Graduate Student Information System (gSIMS) Walkthrough

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Project Inception

- Advisor: Dr. Hanif Ladak
- Concerned with managing students in the graduate program for BioMedical Physics.
- Current system has lots of problems.
 - Calculations and updates are mostly manual.
 - Need to keep the paper copies of meetings.
 - Takes lots of time to create reports.
 - Hard to track when a student must have a requirement done.



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Current System

Demo of the Current System.

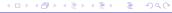


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Project Organization

Two components of the problem:

- (ECE4416) Business rules:
 - Graduate program milestones and dataflow.
 - Direct interaction with the User.
- (SE4450) Technical requirements:
 - Provide the functionality for the User Interfaces.
 - Adhere to required constraints.



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Proposal

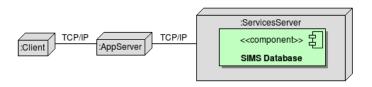


Figure: The proposed system



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Interfaces

- Graphical User Interface:
 - The implementation of the Business Rules defined as HTML pages.
- Electrical User Interface:
 - Collect signatures from a Wacom © Tablet and store securely in the DataBase.





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Graphical User Interface

Specific requirements for the view of the Web Pages:

 Set of HTML pages that are to be the template of the system.



Figure: Sample GUI provided
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Electrical Device Interface

- Provide an interface for the User to sign on the screen.
- On the client side acquire a bitmap of the signature and encrypt the bitmap data.
- The image should be viewable only by the user who signed and the graduate admin.



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Conceptual Model of the Student



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Critical Assumptions



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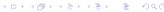
REST Web Applications



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Role Based Authentication



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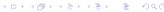


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Integration Testing

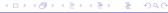
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System Integration Testing



Summary

- Requirements and Analysis has received direct user feedback.
- Architecture based of the Analysis has been clarified and prototyped.
- The iterative Software Life Cycle has produced useful work quickly and with less effort.
- A strong emphasis on 3 testing levels is present from the starting.

