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Name	Users specify input file	
ID	UC_001	
Description	Users specify the name of the file containing ballot records	
Actors	Users	
Organizational	Allows all ballots in a single election to be consolidated into one digital	
Benefits	entity, eliminating the need to manage physical ballots.	
Frequency of Use	Once per election	
Triggers	The user runs the program via the CLI	
Preconditions	-The specified file exists in the same directory as the program	
	-The program has permission to read the specified file	
Postconditions	-The program reads and parses input from the specified file	
Main Course	1. The user runs the program via the CLI.	
	2. The user specifies the name of a file that contains the desired	
	ballot records.	
	3. The program confirms the specified file exists in the same	
	directory as the program and it has permission to read the	
	contents (see EX1).	
	4. The program reads and parses input from the specified file.	
<b>Alternate Courses</b>	No alternate courses.	
Exceptions	EX1 The program determines that either the specified file does not	
	exist in the same directory as the program or the program does not have	
	permission to read the contents.	
	1. The program notifies the user of the specific error	
	2. Return user to Main Course step 2.	

Name	Users see results	
ID	UC_002	
Description	Users can see the information relating to the election as well as the	
	winner(s) on the CLI.	
Actors	Users	
Organizational	Increases productivity of organization by allowing them to quickly see	
Benefits	election results rather than having to derive the results manually.	
Frequency of Use	Mandatory. Once every successful run of the program.	
Triggers	The program finishes the ballot tallying phase.	
Preconditions	-The ballot tallying phase encountered no fatal errors.	
Postconditions	-The following information is visible on the CLI: type of election, the	
	number of candidates, the list of candidates and parties, the number of	
	seats (OPL only), the number of ballots, and the winner(s).	
Main Course	1. The program finishes the ballot tallying phase with no fatal	
	errors (see EX1).	
	2. Election information and its winner(s) are displayed to the CLI.	
<b>Alternate Courses</b>	No alternate courses.	
Exceptions	EX1 The program encounters fatal errors during the ballot tallying	
	phase.	
	1. The program notifies the user of the error.	
	2. Return to UC_001.	

Name	Users view audit file	
ID	UC 003	
Description	Users can open and view the audit file generated by the program.	
Actors	Users	
Organizational	Allows the organization a method of validating the election results	
Benefits	should there be a doubt on the integrity of the results.	
Frequency of Use	Anytime the user wishes to view the audit file.	
Triggers	The user opens the generated audit file.	
Preconditions	-The user is examining the directory in which the program resides.	
	-The audit file exists in the directory in which the program resides.	
	-The user has permission to read the contents of the audit file.	
Postconditions	-The contents of the audit file are visible to the user.	
Main Course	1. The user navigates to the directory in which the program	
	resides.	
	2. The user attempts to open the audit file generated (see AC1).	
	3. The local machine confirms that the user has permission to read	
	the contents of the audit file (see EX2).	
	4. The contents of the audit file are visible to the user.	
Alternate Courses	AC1 The user determines that the audit file does not exist in the	
	directory in which the program resides.	
	1. Return to UC_001	
Exceptions	EX1 The local machine determines that the user does not have	
	permission to read the contents of the audit file.	
	1. The local machine notifies the user of the permission	
	restriction.	
	2. The user somehow obtains the necessary permissions.	
	3. Return to Main Course step 2.	

Name	Tester runs the program
ID	UC 004
Description	Tester types in command line arguments to run the program or to run a
Description	testing script to compile and run the voting program
Actors	Testers
Organizational	Allows the user to verify the correctness and efficiency of the program
Benefits	so that it's verified to be performing correctly according to the project
Benefits	standards
Frequency of Use	Whenever the user wants to test the program
Triggers	The user types in a command-line arguments to run the voting program
	or run a script that runs the program being tested
Preconditions	- User is operating in a CSE lab machine
	- User is examining the directory in which the program resides
	- User has permission to write in the directory
Postconditions	- The election winner and the contents of the audit file are visible
	to the user
Main Course	1. The user navigates to the directory in which the program resides
	2. The user attempts to compile and run the program through
	command line argument "javac filename.java" or runs a testing
	script that'll do this job
	3. The local machine confirms that program files exist to compile
	and run them (see EX1)
	4. The local machine compiles the program files (see EX2)
	5. The local machine runs the program files so that user can verify
	the program's correctness (See AC1)
	6. The program outputs the winner on the command line and
	generates an audit file in the same working directory
Alternate Courses	AC1 The local machine can't run the program or it doesn't terminate
	1. Program is verified to be incorrect
Exceptions	EX1: The local machine determines that the program files aren't in the
	same directory
	1. The local machine notifies the user that the program files can't
	be found
	2. The user verifies that the program files are downloaded and
	placed in the same working directory
	3. Return to main course 1
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	1. User verifies that the local machine is running the most updated version of Java
	a. If the correct version is being used, the program is
	deemed to be incorrect
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	b. If not, update Java to its current versions and return to main course 1
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Name	Election official runs the program	
ID	UC 005	
Description	Election official(s) run the program by providing ballot files to the	
F	voting program to determine the election winner of an instant runoff	
	voting or open party listing voting election.	
Actors	Election official(s)	
Organizational	Allows the user to accurately and efficiently carry out instant runoff	
Benefits	voting and open party listing voting elections to elect a candidate	
	according to the public's expressed interest. By doing so, an unbiased	
	process is implemented to determine election winners and ensuring a	
	democratic process in society.	
Frequency of Use	Whenever an election is being finalized	
Triggers	The user types in a command-line arguments to run the voting program	
Preconditions	- User is operating in a CSE lab machine or local machine that	
	supports a system that has the program software integrated	
	within it	
	- User is examining the directory in which the program resides	
	- User has permission to run the voting program	
Postconditions	- The election winner and the contents of the audit file are visible	
	to the user	
Main Course	1. The user navigates to the directory in which the program resides	
	in	
	2. The user attempts to compile and run the program through a	
	command line argument "javac filename.java" or a GUI that	
	hasn't been designed yet	
	3. The local machine confirms that the program files exist to	
	compile and run them (see EX1)	
	<ul><li>4. The local machine compiles the program files (see EX2)</li><li>5. The local machine runs the program files (See AC1)</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>5. The local machine runs the program files (See AC1)</li><li>6. The program outputs the winner on the command line or GUI</li></ul>	
	and generates an audit file in the same working directory that	
	the program resides in	
Alternate Courses	AC1 The local machine can't run the program files or it doesn't	
Thermate Courses	terminate	
	1. The user makes sure that the installed software is capable of	
	running the program	
	2. Return to main course 1	
Exceptions	EX1: The local machine determines that the program files aren't in the	
T	same directory or don't exist	
	1. The local machine notifies the user that the program files can't	
	be found	
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- 2. The user verifies that the program files are downloaded and placed in the appropriate directory where they can be run
- 3. Return to main course 1

EX2: The local machine can't compile the program files

- 1. The user makes sure that the installed software is capable of running the program
- 2. Return to main course 1