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1. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

We aim to create a course enrollment system similar to STARS system of Bilkent University. The system will let students enroll for courses, see available sections, courses and instructors. It will also let instructors offer courses. Students, instructors, courses, lecture hours will be stored in the database and the system will work by manipulating this database.

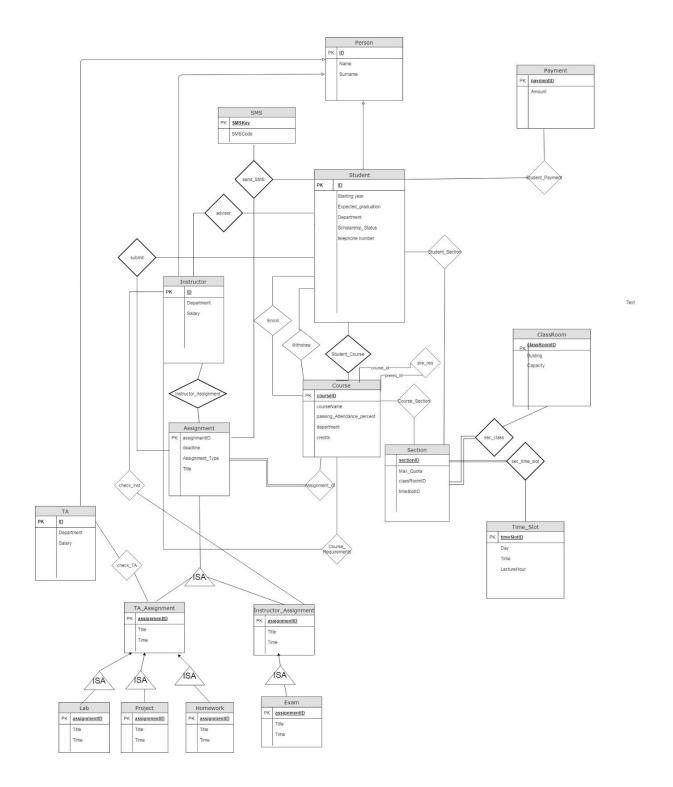
2. REVISED E/R MODEL

2.1. Changes Made to The Model

- Payments attribute was deleted from the student table. A new table called 'Payment' was made and a new relation Student_Payment was created. This relation holds every payment made by a particular student.
- 'Teaches relation was renamed to Instructor_Course'.
- passingGrade, passingAttendancePercentage attributes were removed from the Course table. A new relation called 'Course_Requirements' was created. This relation holds the passing grade, min FZ grades, letter grades and minimum passing attendance for each course. This relation is also connected to the instructor since the instructor defines the passing and FZ grades.
- Classroom table had 2 primary keys, that was fixed.
- Schedule of the student is held in Student_Section relation. An update to the
 schedule also updates the Student_Course relation where all the curriculum of the
 student is held. It updates the currentlyTaking boolean to true when a course is
 added to the schedule, and to false when a course is removed.
- TA_Assignment entities and Instructor_Assignment entities are added; because instructors and TA(also added in the revised diagram)'s have to check different

- types of assignments. Also check_inst and check_TA relationships are added for that purpose.
- Person entity is added and note that TA's, Instructor's and Student's are Person
 and therefore we deleted the attributes name, surname from all 3 subentities of
 Person. These 3 subentities are taking name and surname as a foreign key from
 Person.

2.2. Updated E/R Diagram



3. Relational Schemas

3.1. STUDENT entity

Relational Model:

```
STUDENT(<u>ID</u>, starting_year, expected_graduation, department, scholarship_status, payments, curriculum, GPA, telephone_number, password, current_login_at, last_login_at, gender, birth_date)
```

Functional Dependencies:

```
ID -> password
```

Candidate Keys:

```
{ (ID, telephone_number) }
```

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE student
(
      ID
                   UNIQUE numeric(8,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,
      name varchar(20),
      surname varchar(20),
      starting_year
                          date,
      expected_graduationdate,
                          varchar(32) NOT NULL,
      department
      scholarship_status varchar(32),
      GPA
                          numeric(1,2),
      telephone_number numeric(11,0),
      password
                          varchar(32),
```

```
current_login_at datetime,
last_login_at datetime,
gender boolean,
birth_date date,
PRIMARY KEY(ID),
FOREIGN KEY (name) REFERENCES Person(name),
FOREIGN KEY (surname) REFERENCES Person(surname)
);
```

3.2 Course entity

Relational Model:

Course(courseName, passingAttendance_percent, credits)

Functional Dependencies:

courseID → courseName

Candidate Keys:

{courseID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Course(
```

```
courseID numeric(4,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,
passing_Attendance_percent numeric varchar(2),
department varchar(4),
courseName varchar(32),
PRIMARY KEY(courseID));
```

3.3 Student_Course Relation

Relational Model:

```
Student_Course(<u>ID</u>, <u>courseID</u>)

FOREIGN KEY (ID) references Student(ID)

FOREIGN KEY (courseID) references Course(courseID)
```

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, courseID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Student_Course(

ID numeric(8,0),

courseID numeric(4,0),

FOREIGN KEY (ID) references Student(ID),

FOREIGN KEY (courseID) references Course(courseID) );
```

3.4. Course_Requirements Relation

Relational Model:

Course_Requirements(courseID, ID, passingGrade, minAttendance)
FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course(courseID)
FOREIGN KEY ID references Student(ID)

Functional Dependencies:

```
courseID → passingGrade courseID → minAttendance
```

Candidate Keys:

{courseID, ID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE Course_Requirements(

```
courseID numeric(4,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,
```

ID numeric(8,0),

passingGrade numeric(1,2),

minAttendance numeric(1,2),

FOREIGN KEY(courseID) REFERENCES Course(courseID),

FOREIGN KEY(ID) REFERENCES Student(ID));

3.5 check_TA Relation

Designer Comment: A TA can check special types of assignments that are labs, projects and homeworks that are TA_assignments.

Relational Model:

check_TA (ID, assignmentID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, assignmentID}

```
Normal Form:
BCNF
Table Definition:
CREATE TABLE check_TA
       ID
                     numeric (8,0),
      assignmentID
                           numeric (6,0)),
       PRIMARY KEY(ID, assignmentID),
       FOREIGN KEY (ID) REFERENCES Instructor(ID),
       FOREIGN KEY (assignmentID) REFERENCES Assignment(assignmentIID));
3.6 check_inst Relation
Designer Comment: An instruct
or can check a special type of assignment that is exam that is a instructor assignment.
Relational Model:
check_inst (ID, assignmentID)
Functional Dependencies:
None
Candidate Keys:
{ID, assignmentID}
Normal Form:
BCNF
Table Definition:
CREATE TABLE check_inst
       ID
                     numeric (8,0),
```

numeric (6,0))

assignmentID

```
PRIMARY KEY(ID, assignmentID),

FOREIGN KEY (ID) REFERENCES Instructor(ID),

FOREIGN KEY (assignmentID) REFERENCES Assignment(assignmentID) );
```

3.7. Instructor_Assignment Relation

Designer comment:

This relation only exists do indicate which instructor has read this assignment. This information is useful when there are objections to a grade.

Relational Model:

Instructor_Assignment(ID, assignmentID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, assignmentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Instructor_Assignment

(

ID numeric (8,0),

assignmentID numeric (6,0)),

PRIMARY KEY(ID, assignmentID),

FOREIGN KEY (ID) REFERENCES Instructor(ID),

FOREIGN KEY (assignmentID) REFERENCES Assignment(assignmentID) );
```

3.8. Classroom entity

Relational Model:

Classroom(<u>classRoomID</u>, Building, Capacity)

Functional Dependencies:

classRoomID → capacity

Candidate Keys:

{classRoomID, building}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE Classroom(

classRoomID numeric(3,0),

Building varchar(20),

Capacity numeric(3,0),

PRIMARY KEY(classRoomID));

3.9. Section entity

Relational Model:

 $Section(\underline{courseID}, \underline{sectionID}, \underline{Max_Quota}, \underline{ClassRoomID}, \underline{Time_SlotID})$

foreign key courseID references Course(courseID)

Functional Dependencies:

courseID → Max_Quota

Candidate Keys:

{courseID, sectionID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

3.10. Enroll relation

Relational Model:

enroll(ID, courseID)

foreign key ID references Student(ID)

foreign key courseID references Course(courseID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, courseID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE enroll(

ID numeric(8,0),

courseID numeric(4,0),
```

FOREIGN KEY ID references Student,
FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course);

3.11. sec_Class relation

Relational Model:

```
sec_class(sectionID, classRoomID)
```

Foreign Key classRoomID references ClassRoom(classRoomID)

Foreign Key sectionID references Section(sectionID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{sectionID, classRoomID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE sec_class(
```

timeSlotID DATETIME,

classRoomID varchar(10),

FOREIGN KEY timeSlotID references Time_Slot,

FOREIGN KEY classRoomID references ClassRoom);

3.12. Time_Slot entity

Relational Model:

Time_Slot(<u>timeSlotID</u>, Day, Time, LectureHour)

Functional Dependencies:	
None	
Candidate Keys:	
{timeSlotID}	
Normal Form:	
BCNF	
Table Definition:	
CREATE TABLE Time_Slot(
timeslotID numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT	
Day DATETIME,	
Time DATETIME,	
LectureHour DATETIME,	
PRIMARY KEY(timeSlotID));	
3.13. sec_time_slot relation	
Relational Model:	
sec_time_slot(sectionID, timeSlotID)	
Functional Dependencies:	
None	
Candidate Keys:	
{sectionID, timeSlotID}	
Normal Form:	
BCNF	
Table Definition:	

CREATE TABLE sec_time_slot(

```
sectionID varchar(2),
timeSlotID DATE,
FOREIGN KEY(section_ID) REFERENCES Section,
FOREIGN KEY(timeSlotID) REFERENCES Time_Slot);
```

3.14. prereq relation

Relational Model:

prereq(courseID,prereqID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{courseID, prereqID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE prereq(
courseID numeric(4,0),
prereqID numeric(4,0),
FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course(courseID),
FOREIGN KEY prereqID references Course(courseID);
```

3.15. Instructor entity

Relational Model:

Instructor(<u>ID</u>, department, salary)

Functional Dependencies:

ID -> name, surname, department, salary

Candidate Keys:

{ID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Instructor(
```

ID numeric(8,0),

name varchar(20),

surname varchar(20),

department varchar(100),

salary INT,

PRIMARY KEY (ID),

FOREIGN KEY name REFERENCES Person(name),

FOREIGN KEY surname REFERENCES Person(surname));

3.16. TA entity

Relational Model:

TA(<u>ID</u>, department, salary)

Functional Dependencies:

ID → name, surname, department, salary

Candidate Keys:

{ID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE TA(

ID numeric(8,0),

name varchar(30),

surname varchar(30),

department varchar(100),

salary INT,

PRIMARY KEY (ID),

FOREIGN KEY name REFERENCES Person(name),

FOREIGN KEY surname REFERENCES Person(surname));

3.17. SMS entity

Relational Model:

SMS(SmsKey, SMS_Code)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{SmsKey}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE SmsKey(
```

SMSKey numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,

SMS_code INT,

PRIMARY KEY(SMSKey));

3.18. TA_Assignment entity

Relational Model:

TA_Assignment(<u>assignmentID</u>, Title, Time)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ (assignmentID) }

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE TA_Assignment(

assignmentID numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,

Title varchar(32),

Time DATE,

PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID));

3.19. Instructor_Assignment entity

Relational Model:

Instructor_Assignment(<u>assignmentID</u>, Title, Time)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{assignmentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE Instructor_Assignment(

assignmentID numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,

Title varchar(32),

Time DATE,

PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID));

3.20. Lab entity

Relational Model:

Lab(<u>assignmentID</u>, Title, Time)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:	
{assignmentID}	
Normal Form:	
BCNF	
Table Definition:	
CREATE TABLE Lab(
assignmentID	numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,
Title	varchar(32),
Time [DATE,
PRIMARY KEY(a	ssignmentID));
3.21. Project entity	
Relational Model:	
Project(<u>assignmentID</u> ,	. Title. Time)
, (<u></u>)	,
Functional Dependen	ncies:
None	
Candidate Keys:	
{assignmentID}	
Normal Form:	
BCNF	
Table Definition:	
CREATE TABLE Project	:(
assignmentID	numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,

Title varchar(32), Time DATE, PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID)); 3.22. Homework entity **Relational Model:** Homework(<u>assignmentID</u>, Title, Time) **Functional Dependencies:** None **Candidate Keys:** {assignmentID} **Normal Form: BCNF Table Definition:** CREATE TABLE Homework(assignmentID numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT, Title varchar(32), DATE, Time PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID));

3.23. advisor relation

Relational Model:

advisor(ID, StudentID,)

BCNF

Functional Dependencies:
None
Candidate Keys:
{ID, StudentID}
Normal Form:
BCNF
Table Definition:
CREATE TABLE advisor(
ID numeric(8,0),
StudentID numeric(8,0),
FOREIGN KEY StudentID references Student(ID),
FOREIGN KEY ID references Instructor(ID));
3.24. send_SMS relation
Relational Model:
send_SMS(<u>SMSKey</u> , ID, assignmentID)
Functional Dependencies:
None
Candidate Keys:
{SMSKey, ID, assignmentID}
Normal Form:

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE send_SMS(

SMSKey numeric(6,0),

ID numeric(8,0),

assigmentID numeric(6,0),

FOREIGN KEY SMSKey references SMS,

FOREIGN KEY ID references Student,

FOREIGN KEY assignmentID references Assignment);

3.25. Assignment entity

Designer Comment: AssignmentID won't consist of only 1 numeric character so that it can be a primary key. Also Assignment_Type can be one of TA_Assignment like lab, project, homework or one of Instructor Assignment like exam.

Relational Model:

Assignment(assignmentID, deadline, Assignment_Type, Title)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{assignmentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE Assignment(

assignmentID numeric(6,0),

courseID numeric(4,0),

deadline DATETIME,

```
Assignment_Type varchar(25),
PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID),
FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course);
```

3.26. Withdraw relation

Relational Model:

Withdraw(<u>ID</u>, <u>courseID</u>)
foreign key ID references Student(ID)
foreign key courseID references Course(courseID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, courseID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Withdraw(
```

ID numeric(8,0),

courseID numeric(4,0),

FOREIGN KEY ID references Student,

FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course);

3.27. submit relation

Relational Model:

submit(ID, assignmentID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, assignmentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

CREATE TABLE submit(

ID numeric(8,0),

assignmentID numeric(6,0),

FOREIGN KEY ID references Student

FOREIGN KEY assignmentID references Assignment);

3.28. Student_Section Relation

Relational Model:

Student_Section (courseID, sectionID)

foreign key ID references Student(ID)

foreign key sectionID references Section(sectionID)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys: {ID, sectionID} **Normal Form: BCNF Table Definition:** CREATE TABLE Student_Section(ID numeric(8,0), sectionID numeric(2,0), FOREIGN KEY ID references Student, FOREIGN KEY sectionID references Section); 3.29. Assignment_of Relation **Relational Model:** Assignment_of(courseID, assignmentID) **Functional Dependencies:** None **Candidate Keys:** {courseID, assignmentID} **Normal Form: BCNF Table Definition:** CREATE TABLE Assignment_of(

numeric(4,0),

courseID

```
assignmentID numeric(6,0),

FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course,

FOREIGN KEY assignmentID references Assignment);
```

3.30. Exam entity

Relational Model:

Exam(<u>assignmentID</u>, Title, Time)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{assignmentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Exam(
```

assignmentID numeric(6,0) AUTO_INCREMENT,

Title varchar(32),

Time DATE,

PRIMARY KEY(assignmentID));

3.31. Course_Section relation

Relational Model:

Course_Section(courseID, sectionID)

Foreign Key courseID references Course(courseID)

Foreign Key sectionID references Section(sectionID)

BCNF

Functional Dependencies:
None
Candidate Keys:
{sectionID, courseID}
Normal Form:
BCNF
Table Definition:
CREATE TABLE Course_Section(
courseID varchar(3),
sectionID varchar(2),
FOREIGN KEY courseID references Course,
FOREIGN KEY sectionID references Section);
3.32. Person
Relational Model:
Person(<u>ID</u> , name, surname)
Functional Dependencies:
None
Candidate Keys:
{ID}
Normal Form:

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Person(

ID numeric(8,0),

name varchar(20),

surname varchar(20));
```

3.33. Payment entity

Relational Model:

Payment(paymentID, amount)

Functional Dependencies:

None

Candidate Keys:

{paymentID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Payment(
    paymentID numeric(10,0),
    amount INT);
```

3.34. Student_Payment relation

Relational Model:

Student_Payment(paymentID, ID)

Functional Dependencies: None **Candidate Keys:** {paymentID, ID} **Normal Form: BCNF Table Definition:** CREATE TABLE Student_Payment(ID numeric(8,0), paymentID numeric(10, 0), FOREIGN KEY (ID) REFERENCES Student, FOREIGN KEY (paymentID) REFERENCES Payment); 3.35. Instructor_Course Relation **Relational Model:** Instructor_Course(<u>ID</u>, course<u>ID</u>) **Functional Dependencies:** None

Candidate Keys:

{ID, courseID}

Normal Form:

BCNF

Table Definition:

```
CREATE TABLE Instructor_Course

(

ID numeric (8,0),

courseID numeric (4,0)),

PRIMARY KEY(ID, courseID),

FOREIGN KEY (ID) REFERENCES Instructor(ID),

FOREIGN KEY (courseID) REFERENCES Assignment(courseID) );
```

4. FUNCTIONAL COMPONENTS

4.1. USE CASES/SCENARIOS

Students

Students are able to:

- Log in to the accounts created for them.
- Add, change or drop courses.
- Make payments for certain services.
- View their grades and attendances for the courses they are taking.
- See the upcoming exams and the time left.
- See and compare offerings which are sent from relevant professionals.

Instructor

Instructors are able to:

- Log in to the accounts created for them.
- Grade exams and assignments of students and courses they are responsible of.

4.2. ALGORITHMS

Course Registration

Students cannot register to the courses if they have not passed the prerequisite courses. The system will only offer the option to add a course if the student is eligible to it. In order to add a course, the student needs to choose a section. A section can only be taken by as many students as the capacity of that section's classroom. Even if there are free seats available, students can still not register to the course if the section's timeslot conflicts with the student's schedule, unless the student is trying to change sections and the conflict is with the section that is to be dropped at the end of the change. A student can have no more that one section of the same course concurrently. Students can drop all courses they have added.

4.3. DATA STRUCTURES

In the database, relational schemas are created using three types of variables.

These are numeric types, text types and date.

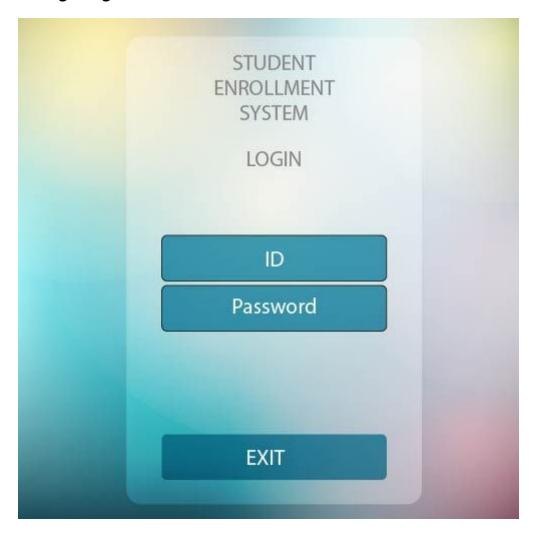
Numeric types are used for keeping numeric data such as IDs, cost etc.. Numeric types are created as INT as standard numeric type.

Information that require text types such as name, city names, passwords etc., are created as VARCHAR as standard.

Information that require date types such as login date, start date etc., are created as DATE and DATETIME as standard.

5. User Interface Design and Corresponding SQL Statements

5.1 Login Page



Inputs: @ID, @password

Process:

Users trying to access the program are greeted with the log-in page. Entering a valid ID and a matching password logs the person in to their account.

SQL Statement:

SELECT *

FROM Person

WHERE ID = @ID AND password = @password;

Select Section The Brown The Bird Sur Burn of Colors HAT 1515 (Sur Burn 1515) 0.40 AN 0.40.44 COLDUS HATE LOUD AC 1101 2 -1:40 AH .1:-0 FF 1940 194 0.40,99 6,410,94 A11: 14 **MATH 101** Section 2 Section 4 Instructor: Hamide Duyarlı BIO 101 **BACK** ADD THIS COURSE (Adds selected section) REMOVE THIS COURSE FROM MY SCHEDULE

5.2 Enroll in courses (Selecting sections)

Inputs: @SectionSelection, @IDofThisStudent(This input is set when logging in.)

Process: The courses that are required in the student's department are listed. The student can select a course. When a course is selected, the sections that are corresponding to a course are listed near(to the right) the name of the course. The student can select a section and see the changes in their weekly schedule. The student also sees the instructor name change when he/she changes the section selection.

SQL Statements:

Schedule By Using Student_Section relation:

SELECT Section.sectionID, Course.courseID, Course.courseName

FROM Student_Section

INNER JOIN Section

ON Section.sectionID = Student_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Sec_Time_Slot

ON Sec_Time_Slot.sectionID = Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Time_Slot

ON Time_Slot.timeSlotID = Sec_Time_Slot.timeSlotID

INNER JOIN Course_Section

ON Section.sectionID = Course_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Course

ON Course.courseID = Course_Section.courseID

WHERE Student.ID = @IDofThisStudent

GROUP BY timeSlotID

/*Another query for viewing schedule using DISTINCT instead of GROUP BY*/

CREATE VIEW schedule(sectionOnDay, courseIDOnDay, courseNameOnDay)

AS SELECT DISTINCT TimeSlot.timeSlotID, Section.sectionID, Course.courseID,

Course.courseName

FROM Student_Section

INNER JOIN Section

ON Section.sectionID = Student_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Sec_Time_Slot

ON Sec_Time_Slot.sectionID = Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Time_Slot

ON Time_Slot.timeSlotID = Sec_Time_Slot.timeSlotID

INNER JOIN Course_Section

ON Section.sectionID = Course_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Course

ON Course.courseID = Course_Section.courseID

WHERE Student.ID = @IDofThisStudent

Viewing schedule By Using Student_Course relation:

CREATE VIEW schedule(sectionOnDay, courseIDOnDay, courseNameOnDay)

AS SELECT sectionID, courseID, courseName

FROM Student

INNER JOIN Student_Course

ON (Student.ID = Student_Course.ID AND

INNER JOIN Course

ON Course.courseID = Student_Course.courseID

INNER JOIN

Course_Section

ON Course_Section.courseID = Student_Course.courseID

INNER JOIN Section

ON Course_Section.sectionID = Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN sec_time_slot

ON Section.sectionID = sec_time_slot.sectionID

INNER JOIN time_slot

ON sec_time_slot.time_slot_id = time_slot.time_slot_id

WHERE

Course.currentlyTaking = 1

INSERT INTO

Adding course to schedule:

SELECT *

FROM Section

Where Section.sectionID = @SectionSelection

INSERT INTO Student_Section

VALUES(@ID, @sectionID);

Updating curriculum after a course is added to schedule(Student_Course):

SELECT*

FROM Course_Section

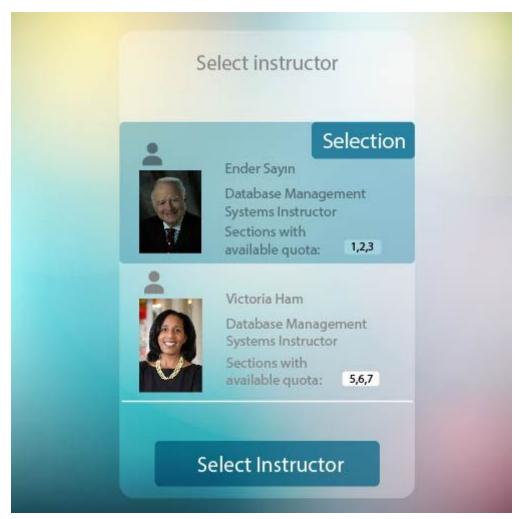
UPDATE Student_Course

SET Course.currentlyTaking = 1

WHERE @SelectedSection.sectionID = Course_Section.sectionID

AND Course_Section.courseID = Student_Course.courseID

5.3 Show Instructors



Inputs: @department, @selectedInstructor

Process: This interface is separate from the add section interface. Here instructors are given more importance, a student can see the instructors with their profile pictures for better recognition and hit select to see the courses that these instructors teach.

Following SQL Statement to show all the instructors on the screen.

CREATE VIEW all_instructors AS
SELECT *
FROM INSTRUCTOR
WHERE INSTRUCTOR.department = @department;

Selecting instructor:

SELECT *

FROM INSTRUCTOR

WHERE INSTRUCTOR.ID = @selectedInstructor.ID

5.4 Course Search

5.4.1 Course Search by Department

Inputs: @SearchQuery, @selectedDepartment, @courseName

SELECT *
CASE WHEN @SearchQuery = department
FROM Course
WHERE Course.department = @selectedDepartment

5.4.2 Course Search by courseName

SELECT *

CASE WHEN @SearchQuery = courseName

FROM Course

WHERE Course.courseName = @courseName

6. Advanced Database Components

6.1 Views

6.1.1 Student GPA View

CREATE VIEW student_info(ID,name, gpa)

AS SELECT ID, name, avgGrade

FROM

Student NATURAL JOIN Student_Course

NATURAL JOIN (SELECT SUM(credits) as cSum, AVG(Grade*credits)/cSum AS avgGrade

FROM Course NATURAL JOIN Student_Course

GROUP BY Student_Course.ID)

6.1.2 View for the Schedule View using Student_Section relation

CREATE VIEW schedule(sectionOnDay, courseIDOnDay, courseNameOnDay)

AS SELECT Section.sectionID, Course.courseID, Course.courseName

FROM Student Section

INNER JOIN Section

ON Section.sectionID = Student_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Sec_Time_Slot

ON Sec_Time_Slot.sectionID = Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Time_Slot

ON Time_Slot.timeSlotID = Sec_Time_Slot.timeSlotID

INNER JOIN Course_Section

ON Section.sectionID = Course_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Course

ON Course.courseID = Course_Section.courseID

WHERE Student.ID = @IDofThisStudent

GROUP BY timeSlotID

/*Another query for viewing schedule using DISTINCT instead of GROUP BY*/

CREATE VIEW schedule(sectionOnDay, courseIDOnDay, courseNameOnDay)

AS SELECT DISTINCT TimeSlot.timeSlotID, Section.sectionID, Course.courseID,

Course.courseName

FROM Student_Section

INNER JOIN Section

ON Section.sectionID = Student_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Sec_Time_Slot

ON Sec_Time_Slot.sectionID = Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Time_Slot

ON Time_Slot.timeSlotID = Sec_Time_Slot.timeSlotID

INNER JOIN Course_Section

ON Section.sectionID = Course_Section.sectionID

INNER JOIN Course

ON Course.courseID = Course_Section.courseID

WHERE Student.ID = @IDofThisStudent

6.2 TRIGGERS

 When a course is added to the schedule, currentlyTaking value of that course is set to true on the curriculum which is all the courses stored in the Student_Course relation for each distinct student ID(the ID derived from Person table).

CREATE TRIGGER updateCurriculumInsert

ON Student_Section

AFTER INSERT

AS

DECLARE @added_section_id INT

SELECT @added_section_id = section_id FROM inserted

UPDATE Student_Course

SET currentlyTaking = 1

WHERE Student_Course.sectionID = @added_section_id

Similarly when a course is removed from the schedule, currently Taking value of
that course is set to false on the curriculum which is all the courses stored in the
Student_Course relation for each distinct student ID(the ID derived from Person
table).

CREATE TRIGGER updateCurriculumDelete

ON Student_Section

AFTER DELETE

AS

DECLARE @added_section_id INT

SELECT @added_section_id = section_id FROM deleted

UPDATE Student_Course

SET currentlyTaking = 0

WHERE Student_Course.sectionID = @added_section_id

6.3 CONSTRAINTS

- The system can not be completely interacted without log-in.
- A student cannot register to courses with prerequisite courses unless they passed them before.
- A student cannot add a course with a full quota.

7. Implementation Plan

The Core of our system will be handled by the use of MySQL database management system and PHP as a communication language. Php, javascript, HTML and CSS can be used when needed in web design.

8. Website

Project website:

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