

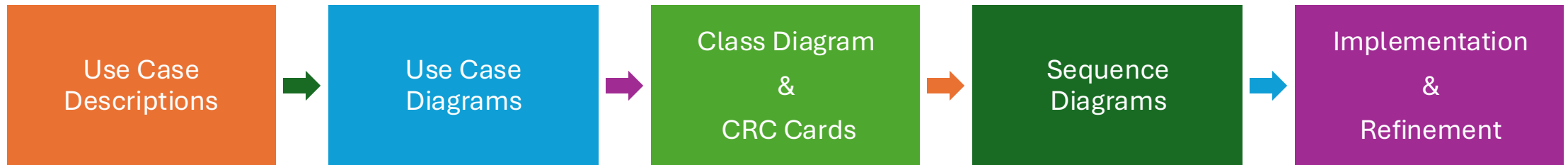
SafeHome Control Hub

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Objective

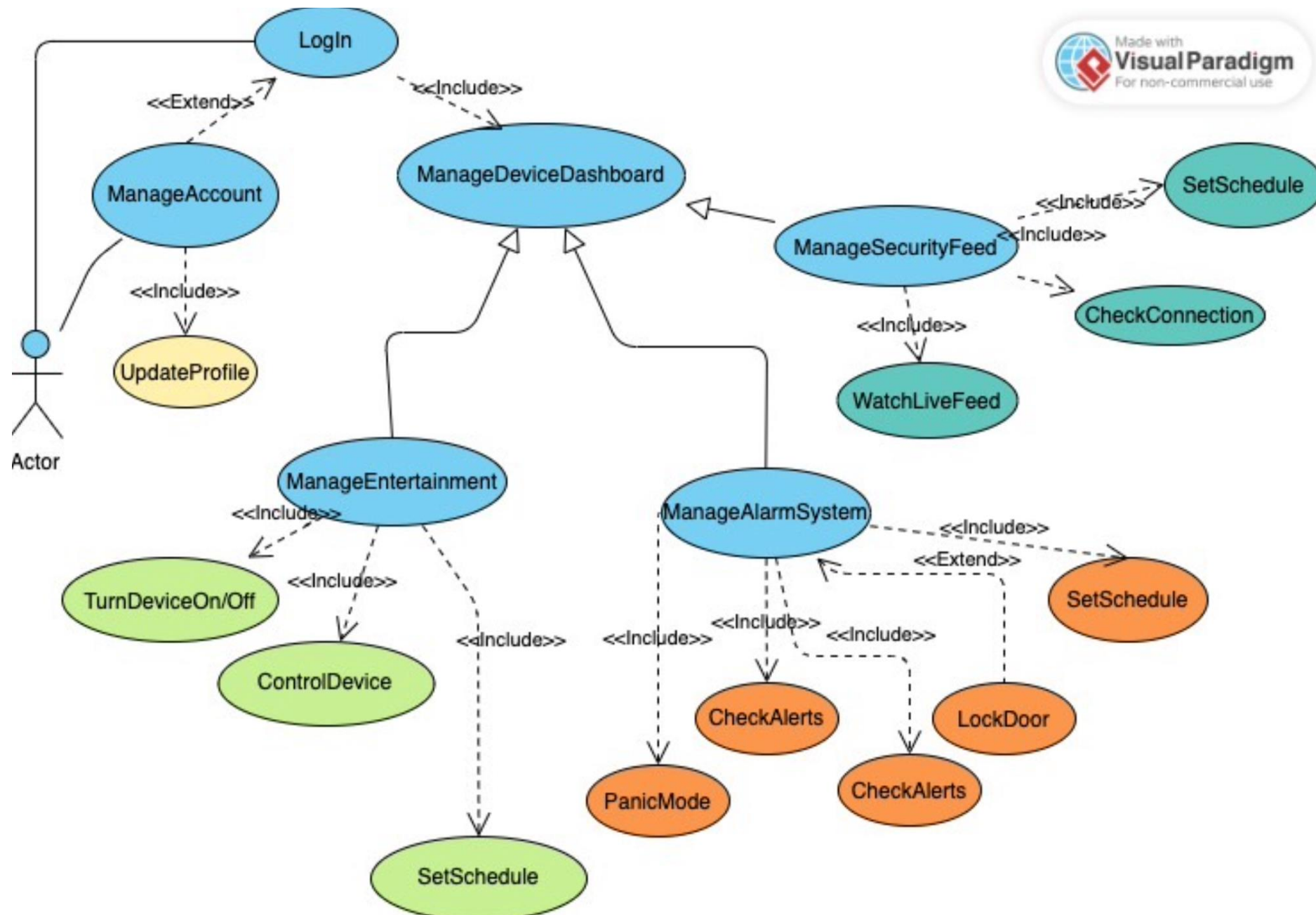
- Design and simulate a smart home control system through centralized control of IoT devices
- Use object-oriented modeling techniques
- Our system attempts to allow users to:
 - Control and monitor devices remotely
 - Automate routines
 - Grant guest access
 - Respond to emergencies quickly

Our Process



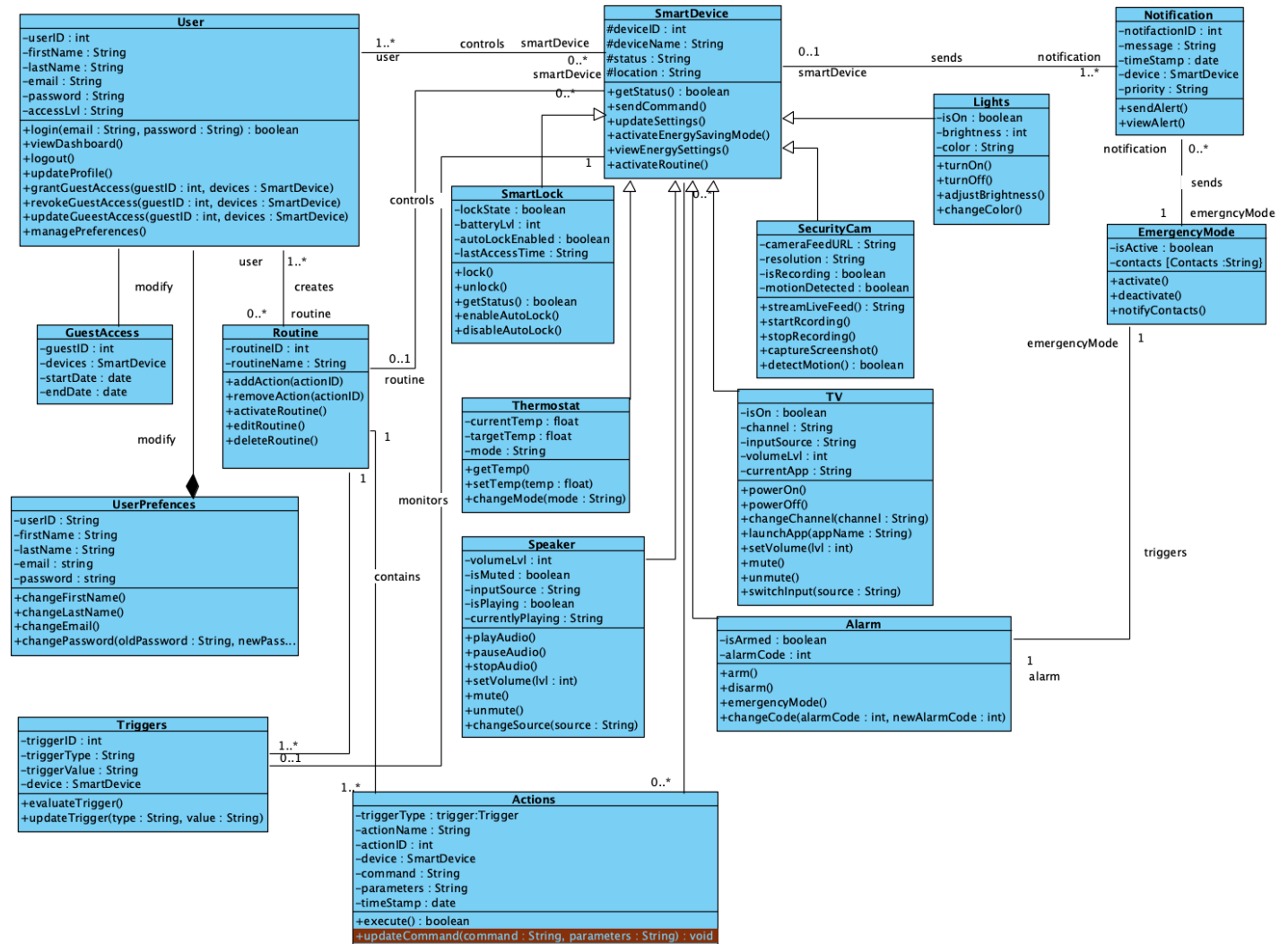
Key Use Cases

- Manage User Preferences
 - Allow user profile personalization and security
 - Update name, email, password, etc.
- Manage Smart Devices (TV, Lights, Locks, etc.)
 - Turn devices on, off, manage routines
- Manage Guest Access
 - Grant/revoke guest access to devices
- Create/manage device routines



Class Diagram

- User Class
 - Central actor of system
 - Should be able to manage their account and devices
- SmartDevice Class
 - Abstract class
 - Multiple “is-a” inherited subclasses for scalability (Speaker, TV, Lights, etc.
- Routine Class
 - Manage routine actions
 - Manage routine triggers
- Emergency/Notification Classes



Sequence Diagrams

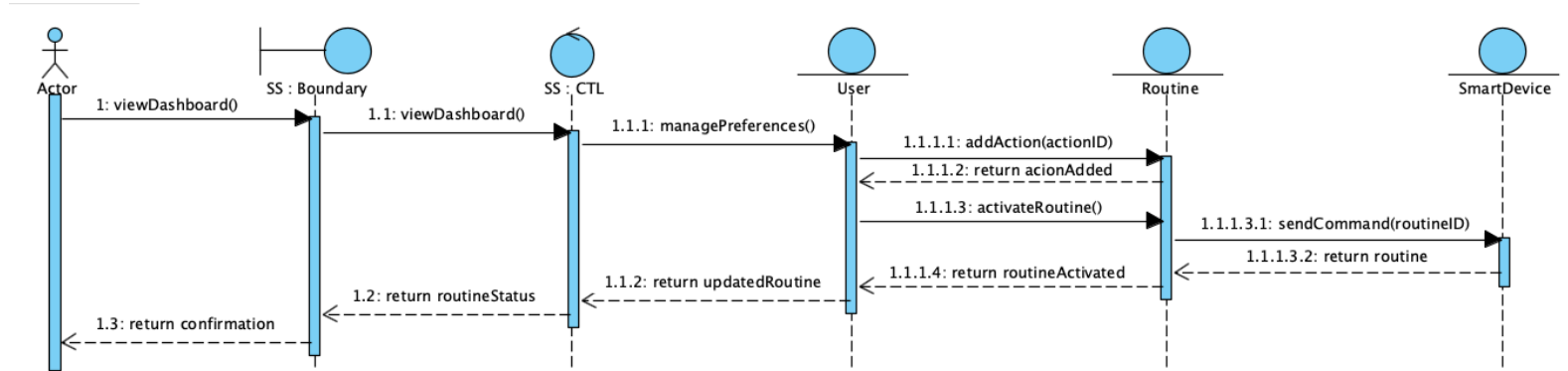
• Update Profile

Actors:

- Boundary → Control (CTL) → User → UserProfile

Flow:

- viewDashboard() from Boundary to Control
- updateProfile() from Control to User
- User calls methods to:
 - changeFirstName()
 - changeLastName()
 - changeEmail()
 - changePassword()
- Each method returns success.
- Dashboard gets updated.



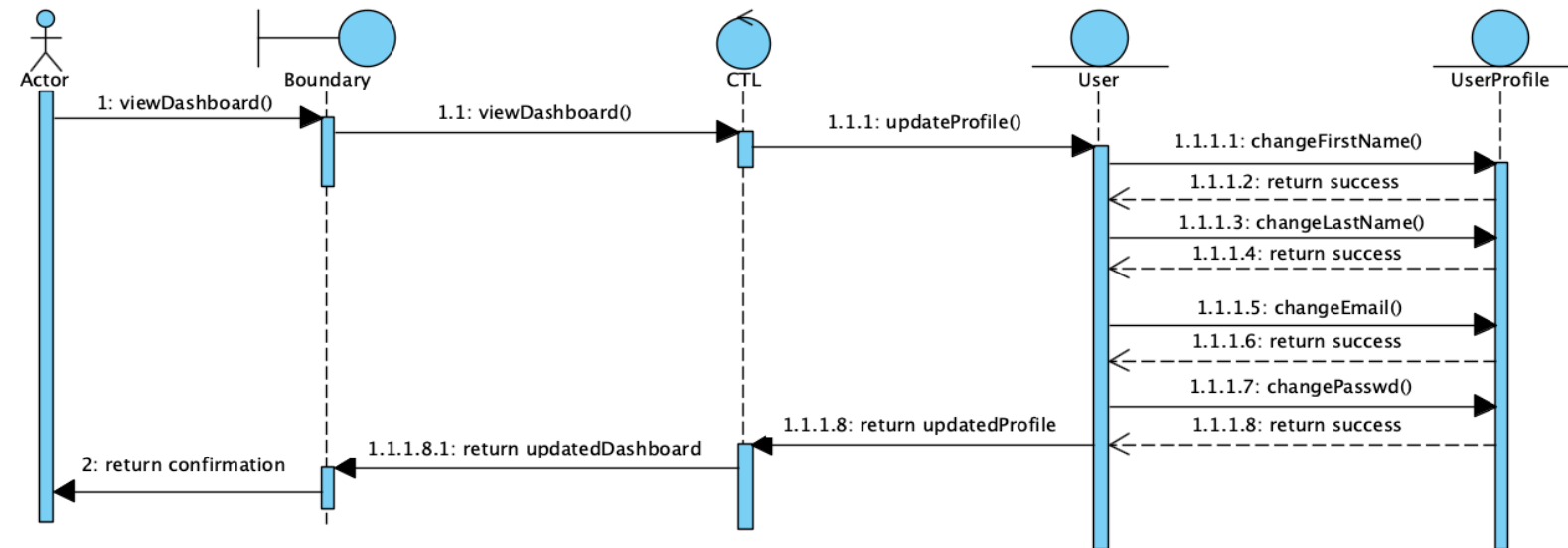
• Set Schedule

Actors:

- Boundary → Control (CTL) → User → Routine

Flow:

- viewDashboard() from Boundary to Control
- managePreferences() from Control to User
- User does:
 - addAction(actionID)
 - activateRoutine()
- Routine processes sendAction()
- Responses are sent back step-by-step (success, updatedRoutine, confirmation)



Entity Classes

Device Entities

- All extend SmartDevice and add custom behavior
- TV, Lights, Speaker, SmartLock, Thermostat

User Entity

- Represents a registered smart home user

Routine/Actions

- Routine: represents series of scheduled/triggered actions
- Actions: Represents specific task executed on a device

GuestAccess/UserPreferences

- Temporarily grant access to devices
- Store customizable profile settings

Control Classes

EmergencyController

- Activates and deactivates emergency mode
- Notifies emergency contacts
- Unlocks doors, turns on alarms/cameras during emergencies

DeviceController

- Adds and removes devices
- Sends commands (e.g., "lock", "on", "off")
- Displays device statuses
- Activates energy saving mode across all devices

GuestController

- Grants, updates, and revokes guest access to devices
- Manages temporary guest permissions

RoutineController

- Creates, edits, and deletes routines
- Adds or removes actions from routines
- Activates routines based on triggers

Boundary Class

- Acts as the user interface for the smart home application
- Displays menus and reads user inputs via the console
- Delegates commands to respective controller classes
- Provides a structured flow for user interaction

Lessons Learned

Planning is Everything

- Starting with a clear narrative and use cases aligned our team and helped avoid confusion later

Design First, Then Build

- Creating class diagrams first helped us identify reusable components like SmartDevice

Relationships Matter

- Understanding associations (e.g., User ↔ SmartDevice) made our system more realistic and scalable

A Step Further...



File-based storage of routines and devices



Scheduled triggers and time-based automation



GUI or web-based interface



Enhanced notification system

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Source Code

https://github.com/sydniepittman/CSCI3320_ProjectSHCH

