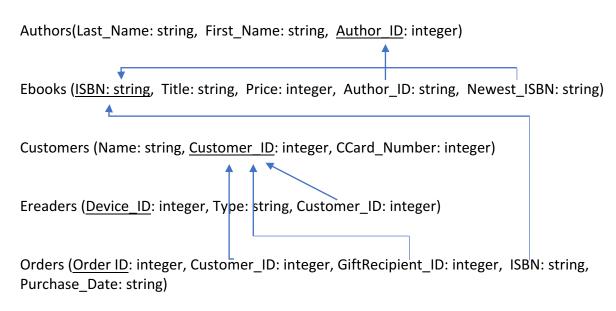
James Valles CSC 453 Homework #1

- 1. (Reading). Complete
- 2. Relational Schema

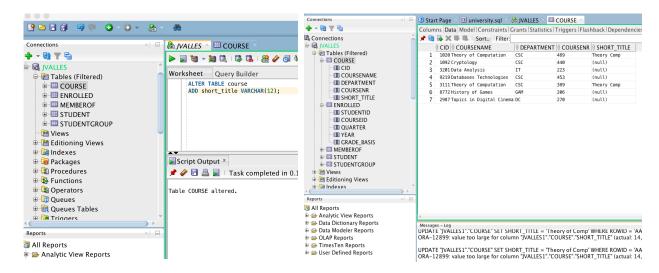


3.

a. Added a field called **short_title** to store an alternative short name for each course. To do that I entered the following:

ALTER TABLE course ADD short_title VARCHAR(12);

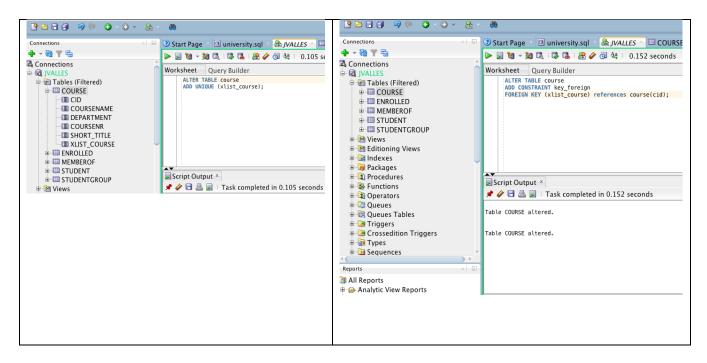
I did VARCHAR(12) to reduce the number of characters by almost half, since it is the short title. It appears this was correct as I see the field short_title in the Course table.



b. Cross-listing courses. Adding a new field called **xlist_course** which is foreign key referencing **CID**.

ALTER TABLE course
ADD xlist_course NUMBER(4,0);

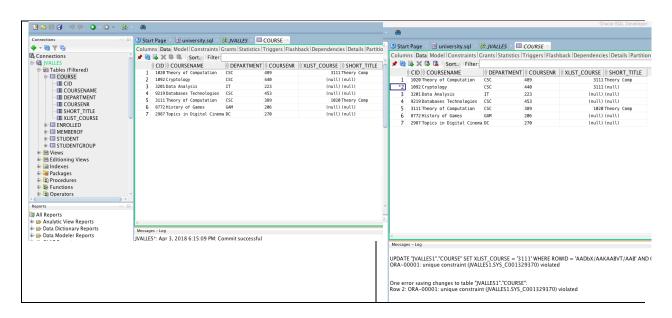
ALTER TABLE course
ADD CONSTRAINT key_foreign
FOREIGN KEY (xlist_course) references course(cid);



Will set Unique constraint to allow only at most one cross list per course. By default, if no cross list, null can be used.

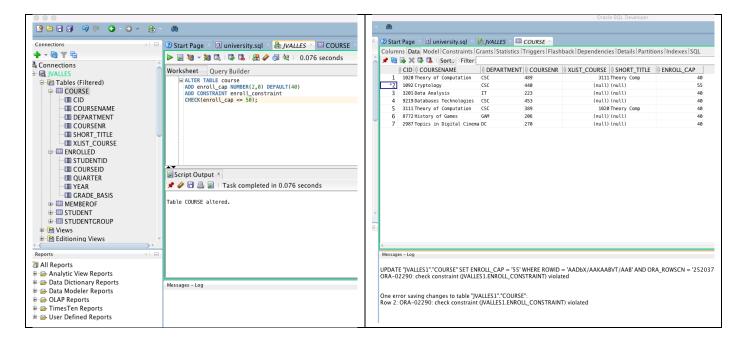
ALTER TABLE course ADD unique (xlist_course);

Output below:



c. Adding **enroll_cap** field to the course table. Setting default to 40. Adding check constraints to place a cap on enrollments <= 50.

ALTER TABLE course
ADD enroll_cap NUMBER(2,0) DEFAULT(40)
ADD CONSTRAINT enroll_constraint
CHECK(enroll_cap <= 50);



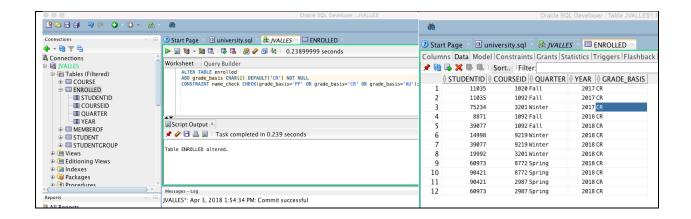
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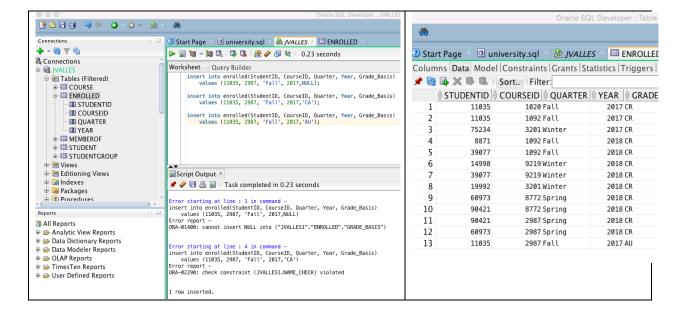
Adding column **grade_basis**, setting default value to **CR**, adding constraint to not allow null values, and checking to making sure values entered can only be **PR**, **CR**, or **AU**.

ALTER TABLE enrolled

ADD grade_basis CHAR(2) DEFAULT('CR') NOT NULL

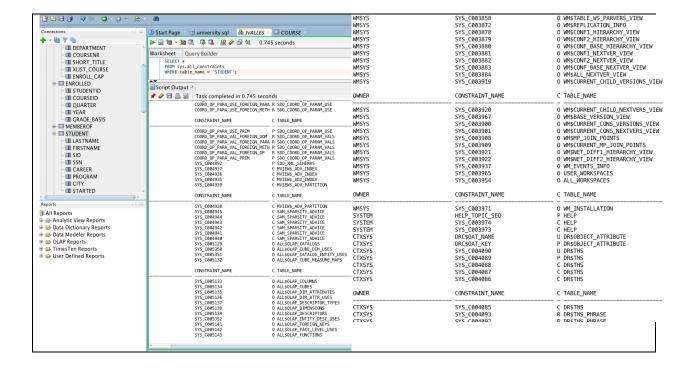
CONSTRAINT name_check CHECK(grade_basis='PF' OR grade_basis='CR' OR grade_basis='AU');



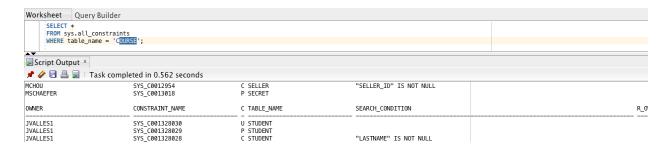


4.

a. I don't see any specific records from the Student table (such as LastName, SID, SSN, etc) There is so much information: owner, constraint_name, c table_name, search condition, etc. This is a table which displays all constraint metadata for the table. It is very hard to read, but has information on owner of constraint, name of constraint, type of constraint, when a constraint was last changed, etc. Very cool!



b. Yes, I can see the constraints I added for 3c and 3d.



I see the enroll_cap (enrollment cap constraint) I set. Enroll_cap <= 50. Additionally, for 3d. I see NAME CHECK constraint for grade_basis='PF' OR grade_basis='CR' OR grade_basis='AU'. The metadata information shows the owner: me (jvalles1), the constraint name, the table affected, the search condition, etc.

IWNER	CONSTRAINT_NAME	C TABLE_NAME	SEARCH_CONDITION
VALLES1	SYS_C001328030	U STUDENT	
VALLES1	SYS C001328029	P STUDENT	
VALLES1	SYS_C001328028	C STUDENT	"LASTNAME" IS NOT NULL
VALLES1	ENROLL_CONSTRAINT	C COURSE	enroll_cap <= 50
VALLES1	SYS_C001329370	U COURSE	
VALLES1	KEY_FOREIGN	R COURSE	
VALLES1	SYS_C001328031	P COURSE	
VALLES1	SYS_C001328034	R STUDENTGROUP	
VALLES1	SYS_C001328033	U STUDENTGROUP	
VALLES1	SYS C001328032	P STUDENTGROUP	
VALLES1	NAME_CHECK	C ENROLLED	grade_basis='PF' OR grade_basis='CR' OR grade_basis='AU'

OWNER	CONSTRAINT_NAME	C	TABLE_NAME	SEARCH_CONDITION
JVALLES1 JVALLES1 JVALLES1 JVALLES1	SYS_C001328031 KEY_FOREIGN SYS_C001329370 ENROLL_CONSTRAINT	R U	COURSE COURSE COURSE COURSE	enroll_cap <= 50