

# University Management System - OOP Relationships

This document presents the solution for the COS3612/S3632DO\_FM\_2025\_S2\_F Unit 1: OOP Paradigm Main Concepts, Week 2 Practical Session 1. The problem involves designing a university's internal management system that models relationships between classes such as people, courses, and enrollments.

**Identified Classes:**

- 1. University
- 2. Person
- 3. Student
- 4. Professor
- 5. Course
- 6. Material
- 7. Component

**Relationships and Types:**

- Student → Person: Inheritance
- Professor → Person: Inheritance
- Course ↔ Professor: Association (1 course has 1 professor)
- Course ↔ Student: Association (many-to-many)
- University → Course: Aggregation (1 university can have many courses)
- Course → Material: Composition (materials depend on the course)
- Material → Component: Composition (components depend on the material)

**UML Class Diagram:**



Relationship	Classes Involved	Type	Multiplicity
Inheritance	Student → Person	Inheritance	1-to-1
Inheritance	Professor → Person	Inheritance	1-to-1
Association	Course ↔ Professor	Association	1→1
Association	Course ↔ Student	Association	Many-to-many
Aggregation	University → Course	Aggregation	1→many
Composition	Course → Material	Composition	1→many
Composition	Material → Component	Composition	1→many

**Python Implementation:**

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class Person:
    def __init__(self, name, person_id):
        self.name = name
        self.person_id = person_id
class Student(Person):
    def __init__(self, name, person_id, major):
        super().__init__(name, person_id)
        self.major = major
class Professor(Person):
    def __init__(self, name, person_id, department):
        super().__init__(name, person_id)
        self.department = department
class Component:
    def __init__(self, name, content):
        self.name = name
        self.content = content
class Material:
    def __init__(self, material_type):
        self.material_type = material_type
        self.components = []
    def add_component(self, component):
        self.components.append(component)
class Course:
    def __init__(self, title, professor):
        self.title = title
        self.professor = professor
        self.materials = []
        self.students = []
    def add_material(self, material):
        self.materials.append(material)
    def enroll_student(self, student):
        self.students.append(student)
class University:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name
        self.courses = []
    def add_course(self, course):
        self.courses.append(course)
    def list_courses(self):
        return [course.title for course in self.courses]

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