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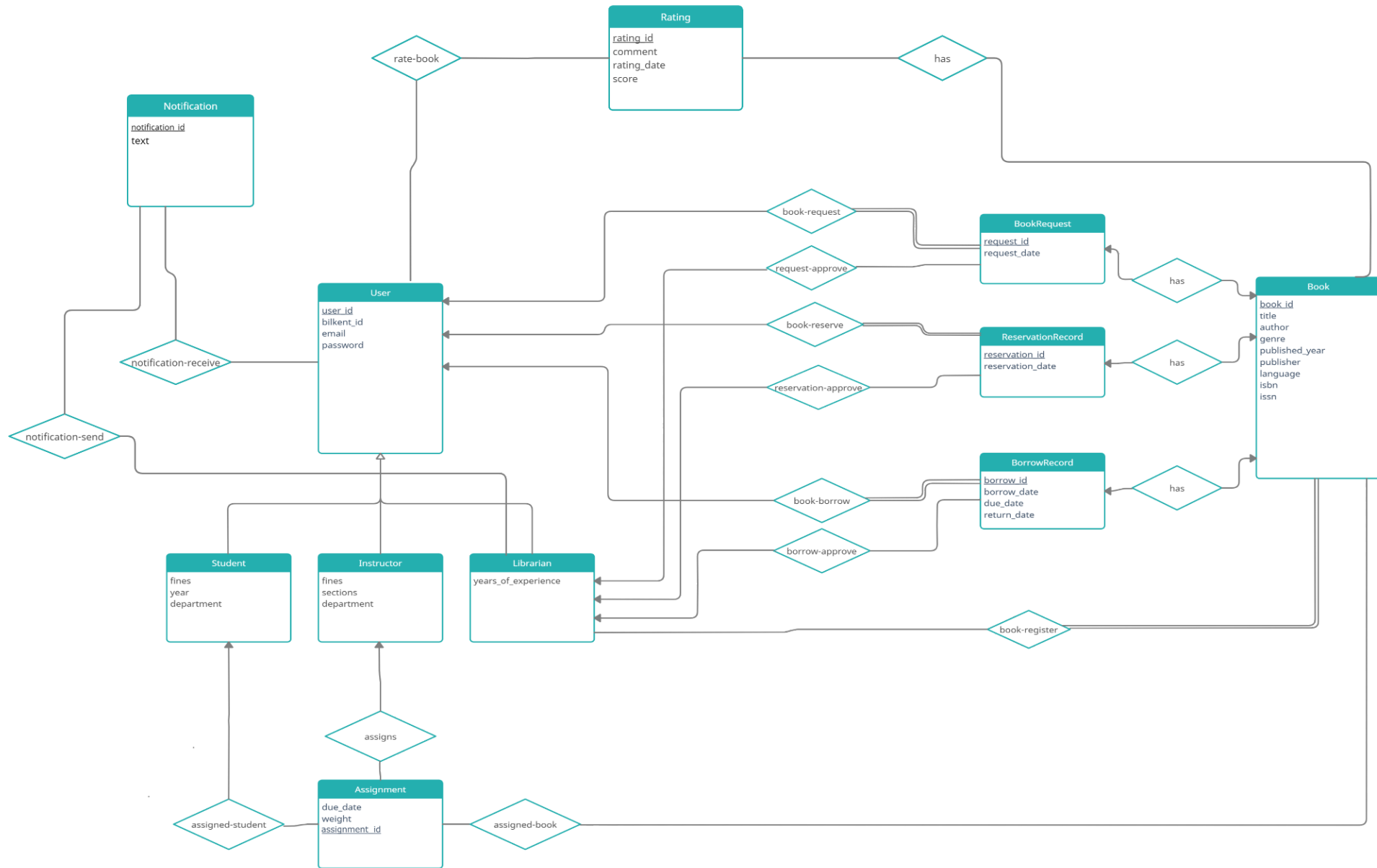
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1. Revised E/R Model

We have made the following changes in our E/R diagram after getting feedback from the teaching assistant:

- Redesigned many of the relationships between entities to reduce unnecessary complexity.
- Reduced the number of ternary relationships and instead converted them into binary relationships with additional entities.
- Added primary keys for several entities that were lacking them such as Notifications.
- Redesigned the assignment system, added the Assignment entity.
- Redesigned the rating system.
- Removed foreign keys from the diagram.
- Converted some relationships into total participation relationships, fixed some other errors with relationships.
- Added missing attributes to some entities such as Students, Instructors, Librarians etc.
- Made the user types disjoint instead of overlapping.
- Removed the view relationship between notifications and users.



2. Table/Relation Schemas

2.1 User

Relational model:

user(user_id, first_name, last_name, bilkent_id, email, password)

Candidate keys:

{ (user_id), (bilkent_id) }

Primary key:

(user_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE user(  
    user_id    char(11) PRIMARY KEY,  
    first_name varchar(20),  
    last_name  varchar(20),  
    bilkent_id char(8),  
    email      varchar(100),  
    password   varchar(100));
```

3NF:

First name, last name, bilkent id, email and password are unique to the user and can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.2 Student

Relational model:

student(user_id, fines, year, department)

Candidate keys:

{ (user_id) }

Primary key:

(user_id)

Foreign keys:

{ (user_id) }

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE student(  
    user_id    char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    fines      double(5, 2),  
    year       int(3),  
    department varchar(50));
```

3NF:

Fines year and department can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.3 Instructor

Relational model:

instructor(user_id, fines, sections, department)

Candidate keys:

{ (user_id) }

Primary key:

(user_id)

Foreign keys:

{ (user_id) }

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE instructor(  
    user_id    char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    fines      double(5, 2),  
    sections   varchar(500),  
    department varchar(50));
```

3NF:

Fines and sections can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.4 Librarian

Relational model:

instructor(user_id, years_of_experience)

Candidate keys:

{ (user_id) }

Primary key:

(user_id)

Foreign keys:

{ (user_id) }

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE instructor(  
    user_id          char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    years_of_experience int(32));
```

3NF:

There are only two attributes. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.5 Book

Relational model:

book(book_id, title, author, genre, published_year, publisher, language, isbn, issn)

Candidate keys:

{ (book_id), (isbn), (issn) }

Primary key:

(book_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book(  
    book_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    title        varchar(500),  
    author       varchar(500),  
    genre        varchar(500),  
    published_year int(32),  
    publisher    varchar(500),  
    language     varchar(500),  
    isbn        varchar(500),  
    issn        varchar(500));
```

3NF:

Title, author, genre, published year, publisher, language, isbn and issn can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.6 Book Request

Relational model:

book_request(request_id, request_date, book_id, requester_id, approver_id)

Candidate keys:

{ (request_id) }

Primary key:

(request_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book_request (  
    request_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    request_date    varchar(10),  
    book_id         varchar(11) references book,  
    requester_id    varchar(11) references user,  
    approver_id     varchar(11) references librarian);
```

3NF:

request date, book id, requester id and approver id can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.7 Reservation Record

Relational model:

book_reservation(reservation_id, reservation_date, book_id, reserver_id, approver_id)

Candidate keys:

{ (reservation_id) }

Primary key:

(reservation_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book_reservation(  
    reservation_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    reservation_date    varchar(10),  
    book_id             varchar(11) references book,  
    reserver_id         varchar(11) references user,  
    approver_id         varchar(11) references librarian);
```

3NF:

reservation date, book id, reserver id and approver id can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.8 Borrow Record

Relational model:

book_borrow(borrow_id, borrow_date, due_date, return_date, book_id, borrower_id, approver_id)

Candidate keys:

{ (borrow_id) }

Primary key:

(borrow_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book_reservation(  
    borrow_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    borrow_date    varchar(10),  
    due_date       varchar(10),  
    return_date    varchar(10),  
    book_id        varchar(11) references book,  
    borrower_id    varchar(11) references user,  
    approver_id    varchar(11) references librarian);
```

3NF:

Borrow date, due date, return date, book id, borrower id and approver id can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.9 Book Rating

Relational model:

book_rating(rating_id, rating_date, book_id, rater_id, score, comment)

Candidate keys:

{ (rating_id) }

Primary key:

(rating_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book_rating(  
    rating_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    rating_date    varchar(10),  
    book_id        varchar(11) references book,  
    rater_id       varchar(11) references user,  
    score          int(32),  
    comment        varchar(5000));
```

3NF:

Rating date, book id, rater id, score and comment can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.10 Notification

Relational model:

notification(notification_id, notification_date, sender_id, receiver_id, text)

Candidate keys:

{ (notification_id) }

Primary key:

(notification_id)

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE book_rating(  
    notification_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    notification_date    varchar(10),  
    sender_id            varchar(11) references librarian,  
    receiver_id          varchar(11) references user,  
    text                 varchar(5000));
```

3NF:

notification date, sender id, receiver id and text can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

2.11 Assignment

Relational model:

assignment(assignment_id, due_date, instructor_id, student_id, assigned_book_id, weight)

Candidate keys:

{ (assignment_id) }

Primary key:

(assignment_id)

Table Definition:

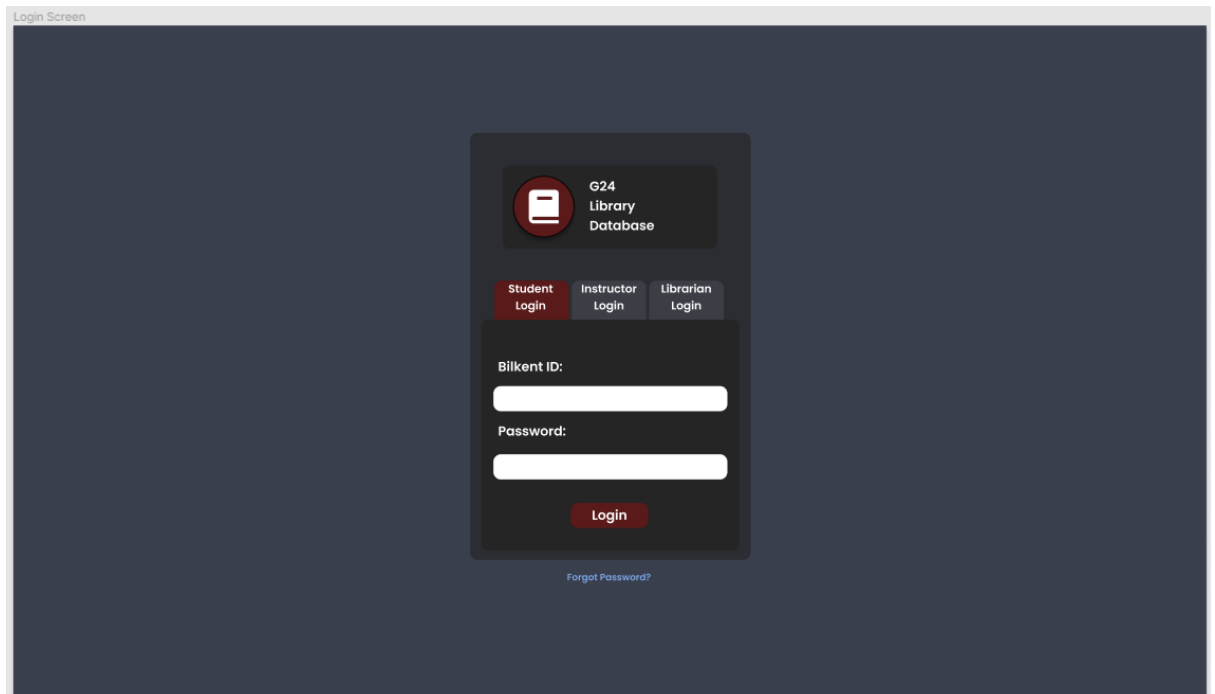
```
CREATE TABLE assignment(  
    assignment_id      char(11) PRIMARY KEY references user,  
    due_date           varchar(10),  
    instructor_id       varchar(11) references instructor,  
    student_id          varchar(11) references student,  
    assigned_book_id    varchar(11) references book,  
    weight              varchar(500));
```

3NF:

Due date, instructor id, student id, assigned book id and weight can not be derived from one another. This relation is in 3NF. All attributes are dependent on the primary key.

3. UI Design and SQL Statements

3.1 Login



SQL Statements

Inputs: @bilkentid, @password

```
SELECT *  
from user  
where bilkent_id= @bilkentid and password = @password;
```


3.2 Register

SQL Statements

Common Inputs: @bilkentid, @password, @email, @generateduserid

First check if a user with the same Bilkent ID or email already exists

```
SELECT *  
from users  
where bilkent_id = @bilkentid or email = @email;
```

If result is empty, continue the registration

```
INSERT into user  
values (@user_id, @bilkent_id, @email, @password);
```

For Student Registration

Specific Inputs: @year, @department

```
INSERT into student  
values (@user_id, 0, @year, @department);
```

For Instructor Registration

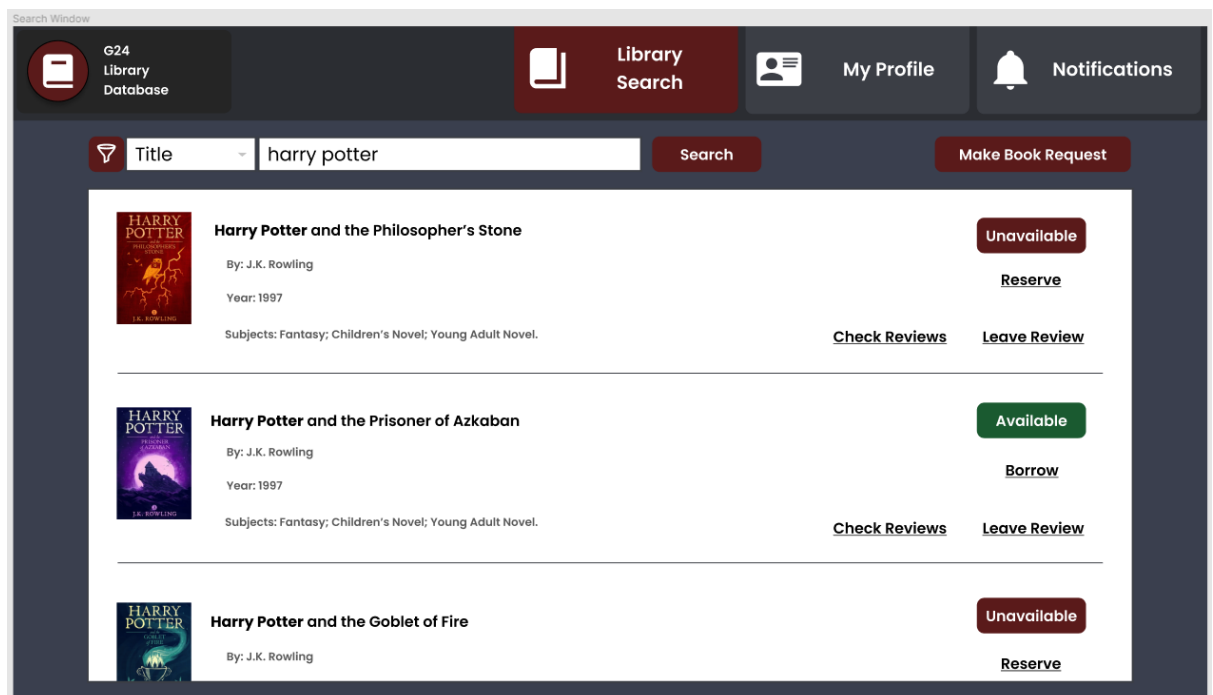
Specific Inputs: @sections, @department

```
INSERT into instructor  
values (@user_id, 0, @sections, @department);
```

For Librarian Registration

```
INSERT into librarian  
values (@user_id, 0);
```

3.3 Search the book by criteria and apply filters

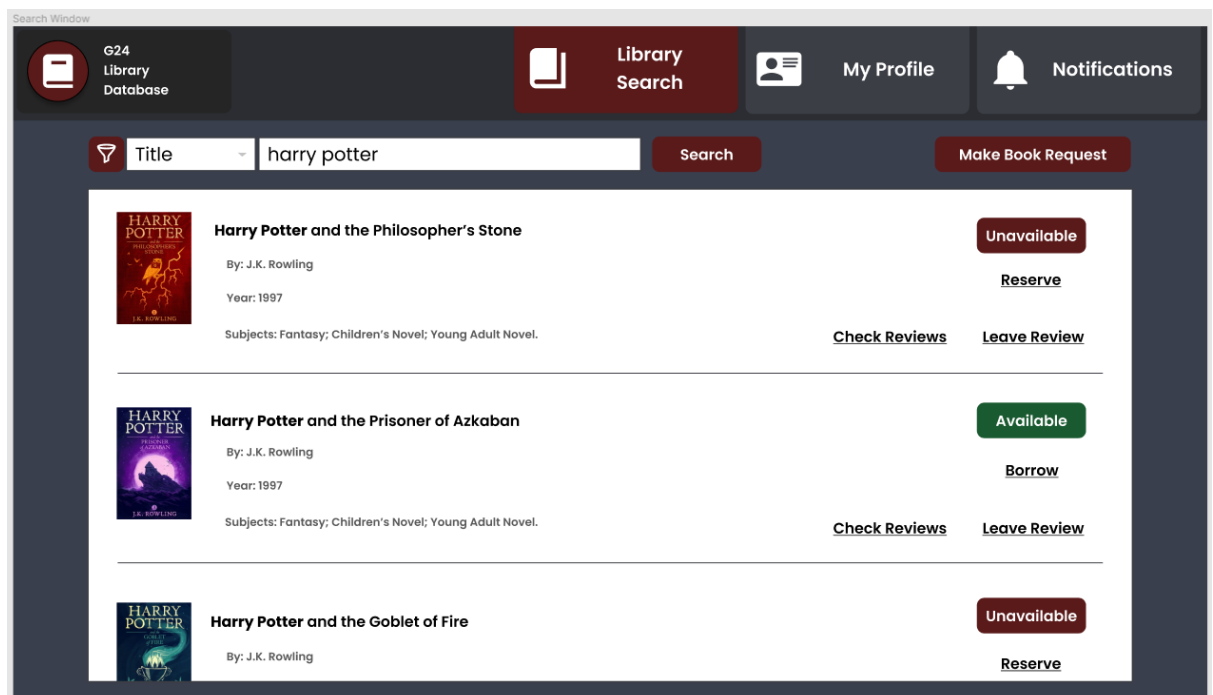


SQL Statements

Inputs (Example): @title, @betweenyear1, @betweenyear2, @author

```
SELECT *  
from book  
where title = @title and year >= @betweenyear1 and year <=  
@betweenyear2 and author = @author;
```

3.4 Select the book and put a hold (send borrow request) (by the user)



The available / unavailable information will be retrieved using the following SQL query:

Inputs: @bookid

```
SELECT *
from book_borrow
where book_id = @bookid and return_date IS NULL and approver_id IS
NOT NULL;
```

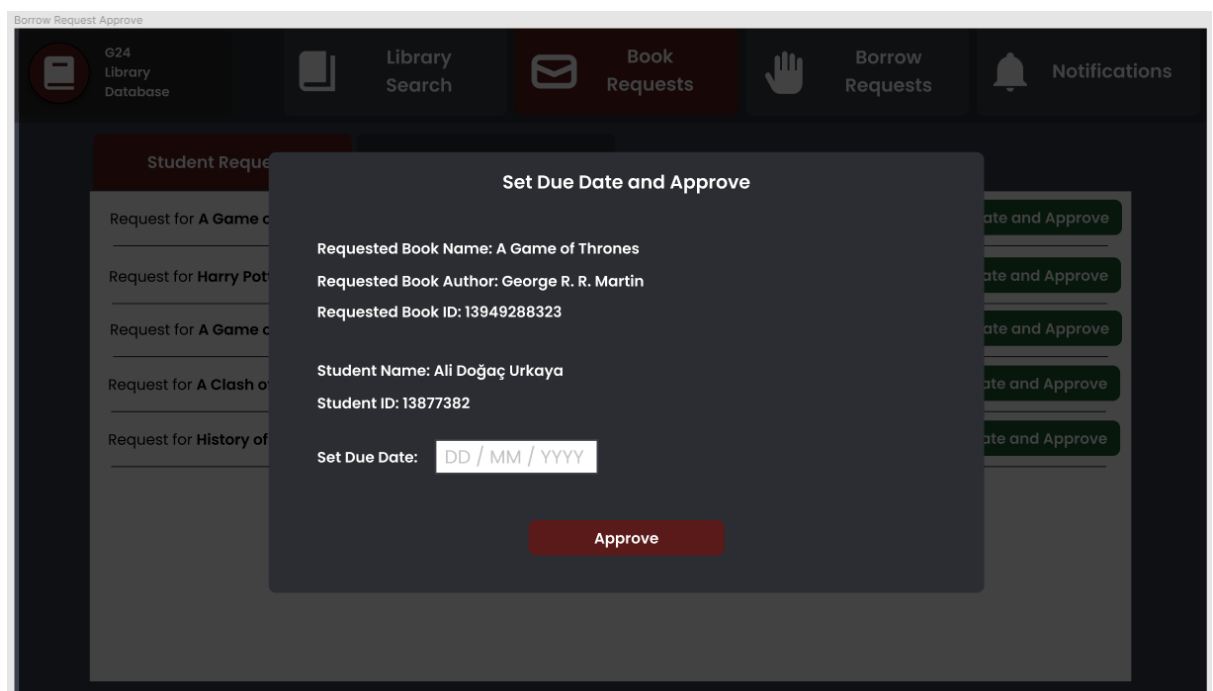
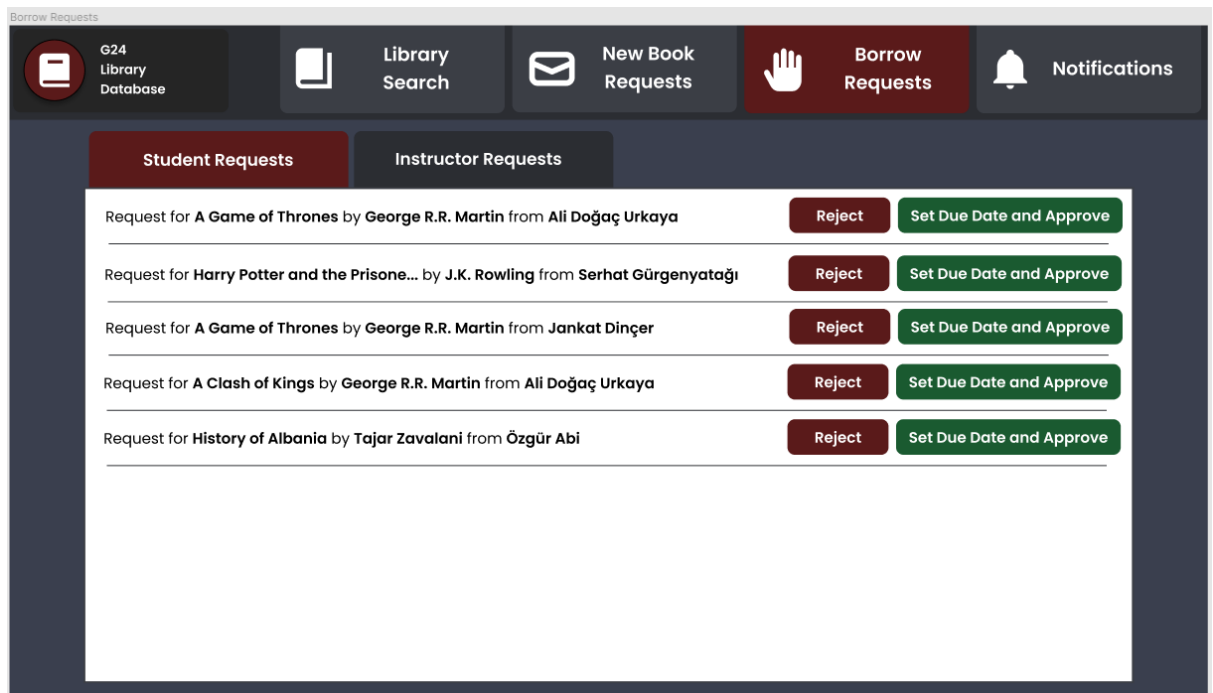
If the result is empty, that means book is available. Otherwise return_date would not be null. When return_date is null and approver_id is not null, it means that a borrow request has been approved and book has not been returned yet.

Then, borrow request will be sent using the following SQL query (Borrow id will be generated):

Inputs: @generatedborrowid, @bookid, @borrowdate, @borrowerid)

```
INSERT into book_borrow
values (@generatedborrowid, @borrowdate, NULL, NULL, @bookid,
@borrowerid, NULL);
```

3.5 Borrow operation (by the librarian)



If librarian approves the borrow request, following SQL query is executed:

Inputs: @bookid, @userid, @duedate, @approverid

```
UPDATE book_borrow
set due_date = @duedate, approver_id = @approverid
where book_id = @bookid and borrower_id = @userid;
```

If the librarian denies the borrow request, following SQL query is executed:

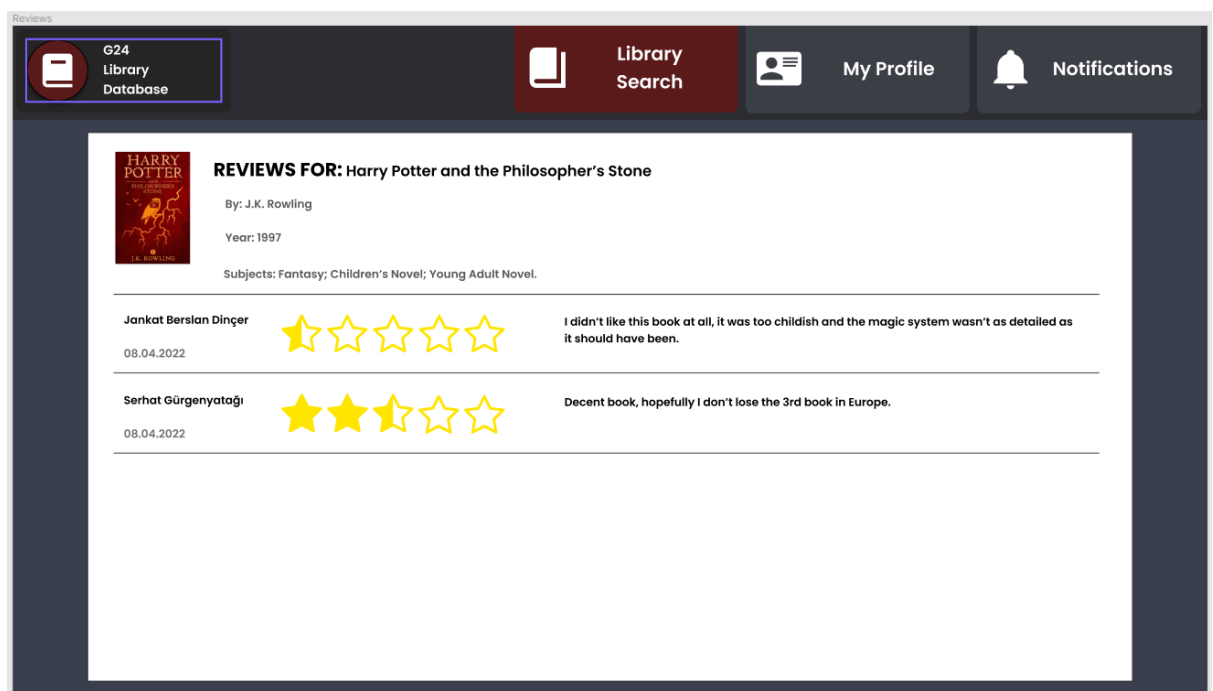
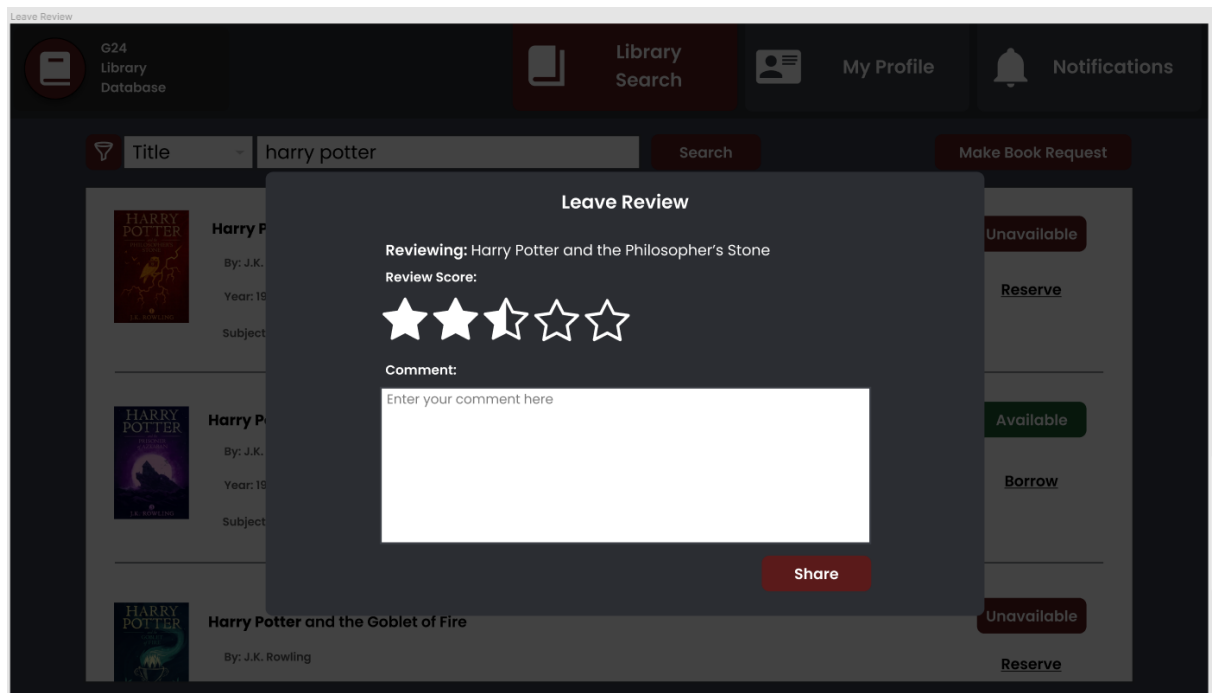
```
DELETE
from book_borrow
where book_id = @bookid and borrower_id = @userid;
```

User's borrowed book list can be retrieved using the following SQL query:

Inputs: @userid

```
SELECT *
from book_borrow
where borrowerid = @userid;
```

3.6 Rate a book (Additional Functional Requirement)



SQL Statements

Inputs: @userid, @bookid, @generatedratingid, @score, @comment, @rating_date

```
INSERT into book_rating
values (@generatedratingid, @rating_date, @bookid, @userid,
@score, @comment)
```