

## Phase 2 Report:

### DB Design:

- Our SQL schema meets the 3rd Normal Form (3NF) with some violations. Here's the justification for each normal form:

1st Normal Form (1NF):

- All tables have a primary key.
- All columns have atomic values (no repeating groups or arrays).

2nd Normal Form (2NF):

- All tables meet 1NF.
- All non-prime attributes (attributes that are not part of the primary key) are fully dependent on the primary key.

3rd Normal Form (3NF):

- All tables meet 2NF.
- All non-prime attributes are non-transitively dependent on the primary key.

There are some violations in the schema where the tables don't completely adhere to the 3NF:

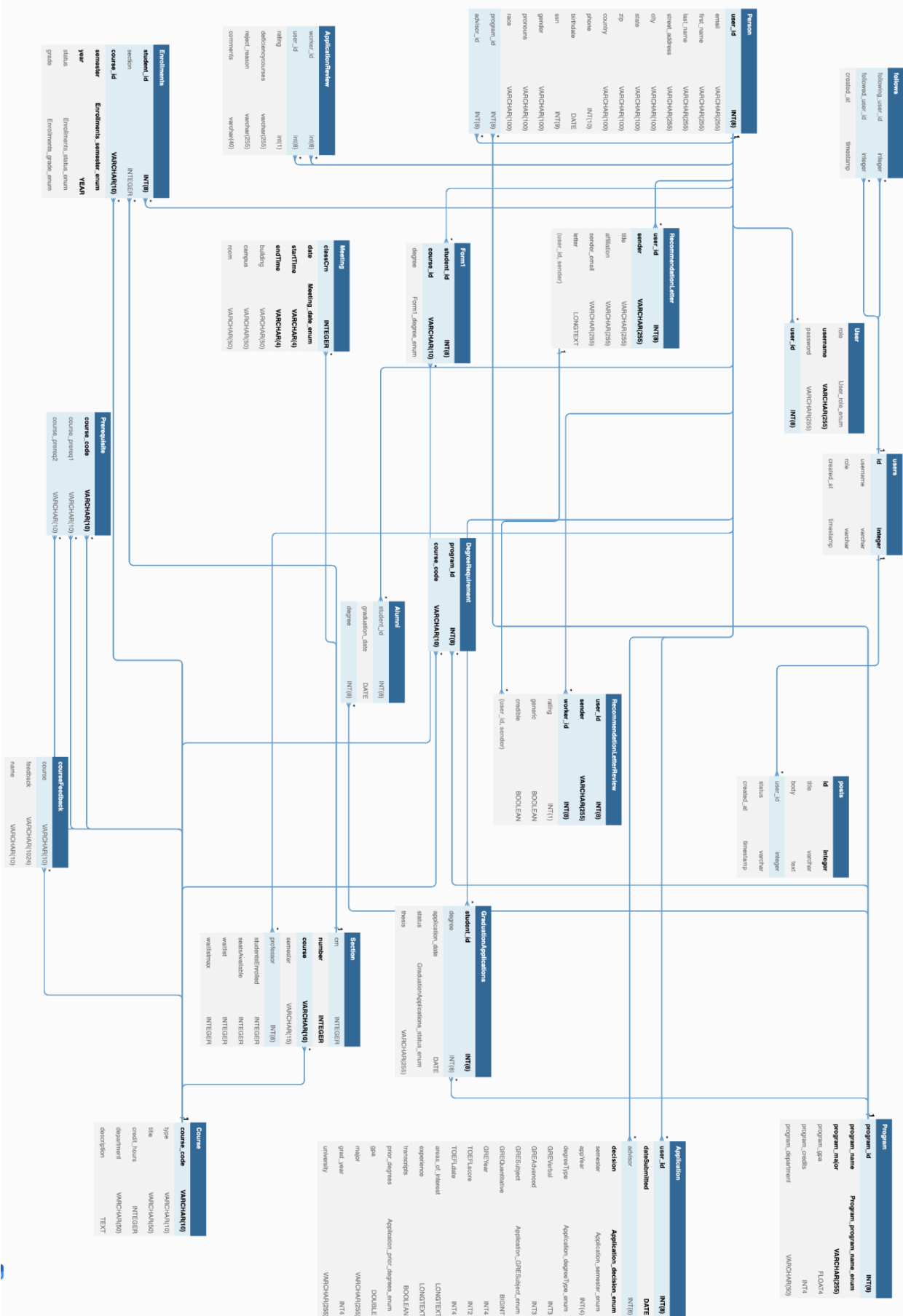
1. In the 'Person' table, the columns 'street\_address', 'city', 'state', 'zip', and 'country' are all attributes of an address, which is not directly related to the primary key 'user\_id'. A separate 'Address' table with a one-to-many relationship to the 'Person' table can be created to normalize this table.
2. In the 'Course' table, the 'department' attribute is not directly related to the primary key 'course\_code'. To resolve this, a separate 'Department' table can be created, and the 'Course' table can have a foreign key reference to the 'Department' table.

By addressing these violations, the schema can be further normalized. However, in its current form, the schema mostly meets the 3rd Normal Form.

### Design Justification:

- We designed our database schema so that the users and their loggins are separate from the user's data in the database. Our Person table maintains the primary key for user\_id that is used throughout the database and then the User table has the user\_id as a foreign key and this table tracks what type of user they are and their loggins. This allows us to have multiple loggins for the same user's set of data. This reason for this is so that when an applicant becomes a student they will be given a new username and password generated by the university to log into their student account and they can still access their application data and status by logging in with their original account they applied to the university with.

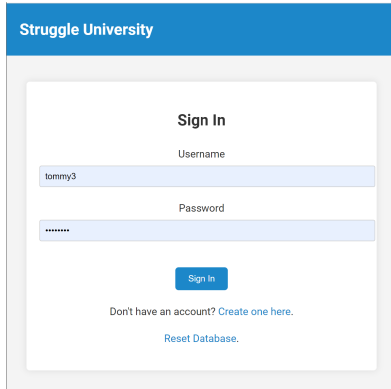
### ER Diagram:



## Visual Overview:

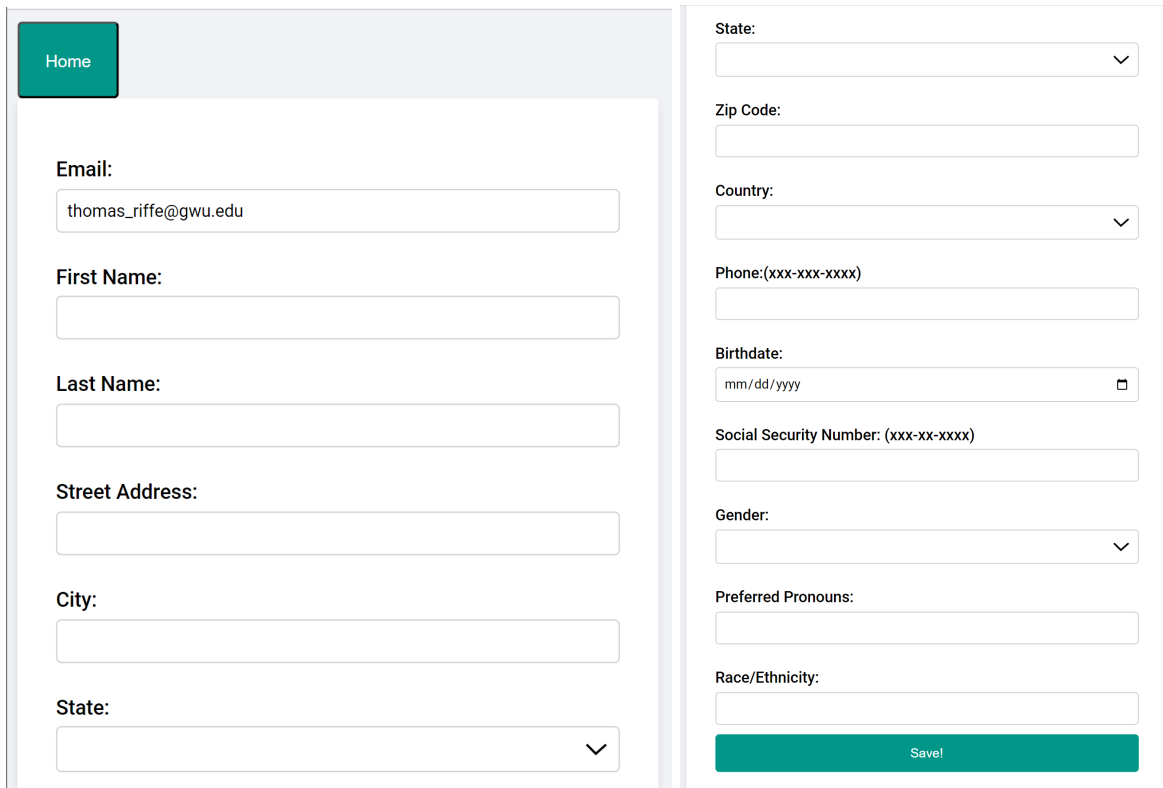
### Apps Visual overview

First an applicant can create an account then log in (login shown)



The image shows a login interface for 'Struggle University'. It features a blue header with the university's name. Below it, a white box contains the 'Sign In' title. There are two input fields: 'Username' with the text 'tommy3' and 'Password' with masked characters. A blue 'Sign In' button is positioned below the password field. At the bottom of the white box, there are two links: 'Don't have an account? Create one here.' and 'Reset Database.'

The applicant is then redirected to the personal information page which they are forced to complete before using any other page in the database. These pictures show the



The image displays a personal information form. On the left, a teal 'Home' button is visible. The form consists of two main columns of input fields. The left column includes fields for 'Email' (pre-filled with 'thomas\_riffe@gwu.edu'), 'First Name', 'Last Name', 'Street Address', 'City', and 'State' (a dropdown menu). The right column includes fields for 'State' (a dropdown menu), 'Zip Code', 'Country' (a dropdown menu), 'Phone' (with a format '(xxx-xxx-xxxx)'), 'Birthdate' (with a format 'mm/dd/yyyy' and a calendar icon), 'Social Security Number' (with a format 'xxx-xx-xxxx'), 'Gender' (a dropdown menu), 'Preferred Pronouns', and 'Race/Ethnicity'. A teal 'Save!' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

After this the applicant can then access their home page which allows them to access the requirements page as well. Both shown below. When the student receives the decision they will be shown the decision along with their advisor on the home page.

Welcome Thomas Riffe, don't get stressed

Application Status: Application not Started

[Requirements](#)
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Current Application Status: Application not Started

[Start Application](#)
[Start Recommendation](#)
[Start Transcript](#)
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Submit Application for Review:

[Submit](#)

Then From the requirements page they can go to the application page. The application page supports the user saving for later and when they return it will repopulate their previous responses. When they click submit it will lock the form so that they can only view their response and they can return to see their previous response at any time.

[Home](#)

Semester Applying For:

Semester: 
Application Year:  Degree Type:

GRE Scores

GRE Verbal Score: 
GRE Quantitive Score: 
GRE Test Year:

GRE Advanced

Subject: 
GRE Advanced Score:

TOEFL scores

TOEFL Score: 
TOEFL Year:

Area of Interest: 
Experience:

Prior Degrees

GPA: 
Major: 
Graduation Year: 
University:

[Save Application](#) [Submit Application](#)

[Requirements](#)

• You cannot submit an application more than once! You are in view only mode.

[Home](#)

Semester Applying For:

Semester:  SPRING
Application Year:  1990 Degree Type:  PhD

GRE Scores

GRE Verbal Score:  130
GRE Quantitive Score:  130
GRE Test Year:  1992

GRE Advanced

Subject:  Chemistry
GRE Advanced Score:  200

TOEFL scores

TOEFL Score:  0
TOEFL Year:  1992

Area of Interest:  fasfas
Experience:  afdas

Prior Degrees

PhD
GPA: 
Major:  Psychology
Graduation Year:  2003
University:  afa

[Save Application](#) [Submit Application](#)

[Requirements](#)

After an application is submitted the user can send out their recommendation letters from the requirements page. The applicant can then type in the Recomenders name to sit

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## Recomendation Letters

### Sent Requests

Send a new request!

<input type="text"/>	Name:
<input type="text"/>	Email:
<input type="text"/>	Title:
<input type="text"/>	Affiliation:
<input type="button" value="Submit"/>	
<input type="button" value="Requirements"/>	

then the applicant can enter the recommender's information and it will 'send' and email to the recommender which just displays a message to the recommender and allows them to enter a recommendation to the user.

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To: TestRec@gmail.com

Hello, TestRecomender

This is an automated recommendation request sent by Thomas Riffe. This student has requested that you fill out a recommendation. You can use the area below to fill out the recommendation.

<input type="button" value="I recommend this student"/>	Recommendation:
<input type="button" value="Submit"/>	

## Recommendation Letters

### Sent Requests

Send a new request!

<input type="text"/>	Name:
<input type="text"/>	Email:
<input type="text"/>	Title:
<input type="text"/>	Affiliation:
<input type="button" value="Submit"/>	
<input type="button" value="Requirements"/>	

The applicant can see the list of people they sent their previous letters to and when they have sent their limit of 3 letters they are no longer able to send anymore.

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## Recommendation Letters

### Sent Requests

- Sender2 -
- testRecomender2 -
- testRecomender5 -

Send a new request!

You have sent the max number of recommendation letter requests.

<input type="button" value="Requirements"/>
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The Application review page changes dynamically based on who is viewing the form so for the reviewer view below which they can only submit reviews of the the recommendation letters and the applicant as a whole.

# Application Review

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UserID:

Applying for: SPRING 1990

Degree type: PhD

**Credentials:**

## GRE Exam

- Year: 1990
- Verbal: 130
- Quantitative: 130

## GRE Advanced

- Score: 200
- Subject: Chemistry

## TOEFL Score:

- Score: 0
- Date: 2008

## Transcript Submission

Recieved Transcript ?

## Prior Degrees:

## Areas of Interest:

## Experience

faffd

## Recomendation letters

Sent to: Sender2 Email: Affiliation:

Letter:

### Add letter rating:

Rating

Generic

Credible

Sent to: testRecomender2 Email: Affiliation:

Letter:

Add letter rating:

Rating

Generic

Credible

Sent to: testRecomender5 Email: Affiliation:

Letter:

Add letter rating:

Rating

Generic

Credible

## Reviews

### Submit Grad Admissions Committee (GAS) Review Rating:

Rating

Deficiency Courses :

GAS Reviewer Comments:

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The GS view shows the reviews and the ability to update the final decision

# Reviews

Reviewer: Narahari

Rating: Reject

Deficiency Courses: Science 1001

Reasons for Reject: Incomplete Record

ReviewerComments: Needs more stem courses

## Final Decision

Decision

Recommended Advisor:

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## Advising Visual Overview:

- Filling out form 1

### Form 1: Program of Study for MS in Computer Science

Please enter the courses you plan to take to earn your MS degree in Computer Science. You must enter at most 12 courses, and your Form 1 must meet the degree requirements.

Univ ID:	<input type="text"/>
Last Name:	<input type="text"/>
First Name:	<input type="text"/>
Degree:	<input type="text" value="MS"/>
Program:	<input type="text" value="Computer Science"/>
Courses In Program:	
Course 1:	<input type="text" value="DEPT/SUBJECT"/>
	<input type="text" value="CourseNumber"/>
	<input type="button" value="Add Course"/>

- Applying to graduate

School Management System

Apply for Graduation

Select your degree:

MS

Select your major:

Computer Science

Submit

- GS Home

Update Advisor

Update Personal Information

Update Graduation Status

Get list of Advisees

Return to home

Logout

Students, Applicants, and Alumni

Search For Students...

Submit

• [Billie Holiday](#)

• [Diana Krall](#)

• [George Harrison](#)

• [James Taylor](#)

• [John Lennon](#)

• [John Coltrane](#)

• [Paul McCartney](#)

• [Ringo Starr](#)

• [Tommy Riffe](#)

• [Thomas Riffe](#)

• [Thomas Riffe](#)

Billie Holiday

New Advisor: 

Advisor id

Submit

Search For Alumni...

Submit

Search For Admitted Studen

Submit

- Assigning an advisor



Update Student Status

ID	Name	Advisor	
88888888	Billie Holiday	N/A	<button>Update</button>
99999999	Diana Krall	N/A	<button>Update</button>
66666666	George Harrison	Gabriel Parmer	<button>Update</button>
83927725	James Taylor	N/A	<button>Update</button>
55555555	Paul McCartney	Bhagi Narahari	<button>Update</button>
74958673	Tommy Riffe	Tim Wood	<button>Update</button>

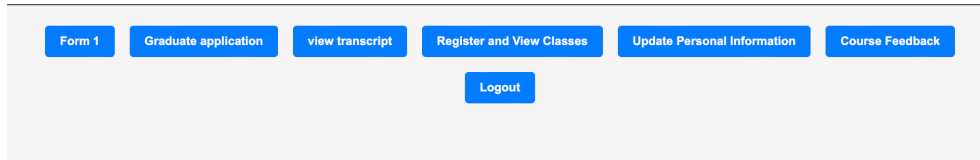
- Approving a graduation request

Update Student Status

ID	Name	Status	
88888888	Billie Holiday	HAS YET TO APPLY	<button>Update</button>
99999999	Diana Krall	HAS YET TO APPLY	<button>Update</button>
66666666	George Harrison	HAS YET TO APPLY	<button>Update</button>
83927725	James Taylor	HAS YET TO APPLY	<button>Update</button>
55555555	Paul McCartney	PENDING	<button>Update</button>
74958673	Tommy Riffe	HAS YET TO APPLY	<button>Update</button>

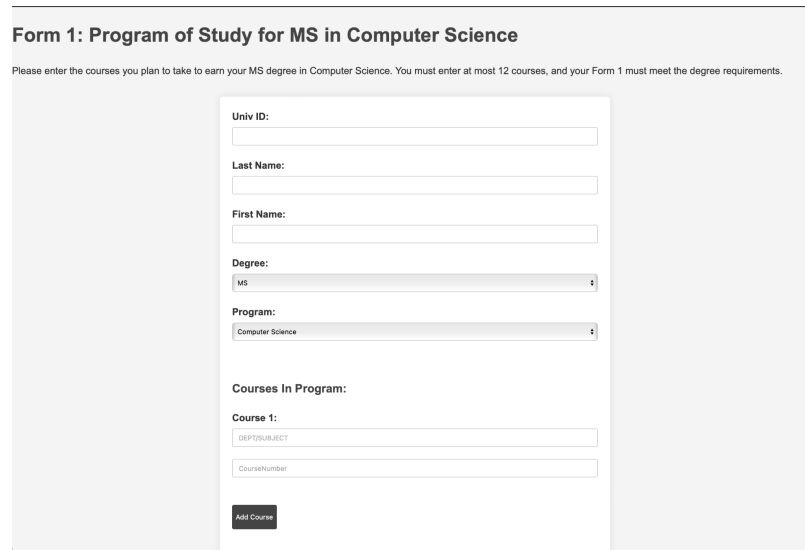
## Registration Visual Overview:

- Once a user gets the status of student they can get access the new student dashboard



A horizontal navigation bar with a light gray background. It contains seven blue buttons with white text: 'Form 1', 'Graduate application', 'view transcript', 'Register and View Classes', 'Update Personal Information', 'Course Feedback', and 'Logout'.

- Once in this new dashboard a student can:
  - Fill out Form 1



**Form 1: Program of Study for MS in Computer Science**

Please enter the courses you plan to take to earn your MS degree in Computer Science. You must enter at most 12 courses, and your Form 1 must meet the degree requirements.

Univ ID:

Last Name:

First Name:

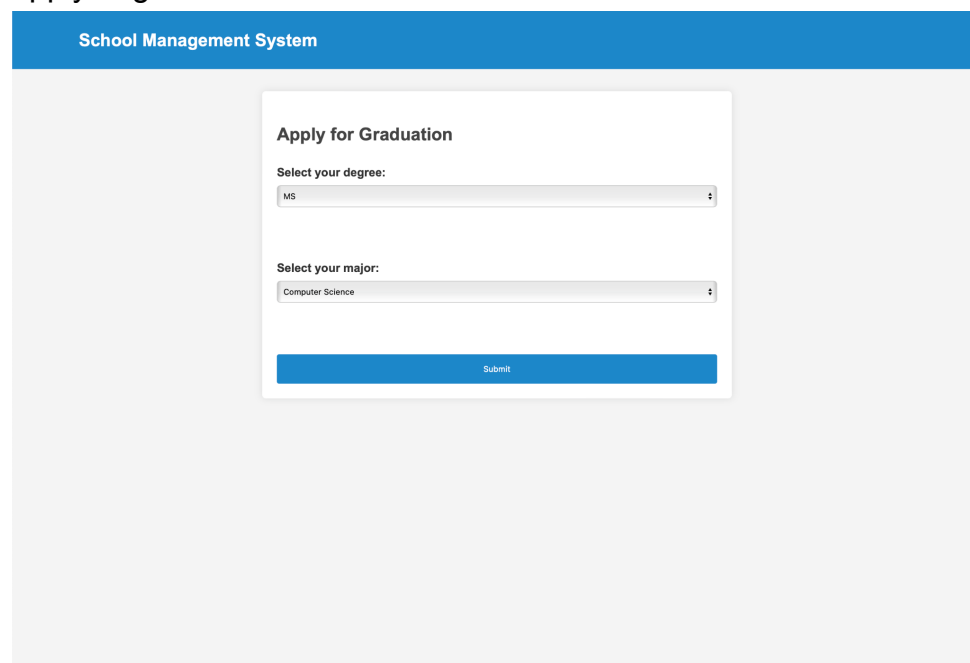
Degree:

Program:

Courses In Program:

Course 1:

- Apply to graduate



**School Management System**

**Apply for Graduation**

Select your degree:

Select your major:

- View transcript

**Course History - look at what your struggles amount to**

Course ID	Year	Status	Grade	Semester
CSCI 6212	2022	FINAL	B+	SPRING
CSCI 6461	2022	IN PROGRESS	B	SPRING

- register/drop courses

## Course List

Show 10 entries

Search:

Subject: ▲	Course Number: ⌵	Section Number: ⌵	Title ⌵	Hours: ⌵	CRN ⌵	Instructor ⌵	Meeting Times ⌵	Status ⌵	Action ⌵
CS	CSCI 6212	1	Algorithms	3	1236	Hyeong-Ah Choi	W: 1500-1730	20 of 25 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6221	1	SW Paradigms	3	1234	Test Faculty	M: 1500-1730	10 of 25 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6232	1	Networks 1	3	1237	Test Faculty	M: 1800-2030	7 of 15 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6233	1	Networks 2	3	1238	Test Faculty	T: 1800-2030	24 of 30 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6241	1	Database 1	3	1239	Test Faculty	W: 1800-2030	5 of 15 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6242	1	Database 2	3	1240	Test Faculty	TR: 1800-2030	17 of 20 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6246	1	Compilers	3	1241	Test Faculty	T: 1500-1730	4 of 15 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6251	1	Cloud Computing	3	1242	Test Faculty	M: 1800-2030	1 of 10 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6254	1	SW Engineering	3	1243	Test Faculty	M: 1530-1800	24 of 30 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>
CS	CSCI 6260	1	Multimedia	3	1244	Test Faculty	TR: 1800-2030	11 of 20 seats taken	<button>Add Class</button>

Showing 1 to 10 of 20 entries


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## Registered Courses

Section ID	Course ID	Course Title	Professor Name	Action
1235	CSCI 6461	Computer Architecture	Bhagi Narahari	<button>Drop Class</button>

### - Submit course feedback

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Select Course to send feedback: CSCI 6212 

Name:

Write Feedback:

Submit

### - Edit personal information

Registration form fields:

- Email: kdsjfh@mail.com
- First Name: Billie
- Last Name: Holiday
- Street Address: sdf
- City: sdf
- State: AL
- Zip Code: 12333
- Country: USA
- Phone: (xxx-xxx-xxxx) 123-233-2133
- Birthdate: 05/09/2023
- Social Security Number: (xxx-xx-xxxx) 123-12-2333
- Gender: Male
- Preferred Pronouns: 123
- Race/Ethnicity: 123
- Save! button

The view for a faculty in regards to the registration portion is a bit different.

- An instructor can view their sections and the feed back for that section

Faculty view components:

- Return to home button
- Logout button
- Your Sections section
- Search For Sections... Submit
- CSCI 6212 Section: 1
- Course Feedback!

- Once they click on their section they can view all students in that section and their current grade

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- Name: [George Harrison](#) ID: 66666666 Grade: B
- Name: [Tommy Riffe](#) ID: 74958673 Grade: B+
- Name: [James Taylor](#) ID: 83927725 Grade: A
- Name: [Billie Holiday](#) ID: 88888888 Grade: B+

- When they click on a student they can update the students grades that are not final.

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## Student Transcript

**Name: James Taylor**

**GPA: 3.3333333333333335**

CRN: Course Name: Algorithms Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: SW Paradigms Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Networks 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: B

CRN: Course Name: Networks 2 Semester: SPRING Grade: C

CRN: Course Name: Database 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: B

CRN: Course Name: Database 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: IP

CRN: Course Name: Database 2 Semester: SPRING Grade: C

CRN: Course Name: Compilers Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Multimedia Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Computer Architecture Semester: SPRING Grade: A

A GS and admin have similar views, but they can change a student's grades for any class even after it has been marked as final.

- gs/admin grade change view

[Logout](#) [Return to Dashboard](#)

## Student Transcript

**Name: James Taylor**

**Advisor ID: None**

**GPA: 3.3333333333333335**

CRN: Course Name: Algorithms Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: SW Paradigms Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Networks 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: B

CRN: Course Name: Networks 2 Semester: SPRING Grade: C

CRN: Course Name: Database 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: B

CRN: Course Name: Database 1 Semester: SPRING Grade: IP

CRN: Course Name: Database 2 Semester: SPRING Grade: C

CRN: Course Name: Compilers Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Multimedia Semester: SPRING Grade: A

CRN: Course Name: Computer Architecture Semester: SPRING Grade: A

**Special Features:**

- For the registration page the table of classes can be sorted by each column(course title, section, crn, etc.), and a search bar allows you to search any attribute of a class and the results are updated live in the table without having to reload the page.
- A course feedback feature allows all students to submit feedback to a specific course, then the respective instructor can sign in and view all the feedback for their class. Feedback can be submitted anonymously or not.
- Application forms can be saved mid-way and edited at a later time with all the information saved. After an application is submitted a user can only access the application in view mode.

**Work Breakdown:**

- In the beginning each member fixed any unresolved issues from phase 1.
- The schema was done by all three members with each member giving their input and required tables.
- Each member worked on their own part from phase 1, and when integration between parts were necessary the respective members would collaborate and split the work between them.
- Applications html pages were done by Tommy, advising pages done by Brandon, and Registration pages done by Seeam. Dashboards were a collaborative effort since it required links from different parts.
- Styling was done by Brandon.
- The extra features were done by Seeam.
- And helper functions (in sql\_connector.py) were done by Tommy and Brandon