

Installation

To install the application on an Android device, download the APK file from the provided source. Enable installation from unknown sources in your device settings, then open the APK file to complete the installation. If using an emulator, open Android Studio, create a virtual device, and run the app from the project.

Creating an Account

To start using the app, open it and select ‘Register.’ Enter a username and password, and confirm your password. Tap ‘Register’ to create your account. If you already have an account, enter your credentials on the login screen and tap ‘Login’ to proceed.

Using the App

The main screen displays a list of vacations. To filter vacations by date, tap the start date and end date fields and select the desired dates. Tap ‘Search Vacations’ to see the filtered results.

Adding a Vacation

Tap ‘Add Vacation’ to enter details like title, hotel, start and end dates, and select the type (Business or Leisure). Tap ‘Save Vacation’ to add it to your list.

Editing a Vacation

Select a vacation from the list to view its details. Modify the information and tap ‘Update Vacation’ to save changes.

Setting Alerts

Alerts can be set for vacation start and end dates. While adding or editing a vacation, select ‘Set Alert’ to schedule a notification.

Managing Excursions

Tap on a vacation to view or add excursions. Enter details like the name of the excursion, date, and description. Excursions can also be edited or deleted.

Sharing Vacation Details

Tap ‘Share Vacation’ to share vacation information via email, clipboard, or SMS.

Logging Out

Tap the ‘Logout’ button on the main screen to log out.

User Guide For User Perspective

Introduction

The Vacation Scheduler Mobile Application allows users to plan and manage vacations and excursions efficiently. This guide will provide step-by-step instructions to help users navigate the app's features.

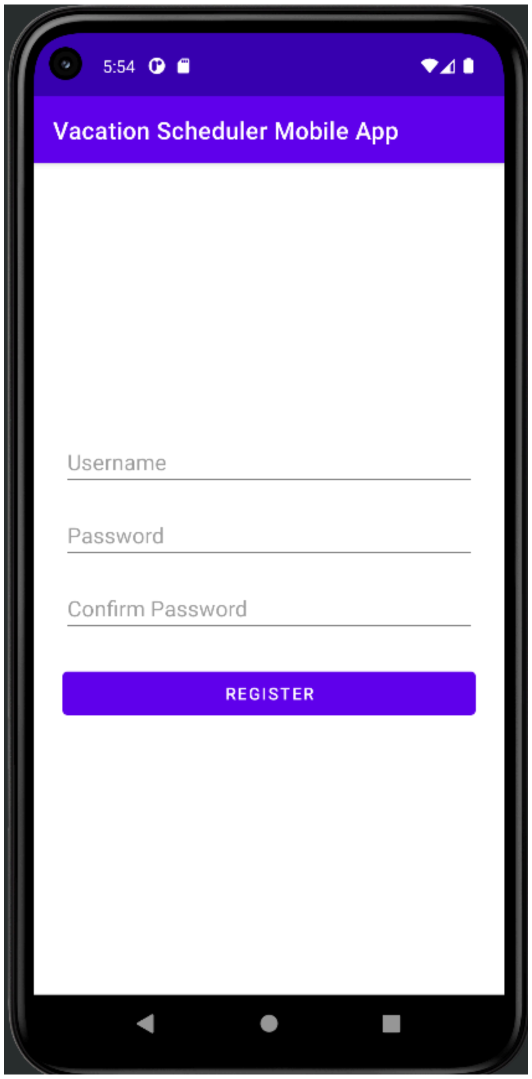
Running on an Emulator

1. Open Android Studio and install an Android Emulator (AVD Manager > Create Virtual Device).
2. Build and run the app from the Android Studio project (Run > Run 'app').

Account Management

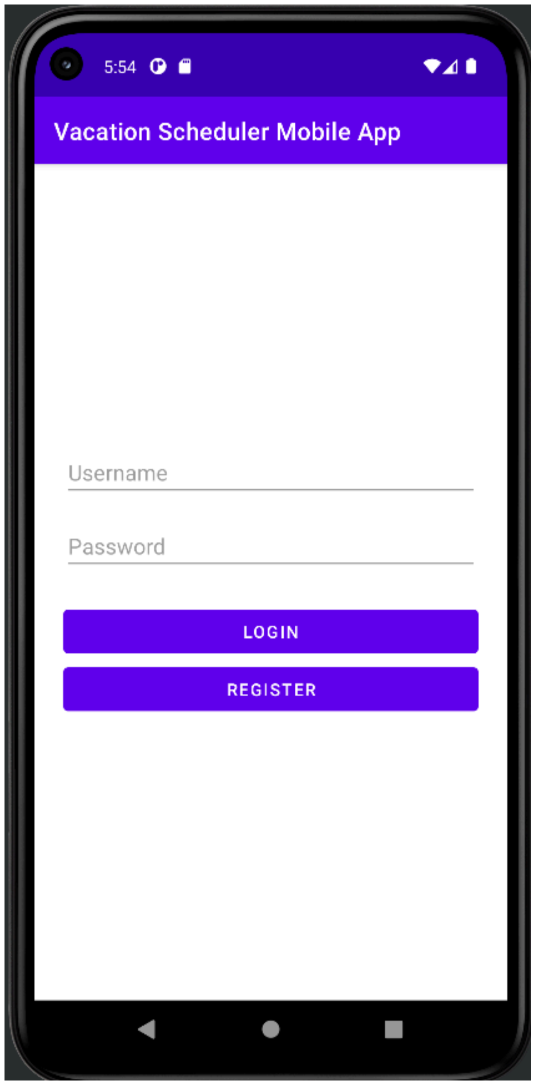
Registration

1. Open the app and select 'Register'.
2. Fill in the required fields (Username, Password).
3. Tap 'Register' to create an account.



Login

1. Enter your username and password.
2. Tap 'Login' to access the app.



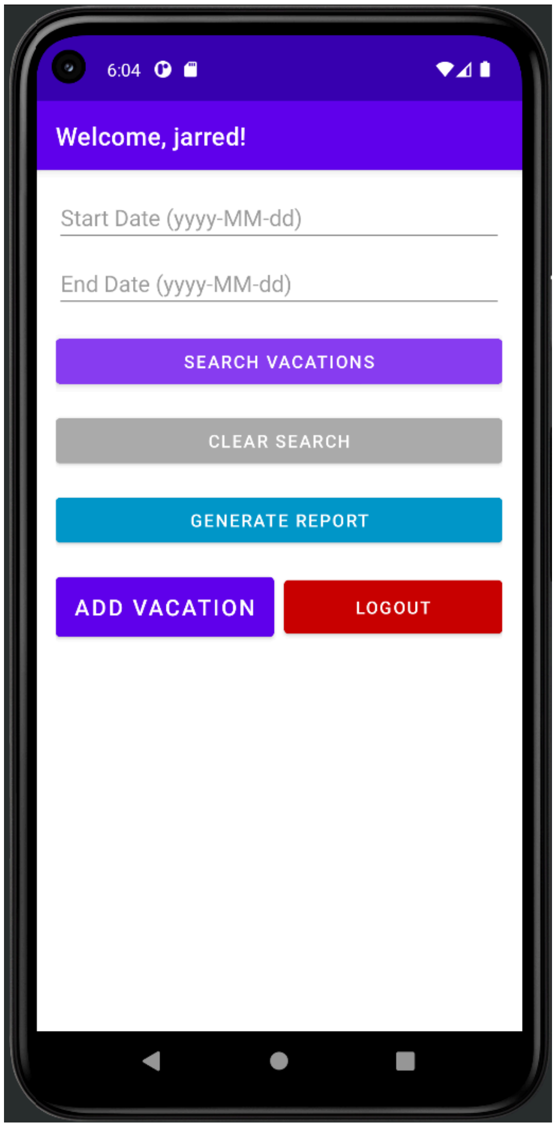
Main Activity

Setting Date Ranges

1. Tap the 'Start Date' field and select a date from the calendar.
2. Tap on the 'End Date' field and select a date.
3. The app will display vacations within the selected date range.

Viewing Vacations

- Scroll through the list of vacations displayed on the main screen.
- Tap on a vacation to view more details.



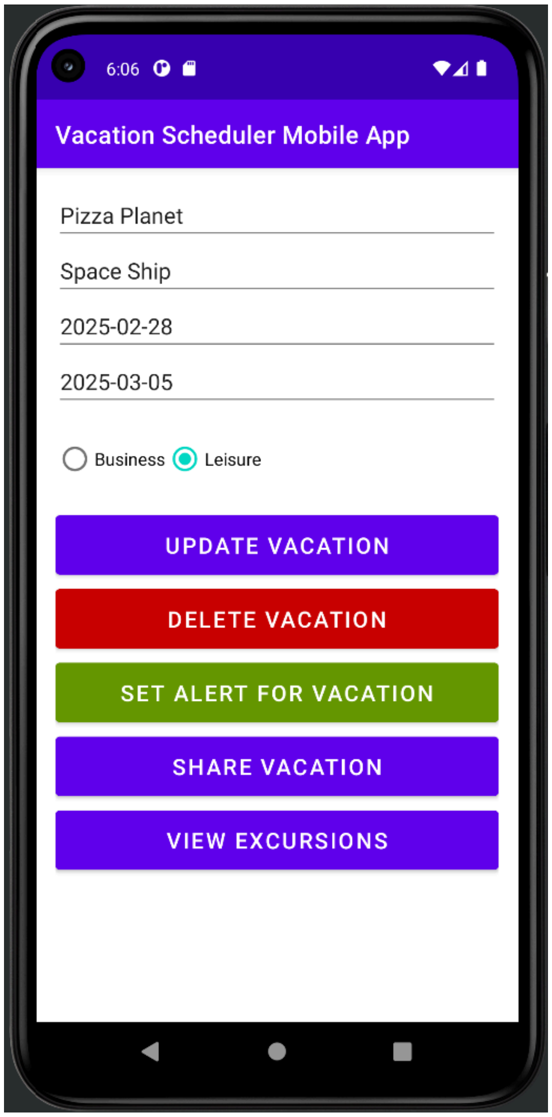
Adding and Editing Vacations

Adding a Vacation

1. On the main screen, tap the 'Add Vacation' button.
2. Enter the vacation details, including title, start date, end date, and type (Business or Leisure).
3. Save the vacation to add it to your list.

Editing a Vacation

1. Tap on an existing vacation from the list.
2. Select 'Edit' to modify the vacation details.
3. Save changes to update the vacation.



Selecting Vacation Type

1. Select the vacation type from the dropdown menu when adding or editing a vacation.
2. Choose between 'Business' or 'Leisure'.

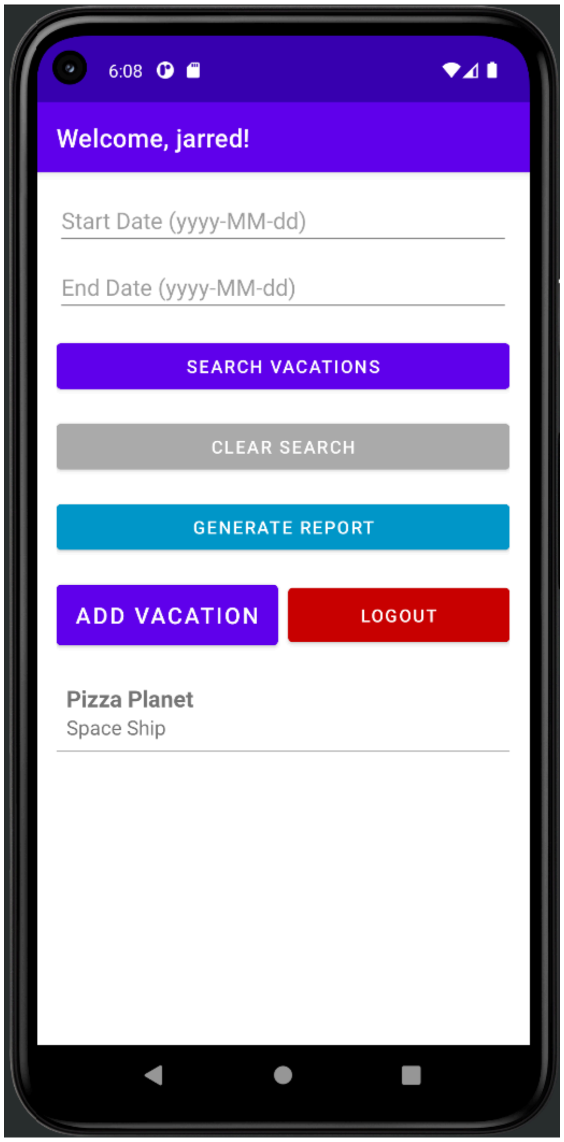
Managing Excursions

Adding an Excursion

1. While viewing a vacation, tap 'Add Excursion'.
2. Enter the excursion details (Name, Date, Description).
3. Save the excursion to link it to the vacation.

Viewing and Editing Excursions

- Tap on an excursion to view details.



6. Alerts and Notifications

Setting Alerts

1. Select the ' Set Alert ' option when adding or editing a vacation or excursion.
2. Choose the date and time for the alert.

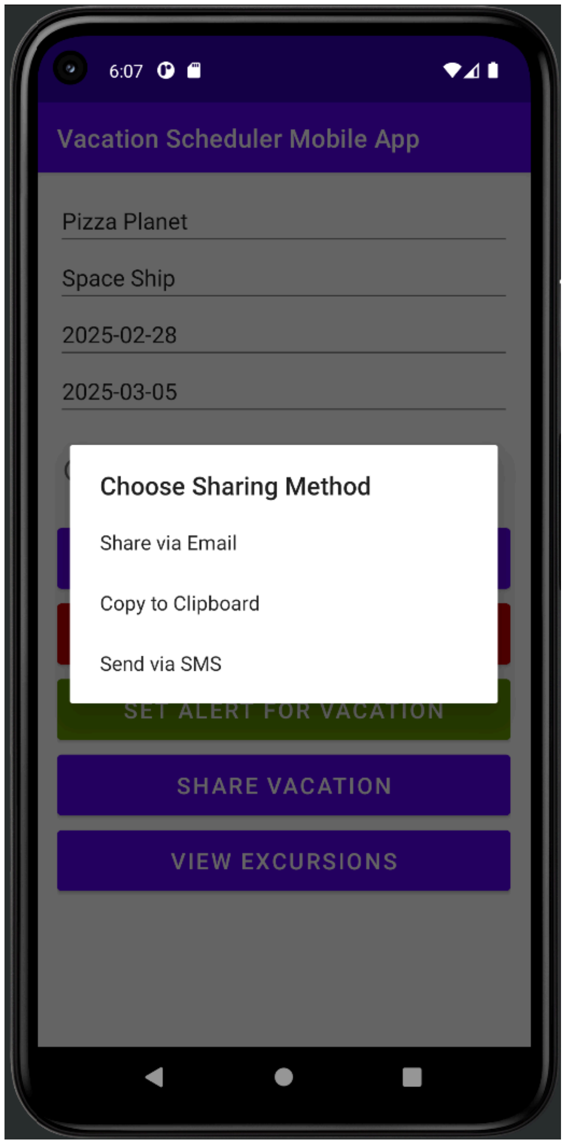
Managing Notifications

- Notifications will appear on your device at the scheduled alert times.
- Dismiss or interact with the notification to open the app.

7. Sharing Features

Sharing Vacation Details

1. Select a vacation from the list.
2. Tap the 'Share' button.
3. Choose the method to share (e.g., Email, Messaging apps).



8. Validation and Error Handling

Input Validation

- Ensure all required fields are completed when adding or editing entries.
- Follow date formats and input guidelines displayed in the app.

Handling Errors

- If an error occurs, follow the on-screen instructions to resolve it.
- Restart the app if needed.

Panopto Video Link

https://wgu.hosted.panopto.com/Panopto/Pages/Viewer.aspx?id=2db33e27-b401-492a-99e9-b2930068c76c#