# System analysis and ER model

**Problem Statement:** The registrar wants to effectively manage the course registration system at Baruch College. Students can be identified by their EMPLID, First Name, Last Name, Phone, Address, Email, Major, minor, major concentration, Date of Birth, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status, and proof of ID. Each student can enroll in multiple courses and multiple students can enroll in one course. They are further categorized by their start date. A course is defined by its Course\_ID, Course Name, Course Duration, Description, Credits. A course is then further separated into sections. Section would include Section\_ID, Semester, Capacity(#students), MeetingDay, Meeting Time, year. Each section would then represent a class. A class could be represented with Classroom\_ID, room number, classroom capacity, classroom type, reservation status. A professor is responsible for teaching the students. A professor can be defined by their Professor\_ID, First Name, Last Name, Email, Phone Number, Office Hours, Office, Courses specialization, Education history. Each professor can teach a minimum of 14 students. At the same time, a professor has to teach at least one course but can teach multiple courses. Each professor is a part of a department. A department is defined by its Department\_ID, Department head, Phone number, address, email, specialization, Courses Offered. There can be multiple professors within a department and the department can offer one or multiple courses to its students. The students can also make an appointment to meet with an advisor. An appointment is defined by its Appointment ID, appointment Date, and appointment time. An advisor is defined by their advisor ID, first name, last name, and email. An advisor can have no appointments at all but can take multiple appointments. They also can advise multiple students, but a student can choose not to meet with an advisor, which means no appointments for the student either. However, a student can only have one appointment per semester.

## **Assumptions:**

- Baruch only has one registrar office
- Students cannot enroll in classes before the starting date or after the deadline date, without exceptions
- The registrar office hands out all the holds
- Students have met the prerequisites of the class they are trying to enroll in
- Students don't have any holds during their enrollment period
- 14 students are required for a new course to be created and a professor can only teach a course with a minimum of 14 students.

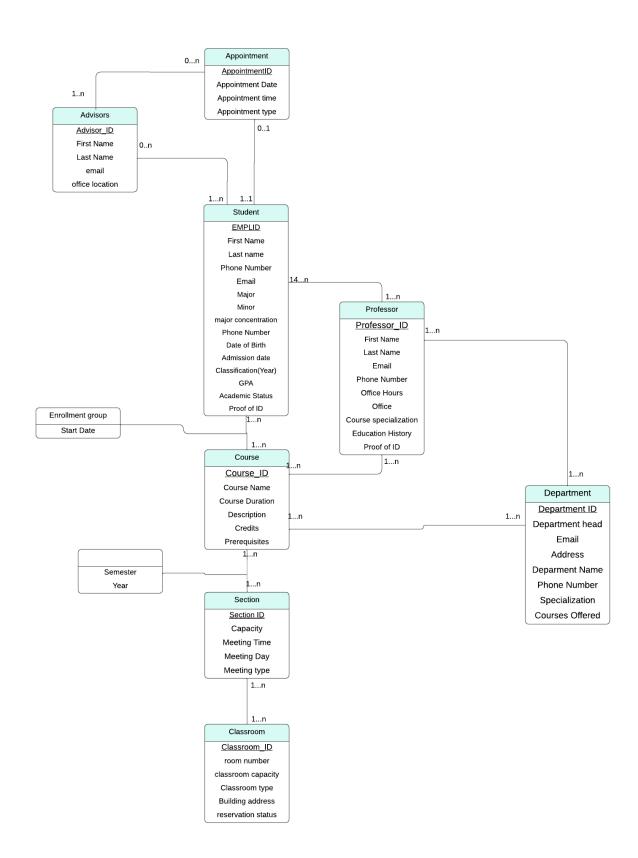
## **Relationship Sentences:**

- Each student can enroll in multiple courses and multiple students can enroll in one course.
- Each professor can teach a minimum of 14 students.
- a professor has to teach at least one course but can teach multiple courses.
- There can be multiple professors within a department and the department can offer one or multiple courses to its students.
- An advisor can have no appointments at all but can take up to multiple appointments.
- They also can advise multiple students, but a student can choose not to meet with an advisor, which means no appointments for the student either.
- a student can only have one appointment per semester
- A student can have no holds or up to multiple holds at the same time.

# **Entities and Attributes**

## Our First Iteration

| Entities    | Attributes  |
|-------------|---|
| Advisors    | Advisor_ID, First Name, Last Name, Email, office location   |
| Section     | Section_ID, Semester, Capacity(#students), MeetingDay, Meeting Time, year   |
| Department  | Department_ID, Department head, Phone number, address, email, specialization, Courses Offered   |
| Course      | Course_ID, Course Name, Course Duration, Description, Credits, Prerequisites  |
| Student     | EMPLID, First Name, Last Name, Phone, Address, Email, Major, Minor, major concentration, Date of Birth, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status, Proof of identification |
| Professor   | Professor_ID, First Name, Last Name, Email, Phone<br>Number, Office Hours, Office, Courses specialization,<br>Education history, Proof of Identification                                    |
| Appointment | appointment date, appointment time, appointmentID, appointment type   |
| Classroom   | Classroom_ID, room number, classroom capacity, classroom type, reservation status   |



# **Logical Modeling**

| Relationship         | Attributes  |
|----------------------|---|
| Student              | EMPLID, First Name, Last Name, Phone,<br>Address, Email, Major, Minor, major<br>concentration, Date of Birth, Admission<br>Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic<br>Status, proof of ID |
| Student_Course       | Student Course ID, Course ID(fk), EMPLID(fk), Enrollment group, startdate   |
| Course               | Course ID, Course name, description, course duration, credits   |
| Course_Section       | Course Section ID, CourseID(fk),<br>SectionID(fk), Semester, year   |
| Section              | SectionID, Capacity, meeting time, meeting day  |
| Classroom            | <u>Classroom ID</u> , room number   |
| Department           | <u>Department ID</u> , Department head,<br>Phone number, address, email,<br>specialization, Courses Offered   |
| Department_Course    | Department_Course_ID, Department_ID(fk), Course_ID(fk),   |
| Professor            | Professor ID, First Name, Last Name,<br>Email, Phone Number, Office Hours,<br>Office, Courses specialization, Education<br>history, proof of ID   |
| Professor_Department | Professor_Department_ID, Professor ID(fk), Department ID(fk)  |

| Professor_Student   | Professor Student ID, EMPLID(fk),<br>ProfessorID(fk)           |
|---------------------|--|
| Professor_Course    | <u>Professor Course ID, Professor ID(fk),</u><br>Course ID(fk) |
| Appointment         | Appointment ID, Appointment Date,<br>Appointment time          |
| Advisors            | Advisor_ID, Firstname, last name, email                        |
| Appointment_Advisor | Appointment_Advisor_ID, Appointment ID(fk), Advisor ID(fk)     |
| Advisors_Student    | Advisor Student ID, EMPLID(fk), Advisor ID(fk)                 |

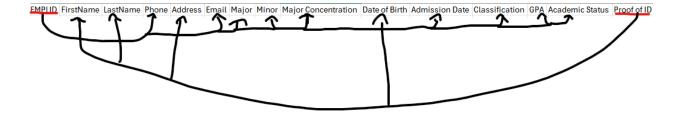
### Normalization

## **Assumptions about normalization exercise:**

- All tables not included were considered normalized after our first iteration
- Intended to demonstrate how we worked through this process
- Conceptualization necessitated expansion of attributes during this process

**Process**: I chose student as the relationship to normalize, as it was only in 2NF

| Relationship | Attribute   |
|--------------|---|
| Student      | EMPLID, First Name, Last Name, Phone,<br>Address, Email, Major, Minor, major<br>concentration, Date of Birth, Admission<br>Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic<br>Status, proof of ID |



#### **Functional dependencies**

Key: EMPLID, Proof of ID

FD1:<u>EMPLID</u>→ Phone, Email, Major, Minor, major concentration, Date of Birth, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status FD2: <u>Proof of ID</u> → First Name, Last Name, Address, Date of Birth

#### **Normalization Process**

**1NF: Student'sCourse**(<u>EMPLID</u>, First Name, Last Name, Phone, Address, Email, Major, Minor, major concentration, Date of Birth, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status, Proof of ID)

It was defaulted to 1NF before I began the normalization process

2NF:AcademicRecord(EMPLID, Phone, Email, Major, Minor, major concentration, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status)
 StudentInfo(Proof of ID, First Name, Last Name, Address, Date of Birth)
 2NF sees that there are no partial dependencies. Academic Record is created

**3NF: StudentInfo**(<u>Proof of ID</u>,First Name, Last Name, Address, Date of Birth) **Contact Info**(<u>EMPLID</u>, Phone, Email,)

StudyConcentration (EMPLID, Major, MajorConcentration, Minor)

AcademicRecord(EMPLID, Admission Date, Classification(year), GPA, Academic Status)

3NF sees that the transitive dependencies are removed and put into a new tables and in addition, created separate tables for both major and minors

Result:

| Relationship       | Attributes   |
|--------------------|--|
| StudentInfo        | <u>Proof of ID</u> , First Name, Last Name,<br>Address, Date of Birth    |
| StudyConcentration | EMPLID, Major, MajorConcentration,<br>Minor                              |
| AcademicRecord     | EMPLID, Admission Date,<br>Classification(year), GPA, Academic<br>Status |
| ContactInfo        | EMPLID, Phone, Email   |

# **Database Schema with Structured Query language**

#### **CREATE TABLE** Student (

EMPLID INT NOT NULL,

FirstName VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL,

LastName VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL,

Email VARCHAR(45) NULL,

Phone VARCHAR(12) NULL,

Major VARCHAR(45) NULL,

Minor VARCHAR(45) NULL,

Majorconcentration VARCHAR(45) NULL,

DateofBirth DATE NOT NULL,

AdmissionDate DATE NOT NULL,

Classification VARCHAR(9) NOT NULL,

GPA INT NULL,

AcademicStatus Double NOT NULL,

PRIMARY KEY (EMPLID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Professor (

ProfessorID INT NOT NULL,
FirstName VARCHAR(45) NULL,
LastName VARCHAR(45) NULL,
Email VARCHAR(45) NULL,
Phone VARCHAR(12) NULL,
OfficeHours VARCHAR(45) NULL,
Office VARCHAR(12) NULL,
CoursesSpecialization VARCHAR(45) NULL,
DateofBirth DATE NOT NULL,
EducationHistory VARCHAR(100) NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (ProfessorID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Department (

DepartmentID INT NOT NULL,
DepartmentHead VARCHAR(45) NULL,
Email VARCHAR(45) NULL,
Phone VARCHAR(12) NULL,
Address VARCHAR(50) NULL,
Specialization VARCHAR(45) NULL,
CoursesOffered VARCHAR(100) NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (DepartmentID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Classroom (

ClassroomID INT NOT NULL,
RoomNumber VARCHAR(12) NULL,
ClassroomCapacity INT NULL,
ClassroomType VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL,
ReservationStatus BIT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (ClassroomID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Section (

SectionID INT NOT NULL, Semester VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL, Capacity INT NOT NULL, MeetingDay DOUBLE NOT NULL, MeetingTime DOUBLE NOT NULL, Year INT NOT NULL, PRIMARY KEY (SectionID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Course (

CourseID INT NOT NULL,
CourseName VARCHAR(45) NULL,
CourseDuration DOUBLE NOT NULL,
Description VARCHAR(120) NULL,
Credit INT NOT NULL,
Prerequisites VARCHAR(100) NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (CourseID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Appointment (

AppointmentID INT NOT NULL, AppointmentDate DATE NOT NULL, AppointmentTime TIME NOT NULL, AppointmentType VARCHAR(24) NULL, PRIMARY KEY (AppointmentID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** Advisors (

AdvisorID INT NOT NULL, FirstName VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL, LastName VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL, Email VARCHAR(45) NULL, OfficeLocation VARCHAR(45) NULL, PRIMARY KEY (AdvisorID));

#### **CREATE TABLE** DepartmentCourse (

DepartmentCourseID INT NOT NULL,
DepartmentID INT NOT NULL,
CourseID INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (DepartmentCourseID),
FOREIGN KEY (CourseID) REFERENCES Course,
FOREIGN KEY (DepartmentID) REFERENCES Department);

#### **CREATE TABLE** Professor\_Department (

Professor\_Department\_ID INT NOT NULL,
ProfessorID INT NOT NULL,
DepartmentID INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (Professor\_Department\_ID),
FOREIGN KEY (DepartmentID) REFERENCES Department,
FOREIGN KEY (ProfessorID) REFERENCES Professor);

### **CREATE TABLE** Professor\_Student (

Professor\_Student\_ID INT NOT NULL,
ProfessorID INT NOT NULL,
EMPLID INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (Professor\_Student\_ID),
FOREIGN KEY (EMPLID) REFERENCES Student,
FOREIGN KEY (ProfessorID) REFERENCES Professor);

#### **CREATE TABLE** Professor\_Course (

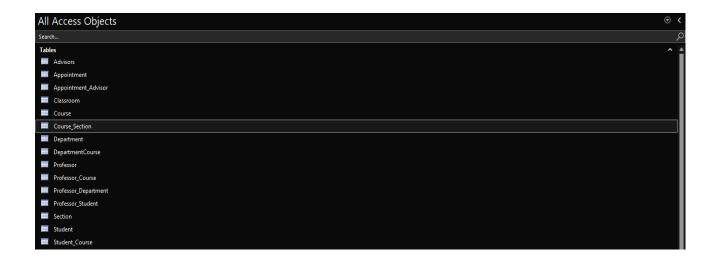
Professor\_Course\_ID INT NOT NULL,
ProfessorID INT NOT NULL,
CourseID INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (Professor\_Course\_ID),
FOREIGN KEY (CourseID) REFERENCES Course,
FOREIGN KEY (ProfessorID) REFERENCES Professor);

## Updates on the table:

**ALTER TABLE** Student ADD COLUMN ProofofID VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL; **ALTER TABLE** Professor ADD COLUMN ProofofID VARCHAR(45) NOT NULL;

## **Database Schema:**

After creating the table and adding the foreign key constraints, the database schema now looks like the following:



**Relationship View:** Using the Relationship View under Database Tools, we can see the relationships (foreign keys) between the tables:

