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Master of Applied Computing

COMP-8117 – Summer 2022 Advanced Software Engineering Topics

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Lab/Assignment 1: Specification and Design

Marks = 4%

Due Date = Friday of Week 5 (June 10, 2022, by Midnight)

Submission = Only via blackboard

One submission per group

Only one attempt

Submission Format = MS Word + the Video in MP4 Format

Scenario

For this scenario, let us consider two companies: The TechGiants (TG) and The PersonalMentor (PM). The former is a software development company, and the latter provides mentoring services to their customers. A new service offered by PM to its customers is named as 'stay fit' in which the customers can be connected with the fitness experts. Any PM customer can register for this service and become a member of PM which then results in connecting this member to a dedicated fitness expert. These experts mandate their customers to maintain a log of their daily physical activities (ex. the daily walk) on a dated paper. The experts then check these papers whenever they meet with the customers to suggest any needed changes to the daily activities. However, after receiving several concerns from the experts, the top management of PM feels that this paper-based activity is hard to manage, track, and analyze to propose any useful recommendations to users. Moreover, this paper-trail is often incomplete lacking the timeline and frequency of a customer's daily activities. As a result, the management of PM decides to hire TG to build a software application for their customers and experts to efficiently track their daily physical activities and perform some useful analysis.

Your Tasks

Your task is to perform the specifications and designing for the above scenario. Specifically, you should complete the following tasks:

- Complete the below given Problem and Vision Statement and Product Statement Tables. A filled example is already provided in the tables (highlighted in red). You may adjust the width of the columns and rows according to your answers.
- Complete the Elicitation and Requirement Section by filling the given Tables. A filled example each is already provided in the tables (highlighted in red). You may adjust the width of the columns and rows according to your answers. Additional rows should also be added.
- Make a use case diagram with all the objects, their attributes, and the relationships.



- Create low-level class and sequence diagrams to present the design of your software application.
- Prepare a small video (3 to 5 minutes) in which you will present the difference between the specifications and the design to new undergrad students assuming that these students have '0' knowledge about specification and design. In this video, the group members can talk and explain the difference or this video can also be self-explanatory with text, background music, and necessary animations.

Start Your Answers here

Problem Statement and Product Statement Tables to be Filled:

Table 1: Problem and vision statement table

| We are addressing the problem of | Paper-based activity logs |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Affecting the | PM Registered members daily physical activities. Fitness expert ability to evaluate paper-based logs, which in turn affecting stay fit service and PM reputation |
| Due to which | PM's top management believes that this paper-based activity is difficult to manage, measure, and evaluate to provide users with valuable recommendations. |
| A proposed solution would be to | Hire TG to build a software application for their customers and experts. Software application should efficiently track their daily physical activities. Application should track the data effectively to perform some analysis and provide some insights. |

Table 2: Product statement table

| For | PM's customers turned members | | |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Who want to | Connect with the fitness experts to get dedicated fitness recommendations from experts. | | |
| The product by TechGiants is a | Tracking and Mentoring services" Stay Fit" software application for PM customers turned members and experts | | |
| That | Acts as an intermediatory between the customer and expert replacing the dated paper daily tracks, monitors the user data intelligently and provide the user fitness logs to experts for evaluation and recommendations | | |
| Unlike | Dated paper which is exhausting for user to remember tracking their activities daily. the experts need to validate and analyze the dated papers with many difficulties such as incomplete data, inaccurate tracking etc. in an event of loss of paper on a day, the user's complete activity is lost and can never be recovered | | |



| Our product | Mobile application which connects fitness experts and customers virtually performs timely reminders for customers to log the data and send reports to experts. maintains an easy and efficient UI for the users and experts secures user data provides effective dashboards and insights to users provides ranking or badges and create a competitive fitness goal with peer participants |
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Elicitation and Requirement Tables to be Filled: Table 3: Elicitation and Analysis table

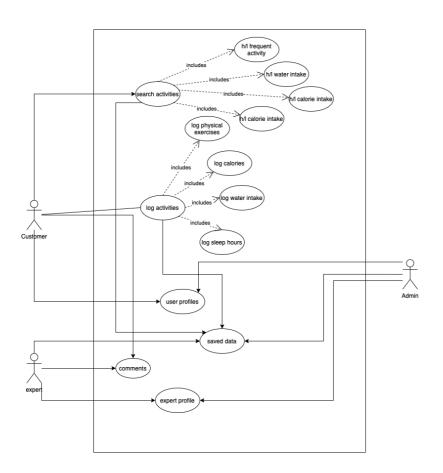
| Kind of stakeholder | Explanation/description | Responsibilities related to product | Responsibilities related to project |
|---------------------|--|---|--|
| Members | These are customers who became members by registering with the 'stay fit' service | Maintain a log of daily physical activities Share this log with experts each time the members meet with the experts | Feedback to SW engineers and designers through questionnaires, surveys, interviews, feedback, etc. |
| Experts | These are employees of PM group for "Stay Fit" program to guide customers | Analyze the activities reported by user and provide necessary recommendations and changes daily activities | Feedback to SW engineers and designers and PM management through questionnaires, surveys, interviews, feedback, etc. |
| PM top management | These are high level Executives who are responsible for "PersonalMentor" company | Analysis of product requirements. Developing business model foe application. Perform market analysis for current business and further expand product. | Collects the feedback from members, experts and analyze the feedback and make decisions on product/features improvement or new features. |
| TechGiants (TG) | These are the ones who are building the software application for PM management. | Responsible to build efficient application as suggested by PM management. Provide best solutions and user-friendly application to easily track and analyze daily activity. | Able to gather requirements from the product owner. deliver features on time. |



Table 4: A table with needs/requirements

| S# | Need/Requirement | Feature | Priority |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|----------|
| | | Search for the most frequent daily activity by name | High |
| 1 | Searching people's daily activities | Search for highest calorie intake by name | High |
| | | Search for water intake trends | High |
| | | Search for longest/shortest activity duration | High |
| 2 Log Activities by user | Log Activities by user | Log calorie intake taken by users | High |
| | | log water intake | High |
| | | Log physical activity metrics | High |
| | | Log daily exercise activities performed | High |
| | | Reminder notifications for logging data | Moderate |
| 3 | Analysis per user | View user logged data overview | High |
| | , , | Comments sections for experts to post user feedback | Moderate |
| | | Provide basic reports to experts from data collected | High |
| | | Show best customer performing under their wing | Low |
| | | Expert rankings/rating | Low |
| 4 | User details | Create, read, update, delete operations on customer details | High |
| | | Create, read, update, delete operations on expert details | High |
| | | Create, read, update, delete operations on admin details | High |

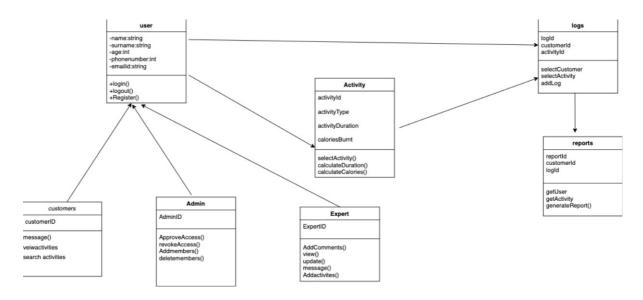
Use Case Diagram:



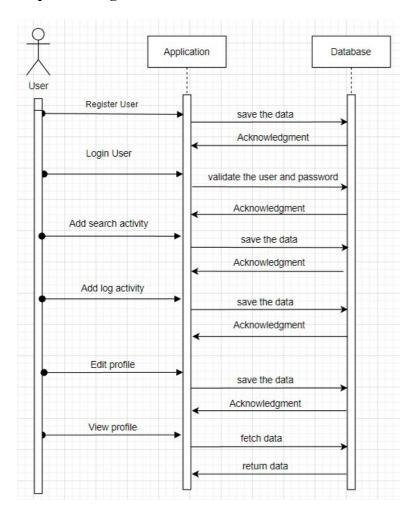


Class and Sequence Diagrams:

Class diagram:

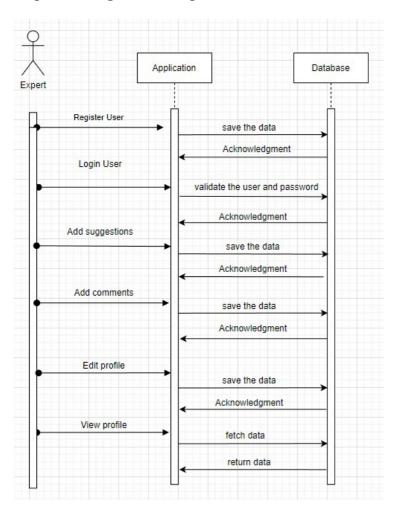


Sequence Diagram for User:





Sequence Diagram for Expert:



MP4 Video:

Must be prepared in MP4 format and uploaded on BB