Meetup Command Line Application

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1 Introduction

1.1 System Request:

Business Needs: There is a need for new socials media application that focuses on creating meetups and creating events. This application aims to fulfill this need.

Business Values: The new social media application database system will enable users to create meetups and create posts. Also it will have business values throughout advertisement.

1.1.1 Objective

Aim of the project is to create a new social media application enabling people to organize events. This events can be at both for online, or physical. Also application will enable its users to communicate on meetup basis so that people can stay in touch.

1.2 Application Features

1.2.1 User Registration Module

The users of meetup application needs to be registered in order to keep track the actions. Users must add their personal information such as (*Name*, *Surname*, *Email Address*, *Password*, *Telephone Number*, *Registration Date*, *Role*, *etc...*). Business rules for registration module are listed as;

- The fields of Name, Number, ID, Email, Password and Role cannot be null.
- Role of the user must be specified, whether the user is administrator or user.

1.2.2 Meetup Module

Users can create meetup instances and invite other people to their meetups. Meetups are small group of users who shares a common feed, communication space.

Business rules are listed as;

- Only Users can create Meetups.
- · Meetups have their admins.
- Meetup's feed can only be seen by its members, not member User cannot see the inside of a Meetup.
- Users can attend a meetup by its link and can quit anytime.
- Only admins have privilege to manage users(add, subtract)

1.2.3 Post Module

Users can create their posts like any other platform Posts are the simple way of user the share their ideas. Post consist of *Title, Content, Date, User Reference and ifExist a Meetup Reference, Comments Ref.*

Business rules are listed as;

- Only Users can create posts.
- Posts can be posted on both meetup events or publicly.
- Posts that are published on meetup instances can only be viewed by those who attends to the meetup.
- Posts can only be edited by it's user.
- Only User's friends or meetup associates can comment the post, others can't comment.

1.2.4 Searching Module

Searching Module can be used to search both Users, Meetups and Posts. Users of search module can search every instance of the meetup and user by entering its id.

1.2.5 Application Interface

Meetup Application is built on command line interface. It offers limited amount of interaction by its nature. In this application We have 1 main menu where we can the entity(User, Meetup, Post) which we want to manipulate and we have 1 sub menu for each entity. We have 5 main operations on each entity. These operations are fundamental create, read, read-all, update and delete operations.

1.2.6 Screen Shots of Application

Main Menu:

User Sub-Menu:

```
UUser Operations are listed as:

|------|
Press (A) for finding all users.

Press (S) for searching an users with Id.

Press (C) for creating an new user.

Press (U) for updating an user

Press (D) for deleting an users with Id.
```

2 Meetup Command Line Application

2.1 Application

Repo Link: https://github.com/semihcelek/MeetupApplication

Command line application is written with C# multi-purposed, typed, programming language. Application persist its data with sql database. In this project Mysql database is implemented although other databases can be easily integrated by implementing DataAccess interfaces.

Application consist of 3 major parts, Models, Services, and View.

- Model is where we define data schemas for objects. In the project we have User Model, Meetup Model, and Post Model.
- Services is where we manipulate and iterate the data. It's also where we persist the data by using database, the project uses Mysql database.
- View is where we present data. In the project, command line interface is used.

In the project we have users that interacts with events.

This interaction can be represented with an Uml diagram.

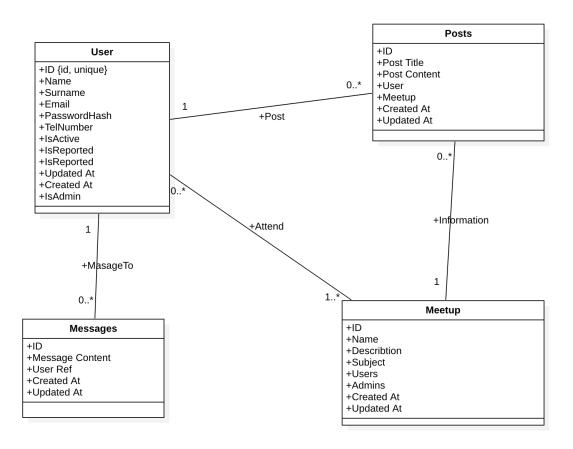


Figure 1: Uml Diagram

2.2 Creating Database

Lets start with creating database;

```
1 create database meetupdb;
2
3 use meetupdb;
```

After that create user table;

```
create table users
2 (
                    int unsigned primary key AUTO_INCREMENT,
3
       id
                    char(80)
                                      not null,
       name
5
                    char(80)
                                       null,
       surname
                    char(120)
                                       not null unique,
6
       email
       passwordHash char(255)
                                       not null,
8
       isActive bool default true not null,
9
       isAdmin
                    bool default false not null
10);
11
12 create table meetups
13 (
                   int unsigned primary key AUTO_INCREMENT,
14
       id
                   char(80) not null,
15
       name
       description char(255) null,
16
17
       subject char(120) not null unique,
                   timestamp not null,
       createdAt
18
19
       updatedAt timestamp null
20 );
21
22 create table meetupMembership
23 (
24
              int unsigned not null,
       user
25
       meetup int unsigned not null,
       primary key (user, meetup),
27
       constraint meetupMembership_users_fk foreign key users_fk (user)
          references users (id),
       constraint meetupMembership_meetups_fk foreign key meetups_fk (
28
          meetup) references meetups (id)
29 );
   create table posts
32
       id
                  int unsigned primary key auto_increment,
34
       title
                  char(60)
                              not null unique,
       content
                  text
                               not null,
       author
                  int unsigned not null,
       meetupPost int unsigned null,
       createdAt timestamp
                               not null,
       updatedAt timestamp
                               null,
```

Then we create other tables (Meetups, Posts, etc...)

2.3 Creating Data Model Class

Let's dive in to the project. First we create the UserModel class to represent the user data model;

UserModel.cs

```
private int _id; // we define private variables.
2
3 public int Id // then define public getters and
4
                          // setters for each field.
5 {
6
       get => _id;
7
       set => _id = value;
8 }
9
10 private string _name;
11
12 public string Name
13 {
14
       get => _name;
       set => _name = value;
15
16 }
17
```

Then we define constructor for the class for instantiating user object.

2.4 Creating Services

After creating model class for each data models, we continue with creating services. Services are required for interacting with data. But before dive into the Service we should take quick glance at the IUserDbAccess interface.

We are going to create an interface for user service in order extend the modularity of our application.

UserService going to use an interface for interacting with data access layer. In the interface we create functions for identifying the extend of database actions.

```
public interface IUserDbAccess

{
    List<UserModel> FindAll();

    UserModel FindOne(int id);
    void Create(UserModel user);
    void Update(UserModel user);
    void Delete(int id);
}
```

Then we create UserService class with using IUserDbAccess interface;

```
1 public class UserService
2
   {
       private IUserDbAccess _dbInstance; // we define private instance of
3
            dbInstance.
5
       public UserService(IUserDbAccess dbInstance)
6
7
            _dbInstance = dbInstance; // then we invert the dependency
8
                                             // by passing it at the
                                                constructor.
9
       }
10
11
       public void GetAllUsers()
            _dbInstance.FindAll(); // take attention we use the function
13
                                             // descriptions from the
14
                                                interface.
15
       }
16
       public void FindOne(int id)
17
18
       {
19
            _dbInstance.FindOne(id);
20
       }
21
22
       public void CreateUser(string name, string surname, string email,
           string password, string telNumber)
23
       {
```

```
var user = new UserModel(name, surname, email, password,
24
               telNumber);
25
            _dbInstance.Create(user);
       }
26
27
28
       public void UpdateUser(string name, string surname, string email,
           string password, string telNumber)
29
           var user = new UserModel(name, surname, email, password,
30
               telNumber);
31
            _dbInstance.Update(user);
32
       }
33
       public void DeleteUser(int userId)
34
            _dbInstance.Delete(userId);
37
       }
38 }
```

We have created the UserService, let's implement the Mysql Database.

2.4.1 Implement Mysql Database

In first chapter we created our databases, In this chapter we are going to implement mysql database to the application.

First we need to add Mysql Connector package to the application

```
dotnet add package MySql.Data --version 8.0.27
```

After installing the package lets create MysqlDatabase class.

MysqlDatabe.cs

```
public class MysqlDatabase
            public readonly MySqlConnection MySqlConnection;
3
            private string connectionString =
4
5
                "server=127.0.0.1; database=meetupdb; uid=root; pwd=;";
6
7
            public MysqlDatabase()
8
            {
9
                try
10
                {
11
                    MySqlConnection = new MySqlConnection(connectionString)
12
                    MySqlConnection.Open();
13
                    Console.WriteLine("Trying to connect...");
14
                }
15
                catch (MySqlException e)
16
                    Console.WriteLine(e);
17
18
                    throw;
19
                }
            }
20
21
22
            public void Dispose()
23
24
                MySqlConnection.Close();
            }
25
26
       }
```

Now we are ready for integrating database access layer for UserService by implementing IUserDbAccess interface.

MysqlUserAccess.cs

```
public class MysqlUserAccess: IUserDbAccess
{
    private MySqlConnection _connection;
}
```

```
public MysqlUserAccess(MySqlConnection dbInstance)
6
                _connection = dbInstance;
9
10
           public List<UserModel> FindAll()
11
                List<UserModel> allUsers = new List<UserModel>();
12
13
                const string findAllUsersSql = "select * from users;";
                MySqlCommand command = new MySqlCommand(findAllUsersSql,
14
                   _connection);
15
                MySqlDataReader reader = command.ExecuteReader();
                Console.WriteLine("All Users are listed as:");
17
                while (reader.Read())
19
                {
                    var user = new UserModel(Convert.ToInt32(reader[0]),
                       reader[1].ToString(), reader[2].ToString(),
                        reader[3].ToString(), reader[4].ToString(), reader
21
                           [5].ToString());
                    allUsers.Add(user);
                }
24
25
                foreach (var user in allUsers)
26
                    Console.WriteLine($"{user.Name}, {user.Surname} has id
27
                       of {user.Id}");
28
                }
                reader.Close();
31
                return allUsers;
32
           }
34
           public UserModel FindOne(int id)
                UserModel user = null;
                const string findUserByIdSql = "select * from users where
                   id =@id";
                MySqlCommand command = new MySqlCommand(findUserByIdSql,
                   _connection);
                command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@id", id);
40
                MySqlDataReader reader = command.ExecuteReader();
41
                Console.WriteLine("Single User is listed as:");
42
43
                while (reader.Read())
                {
45
                    user = new UserModel(Convert.ToInt32(reader[0]), reader
                       [1].ToString(), reader[2].ToString(),
46
                        reader[3].ToString(), reader[4].ToString(), reader
                           [5].ToString());
                    Console.WriteLine(user.Id + "- " + user.Name + " " +
47
```

```
user.Surname + " " + user.TelNumber);
48
                }
49
50
51
                reader.Close();
                return user;
53
           }
54
55
           public void Create(UserModel user)
                const string insertUserSql =
58
                    "insert into users(name, surname, email, passwordHash,
                       isActive, isAdmin) values (@name, @surname, @email,
                       @passwordHash, true, false);";
                try
                {
61
                    MySqlCommand command = new MySqlCommand(insertUserSql,
                       _connection);
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@name", user.Name);
63
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@surname", user.
64
                       Surname);
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@email", user.Email);
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@passwordHash", user.
66
                       PasswordHash);
                    command.ExecuteNonQuery();
                }
                catch (Exception e)
70
71
                {
72
                    Console.WriteLine(e);
73
                    throw;
74
                }
           }
           public void Update(UserModel user)
77
78
79
                const string updateUserSql =
                    "update users set name = @name, surname = @surname,
                       email = @email, passwordHash = @passwordHash where
                        id=@userId;";
                try
82
                {
83
                    MySqlCommand command = new MySqlCommand(updateUserSql,
                       _connection);
85
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@name", user.Name);
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@surname", user.
                        Surname);
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@email", user.Email);
87
                    command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@passwordHash", user.
```

```
PasswordHash);
89
                     command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@userId", user.Id);
90
91
                     command.ExecuteNonQuery();
                 }
                 catch (Exception e)
94
                     Console.WriteLine(e);
                     throw;
                 }
97
98
             }
99
             public void Delete(int id)
101
                 const string deleteUserSql = "delete from users where id =
102
                    @userid";
103
104
                 try
                 {
106
                     MySqlCommand command = new MySqlCommand(deleteUserSql,
                         _connection);
                     command.Parameters.AddWithValue("@userid", id);
108
                     command.ExecuteNonQuery();
                 }
110
111
                 catch (Exception e)
112
                     Console.WriteLine(e);
113
                     throw;
114
115
                 }
116
             }
117
118
             public void AttendMeetup(MeetupModel meetup)
119
                 throw new NotImplementedException();
120
             }
121
122
123
             public void LeaveMeetup(MeetupModel meetup)
124
                 throw new NotImplementedException();
125
             }
127
        }
```

Then we implement all the method that indicated on the interface.

2.5 Creating View Controller for CLI

So far we are created Model and Service for our application, but we still haven't use the services we actually created. In this part we are going to create Cli controller for the application.

Let's create A controller class for user, UserOperationsController class.

UserOperationsController.cs

```
public class UserOperationsController
2
           private UserService _userService; // we create _userService
3
               property.
4
5
           public UserOperationsController(UserService userService)
6
7
                _userService = userService; // then we pass it at the
                   constructor.
           }
8
9
10
           public void UserOperations()
11
                Console.WriteLine("User Operations are listed as:\n");
12
13
                Console.WriteLine("|-----
                   ;
14
                Console.WriteLine(
                    "Press (A) for finding all users.\n" +
15
16
                    "Press (S) for searching an users with Id.\n" +
                    "Press (C) for creating an new user.\n" +
17
                    "Press (U) for updating an user n'' +
18
19
                    "Press (D) for deleting an users with Id.\n"
20
                );
21
22
                var argumentSelection = Console.ReadKey();
23
24
                switch (argumentSelection.Key)
25
                    case ConsoleKey.A:
26
                        _userService.GetAllUsers();
27
28
                        break;
29
                    case ConsoleKey.S:
31
                        FindUser();
32
                        break;
                    case ConsoleKey.C:
34
                        RegisterUser();
                        break;
37
38
                    case ConsoleKey.U:
                        UpdateUser();
40
                        break;
41
                    case ConsoleKey.D:
42
43
                        DeleteUser();
44
                        break;
```

After that we create class for controlling the main menu;

CommanlineController.cs

```
public class CommandLineController
 2
       {
3
           private readonly UserOperationsController
               _userOperationsController;
           private readonly MeetupOperationsController
               _meetupOperationsController;
           private readonly PostOperationsController
               _postOperationsController;
           public CommandLineController(MeetupService meetupService,
               UserService userService, PostService postService)
8
9
           {
10
               meetupOperationsController = new
                   MeetupOperationsController(meetupService);
                _userOperationsController = new UserOperationsController(
11
                   userService);
12
                _postOperationsController = new PostOperationsController(
                   postService);
           }
14
16
           public void InitializeCommandLine()
17
           {
               Console.WriteLine("Welcome to the meetup application,
18
                   Please select an action");
               Console.WriteLine("
                   ");
20
21
               Console.WriteLine(
                    "Press (U) For All User Operations.\n" +
23
                    "Press (M) For All Meetup Operations.\n" +
24
                    "Press (P) For All Post Operations.\n" +
25
                    "Press (Q) For Exit.\n"
26
               );
27
               var argumentSelection = Console.ReadKey();
               while (argumentSelection.Key != ConsoleKey.Q)
                    switch (argumentSelection.Key)
```

```
{
34
                         case ConsoleKey.U:
                             _userOperationsController.UserOperations();
                             break;
37
                         case ConsoleKey.M:
                             _meetupOperationsController.MeetupOperations();
                             break;
                         case ConsoleKey.P:
40
                             _postOperationsController.PostOperations();
41
42
                             break;
43
                    }
44
                }
45
           }
46
       }
```

2.6 Building The Application

In the Main program, we pass all the dependencies for classes, then we initialize with command line method.

Program.cs

```
internal static class Program
2
3
           private static void Main(string[] args)
4
               var sqlConnection = new MysqlDatabase();
6
               var userService = new UserService(new MysqlUserAccess(
7
                   sqlConnection.MySqlConnection));
               var meetupService = new MeetupService(new MysqlMeetupAccess
8
                   (sqlConnection.MySqlConnection));
9
               var postService = new PostService(new MysqlPostAccess(
                   sqlConnection.MySqlConnection));
10
               var commandLine = new CommandLineController(meetupService,
11
                   userService, postService);
               commandLine.InitializeCommandLine();
12
           }
13
       }
14
```

2.6.1 Example Output from Program

```
1 Trying to connect...
2 Welcome to the meetup application, Please select an action
3 |-----|
4 Press (U) For All User Operations.
```

```
5 Press (M) For All Meetup Operations.
 6 Press (P) For All Post Operations.
 7 Press (Q) For Exit.
9 // u is pressed
10 User Operations are listed as:
11
12 |-----
13 Press (A) for finding all users.
14 Press (S) for searching an users with Id.
15 Press (C) for creating an new user.
16 Press (U) for updating an user
17 Press (D) for deleting an users with Id.
18
19 //a is pressed
20
21 All Users are listed as:
22 Enes, Sucuk has id of 1
23 Ege, Eroglu has id of 2
24 deniz, doygun has id of 4
25 hamdi, cakici has id of 5
27 User Operations are listed as:
28
29 |-----|
30 Press (A) for finding all users.
31 Press (S) for searching an users with Id.
32 Press (C) for creating an new user.
33 Press (U) for updating an user
34 Press (D) for deleting an users with Id.
35
36 // c is pressed
37 In order to create an user please enter a name
38 Salih
39 please enter a surname
40 Salkim
41 please enter a email
42 salih@mail.com
43 please enter a password
44 passwordsuper
45 please enter a telNumber
46 53420005911
47
48 User Operations are listed as:
49
50 |-----|
51 Press (A) for finding all users.
52 Press (S) for searching an users with Id.
53 Press (C) for creating an new user.
54 Press (U) for updating an user
55 Press (D) for deleting an users with Id.
```

```
56
57 // D is pressed
58
59 Caution!, you're deleting an user this can't be recovered.
60 Please enter an user id to delete
61 5
62 // deletes user with id of 5.
```

3 Conclusion

With this .Net, C# Application, we have successfully implemented core concepts of the Meetup Application and we persist the data with solid database implementation. In this application we have created command line interface to utilize operations, in the future, we can replace the command line interface with more concrete frontend application make application more accessible and use this project as rest backend api.