

System Architecture for Quarters

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Revision History

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January 5, 2016	Created first draft.
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1 Introduction and Overview

This document provides a general overview as to how Quarters was built. Lists of anticipated and unlikely changes begin the document followed by the design of the system architecture. The system architecture was designed in a modular manner to support information hiding and is laid out here through the use of diagrams. In the Detailed Design document Quarters' system architecture is decomposed and the design details explained based on the Software Requirements Specifications (SRS) document.

2 Anticipated Changes

1. **Design of user interface:** The user interface is expected to change based on feedback from users during usability testing. The interface is expected to change in ways that better support usability principles.
2. **Removal of features:** Some features are expected to be removed based on user feedback. If usability testing indicates that a specific feature would not be utilized then it should be removed.

3 Unlikely Changes

1. **Login via social media:** Allows the user to login using accounts from other services such as Facebook, Gmail, Twitter, etc.
2. **Live chat:** A platform for real-time communication between users who are currently logged on to Quarters.

4 Decomposition into Components

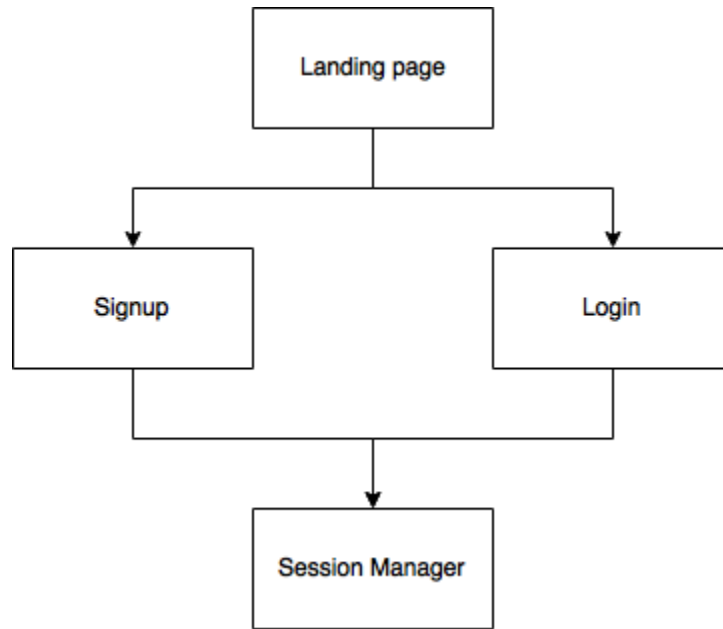


Figure 1: Authentication control flow

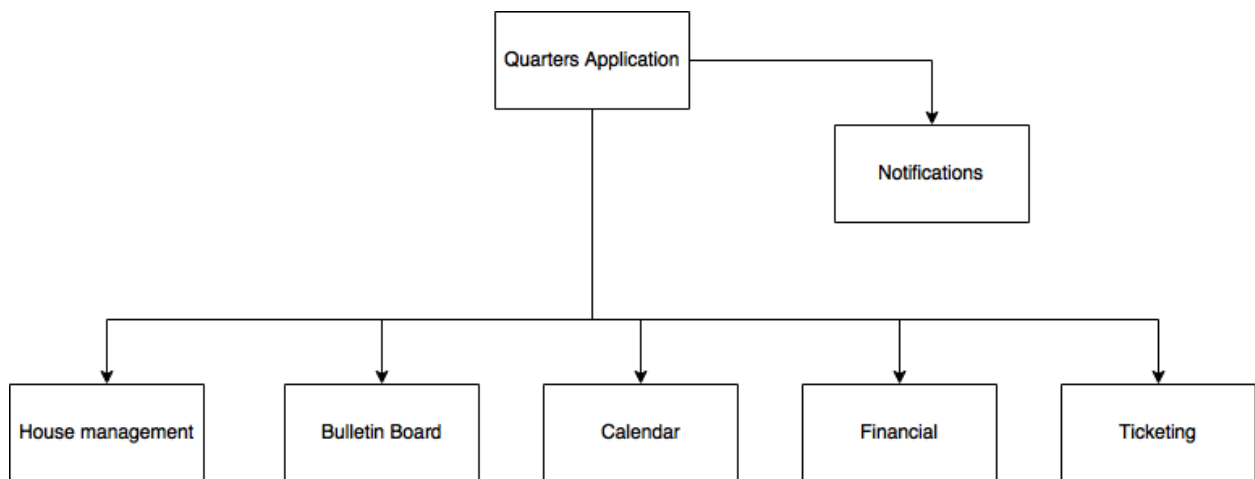


Figure 2: Demonstrates the flow of requirements within the Javascript modules