

# **THIS SECTION HAS DONE BY MOQBEL AND FUAD**

## **Section B: Problem Analysis**

### **Objects and Classes**

#### **CLASS : Person**

##### **Attributes:**

- name
- gender

#### **CLASS : USER**

##### **Attributes:**

- userID
- email
- password
- preferences (genres, actors, directors)
- Movies (Movie class object)

##### **Methods:**

- register()
- login()
- updatePreferences()
- viewRecommendations()
- rateMovie()

## **CLASS : Movie**

### **Attributes:**

- movieID
- title
- genres (Genre class object)
- director
- cast
- releaseDate
- ratings (Rating class object)

### **Methods:**

- getDetails()
- calcRating()
- addRating()

## **CLASS : RecommendationSystem**

### **Attributes:**

- recommendationAlgorithm (collaborative filtering)

### **Methods:**

- generateRecommendations(userID)
- updateAlgorithm(algorithmType)

## **CLASS : Rating**

### **Attributes:**

- ratingID
- userID
- movieID
- score
- review

### **Methods:**

- addRating()
- updateRating()
- getAverageRating(movieID)

## **CLASS : Genre**

### **Attributes:**

- genreID
- type

### **Methods:**

- getMoviesByGenre()
- addMovieToGenre()

### **CLASS : Director**

#### **Attributes:**

- directorID

#### **Methods:**

- getMoviesByDirector()

### **CLASS : Actor**

#### **Attributes:**

- actorID

#### **Methods:**

- getMoviesByActor()

## **1- Identify Class Relationships**

### **Association Relationships:**

**User and Movie:** Users can rate multiple movies and view recommendations.

**Justification:** Each user interacts with the movie database through ratings and preferences, which are essential for generating personalized recommendations.

**Movie and Rating:** Movies have multiple ratings associated with them.

**Justification:** Ratings given by users are stored and associated with movies to calculate average ratings and improve recommendation accuracy.

**Recommendation System and User:** The recommendation system generates personalized movie suggestions for users.

**Justification:** The core functionality of the system is to provide personalized recommendations based on user data and preferences.

**Movie and Genre:** Movies belong to one or more genres.

**Justification:** Genre classification helps in content-based filtering and enhances the recommendation process.

### **Inheritance Relationships:**

**Person (Base Class) -> User, Director, Actor**  
**(Derived Classes)**

**Justification:** Users, directors, and actors share common attributes like name and unique IDs, which can be generalized into a base class to avoid redundancy and promote code reuse.

### **Justification of Relationships**

#### **Association Relationships:**

Users interact with movies primarily through ratings, which are crucial for generating recommendations. Thus, the User-Movie association is necessary for capturing user feedback and preferences.

The Movie-Rating association is fundamental for maintaining a record of all ratings given to a movie, enabling the system to calculate average ratings and use them in the recommendation algorithm.

The Recommendation System-User association is justified as the recommendation system needs user data to generate personalized suggestions.

Associating movies with genres helps in filtering and categorizing movies, improving the accuracy of content-based recommendations.

#### **Inheritance Relationships:**

Generalizing common attributes and methods into a base class (Person) for users, directors, and actors simplifies the system design and enhances maintainability by reducing code duplication.