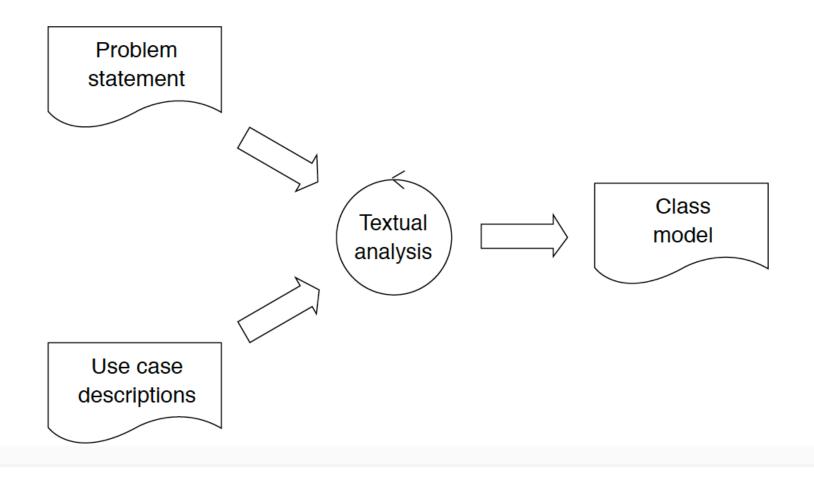
SENG 301 Software Analysis and Design

Lab 14 – Textual Analysis

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- Start with problem statement
 - "The problem description should focus on the description of the objects and their relationships in the domain"
- Identifying Objects and Classes
 - extract all noun and noun phrases from the problem statement, evaluate whether it represent an object in the domain

- Noun that can represent objects
 - Tangibles (e.g. classroom, playground)
 - Conceptual (e.g. course, module)
 - Events (e.g. test, examination, seminar)
 - External organizations (e.g. publisher, supplier)
 - Roles played (e.g. student, teacher, principal)
 - Other systems (e.g. admission system, grade reporting system)

- Eliminating Nouns that represents
 - Redundant Classes
 - Irrelevant classes
 - Vague classes
 - Attributes
 - Operations
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- Refine list for candidate classes

- Identifying Associations between Classes
 - looking for verbs and verb phrases connecting two or more objects in the problem statement

START Lab 14