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## Results

Any changes that you made to the proposed design and how they continue to support the requirements?

- 1. Created a block chain link class to hold the blockchain. Justification: necessary data structure to keep track of blockchain.
- 2. Added two members to the transaction class, payer and receiver. Justification: adds extra information to transactions in case we need it, payer and receiver seem pretty essential to know.
- 3. Process command file creates the ledger and passes it to the command processor. Justification: ensures persistence of the ledger.
- 4. Created master transaction list. Justification: quicker to find transaction instead of traversing through the blockchain.

Did the design document help with the implementation?

Yes, it did give me a structure to work off of though I spent a long time reviewing the design. In a group project however, the design document would have been much more helpful for coordination.

How could the design have been better, more straightforward, or made the implementation easier?

I was most confused about the hashing implementation. Perhaps that could have been included more.