Database documentation

ER Diagram explained

The entities and their attributes are listed below with explanations, for each entity all the relationships are explained below the tables:

Company	id	The ID of the company, it is unique for each company and it is the primary key
	name	Name of the company
	city	City where the company is located
	address	The address of the company
	postal_code	Postal code of the company
	email	Email of the company
	phone_number	Phone number of the company
	website	A link to the company website (optional)
	description	A description/introduction for the company profile
	logo	Company logo
	field	The area of work/profession of
		the company
	user_level_id	User level of the company, this is a foreign key

Student	oib	The OIB of the student, it is unique for each student and it is the primary key
	firstname	Student first name
	lastname	Student last name
	age	Student age
	email	Student email
	Phone_number	Student phone number
		(optional)
	city	Clty of the student
	address	Student address (optional)
	postal_code	Postal code of the student's
		city (optional)
	university	The university the student is
		attending
	picture	Picture for the student's profile (optional)

user_level_id	User level of the student, this is a foreign key
resume_id	The id of the student's resume, this is a foreign key

user_level	id	The ID of the user level
	type	The type of user, can be
		'company', 'student' or
		'administrator'

review	id	The ID of the
		review/comment, it is unique
		for each review and it is the
		primary key
	created	The date and time when the
		review was created
	status	The status defines whether the
		review had been approved by
		an administrator or not
	text	The body of the review
	company_id	The ID of the company that the
		review refers to, this is a
		foreign key
	Student_oib	The OIB of the author of the
		review, this is a foreign key

internship	id	The ID of the open
		internship/contract, it is
		unique for each internship and
		it is part of the primary key
	created	The date and time when it was
		created
	position	The job title/position that is
		open
	description	A description of the internship
		(optional)
	city	City where the internship will
		take place
	requirements	Required
		skills/knowledge/characteristic
	status	Defines whether the internship
		is still open or not
	salary	If and how much the intern
		will be paid

deadline	Defines how long students can
	apply for this internship
Company_id	The ID of the company that
	created the internship, this is a
	foreign key and part of the
	primary key

resume	id	The ID of the resume, it is
		unique for each resume and it
		is the primary key
	title	Title of the resume (optional)
	description	Description/introduction
		(optional)

work experience	id	The ID of the work experience,
		it is unique for each work
		experience and it is the
		primary key
	title	The title/position
	country	The counter where the work
		took place
	city	The city where the work took
		place
	start_month	Starting month (optional)
	end_month	Ending month (optional)
	start_year	Starting year (optional)
	end_year	Ending year (optional)
	description	A description of the job
	resume_id	The ID of the resume where
		the work experience is listed,
		this is a foreign key

education	id	The ID of the education, it is
		the primary key
	start_year	Starting year (optional)
	end_year	Ending year (optional)
	title	Name of the
		degree/institution
	country	Country where education took
		place
	city	City where education took
		place

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skill	id	The ID of the skill, it is the
		primary key
	name	The name of the skill
	level	Defines how good the student
		is at the skill 1 (very weak) - 5
		(very strong)

language	id	The ID of the language, it is the
		primary key
	name	The name of the language
	level	Defines how good the student
		is at the skill 1 (A1 level) - 6 (C2
		level)

To understand the entities: application, resume_education, resume_keyword, resume_skill, resume_language, we need to first take a look at the relationships:

INTERNSHIP – STUDENT (The application entity):

The relationship between the student and the internship entity is many to many, because a student can apply to more than one internship, and one internship can have many applicants at a time. A student can also have applied to no internships, and an internship can have no applied students yet e.g. if it has just been created. That is why the application side of these relationships is optional. Therefore, to simplify the relationship we introduce a new entity called application, which contains a composite primary key that is made up of the primary keys from the parent tables (student_oib from the student table, and internship_id, company_id from the internship table.) Each part of the composite primary key also acts as a foreign key.

RESUME - EDUCATION (The resume_education entity):

This relationship is a many to many relationship, because a student can have multiple schools/courses on their resume, and a certain school/course can be on many resumes e.g. if two students took the same course. A student can have no education, but a certain education cannot exist without a resume because it would be of no use to the database and application. Therefore this relationship is mandatory-optional. Again, by simplifying the relationship we get a new entity which has a composite primary key made up of the primary keys of its parent tables (education_id and resume_id), which separatly act as foreign keys.

RESUME - KEYWORD (The resume_keyword entity):

This relationship is many to many because, a resume can have multiple keywords associated with it, and a certain keyword can be on multiple resumes. Both of these relationships are mandatory, because the keywords provide a great use to the application so each resume has to have atleast one keyword, and a keyword has to be associated to atleast one student resume or there would be no use for it in the database. By simplifying the relationship we get a new entity which has a composite primary key (resume_id, keyword_id) which separatly act as foreign keys.

RESUME - SKILL (The resume_skill entity):

This relationship is many to many because a resume can have multiple skills listed, and a skill can be on multiple resumes. A resume can also have no skills listed, but a skill must be associated with a resume otherwise it wouldn't be in the database so the relationship is mandatory-optional. By simplifying the relationship we get a new entity which has a composite primary key (resume_id, skill_id) which separatly act as foreign keys.

RESUME – LANGUAGE (The resume_language entity):

This relationship is many to many because a resume can have multiple languages listed, and a single language can be on multiple resumes. A resume can have no languages, but a language must be associated with a resume otherwise it wouldn't be in the database, therefore the relationship is mandatory-optional. By simplifying the relationship we get a new entity which has a composite primary key (resume_id, language_id) which separatly act as foreign keys.