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## 1. Introduction

### 1.1 Purpose

The purpose of System Design document is to translate the business requirements and business processes into a technical design that will be used to develop the application. It contains information about the system architecture and design considerations and provides several views of the system's design in order to facilitate communication and understanding of the system. It intends to capture and convey the significant architectural and design decisions that have been made for the system.

### 1.2 General Overview

“Job portal” is a web application that will help employees to find job online. The implementation of “job portal” will take a Model-View-Controller system architecture. MVC is popular as it isolates the application logic from the user interface layer and supports separation of concerns. Here the Controller receives all requests for the application and then works with the Model to prepare any data needed by the View. The View then uses the data prepared by the Controller to generate a final presentable response. Within these discrete tiers are separate, self-contained components that will have clear boundaries. This clear segregation of the system into sub-layers will help guarantee the maintainability of the system. By applying a 3-tier architecture, the application is expected to allow a fairly good performance in the aspect of manipulating and dynamically accessing the immense amount of data without affecting representation layers thus enhancing the maintainability of *job portal*. The choice of the MVC architectural model was with the aim of fulfilling another key element of the system’s requirements, which is security, to a greater margin. MVC provides a good foundation for implementing security components at the interfaces of each level.

### 1.3 Development Methods & Contingencies

The development of *job portal* system will include the following: frontend development will be written in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript the server side application is written in PHP5 The database system will be deploy on MySQL Server. This system will be running on Apache Web server.

## 2. System Architecture

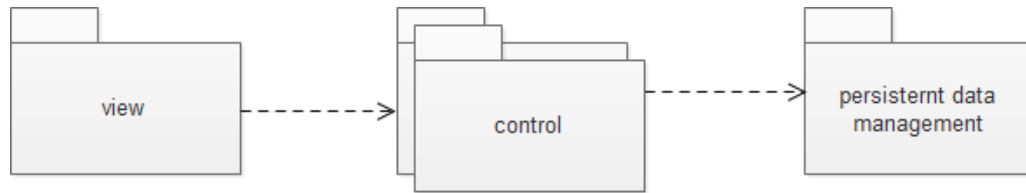


Figure 1 : system architecture

### 2.1 Subsystem decomposition

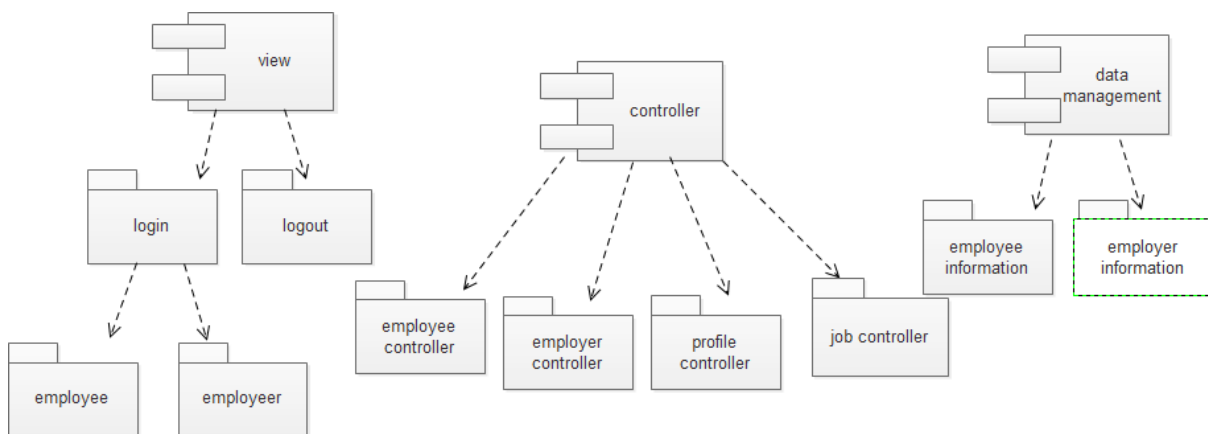


Figure 2 : subsystem decomposition

## 2.2 Hardware/software mapping

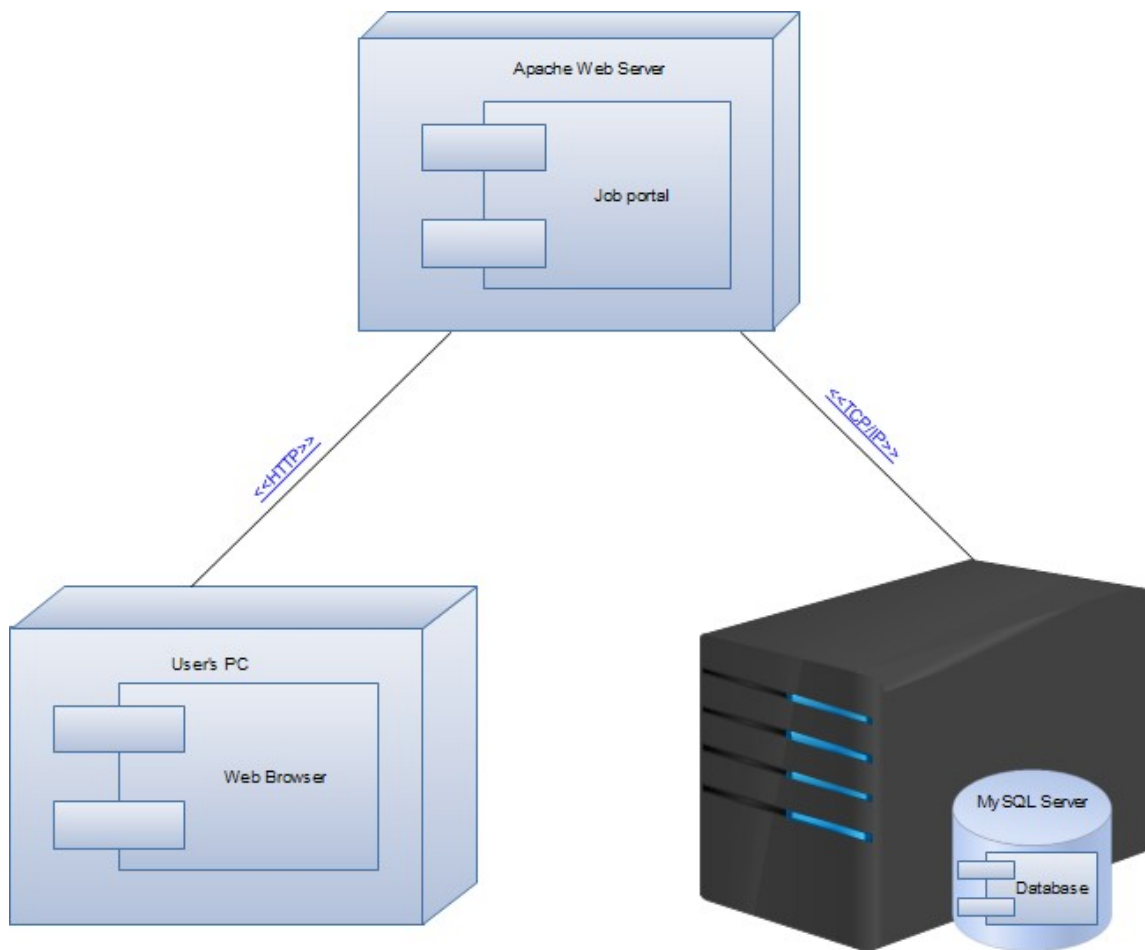


Figure 3 : hardware and software mapping

### 3. Object Model

#### 3.1 Class Diagram

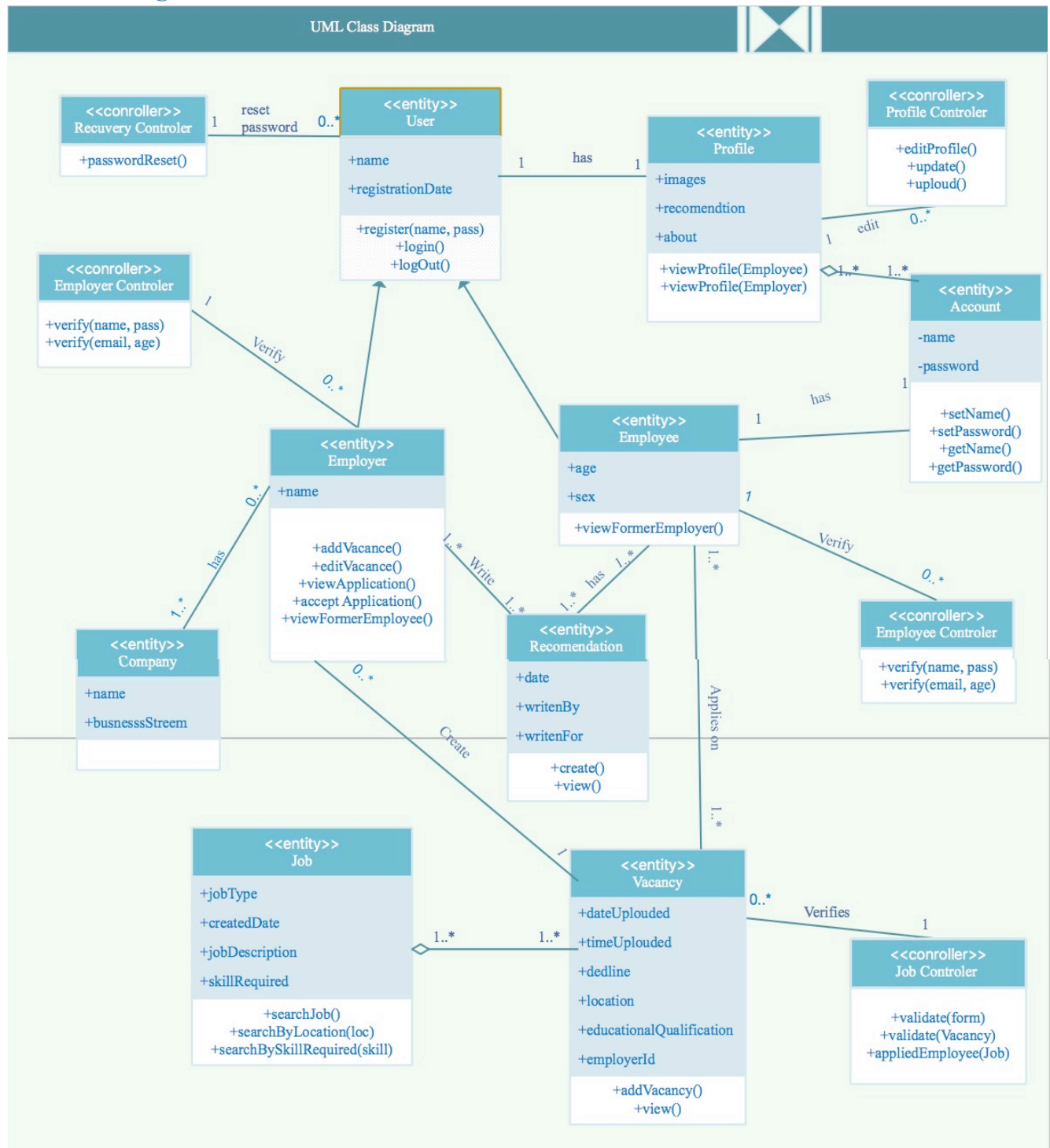


Figure 4 : class diagram



### 3.2 Sequence Diagram

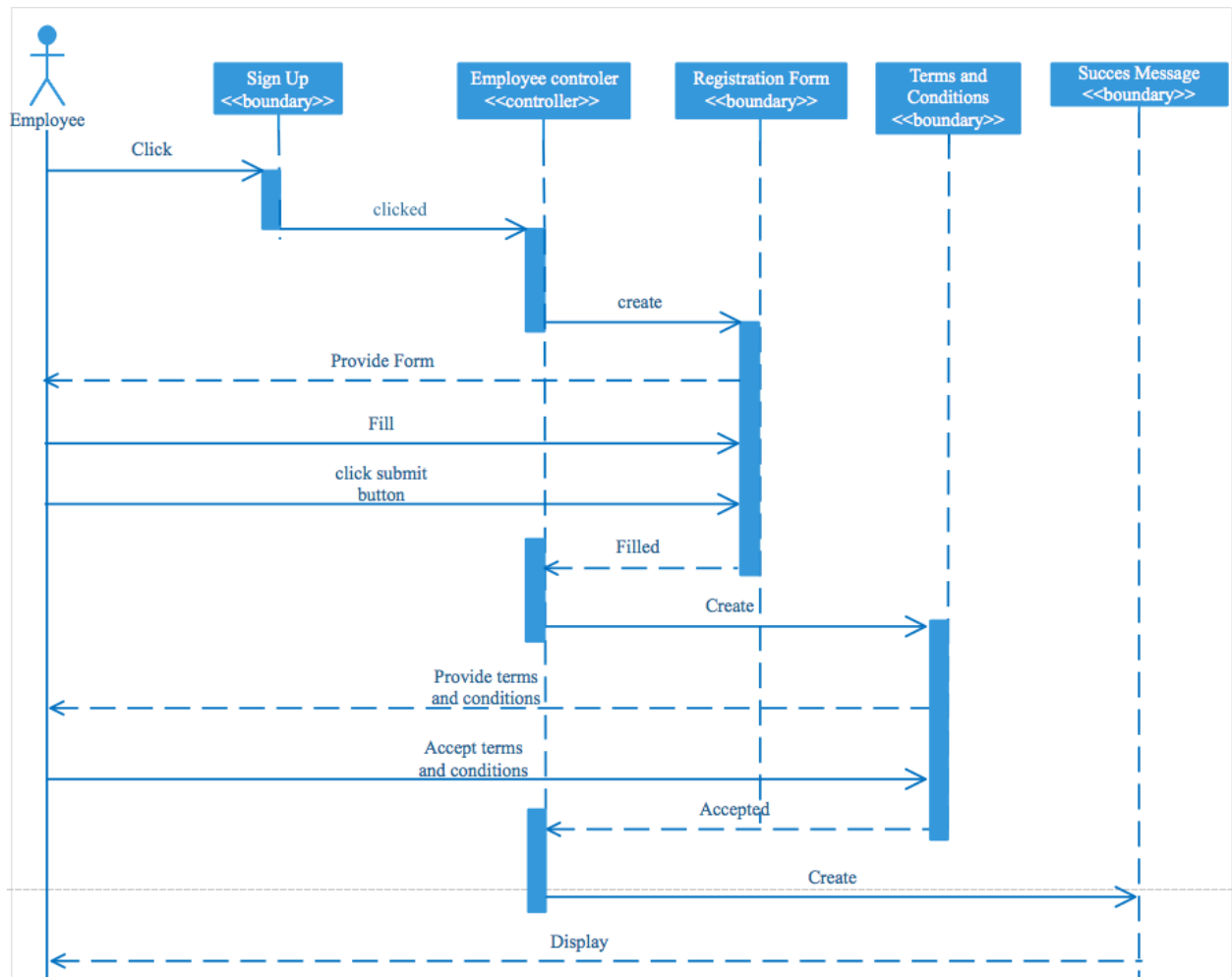


Figure 5 : register employee

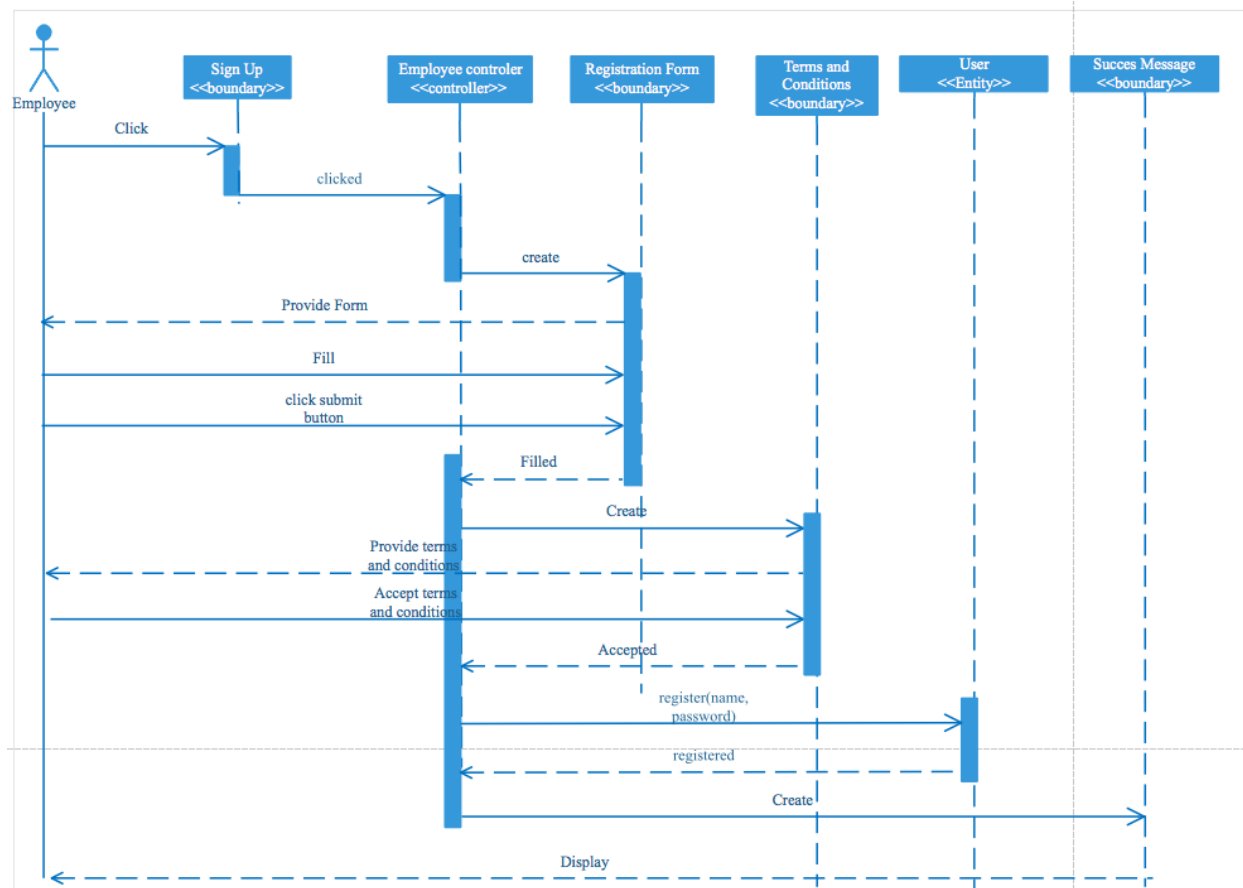


Figure 6 : employee signs up

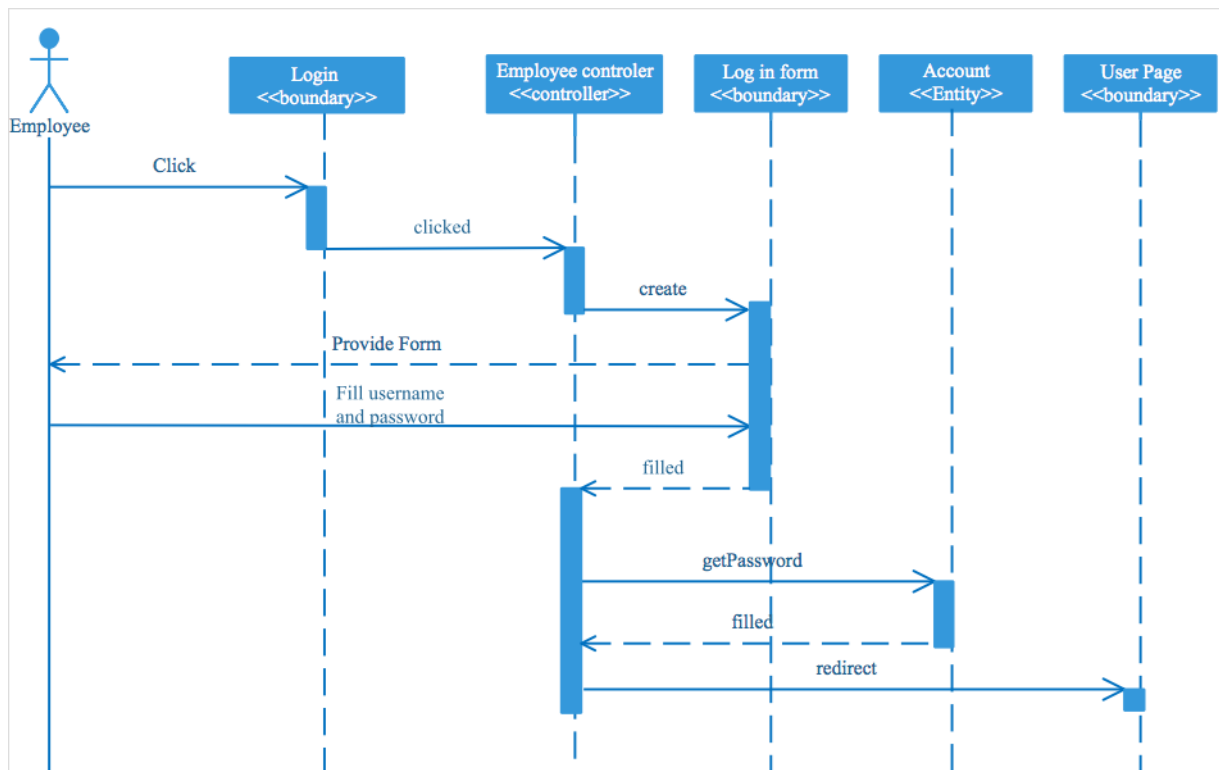


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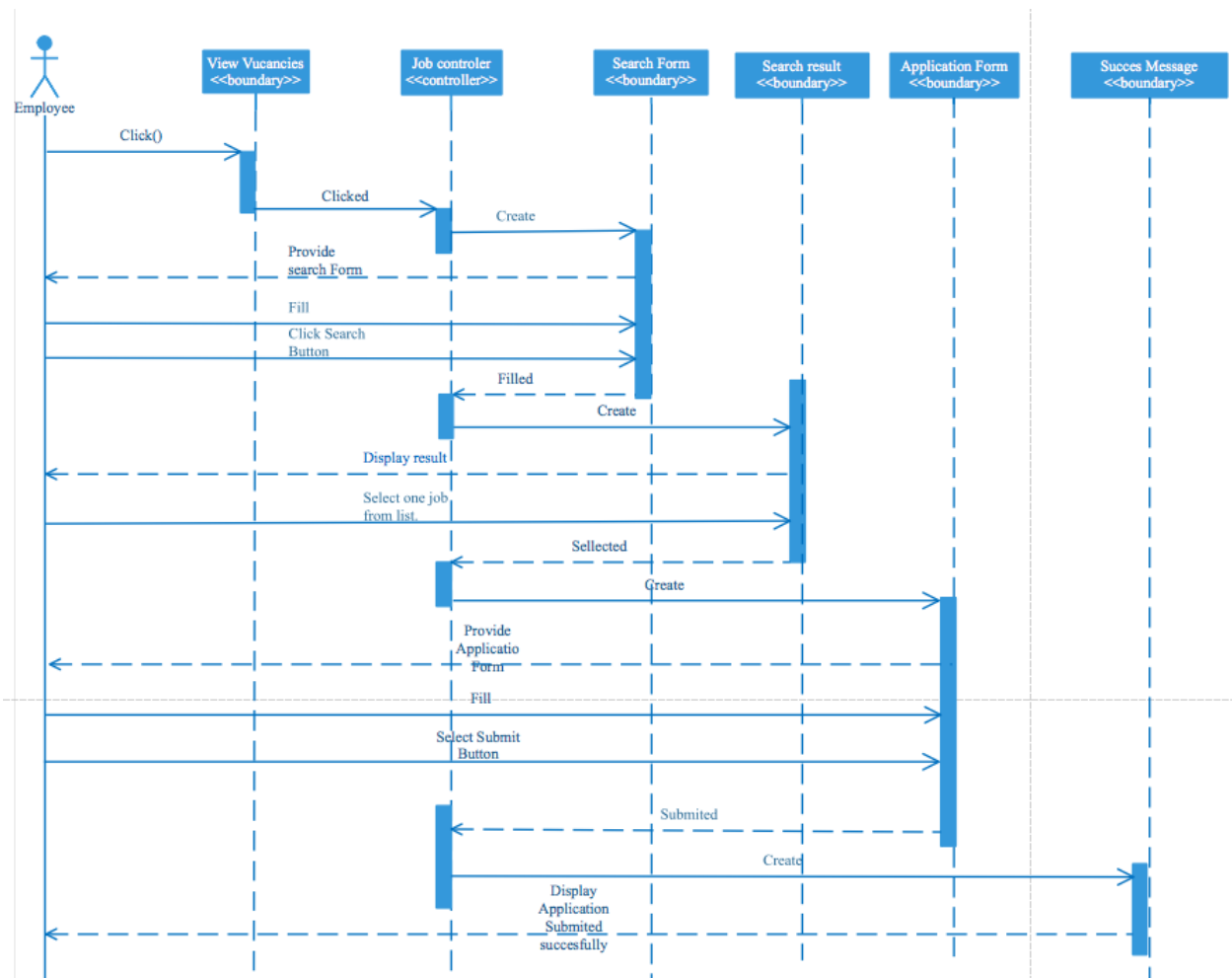


Figure 8 : apply for job

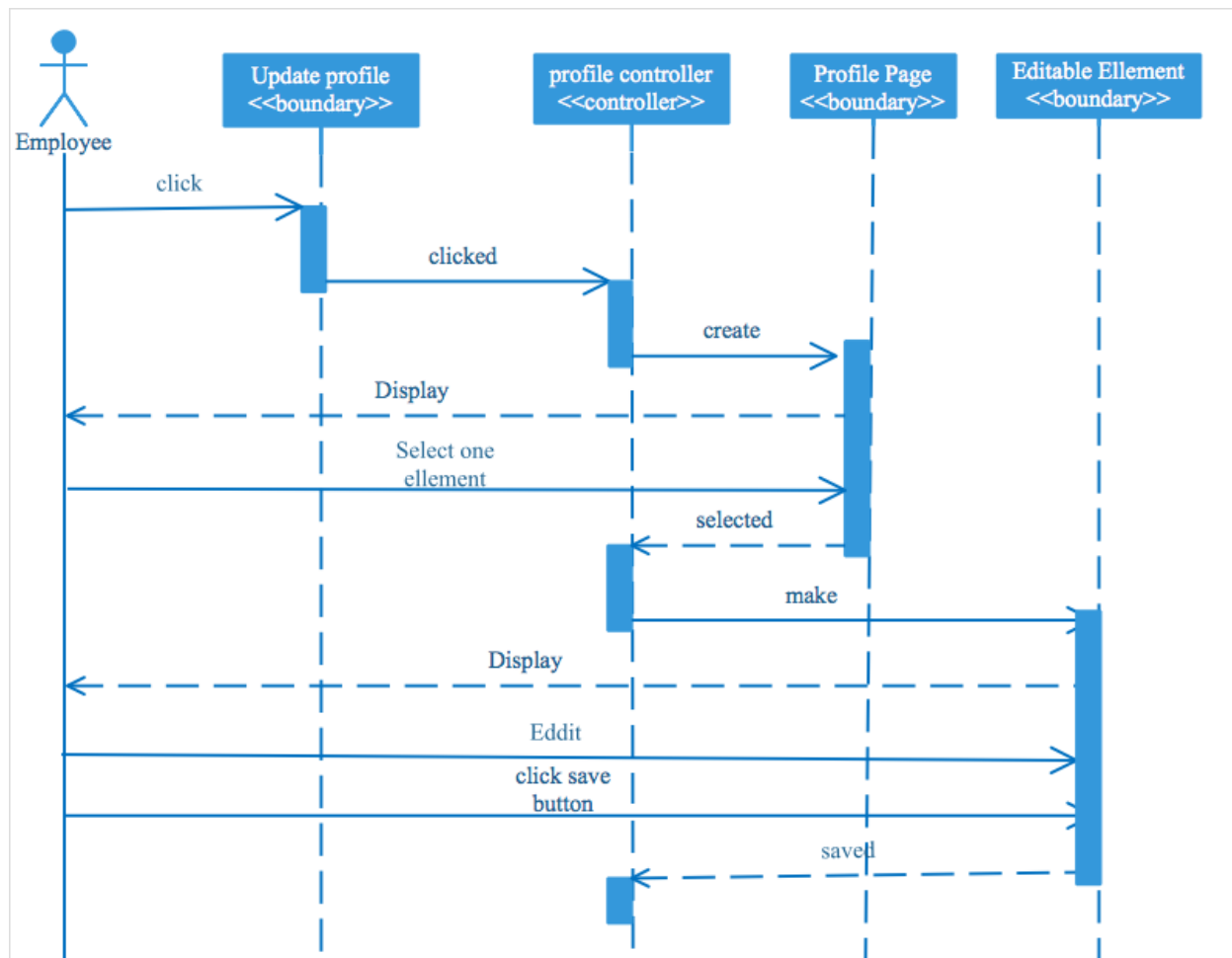


Figure 9 : employee updates profile

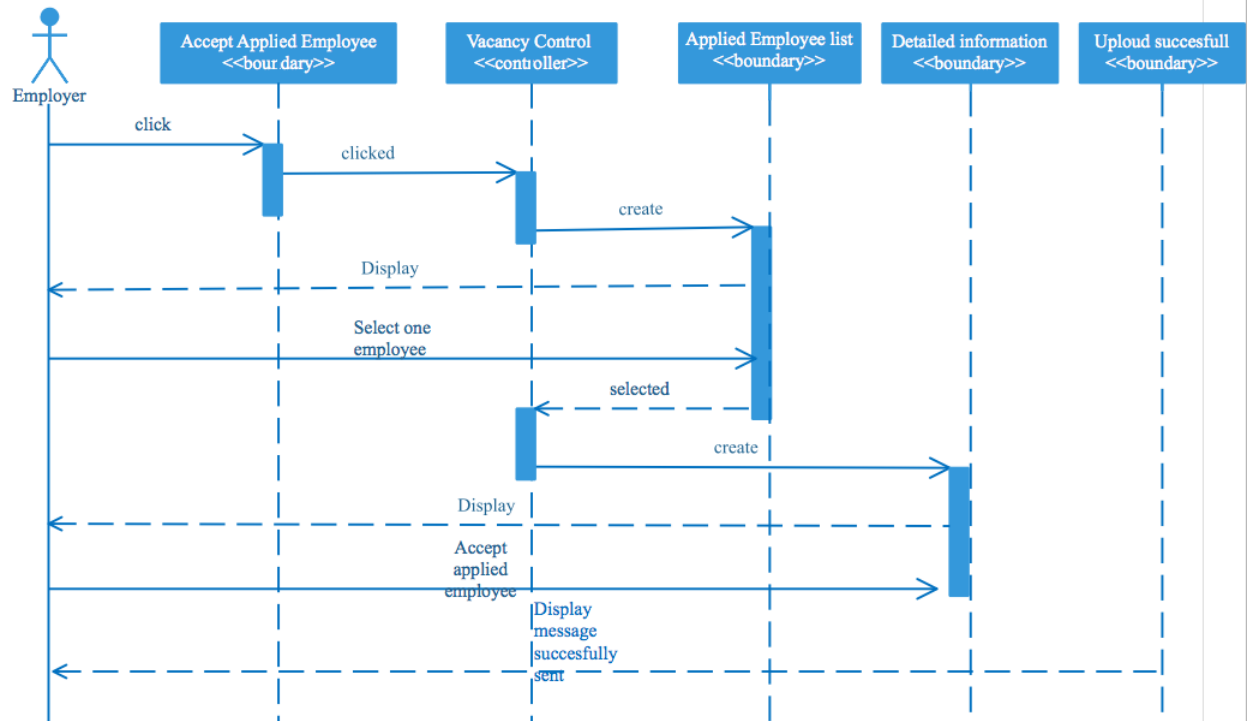


Figure 10 : accept application

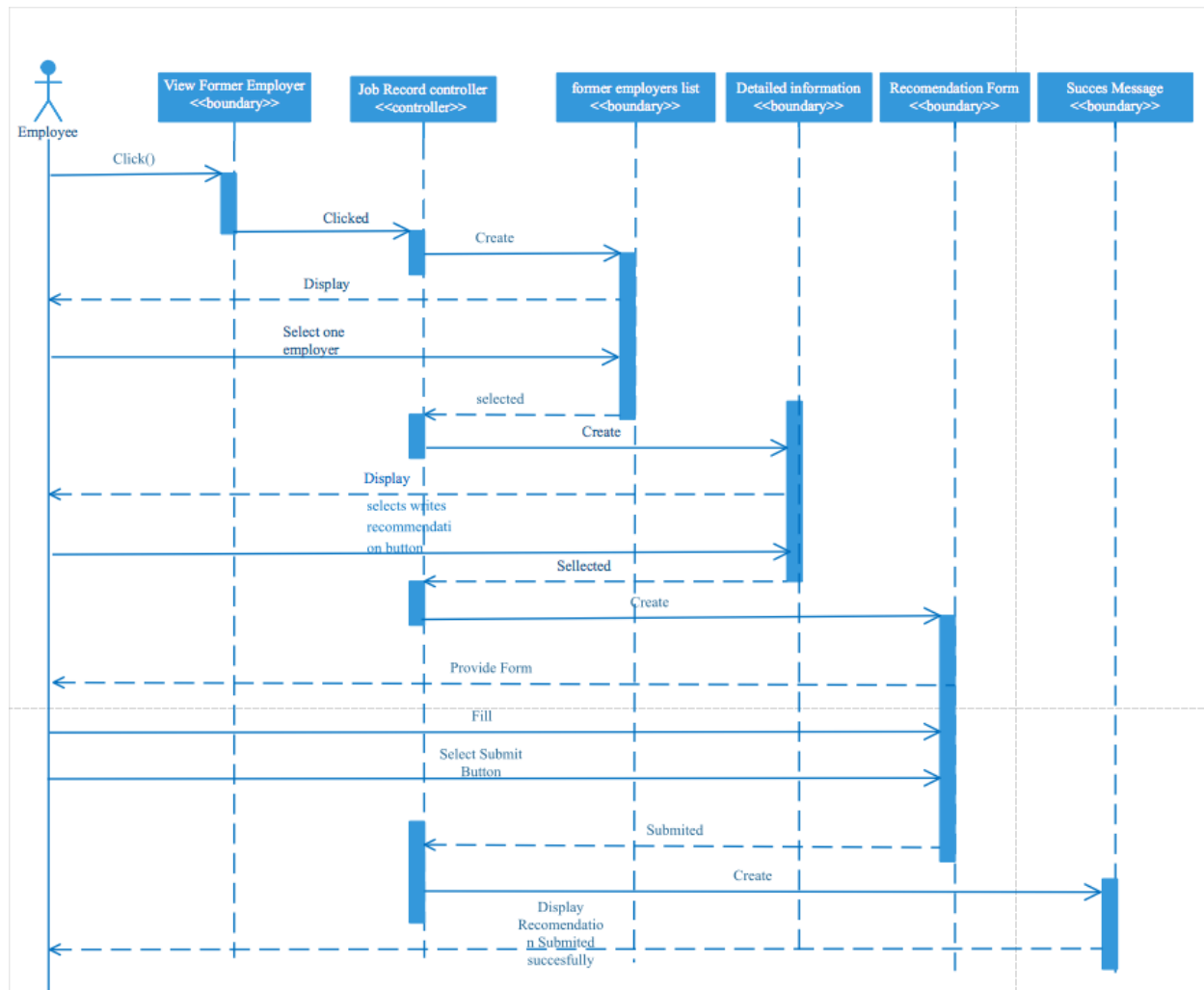


Figure 11 : employee writes recommendation

## 4. Detailed Design

*Table 1 User class*

| User   |
|--|
| +Id: string<br>+Name: string<br>Password: string<br>Email: string<br>Phone number: Integer<br>Country: String<br>City: string<br>Registration date: string |
| login()<br>logout()  |

*Table 2 Attributes description for User class*

| Attribute | Type    | Visibility | Invariant   |
|-----------|---------|------------|---|
| User Id   | Integer | Public     | User Id $\diamond$ NULL and must start with either “JS” or “EM”.  |
| Name      | String  | Public     | Name $\diamond$ NULL and must contain only strings, and the number of characters must not exceed 30.  |
| Password  | String  | Private    | Password $\diamond$ NULL and <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ must be at least 8 characters</li><li>✓ can’t have above 25 characters</li><li>✓ must contain at least one symbol, uppercase character</li></ul> |



|                   |         |        |  |
|-------------------|---------|--------|--|
|                   |         |        | or space   |
| Email             | String  | Public | Email $\diamond$ NULL and <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Must contain @</li> <li>✓ Must contain. (dot)</li> <li>✓ Position of @ &gt;1</li> <li>✓ Position of (dot)&gt;position of @ + 2</li> <li>✓ Position of (dot)+3&lt;= total length of email address and the total character of the Email is at least 5 characters</li> </ul> |
| Phone Number      | Integer | Public | Phone Number $\diamond$ NULL and must be 10 digits and must start by +251/09   |
| Country           | String  | Public | Country $\diamond$ NULL and must be one of pre-defined countries   |
| City              | String  | Public | City $\diamond$ NULL and must be one of pre-defined cities   |
| Registration date | Date    | Public | Registration date $\diamond$ NULL and must be in dd-mm-yyyy format   |

*Table 3 Operation description for User class*

| Operation | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                         | Post Condition                        |
|-----------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| login     | Public     | void        | User should be browsing the homepage. | User's account page should be opened. |
| logout    | Public     | void        | User's account page should be opened. | User's account page should be closed. |

*Table 4 Jobseeker class*

|              |
|--------------|
| <b>User</b>  |
| Age: Integer |

|            |
|------------|
| Sex:String |
|            |

*Table 5 Attributes description for Jobseeker class*

| Attribute | Type    | Visibility | Invariant  |
|-----------|---------|------------|--|
| Age       | Integer | Public     | Age <> NULL and must be 14 or above.               |
| Sex       | String  | Public     | Sex <> NULL and must be either “male” or “female”. |

*Table 6 Operation description for Jobseeker class*

| Operation | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                         | Post Condition                        |
|-----------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| login     | Public     | void        | User should be browsing homepage.     | User’s account page should be opened. |
| logout    | Public     | void        | User’s account page should be opened. | User’s account page should be closed. |

*Table 7 Employer class*

|  |
|--|
| <b>User</b>  |
| +Level: string   |
| +Addvacancy ()<br>+Editvacancy ()<br>+View application()<br>+Accept application () |

*Table 8 Attributes description for Employer class*

| Attribute | Type   | Visibility | Invariant   |
|-----------|--------|------------|---|
| Level     | String | Public     | Level $\neq$ NULL and must be either “Individual” or “Company”. |

*Table 9 Operation description for Employer class*

| Operation         | Visibility | Return type | Argument    | Pre-Condition                           | Post Condition                  |
|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Addvacancy        | Public     | void        | Job         | The employer must login in the system.  | Vacancy will be posted.         |
| Editvacancy       | Public     | void        | none        | Vacancy should exist.                   | Updated vacancy will exist.     |
| ViewApplication   | Public     | void        | Application | Application for a vacancy should exist  | Application should be viewed.   |
| AcceptApplication | Public     | void        | Application | Application for a vacancy should viewed | Application should be accepted. |

*Table 10 Attributes description for Account class*

| Attribute | Type   | Visibility | Invariant  |
|-----------|--------|------------|--|
| Name      | String | Public     | Name $\neq$ NULL and must contain only strings.  |
| Password  | String | Private    | Password $\neq$ NULL and <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ must be at least 8 characters</li> <li>✓ can't have above 25 characters</li> <li>✓ must contain at least one symbol, uppercase character or space</li> </ul> |

*Table 11 Operation description for Account class*

| Operation | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                            | Post Condition                  |
|-----------|------------|-------------|--|---------------------------------|
| Create    | Public     | Void        | User should access the job portal.       | User's account will be created. |
| View      | Public     | Void        | User must log in to the created account. | User will view his/her account. |

*Table 12 Attributes description for Profile class*

| Attribute      | Type                          | Visibility | Invariant  |
|----------------|-------------------------------|------------|--|
| Images         | Supported Format (PNG,JPG...) | Public     | NULL   |
| Recommendation | String                        | Public     | NULL   |
| About          | String                        | Public     | About $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings and characters. |

*Table 13 Operation description for Profile class*

| Operation    | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                      | Post Condition     |
|--------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| View profile | Public     | void        | The user must login in the system. | Profile is viewed. |

*Table 14 Attributes description for Company class*

| Attribute       | Type   | Visibility | Invariant   |
|-----------------|--------|------------|---|
| Name            | String | Public     | Name $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings and Characters. |
| Business stream | String | Public     | Business stream $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings.     |

*Table 15 Attributes description for Job class*

| Attribute       | Type   | Visibility | Invariant  |
|-----------------|--------|------------|--|
| Job type        | String | Public     | Job type $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings.                     |
| Created date    | Date   | Public     | Created date $\neq$ NULL and must contain Integers and characters. |
| Job description | String | Public     | Job description $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings.              |
| Skill required  | String | Public     | Skill required $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings.               |

*Table 16 Operation description for Job class*

| Operation  | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                | Post Condition                    |
|------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Search Job | Public     | Void        | User should search for jobs. | Search results will be displayed. |

*Table 17 Attributes description for Recommendation class*

| Attribute   | Type   | Visibility | Invariant   |
|-------------|--------|------------|---|
| Date        | Date   | Public     | Date $\neq$ NULL, must be in dd-mm-yyyy format.   |
| Written for | String | Public     | Written for $\neq$ NULL and must contain strings. |

*Table 18 Operational description for Recommendation class*

| Operation | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition                            | Post Condition                  |
|-----------|------------|-------------|--|---------------------------------|
| Create    | Public     | Void        | User should access the job portal.       | User's account will be created. |
| View      | Public     | Void        | User must log in to the created account. | User will view his/her account. |

*Table 19 Attributes description for vacancy class*

| Attribute                 | Type   | Visibility | Invariant   |
|---------------------------|--------|------------|---|
| Date uploaded             | Date   | Public     | Date $\diamond$ NULL, must be in dd-mm-yyyy format.         |
| Time uploaded             | Date   | Public     | Date $\diamond$ NULL, must be in dd-mm-yyyy format.         |
| Deadline                  | Date   | Public     | Date $\diamond$ NULL, must be in dd-mm-yyyy format.         |
| Location                  | String | Public     | Location $\diamond$ NULL and must contain strings.          |
| Educational qualification | String | Public     | Educational qualification $\diamond$ NULL                   |
| Employer ID               | String | Public     | Id $\diamond$ NULL and must start with either “JS” or “EM”. |

*Table 20 Operation description for vacancy class*

| Operation   | Visibility | Return type | Pre-Condition              | Post Condition              |
|-------------|------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Add Vacancy | Public     | void        | The employer adds vacancy. | New vacancy will be posted. |

