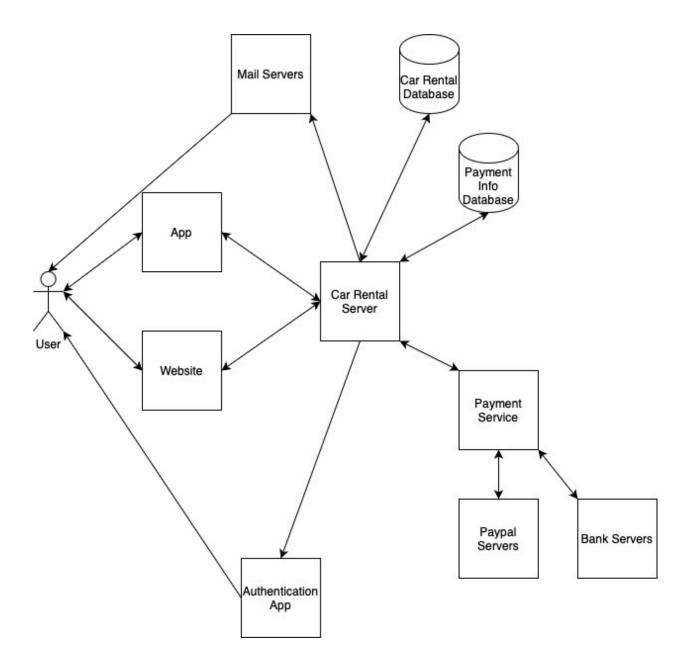
Software: Car Rental System

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System Description: The objective behind the development of BeAvis's new car rental software system is to create a streamlined and user-friendly alternative to the traditional pen-and-paper rental process. This initiative aims to modernize BeAvis's rental operations, enhancing efficiency and elevating the overall customer experience. The system will encompass essential functionalities required for effective management of a car rental company, including account management, rental agreement handling, and providing efficient tools for employee tasks. Both customers and employees stand to benefit from this system, with customers enjoying a simplified interface, and employees being able to seamlessly update and manage the system as needed. This document serves as a comprehensive guide for the implementation of the car rental software system, covering user requirements, system specifications, and other pertinent details crucial for its successful deployment.

Software Architecture Overview:

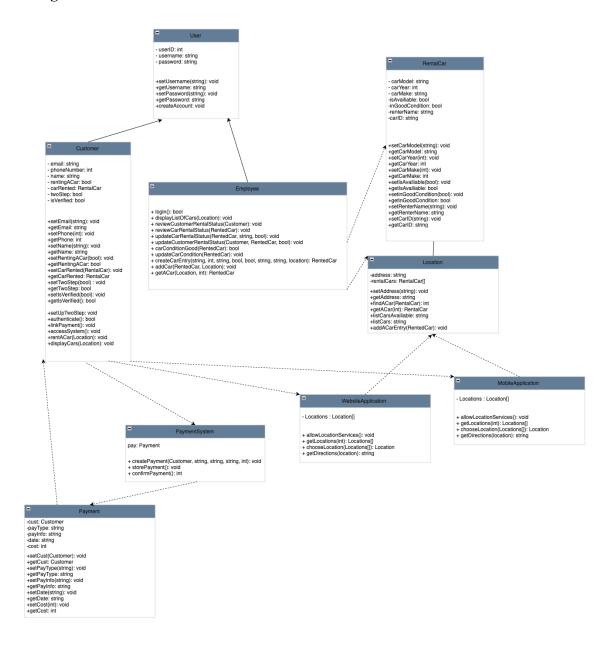
Architectural Diagram:



Description of Architectural Diagram:

In this diagram, the user interacts with the car rental server either through the mobile app, or the website. The Car Rental Server also interacts with mail servers, the car rental database, the payment info database, the payment service, and the authentication app. Both the mail servers and authentication app interact with the user by helping to verify the status of their account and confirming if that is their account. The car rental database will contain all the data on the locations of the company, the rented cars at each location, and customer information. The payment info database will hold only the data on the payment info of each transaction made to rent a car. For the payment service, it will interact with paypal servers and bank servers in order to insure that payment is made to the car rental company.

UML Diagram:



Description of Classes and Attributes:

User:

- Description: The User class is a class that will be the general structure that the Employee and Customer class will inherit from and branch from.
- Attributes:
 - userID: int A unique identifier assigned to each user.
 - username: string the user's account's name.

- password: string The password used for accessing the user's account.
- Operations:
 - setUsername(string): void sets the username attribute to a provided string
 - getUsername: string returns the value of the username attribute
 - setPassword(string): void sets the password attribute to a provided string
 - getPassword: string returns the value of the password attribute
 - createAccount(): void creates/save/stores a user object into the database

Employee:

- Description: This class represents employees of the car rental company. In addition, this class inherits the attributes and the operations of the user class.
- Operations:
 - login(): bool This method verifies the employee's login credentials.
 - displayListOfCars(Location): void This operation takes a provided location data input and displays a list of the cars at that location.
 - reviewCustomerRentalStatus(Customer): void This function retrieves and displays the rental status for a specific customer.
 - reviewCarRentalStatus(RentedCar): void This function retrieves and displays the rental status for a specific car.
 - updateCarRentalStatus(RentedCar, string, bool): void This method updates the rental status of a car within the system.
 - updateCustomerRentalStatus(Customer, RentedCar, bool): void This method updates the rental status of a customer within the system.
 - carConditionGood(RentedCar): bool returns whether a provided RentedCar data type is in good condition. True equal good. False equals bad
 - updateCarCondition(RentedCar): void Updates the condition of the provided RentedCar data type.
 - createCarEntry(string, int, string, bool, bool, string, string, location): RentedCar - This method creates a new RentedCar object.
 - addCar(RentedCar, Location): void This method adds/stores a provided RentedCar data type to the array of RentedCars in the provided Location data type.
 - getACar(Location): RentedCar This operation returns a RentedCar data type with the specified carID in the array of RentedCars in the provided Location data type.

Customer:

- Description: This class represents the customers that come to the car rental company. In addition, this class inherits the attributes and the operations of the user class.
- Attributes:
 - email: string The email address associated with the user's account.
 - phoneNumber: int The customer's phone number without hyphens
 - name: string The full legal name of the user.

- rentingACar: bool Boolean of whether the customer has rented a car. True means yes, they are renting a car. False means no, they are NOT renting a car.
- carRented: RentalCar The car the customer is currently renting. If the customer is NOT renting a car, then the value is NULL.
- twoStep: bool Illustrates if the customer has two-step authentication. True equals yes, and False equals no.
- is Verified: bool A boolean flag indicating whether the user's account has been verified.

• Operations:

- setEmail(string): void Sets the email address of the user to the specified string.
- getEmail: string Retrieves user's email address.
- setPhone(int): void Sets the phone number of user to a provided integer
- getPhone: int Retrieves user's phone number
- setName(string): void Sets name of the user to specified string
- getName: string Retrieves the user's name
- setRentingACar(bool): void Sets status that indicates whether the user is currently renting a car
- getRentingACar: bool Retrieves status showing whether a user is currently renting a car.
- setCarRented(RentalCar): void Sets the car rented by user to provided RentalCar object.
- getCarRented: RentalCar Retrieves RentalCar object that represents the car rented by the user.
- setTwoStep(bool): void Sets the status indicating if two-step authentication is enabled for the user's account.
- getTwoStep: bool Retrieves the status that indicates if two-step authentication is enabled for the user account.
- setIsVerified(bool): void Sets the status that indicates whether the user has a verified account.
- getIsVerified(): bool Retrieves the status that indicates whether the user has a verified account.
- setUpTwoStep: void Initiates the process to set up two step authentication with the user
- authenticate(): bool Pings and links to customer's authentication app so that the user can authenticate themselves with that app.
- linkPayment(): void Initiates the payment process for renting a car
- accessSystem(): void Connects the customer to the system interface either the website or the mobile app.
- rentACar(Location): void Initiates the process of renting a car at the provided location of where the customer is renting from
- displayCars(Location): void Displays a list of the available cars at the provided location.

MobileApplication:

- Description: This class represents the mobile application interface utilized for accessing the car rental system.
- Attributes:
 - Locations: Location[] list of all the locations of the car rental company
- Operations:
 - allowLocationServices(): void This function activates location services on the mobile device.
 - getLocations(int): Locations[] Retrieves a list of locations based on whatever criteria the user specifies.
 - chooseLocation(Locations[]): Location Allows the user to choose a location from a list of provided locations.
 - getDirections(location): string Retrieves directions from user's current location to the destination that is specified.

WebsiteApplication:

- Description: This class embodies the website interface utilized for accessing the car rental system.
- Attributes:
 - Locations: Location[] list of all the locations of the car rental company
- Operations:
 - allowLocationServices(): void This function activates location services on the mobile device.
 - getLocations(int): Locations[] Retrieves a list of locations based on whatever criteria the user specifies.
 - chooseLocation(Locations[]): Location Allows the user to choose a location from a list of provided locations.
 - getDirections(location): string Retrieves directions from user's current location to the destination that is specified.

RentalCar:

- Description: This class encapsulates the core functionalities of the rental system.
- Attributes:
 - carModel: string Represents the model of the car.
 - carYear: int Year of the rental car.
 - carMake: string Make or manufacturer of the rental car.
 - isAvailiable: bool Indicates if the rental car is available.
 - inGoodCondition: bool Indicates if the rental car is in good condition to be rented
 - renterName: string Name of the renter who has rented the car.
 - carID: string Identifier assigned to the rental car.
- Operations:
 - setCarModel(string): void Sets the rental car model to string.

- getCarModel: string Gets rental car's model.
- setCarYear(int): void Sets year of manufacture of rental car to integer.
- getCarYear: int Gets the year of manufacture of the rental car.
- setCarMake(int): void Sets the make or manufacturer of the rental car.
- getCarMake: int Gets make or manufacturer of the rental car.
- setIsAvailiable(bool): void Sets availability status of the rental car.
- getIsAvailiable: bool Gets availability status of the car.
- setinGoodCondition(bool): void Sets condition of the rental car.
- getinGoodCondition: bool Sets the condition status of the rental car.
- setRenterName(string): void Sets the name of the renter of the car.
- getRenterName: string Gets name of the renter of the car.
- setCarID(string): void Sets the identifier of the rental car.
- getCarID: string Gets identifier of the rental car.

Location:

- Description: This class represents a location of the car rental company.
- Attributes:
 - address: string the address of where the location is
 - rentalCars: RentalCar[] an array of the RentalCar at this location
- Operations:
 - setAddress(string): void set the value of address to the provided string
 - getAddress: string returns the the value of address
 - findACar(RentalCar): int returns an integer, which is the index of the RentalCar data type in the RentalCar array, rentalCars
 - getACar(int): RentalCar returns a RentalCar data type in the rentalCars array given an integer value which is the index
 - listCarsAvailiable: string displays a list of the cars available to be rented
 - listCars: string displays a list of all the cars including those unavailable to be rented
 - addACarEntry(RentedCar): void adds a provided RentalCar data type to the RentalCar array

Payment:

- Description: This class represents the transaction to rent a car.
- Attributes:
 - cust: Customer the customer wanting to rent the car
 - payType: string the type of payment
 - payInfo: string info relating to the payment type
 - date: string the date of the transaction
 - cost: int the cost of the transaction
- Operations:
 - setCust(Customer): void sets the value of cust with a provided Customer data type
 - getCust: Customer returns the value of cust

- setPayType(string): void sets the value of payType with the provided string
- getPayType: string returns the value of payType
- setPayInfo(string): void sets the value of payInfo with the provided string
- getPayInfo: string returns the value of payInfo
- setDate(string): void sets the value of date with the provided string
- getDate: string returns the value of date
- setCost(int): void sets the value of cost to the provided int
- getCost: int returns the value of cost

PaymentSystem:

- Description: This class represents the system responsible for managing payment-related information.
- Attributes:
 - pay: Payment contains all the information relating to the transaction of renting a car
- Operations:
 - createPayment(Customer, string, string, string, int): void Starts the process of creating a transaction that is for a customer's rental.
 - storePayment(): void Stores the user's payment information in the system after a transaction.
 - confirmPayment(): int Confirms the transaction and returns the cost of renting the car.

Development Plan & Timeline:

Partitioning of Tasks:

RentalCar

- Completed as soon as possible
- Ryan Brodey

Location

- Complete 2 weeks after RentalCar class
- Ryan Brodey

WebsiteApplication

- Start front-end of website as soon as possible
 - 2 months at most
- Within 3 months finish back-end
- Anthony Do & Ryan Brodey

MobileApplication

- Start front-end of app after website is completed
- Complete within 5 months after starting
 - Follow as Website Application
 - 2 months front-end
 - 3 months back-end
- Anthony Do & Ryan Brodey

User

- Complete as soon as possible
- Anthony Do

Customer

- Complete 2 weeks after user class is completed
- Anthony Do

Employee

- Also 2 weeks to complete after customer class is completed
- Anthony Do

Payment

- Can only be started after all other classes except WebsiteApplication and MobileApplication are completed
- 1 week is given to complete this class.
- Ryan Brodey

PaymentSystem

- Only after payment class is completed, begin implementation
- 3 weeks given to completed this class
- Anthony Do & Ryan Brodey

Team Member Responsibilities:

- Ryan Brodey will be in charge of implementing the RentalCar, Location, and Payment classes.
- Anthony Do will be responsible for completing the User, Customer, and Employee classes.
- Together both will need to work together to finish the WebsiteApplication, MobileApplication, and the PaymentSystem classes

Final Notes:

- Overall time given to complete this system should be more or less than 6 or 7 months.