



# SE 328 L: Mobile App Development Lab

## CoE – Software Engineering

### Alfaisal University

## Lab 1: Simple User Interface

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### Objectives

*The objective of this lab is to:*

- Build a multi-screens mobile application & learning using intent for navigation
- Learn about relative & linear layouts & views (e.g. TextView, ImageView, EditText, Spinner, Buttons)

### Submission Style:

- Add screenshot of the app screen you built in this template then attach it to Moodle
- Submit the project as .zip file as well that you saved using Android Studio IDE
- Under Competitions forum, add only the layout screenshots for top 3 designs voting ^ \_ ^

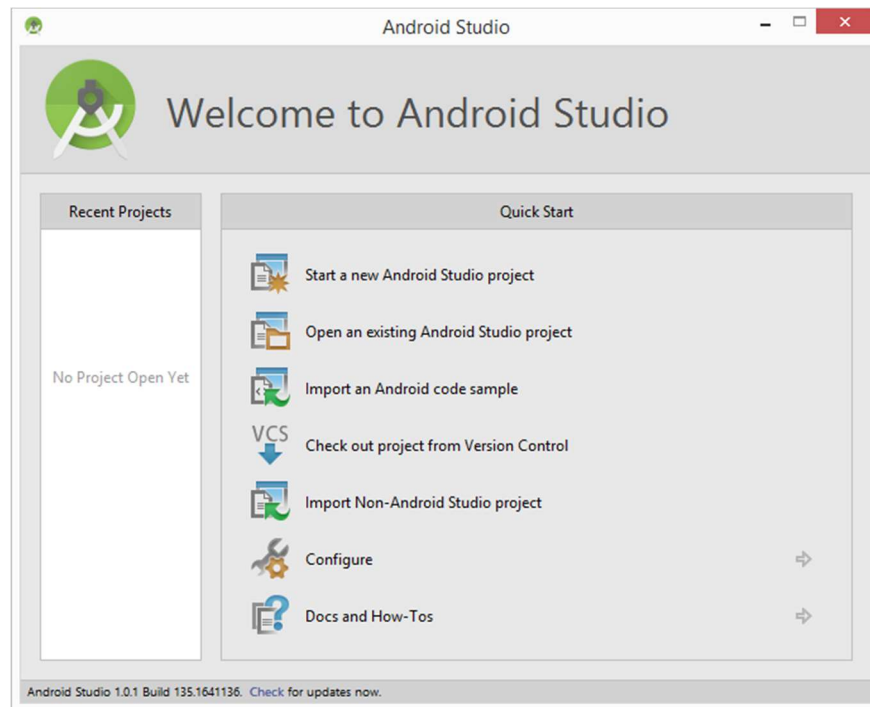


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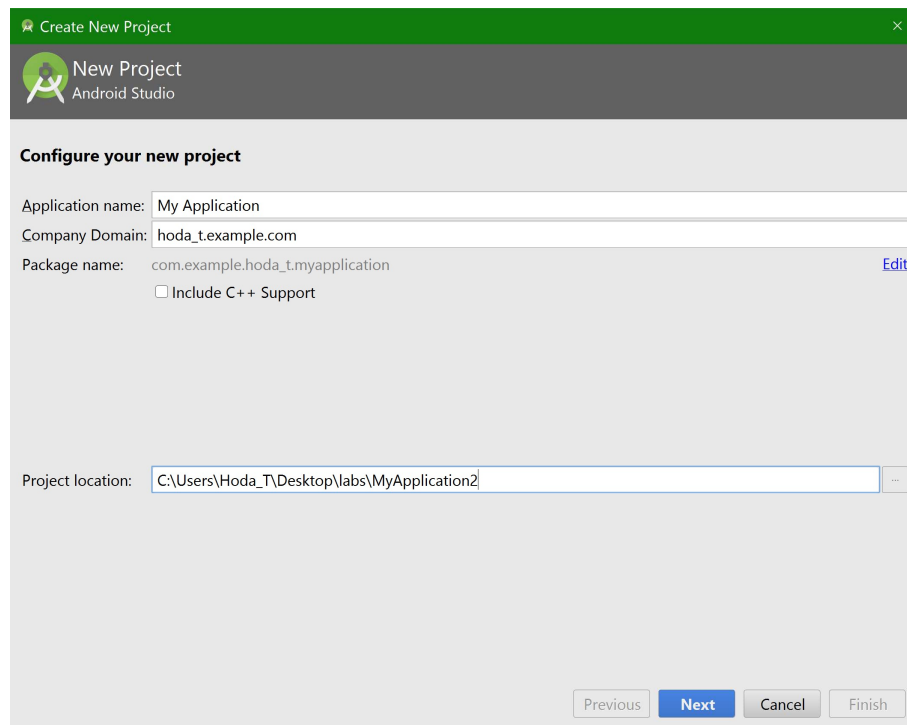
**Create a project on Android Studio**

After clicking android Studio's icon, follow the following steps to create a new project on Android Studio:

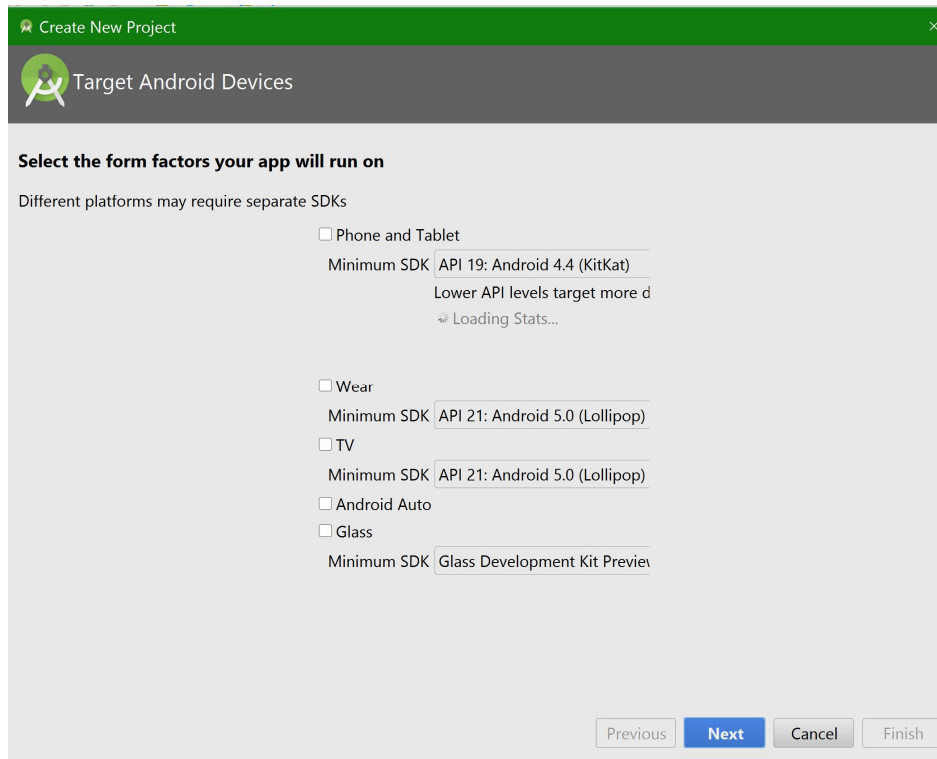
- 1- Click start a new android studio project



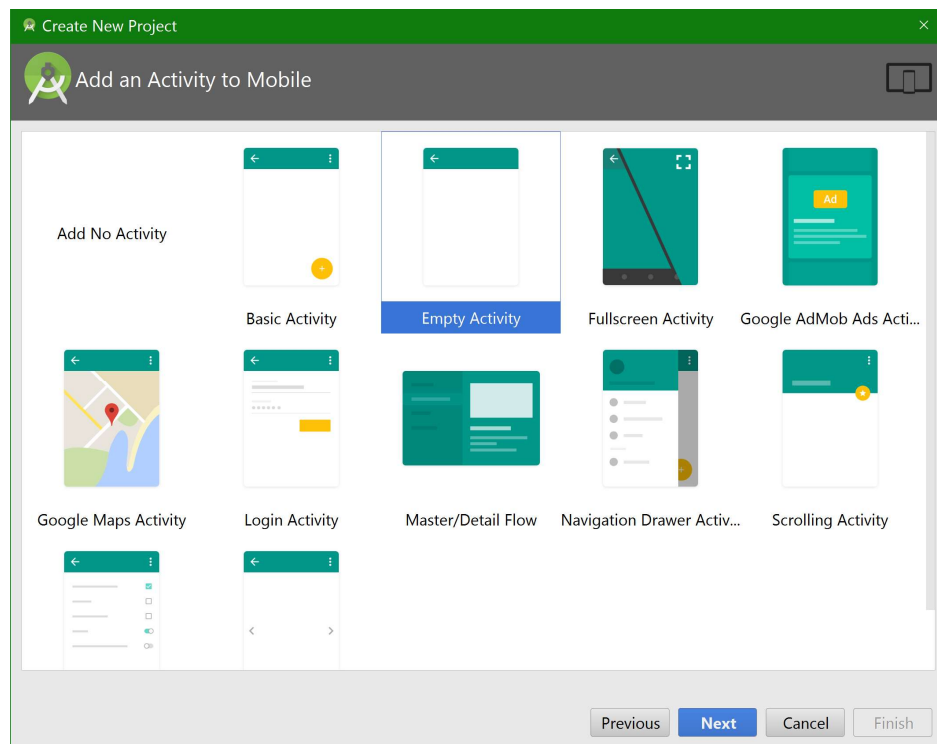
- 2- Give it a proper name and specify the location in which the project will be saved then click next



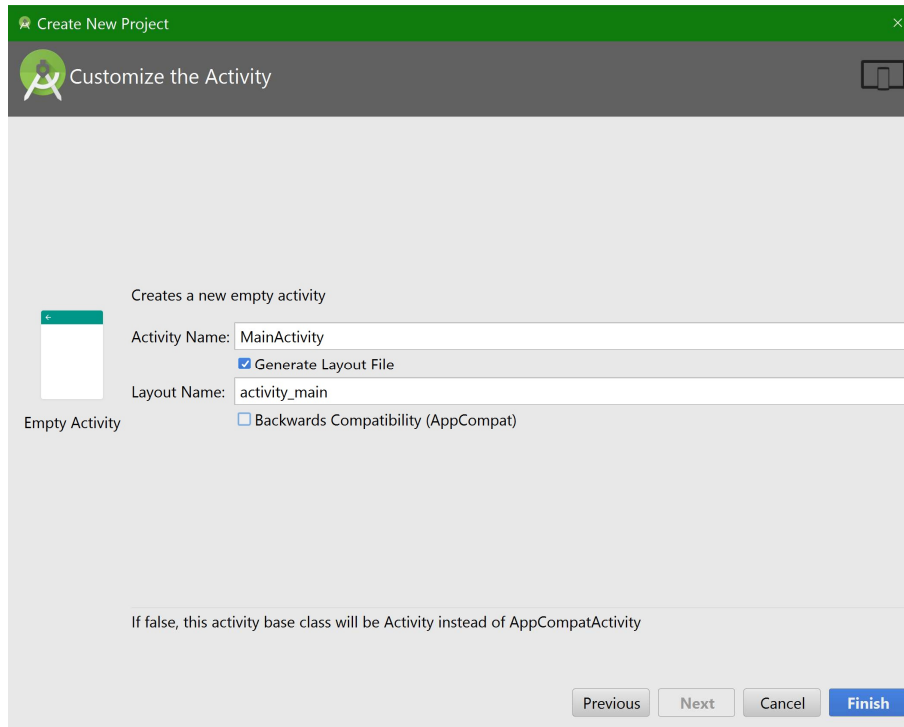
- 3- Specify the type of development you want to perform by checking the phone and tablet option and then choose API 19



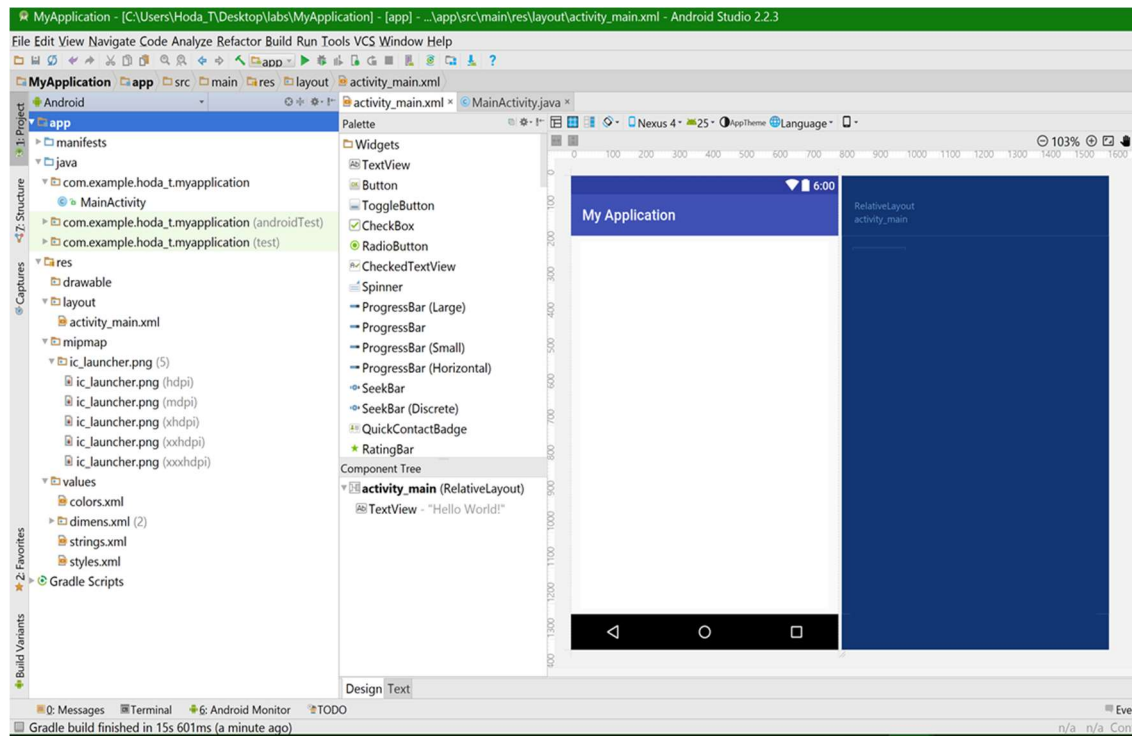
4- Click on empty activity then click next



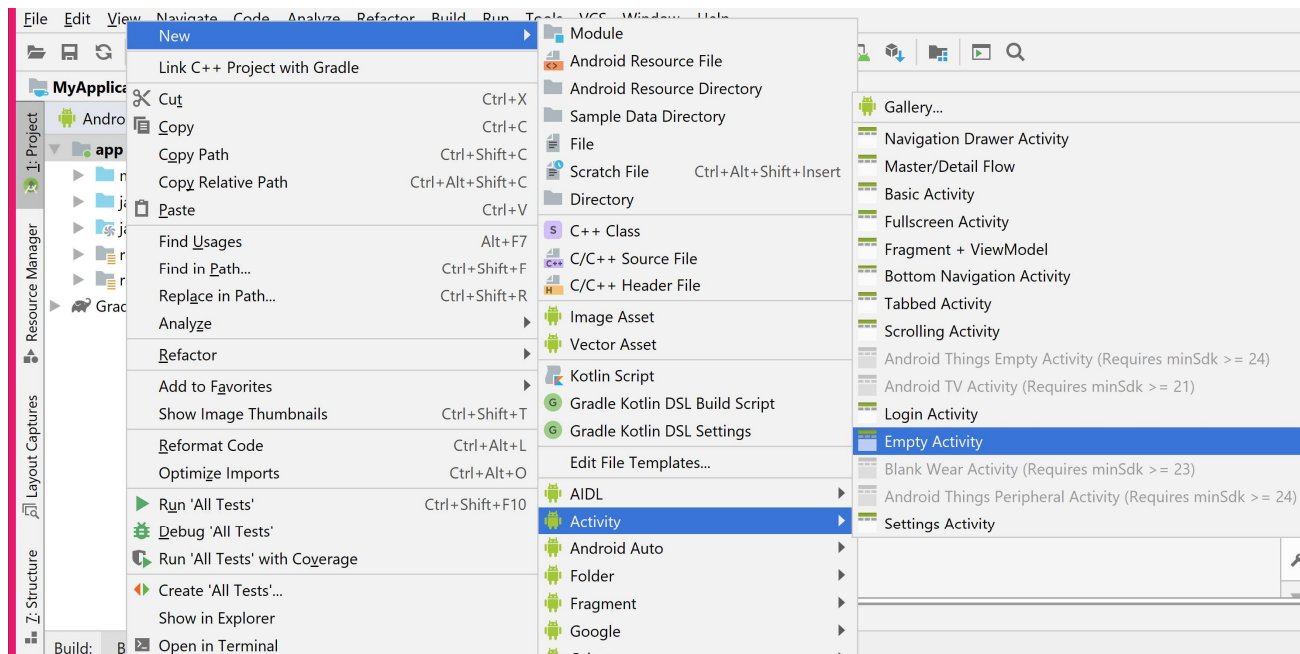
5- Give your activity a meaningful name (e.g. Hello World), or you can keep the default as MainActivity then check the generate layout file option and uncheck compatibility option then click finish



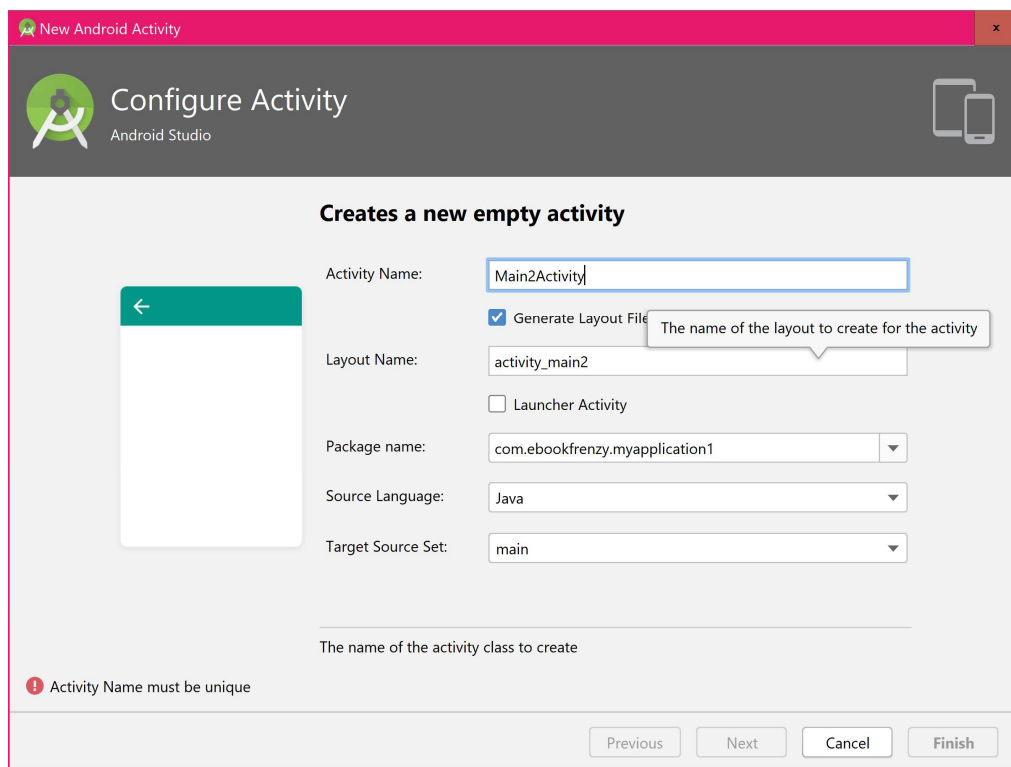
6- After clicking finish, you should see the following IDE now



7- To add a new activity, right click app under android options then choose new → activity → empty activity as shown below:



- 8- Give it a name or leave default and check generate layout file and you can also choose if it's the launcher activity by ticking that option:



**Exercise: Flip Business Card** Design your own customized business card interface that reflects your future dream job. The application contains 2 screens as follows: The **first activity** has a vertical linear layout that contains the back side of the business card, where the background is filled with an image with

a form on top to fill name, email, phone and position. It also has a button that once clicked, a listener event gets fired to show the front view of the business card design on the second activity layout using intent object. The **second activity** should have the logo of the company, website, your name, email and telephone (Customized as you see yourself in the near future 😊).

In this exercise, you need to create 2 activities (each has .xml / .class) using linear and relative layout respectively. The following views should be used: TextView, ImageView, EditText (for plain text, email and phone), Spinner and Button. Pick design resources of your choice from the internet and save it in the drawable folder.

The spinner entries are:



and linked to saved items in the **string.xml** file as

```
<string-array name="Positions">
    <item>Employee</item>
    <item>Manager</item>
    <item>Trainee</item>
</string-array>
```

In the java code, you will need to use the following pieces of code in 1<sup>st</sup> screen layout:

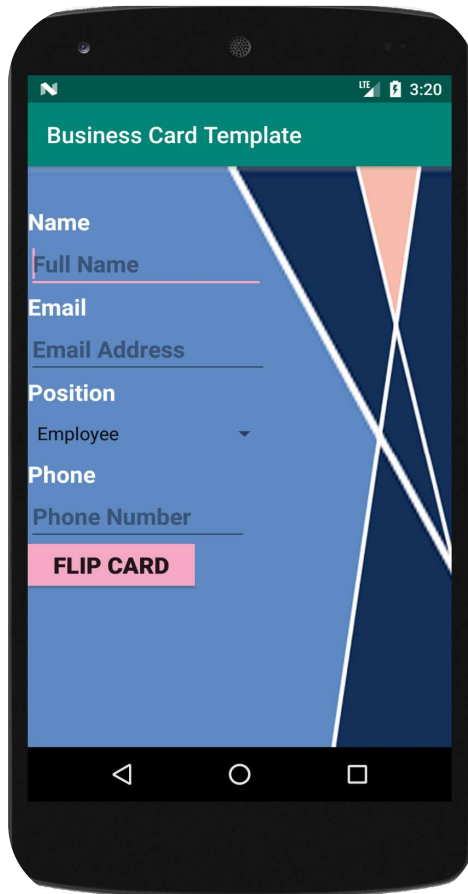
- `final ViewType ViewName = (ViewType) findViewById(R.id.viewID);` // for all views in both layouts
- `.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() { ... } );` // for buttons to fire event

To navigate to other screen, use the following:

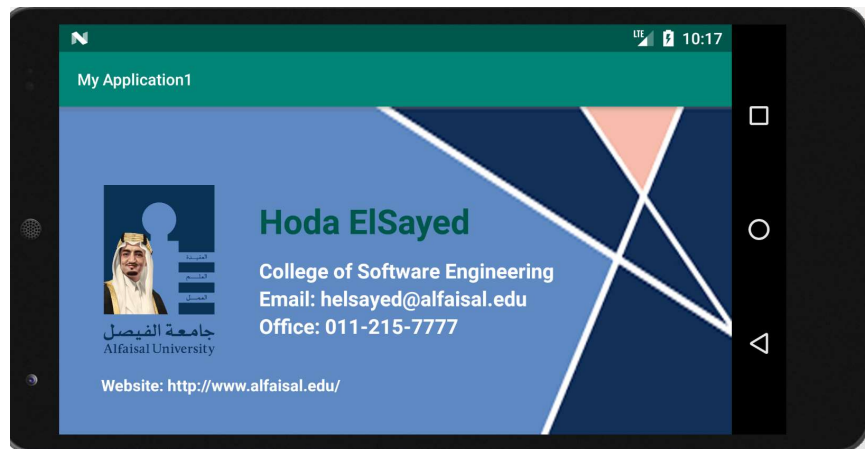
- `Intent intent = new Intent(currentActivity.this, targetActivity.class);`
- `startActivity(intent);`

A sample of the final business card application screens are:

**Launcher Activity: business card back**



**Target Activity: business card front**



Screenshot:

## XML Code:

### Main Activity

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout
xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
xmlns:app="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res-auto"
xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools"
android:layout_width="match_parent"
android:layout_height="match_parent"
android:background="#009688"
android:hapticFeedbackEnabled="false"
tools:context=".MainActivity">

    <TextView
        android:id="@+id/name_lbl"
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:text="Name"
        android:textColor="#000000"
        android:textSize="30sp"
        android:textStyle="bold"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.137"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.091" />

    <TextView
        android:id="@+id/email_lbl"
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:text="Email"
        android:textColor="#000000"
        android:textSize="30sp"
        android:textStyle="bold"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.135"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.234" />

    <TextView
        android:id="@+id/position_lbl"
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:text="Position"
```



```

        android:textColor="#000000"
        android:textSize="30sp"
        android:textStyle="bold"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.144"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.391" />

```

#### <EditText

```

        android:id="@+id/name_input"
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:ems="10"
        android:hint="Name"
        android:inputType="textPersonName"
        android:textColorHint="#FFFFFF"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toTopOf="@+id/position_lbl"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.179"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.433" />

```

#### <Spinner

```

        android:id="@+id/positionSpinner"
        android:layout_width="351dp"
        android:layout_height="61dp"
        android:entries="@array/positions"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.318"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toBottomOf="@+id/position_lbl"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.053" />

```

#### <Button

```

        android:id="@+id/btnFlip"
        android:layout_width="161dp"
        android:layout_height="63dp"
        android:text="Flip Card"
        android:textSize="22sp"
        app:backgroundTint="#000000"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.139"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toBottomOf="@+id/positionSpinner"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.109" />

```

#### <EditText

```

        android:id="@+id/emailInput"
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:ems="10"
        android:hint="Email"
        android:inputType="textEmailAddress"
        android:textColorHint="#FFFFFF"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toTopOf="@+id/position_lbl"
        app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.179"
        app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toBottomOf="@+id/name_input"
        app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.773" />

```

```
</androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout>
```

## Flipped Card Activity

```

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout
    xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    xmlns:app="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res-auto"
    xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="match_parent"
    tools:context=".FlippedCard"
    tools:layout_editor_absoluteX="132dp"
    tools:layout_editor_absoluteY="31dp">

    <androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout
        android:layout_width="match_parent"
        android:layout_height="match_parent"
        android:background="#009688"
        android:hapticFeedbackEnabled="false"
        tools:context=".MainActivity"
        tools:layout_editor_absoluteX="0dp"
        tools:layout_editor_absoluteY="-175dp">

        <TextView
            android:id="@+id/nameOnCard"
            android:layout_width="wrap_content"
            android:layout_height="wrap_content"
            android:layout_marginEnd="112dp"
            android:text="Amaan Zubairi"
            android:textColor="#000000"
            android:textSize="40sp"
            android:textStyle="bold"
            app:layout_constraintBottom_toTopOf="@+id/email"
            app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
            app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
            app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.533" />

```

```

<TextView
    android:id="@+id/email"
    android:layout_width="wrap_content"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:layout_marginBottom="168dp"
    android:text="Email: amaan@nasa.gov"
    android:textColor="#FFFFFF"
    android:textSize="20sp"
    android:textStyle="bold"
    app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.484"
    app:layout_constraintStart_toEndOf="@+id/imageView" />

```

```

<TextView
    android:id="@+id/office_no"
    android:layout_width="wrap_content"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:text="Office: 011-215-7777"
    android:textColor="#FFFFFF"
    android:textSize="20sp"
    android:textStyle="bold"
    app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.46"
    app:layout_constraintStart_toEndOf="@+id/imageView"
    app:layout_constraintTop_toBottomOf="@+id/email"
    app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.333" />

```

```

<TextView
    android:id="@+id/alfaisal_website"
    android:layout_width="wrap_content"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:layout_marginBottom="44dp"
    android:text="website: https://nasa.gov"
    android:textColor="#000000"
    android:textSize="15sp"
    android:textStyle="bold"
    app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.054"
    app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent" />

```

```

<TextView
    android:id="@+id/college"
    android:layout_width="wrap_content"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:text="Lead Software Engineer"
    android:textColor="#FFFFFF"
    android:textSize="25sp"
    android:textStyle="bold"

```

```

app:layout_constraintBottom_toTopOf="@+id/email"
app:layout_constraintEnd_toEndOf="parent"
app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.452"
app:layout_constraintStart_toEndOf="@+id/imageView"
app:layout_constraintTop_toBottomOf="@+id/nameOnCard"
app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.555" />

```

```

<ImageView
    android:id="@+id/imageView"
    android:layout_width="242dp"
    android:layout_height="149dp"
    android:background="#00FFFFFF"
    app:layout_constraintBottom_toTopOf="@+id/alfaisal_website"
    app:layout_constraintEnd_toStartOf="@+id/nameOnCard"
    app:layout_constraintHorizontal_bias="0.387"
    app:layout_constraintStart_toStartOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent"
    app:layout_constraintVertical_bias="0.59"
    app:srcCompat="@drawable/download" />
</androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout>

```

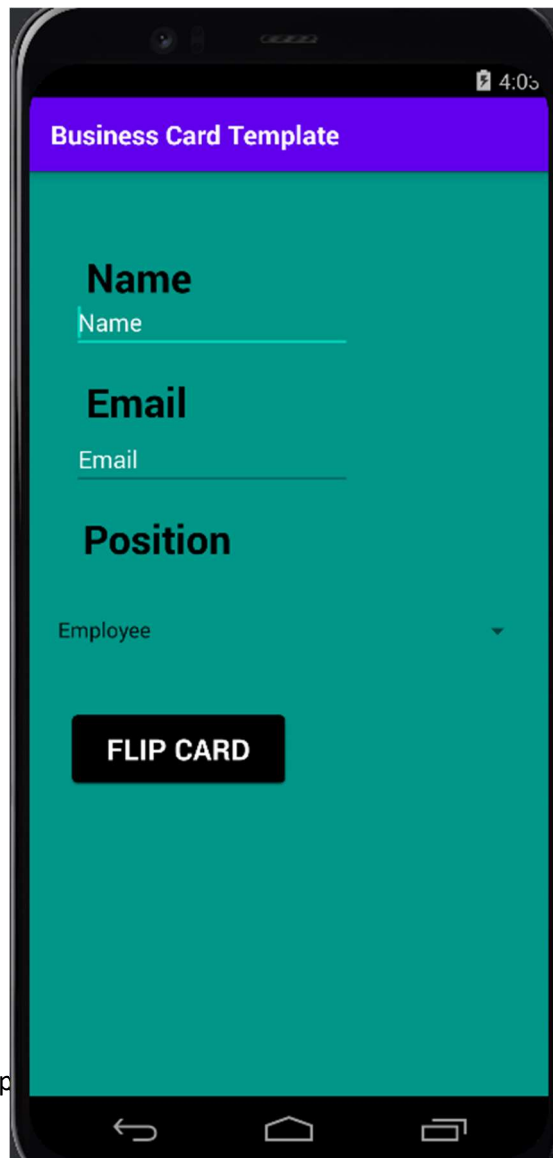
```

</androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout>

```

## Design Layouts:

### Screen 1



## Screen 2:

