MOVIE RENTAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Small Project

Objective:

The objective of this project is to develop a movie rental management system using the MVC compound pattern. The project can be implemented in either Java, C++ or C#. I have chosen Java with NetBeans IDE. The system is made of the following entities

- Clients: They can rent movies in the system and are stored in a file called clients.txt
- Movies: These are the objects to be rented and are stored in a file called movies.txt
- Rental_Info: This contains information about who rented which movie, date of return and date of rental. Rental_Info is stored in a file called rental_info.txt

Requirements:

The system should be able to handle the following transactions

For Clients:

- Create a client.
- Delete a client. A client does not get physically deleted from the system. A flag in the record in file just states if the client is "logically" deleted.
- Search a client by last name, first name and show its information
- Show all clients

For Movies:

- Create a movie.
- Rent a movie.
- Return a movie.
- Show all movies, showing current rented movies first.
- Show current rented movies.
- Show who has historically rented a movie, sorting in descending order by date of rental.

Design Pattern used:

As per the requirement I used MVC compound pattern in developing this project. This pattern is used in separating the concern of an application. For this pattern the code is split into three packages named Model, View and controller.

Model:

The objects carrying the data is represented by Model. It contains four model classes and for each class in a model an interface is created. Each class of model contains array list of

observers. Here the classes of model acts as source and each view uses removeObserver () and registerObserver () to unregister and register with the model. All the methods of removeObserver () and registerObserver () are present in the interfaces of a model and class of a model provides implementation for all those methods.

For registering a view, the classes of a model have got reference to the interfaces of view. Therefore, model contains has a relationship with the interface of view. As a part of MVC, observer patter has been used in this project development where view act as observer and model act as a source. View will be notified when there is a change in the model's state.

- ✓ Movie This class is to maintain all the attributes related to movies, it implements IMovie and as well as provides implementation to each method contained in IMovie.
- ✓ Client This class maintains all attributes related to clients, it implements IClient and as well as provides implementation to each method contained in IClient.
- ✓ MovieRentingInfo This class maintains all attributes related to renting info, it implements IMovieRentingInfo and as well as provides implementation to all the methods contained in IMovieRentingInfo.
- ✓ FilePaths This class maintains paths related to Movie, Client and Renting info, it implements IFilePaths and as well as provides implementation to each method contained in IFilePaths.

View:

View gets registered with respective models by calling the removeObserver () and registerObserver () methods of a model and it acts as an observer as well. View contains reference to the model interface. For calling methods of a controller, it also contains interface to the controller where controller acts as an event handler. In this package user interfaces for view are created in this project.

✓ DisplayRentMovieHistoryPageGUI – This page is used in showing the history of the movie that is rented. Even if the client has been deleted from the system, the history of the deleted client can also be view if the client rented a movie in the past.



This page contains a dropdown button for selecting each movie and the history of that movie will be displayed in the table along with the fine amount. Implementation to all the methods contained in IDisplayRentMovieHistoryPageGUI is provided by this class.

✓ ReturnMoviePageGUI – This page is used to return a movie which was rented. Upon returning a movie the text file rental_info.txt will be updated. Once the movie is returned, based on the return date the fine will be calculated and the fine amount will be displayed in an alert. The fine amount will be \$5 per day if the number of days is >8. Implementation to all the methods contained in IReturnMoviePageGUI is provided by this class.



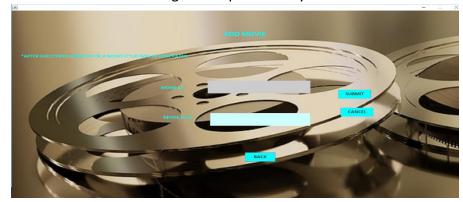
✓ RentMoviePageGUI – This page is used to rent a movie for a client. Once a movie is rented to a person the other person can not rent it unless the movie is returned. A popup appears if the same client wants to rent more than 3 movies. Implementation to all methods contained in IRentMoviePageGUI is provided by this class.



✓ DisplayMoviesPageGUI — This page displays the list of all the movies. It contains two buttons one of which is display current rented history by clicking that button the table display only the list of rented movies. Implementation to all methods contained in IDisplayMoviesPageGUI is provided by this class.



✓ AddMoviePageGUI – This page is used for adding a movie in the system. Once the movie is added the system generates an ID for the movie added. Implementation to all the methods contained in IAddMoviePageGUI is provided by this class.



This page is used in adding a new movie. A popup appears if the same movie is added saying that movie is already present in the system.

✓ SearchClientPageGUI – This page is used in search of a client with their names. Once the name is found it will be displayed in the table if not a popup displays saying results not found. Implementation to all the methods contained in ISearchClientPageGUI is provided by this class.



This page helps in finding the client easily with either their full name or first or last names.

✓ DisplayClientsPageGUI – This page is used for displaying the list of all active and logically deleted clients. Implementation to all methods in IDisplayClientsPageGUI is provided by this class.



This page displays all the clients irrespective of their status. Once the cursor is spotted on a name all the details will be displayed on the name fields.

✓ DeleteClientPageGUI – This page is used for deleting a client in the system. Client will be logically deleted by changing the flag to True in the system



Implementation to all methods contained in IDeleteClientPageGUI is provided by this class. This page can logically delete clients in the system. By selecting the client on the table and clicking on delete button, the clients will become inactive.

✓ CreateClientPageGUI – This page is used for creating a client in the system upon successful addition of clients in the system an ID will be generated. Implementation to all methods contained in ICreateClientPageGUI is provided by this class.



The system navigates to this page by clicking on Creating a client button in the home page where a client will be created. After successful creation of a client his/her ID will be generated by the system each time a new client is created.

✓ HomePageGUI – This page contains all the buttons which navigates to every other page. Implementation to all methods in IHomePageGUI is provided by this class.



After clicking home on SelectFilesPageGUI screen the system navigates to this page which contains all the icons used in this project. By clicking on exit button, one can come out of the system.

✓ SelectFilesPageGUI – This page is used for selecting paths for clients, movies and renting info. Implementation to all methods in ISelectFilesPageGUI is provided by this class.



This page opens as soon as the application starts and the path where each file used for storing data is in this page.

Controller:

The package of controller classes ends with the name controller where an interface has been declared for each of the classes in controller package. Controller has reference to the interfaces of the classes in model as well as view classes. As controllers are responsible for event handling and views for holding UI both follows strategy pattern. Therefore, strategy pattern can be displayed in MVC by separately encapsulating the behaviors of event handling and UI's.

- ✓ SelectFilesController This class holds reference to the IFilePaths which is a model class interface. Events generated by SelectFilesPageGUI view are handled by this class. All the methods of ISelectFilesController are implemented by this class.
- ✓ MovieRentingController This class holds reference to IMovieRentingInfo, IMovie, IClient, IFilePaths which are model classes interfaces. Events generated by DisplayRentMovieHistoryPageGUI, ReturnMoviePageGUI, RentMoviePageGUI are handled by this class. All the methods of IMovieRentingController are implemented by this class.
- ✓ ClientController This class holds interface to IClients and IFilePaths which are model class interfaces. Events generated by SearchClientPageGUI, DisplayClientsPageGUI, DeleteCleintPageGUI and CreateClientPageGUI are handled by this class. All methods of IClientController are implemented by this class.
- ✓ MovieController This class holds interface to IMovie and IFilePaths which are model class interfaces. Events generated by DisplayMoviesPageGUI and AddMoviePageGUI are generated by this class. All methods of IMovieController are implemented by this class.

✓ HomeController — This class holds interface to IMovieRentingInfo, IMovie, IClient and IFilePaths which are model class interfaces. Events generated by HomePageGUI view are handled by this class. All methods of IHomeController are implemented by this class.

Software Used:

- NetBeans IDE
- JDK 1.7 or above
- Jcalendar.jar

File Structure:

As per the requirement three text files are used for storing the data entered into the system.

Clients.txt

This file contains all the information related to the clients their name, ID and the status whether they are active or logically deleted from the system.

name; client id; deleted

if deleted=False, then client is active in the system; if deleted=True then the client is logically deleted.

Example:

Thomas Jefferson; 3; True

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name; client_id; deleted

Abilash Kommareddy; 1; False

Nithisha Boyapati; 2; True

latha boyapati; 3; False

Innareddy Kommareddy; 4; True

Sujatha Kommareddy; 5; False

Srilakshmi Yaram; 6; False

Pujitha Aduri; 7; True
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In the above screen shot it states that the clients under the deleted with False are active and with the flag True are logically deleted (Inactive) from the system.

Movies.txt

This file contains all the information related to movies like the title, ID and its rental status.

movie title; movie id; rented

if rented=False then is not rented currently; if rented=True is rented.

Example:

Altitude; 10; False

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Source
       History
    movie title; movie id; rented
 1
 2
    Bahubali; 10; False
    Taxiwala; 20; False
 3
    Robo; 30; False
 4
 5
    Twlight; 40; False
 6
    Sakhi; 50; False
 7
    Gaganam; 60; False
    Padmavati; 70; True
 8
 9
    Garshana; 80; True
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As available in the above screen shot the ID of a movie starts with 10. The status under rented as False indicated that the movie is not rented or returned and if the status if True that movie is current unavaible to rent as is already rented by some other person for a duration.

Rental_info.txt:

date_out; date_in; client_id; movie_id; rental_id;

date out and date in should be stored in format mm/dd/yyyy

if the movie has not been returned, then date in is empty.

A record is be placed in this file every time a movie is rented, and the record is updated every time when a movie is returned.

Conclusion:

In conclusion, all the requirements for the project in developing Movie Rental Management system have been met. Here in this project each of the model class, view class and controller class contain an interface as a part of compound MVC pattern. The concrete Model class contains a reference to the view interface so that the model and view can interact with each other. The concrete view class is having reference to the controller interface and model interface. The

concrete controller class is also containing a reference to the model interface as well as view class. As per the requirement each time the application starts it will ask the system to choose the file location. The system keeps only one copy of a movie and if the user tries to rent a movie which is currently rented then system tells that movie is not available.