Minutes of the First Client Meeting

Team 05 Yiwei Zhang, Lei Jin, Shuchen Wu, Yen You Chew Monday 7th March 2022

Note taking for the meeting: Shuchen Wu

1 Time and Place

The first client meeting for the Master of Computing & Innovation Group Project was held in Hub central, Level 3, Room 3032 for Group 5 members, and held online with the client at 13:30pm on Monday 7th March 2022.

2 Quorum Announcement

It is announced that a quorum of the group was present, and that the meeting, having been duly convened, was ready to proceed with its business.

3 Individual student Introduction

Shuchen wu:

Shuchen has a design background, specialised in user experience and user interface design.

Yen You Chew:

Yen You has project experience in doing the back end of a website.

Yiwei Zhang

Yiwei is familiar with Flask in python, API design, database design, so he will mostly focus on the back end programming.

Lei Jini:

Lei has 3-year working experience as a business intelligence engineer in IBM. He is familiar with the big data area, and can be supportive of mining big data algorithms.

4 Closer view on the project

Data of this project: de-identified computer science data of record of student progress and grade in certain subjects. The interesting part of this project is the what if; for example, if a student is finishing some courses in a particular order, what if he does them in a different order based on the record data.

Expectation:

- 1. Can the system tell which of the courses is more likely to lead on to a fail.
- 2. What is the relation between the performance of the prerequisites courses and dependence courses
- 3. Analyse data to see whether the prerequisites are valid based on the performance.
- 4. What is the usual pathway to learn computer science
- 5. Present the information is a useful way which can be interactive

- 6. Separate the group base on the degree students are doing
- 7. Does the dependency from one course to another guarantee a better performance?
- 8. Open for ideas that people never think of

5 Q & A

Q1: Lei Jin

Does the course dependency include in the given data?

A1: Nick Yes

Q1: Lei Jin

Is it a website where students can click on the information and it will show the user a graph?

A1: Nick

Yes, for example, for the question of whether the prerequisites make a difference to overall performance, you can show the user as a graph.

6 Prepare for the next meeting

6.1 Think about how to store the data

6.2 A overall plan: role presentation, the analyst, the data structure, storage, building a prototype

6.3 project management would be a rapid prototyping approach

7 Time for the meetings

Next meeting will be held in Tuesday 15th March 12:00 PM (only for week 3) Other client meeting will be held on Monday 1:30 PM