

PROBLEM APPROACH

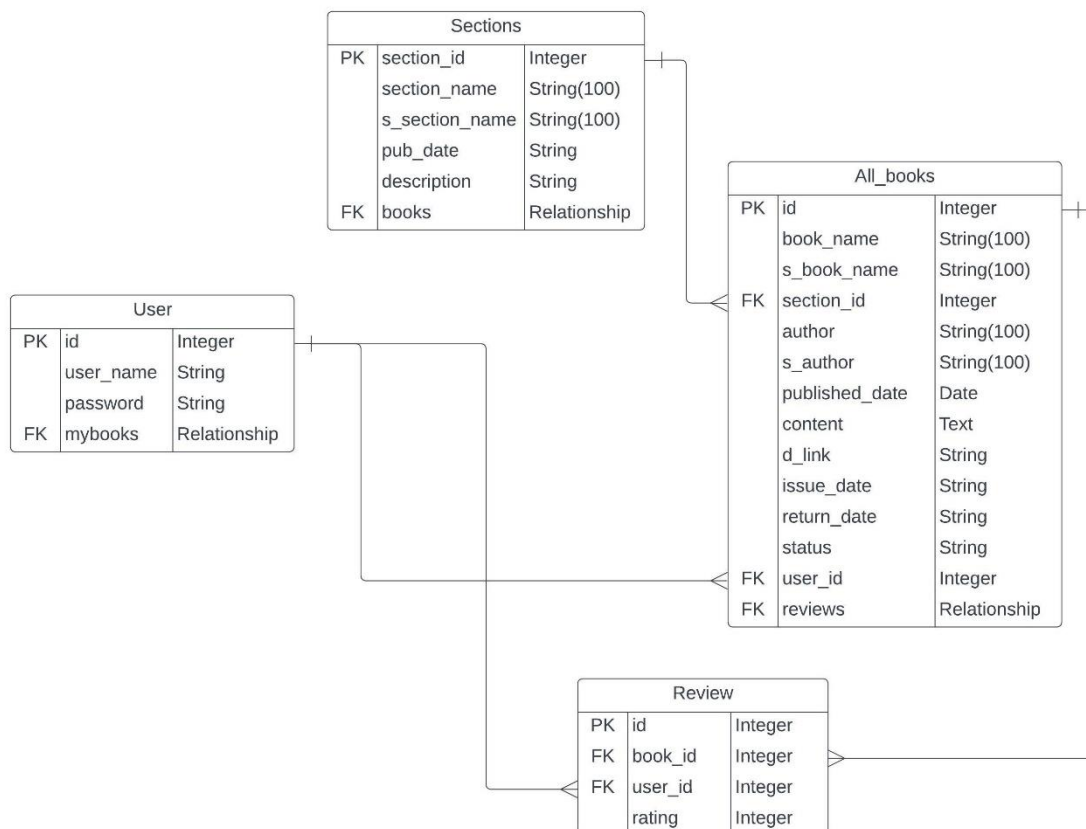
- The project began with the creation of HTML templates to define the structure and layout of the web application with the help of bootstrap.
- Once the HTML templates were in place, next the SQLite database models were defined to represent the data structure and relationships within the application.
- The next step involved writing the Flask for the application code for the CRUD operations of the application.
- Additional features were added and also the testing of the application for errors bring the completion of the project.

ABOUT THE LIBRARY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

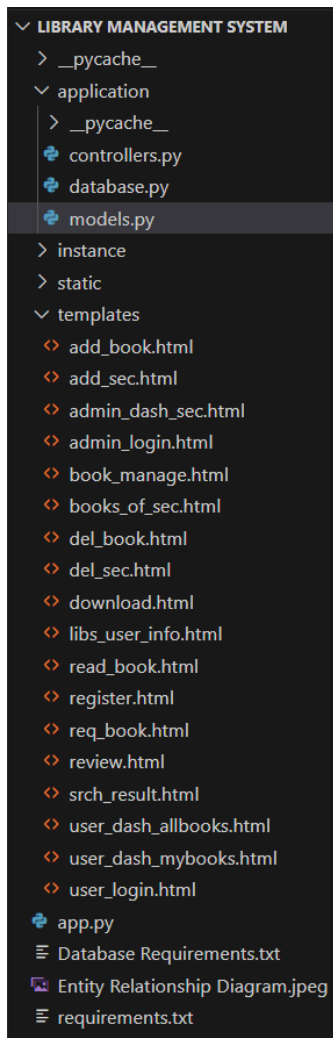
- It is a hosted web application using flask application code.
- Uses Jinja2 templates and Bootstrap for HTML generation and styling.
- SQLite database is used for storing the data.
- The application is a multi-user app (one admin/librarian and multiple general users) where the user can request, read and return book.
- Librarian/Admin can add new sections/e-books, issue/revoke access for a book.

DATABASE MODEL (ENTITY RELATIONSHIP DIAGRAM) OF THE PROJECT

- Below ER diagram specify the database models and their relations.



FILE MANAGEMENT OF THE PROJECT



- The **controllers.py** contains all the endpoints of the web application, and contains most of the back-end code. Rest of it are distributed between **models.py** (defines the tables for SQLAlchemy classes), **database.py** (hooks up the database to models.py).
- The **static** folder contains the CSS stylesheets which are used in the design of the webpages of the application.
- Application may store instance-specific data such as local databases, logs, or other persistent data files within the **instance** folder.
- The **templates** folder contains HTML files that serve as templates for rendering web pages as shown above in the attached picture.

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For a walkthrough of my project check this [video](#).