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# Library Management System

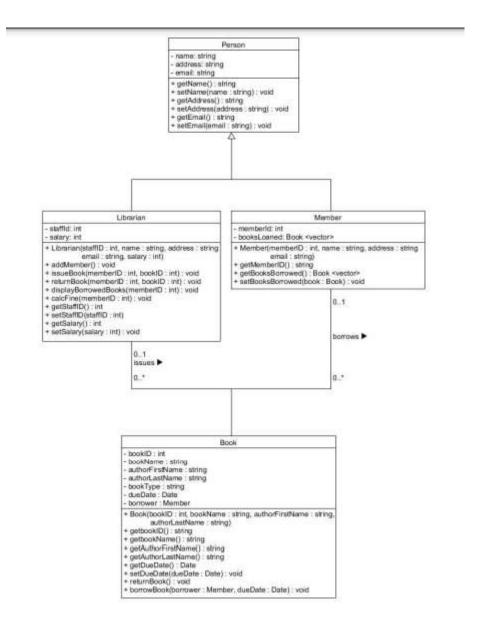


# Design

#### **UML Diagrams**

#### **Class Diagram:**

- Person Class: Represents common attributes like name, address, and email.
- Member Class: Inherits from Person, includes member-specific attributes and methods.
- Book Class: Represents a book with attributes like bookID, bookName, genre, dueDate, and methods for borrowing and returning.
- Librarian Class: Inherits from Person, represents a librarian with staff-specific attributes and methods...



## Implementation

## Translating Design into Software

To implement the library management system, we followed the design specifications closely. We used a modular approach, breaking down the system into smaller components that could be developed and tested independently. This allowed for easier debugging and maintenance.

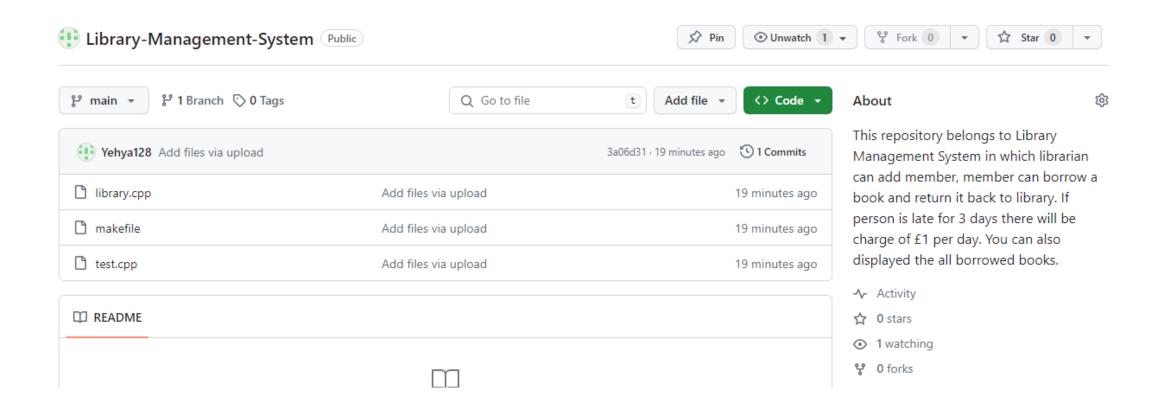
#### Makefile

We utilized a Makefile to automate the build process and manage dependencies. The Makefile included commands for compiling the source code, linking libraries, and generating the executable file. This streamlined the development process and ensured consistent builds across different environments.

#### **Version Control**

We employed version control using GitHub to changes track and collaborate on the project. This allowed multiple work on developers to different features simultaneously while maintaining a centralized code repository. We followed best practices, creating branches for new features and merging them back into the main branch after testing and code review.

## GitHub Repo:



## **Testing Approach**

#### **Unit Testing**

To ensure the functionality and correctness individual components of library management system, we conducted unit testing. This involved testing each module and function in isolation to verify that they produce the expected output for a given input. Test cases were designed to cover different scenarios and edge cases, such as invalid inputs and boundary conditions.

#### **Integration Testing**

Once the individual components were tested, we performed integration testing to verify the interaction and compatibility between different modules of the library management system. This involved testing the flow of data and communication between modules, ensuring they that work together seamlessly. Test cases were designed to cover different integration scenarios and identify any issues or inconsistencies.

#### **System Testing**

evaluate the overall functionality and performance of the library management system, we conducted system testing. This involved testing the system a whole, including all modules and their interactions, to ensure that it meets the specified requirements. Test cases were designed to cover different user scenarios and simulate real-world usage of the system.

### **Software Demonstration**

#### **Implementation of the Library Management System**

Our library management system has been implemented with a user-friendly interface.

#### **Program Functionality**

During this demonstration, we will showcase the following key functionalities of the library management system:

- User registration
- Book cataloging and classification
- Borrowing and returning books
- Fine calculation

#### Library Management System

- 1. Add Member
- 2. Issue Book
- Return Book
- 4. Display Borrowed Books
- Calculate Fine
- Exit

Enter your choice: 1
Enter Member ID: 123
Enter Name: Jack

Enter Address: 145 west st2

Enter Email: jackthomas@hotmail.com
Member 123 added to the library system.

Enter the Genre you want to borrow: Art Books available in the selected genre: Book ID: 17, Name: Art

Enter the Book ID you want to borrow: 17

Book borrowed successfully!

Enter your choice: 4

Books borrowed by Member 123:

Book ID: 17, Name: Art

Due Date: Fri Jan 12 04:28:17 2024

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Enter your choice: 5
Fine for Book ID 17: \$0

Enter your choice: 3
Books borrowed by Member 123:

Book ID: 17, Name: Art

Enter the Book ID you want to return: 17

Book returned successfully!

## **Conclusion**

#### **Summary of Work Done**

Throughout the design, implementation, and testing phases of the library management system, we have successfully developed a robust and user-friendly platform for managing library resources. The system allows librarians to efficiently handle tasks such as cataloging books, managing memberships, and tracking borrowing and returning of items.

#### **Limitations and Future Approach**

While the library management system meets the core requirements and provides significant value to library operations, there are a few limitations to be aware of. Firstly, the system currently lacks integration with external library databases, limiting the availability of comprehensive book information. Additionally, the system could benefit from more advanced reporting and analytics features to provide deeper insights into library usage and trends.

In future projects similar to this, we would approach the development process with a focus on these limitations. We would prioritize integrating with external databases to enhance the book information available to users. Furthermore, we would allocate resources to develop advanced reporting and analytics capabilities, allowing libraries to make data-driven decisions and optimize their operations.