REGISTER PHASE



If user did not register, login button is disable. User can not login before register.

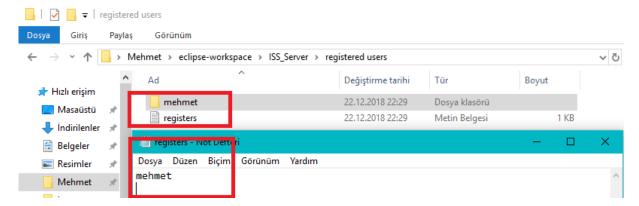


When user tries to register, server checks username if there is a registered user with same name, server refuse registration. If username is appropriate, then client side application creates public and private key pairs. Then send public key to the server, server certificates the public key with his/her username and send back to client. Client takes certificate and verifies it. If verify is successful, public key, private key and username stored in client's computer.

Server, if register is successful, for each registered user:

Appends the username to register.txt file

And creates a folder by name of username



In the folder which is created by username

There is two folder image and notification

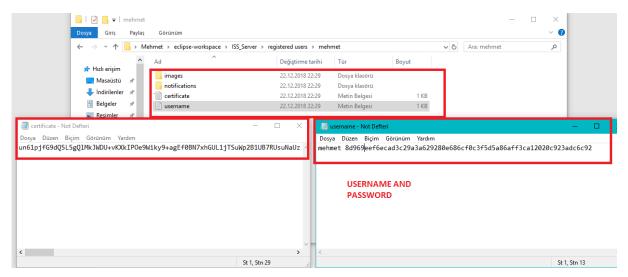
In the image folder, keept uploaded files for the user

(encrypted Aes key and encrypted IV)

In the notification folder, ketp notifications for the user

Certificate of the user stored in certificate.txt file

Username and password stored in username.txt file



Register features:

Can not register same name.

Can not login before register.

If certificate is not verified does not register.

LOGIN PHASE

In the client's pc, in the username.txt file there can be only one username. Application catch username from username.txt file and writes it to the field. Then, disable to edit the field. Client enters password to the field and clicks on login button. Server checks first username and password if it is correct then checks user online or not. If everything is ok clients logs in the server.



Also, if there is someting in the username.txt file register button is disabled.

Login features

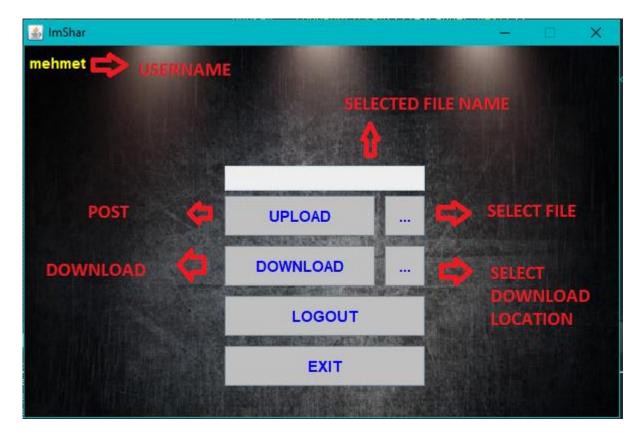
In this design, there is some advantages and disadvantages

Advantages:

Looking in terms of security, user can only login where the user is registered. Even, trudy knows password she can not login because can not login before register.

Disadvantages:

User can not login in another computer. Also, if he/she logs out can not login in any computer.



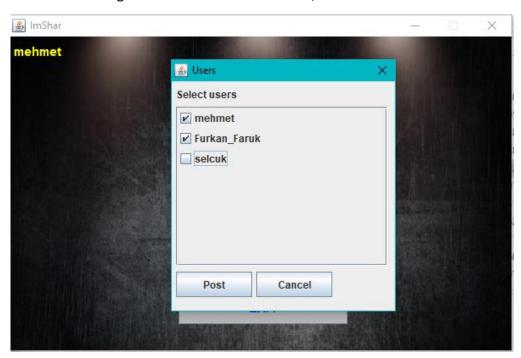
POST FILE PHASE

Post phase has 2 steps.

First step

Select a file from pc and click on upload button

At the background, client send file name to server. Server checks availability of file name. If it is available user get user list from server. Then, creates checkboxes.



Second step

User select the user, he/she want to post. Then clicks on post button.

At the background, client does as follow:

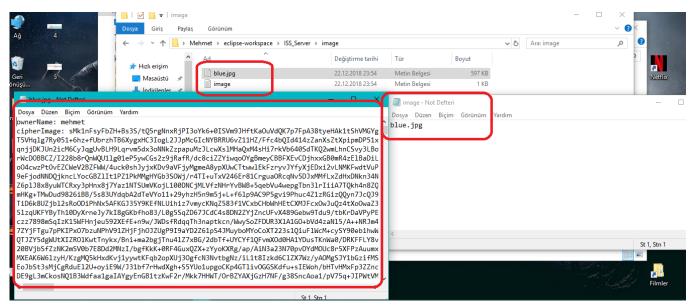
- Generates 16 bytes symmetric key and IV.
- Convert file to string.
- Encrypt the string with AES by the symmetric key and IV
- Take hash function of string (not encrypted one) and encrypt it with his/her private key. (digital signature)
- Send image name, cipher file, and digital signature to server.
- Check for each checkboxes selected or not, for selected ones want his/her certificate from server, verify it (with the name) and encrypt symmetric key and IV with the public key. And, send them to server

Server side:

On the public area:

Create a text file named with file name posted, and store owner name, cipher file, digital signature and certificate in this text file.

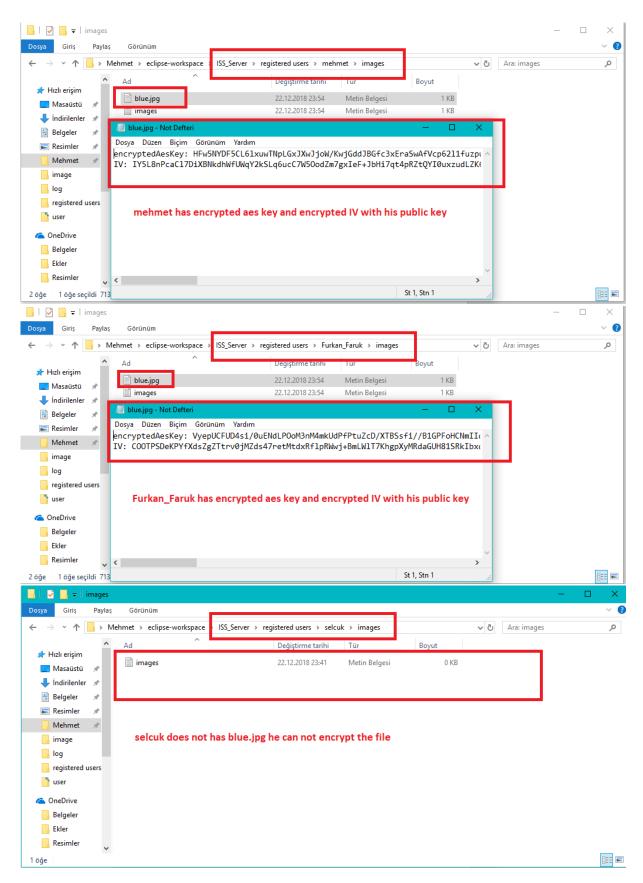
Also, append the file name to the image.txt file (this file makes easy to check file name in the first step)



On the private areas:

Stored encrypted symmetric key and encrypted IV

And also, image name in the image.txt file (makes download easy)



Post file features

Server does not be able to decrypt file either trudy. (in the scenario above only mehmet and Furkan Faruk can do)

Download File Phase

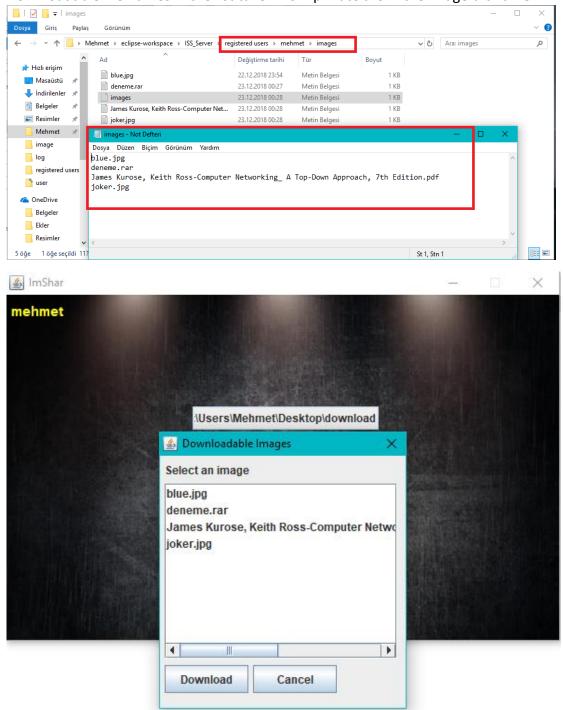
Download phase has also 2 steps.

First step

Select a download location and click on download button

At the background, server send downloadable files to server. Client creates a list and a scroll pane from the list.

Downloadable file names in the list taken from private are in the image.txt name



Step 2

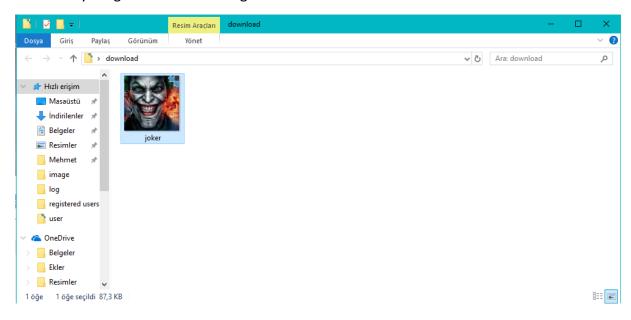
When user select a file and clicks on download button

Server sends to user

- Owner name from public area
- Cipher file from public area
- Digital signature from public area
- Certificate from public area
- Encrypted symmetric key from private area
- Encrypted IV from private area

User does as follows

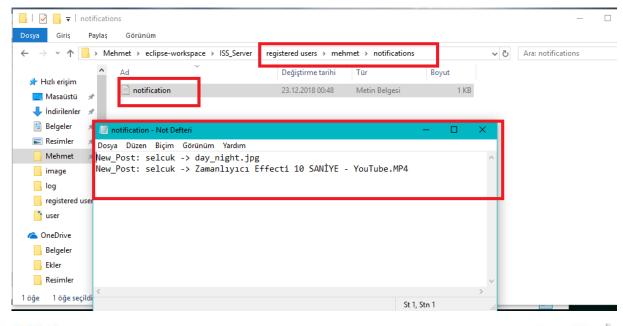
- Decrypt symmetric key with private key
- Decrypt IV with private key
- Decrypt file with symmetric key and IV
- Extract certificate and control certificate name with owner name
- Take hash funtion of file
- Decrypt digital signature with owner's public key
- Compare signature and hash function
- If everything is ok convert string to file

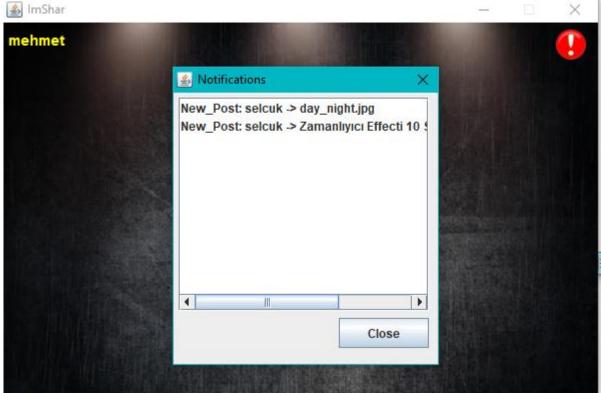


NOTIFICATION PHASE

Client ask every 5 second to server for notification if there is a notification server send it to client.

Notifications kept on private area in notification.txt file, even user is offline they stores when user is online send them to user.





What did we do?

- Actually we believe we did everything wanted from us.
- Also our code supports any type of file. (we trived pdf, mp4, rar, ppt, jpg, png, jpeg)

What we thinked but we couldn't implemented?

- Application get special to computer, do not let a user to login in another computer (
 actually we succeed this part) but, if user logs out , can login in whenever he wants
 and create public ,private key pairs again like WhatsApp (could not implement this
 part, why because in WhatsApp we can login with our tel. number it is easy to control
 but username is not special for a computer really huge different)
- Also something like WhatsApp web when the user is online can login in another computer create connection between main computer and post or download through main computer. (it is really hard to implement in pc, in security side)

LOG

