# Software Analysis and Design Specification

for

# **Meeting Scheduler**

**Requirements for Version 1.0** 

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# 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 Purpose

This document includes software requirements for Meeting Scheduler, release number 1.0. Meeting Scheduler is a web-based software which organize professional meetings. The system gives resolution to optimum date and location for meetings. Its purpose is to consider all of the important users and most of regular users preference time and location for each meeting. The system is very small so it can be easily transferred from one computer to another. The database produced, is protected by a Master Password only known by its inventor with no backup if lost.

### 1.2 Intended Audience and Reading Suggestions

This requirement document contains general information about Meeting Scheduler, main classes and use cases, use case diagram, sequence diagram, class diagram, package diagram, deployment diagram, state transition diagram, functions, features and special technologies. It describes in detail all that Meeting Scheduler needs to work properly and with safety.

#### The rest of the document is divided into chapters for better understanding.

- In chapter 2 an overall description of Meeting Scheduler is provided. First product perspective is presented with product features and main actors. Then follow use cases and use case diagrams will give you more detailed insight about system functionality. At the end of the chapter non-functional requirements are investigated.
- In chapter 3 sequence diagrams for each use case scenario are described.
- In chapter 4 presents class diagrams.
- In chapter 5 is about the package diagram following by chapter 6 about deployment diagram and chapter 7 about state transition diagram.

#### This document is intended for

**Developers**: in order to be sure they are developing the right project that fulfills requirements provided in this document.

**Testers**: in order to have an exact list of the features and functions that have to respond according to requirements and provided diagrams.

**Users**: in order to get familiar with the idea of the project and suggest other features that would make it even more functional.

**Documentation writers**: to know what features and in what way they have to explain. How the system will response in each user's action etc.

Advanced end users, end users/desktop and system administrators: in order to know exactly what they have to expect from the system, right inputs and outputs and response in error situations.

#### 1.3 Project Scope

Meeting Scheduler purpose is to solve a problem that really bothers many professionals today when they have to choose a time to attend an important meeting but there would be several emails back and force to find a good time for everyone which can be very frustrating. So this system provides you a very user friendly interface which let all users provide their preference times and locations and exclusion times. Anyone can send a meeting request with suggested time period and locations to specific users. Each user can have different priority ranking (important/non-important) for each meeting that would be assigned by meeting initiator to them.

Meeting Scheduler beside optimum meeting date also provides you with several functionalities in order to keep your meetings database organized and up to date. Those are analyzed in the following pages.

More about Meeting Scheduler you can find out at http://MeetingScheduler.info/

#### 1.4 References

More about Meeting Scheduler can be found at

http://github.com/shahrzadmn/MeetingScheduler/

In this website you can find out more about the project and discuss any questions in the forums. You can look at code and problems that have been solved. There you can also find information about the developer as well as the project's main characteristics such as programming language and algorithms

• http://MeetingScheduler.info/

This is project's official website where you can find links to all above and also find features available for downloading such as language translations and plug-ins.

# 2. Use Case Model (detailed version with lots of optional functionality)

First I will give a description of the actors that are going to use the system. Then use case diagrams and use cases text description are shown. The domain model is included in this chapter, and in the end of this chapter is my assumptions.

#### 2.1 Actors Description

#### 2.1.1 Meeting Initiator

Meeting initiator can be any of the company employees who wants to set a meeting. He is responsible to invite all potential participants and assign a value to each participant so they would know if it is mandatory for them to be in that meeting or not. In Addition, he is responsible to set the time frame for the meeting so everybody else should choose the preference and exclusion dates and time periods within that time frame. Location or locations can be suggested at this point and the importance degree of the meeting also will be determined by initiator. He also need to choose his own preference and exclusion dates.

#### 2.1.2 Potential Participant

Potential participants are any employee in that organization who were invited to a meeting. They can accept or decline right away or set their own preference and exclusion date. Their label for participating is non-important which was set by initiator.

#### 2.1.3 Potential Important Participant

These group of participants have to attend the meeting and their exclusion and preference date are more important than other participants. In worst case scenario, meeting scheduler can only set a meeting that important participant can attend.

#### 2.1.4 System Administrator

System administrator is someone who takes care of technical and maintenance issues, checks the system databases and keeps them update.

#### 2.1.5 Users Database

This database contain the users information which can differ from one organization to the other one but it should contain at least their user ID, password, contact information and their past and active meetings.

#### 2.1.6 Locations Database

This database contain list of all locations that meeting can be held there with their room capacity and availability based on dates.

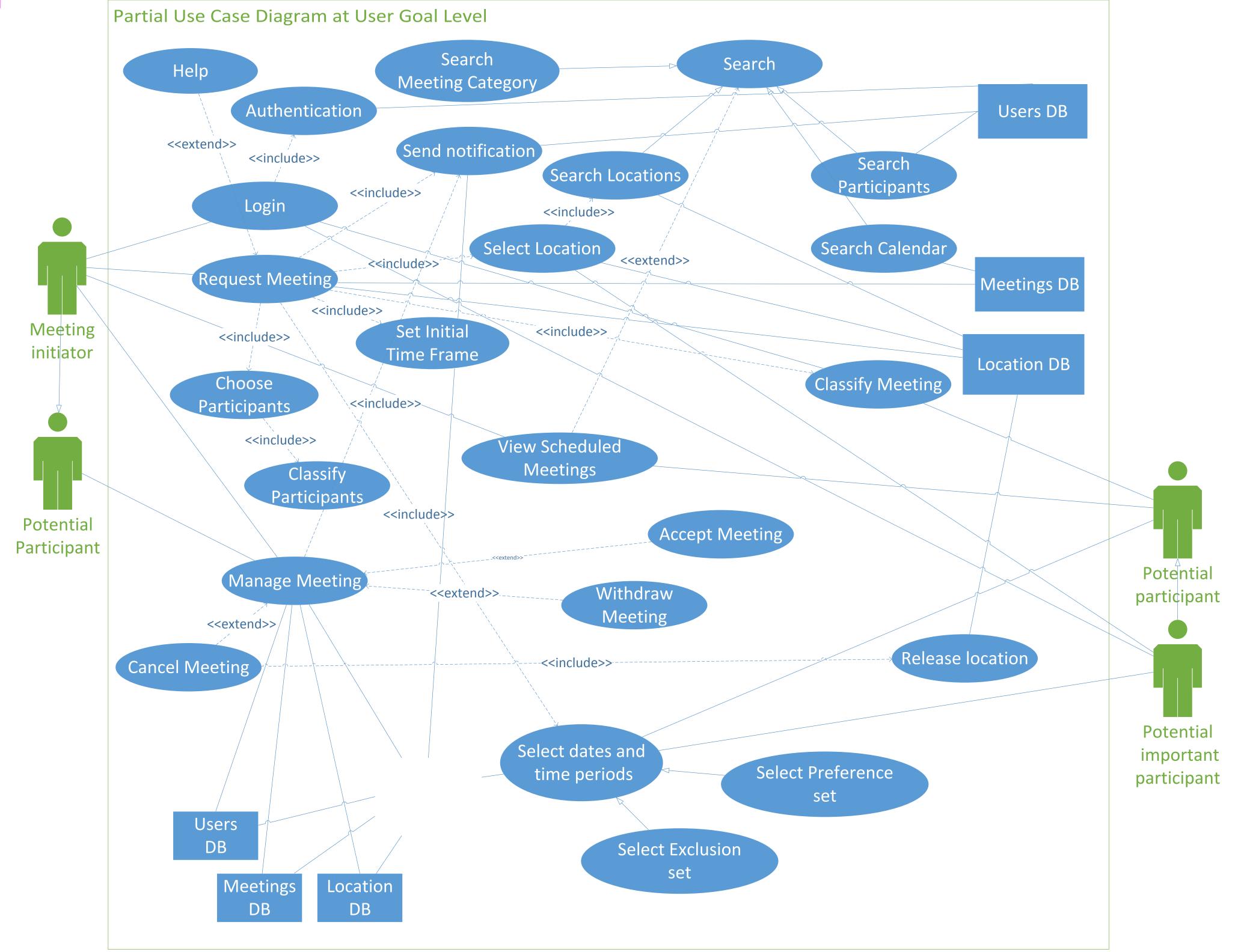
#### 2.1.7 Meetings Database

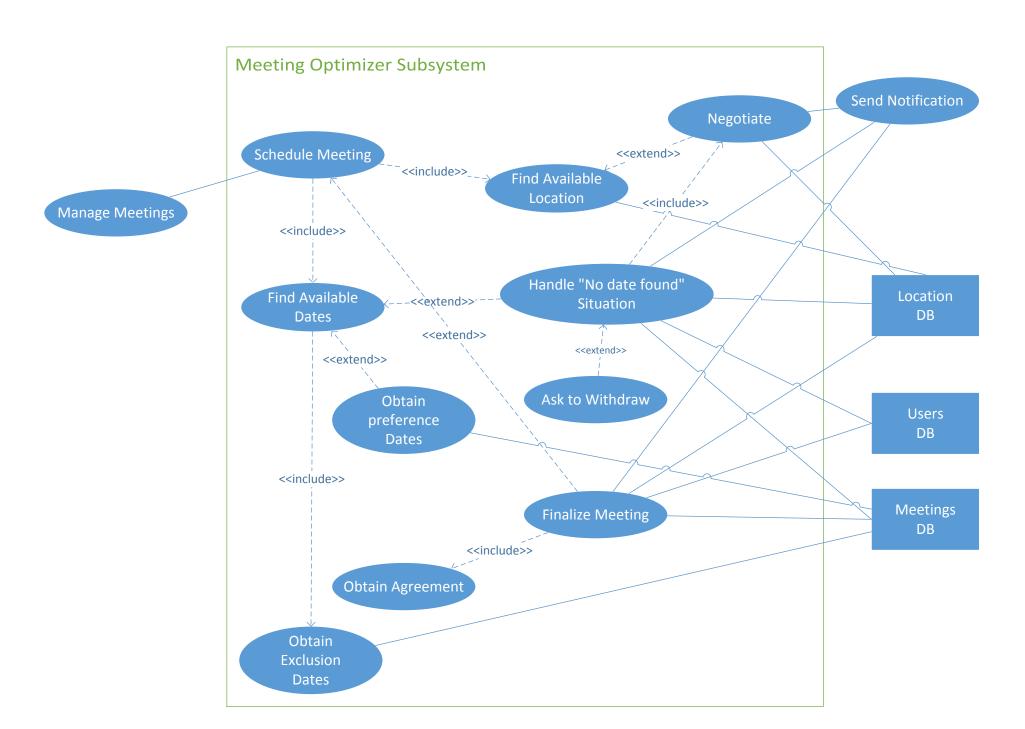
This database holds meetings information such as its initiator, location, time, participants and importance.

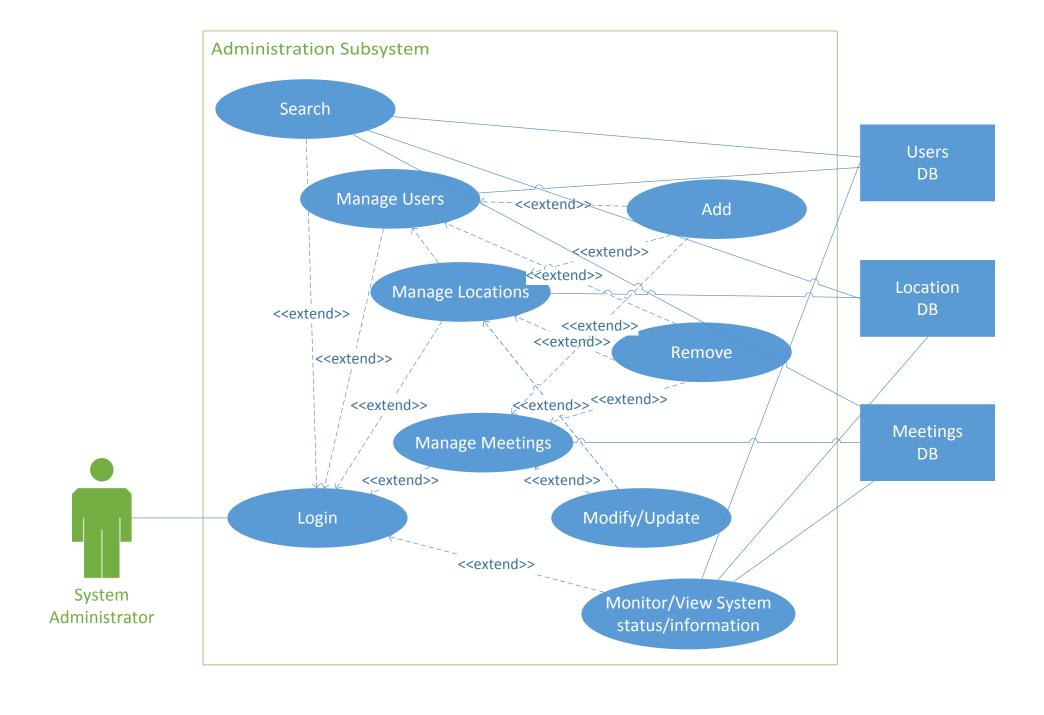
# 2.2 Use Case Diagrams

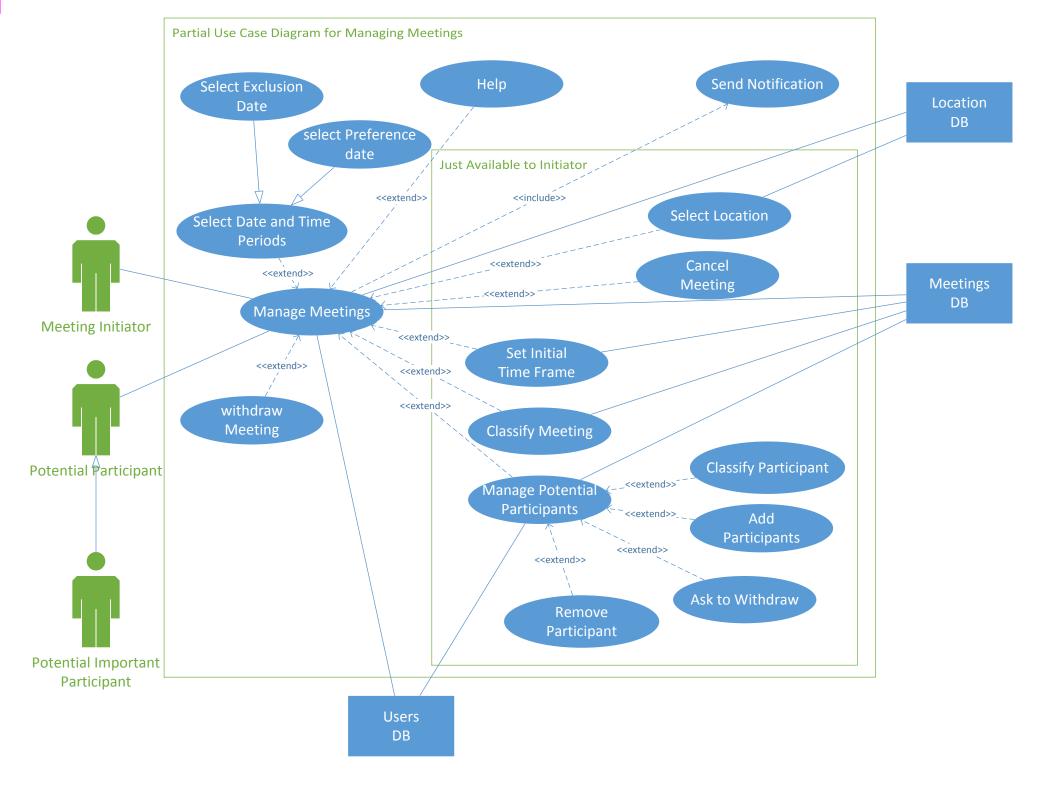
To make the use case diagram easier to read, I break it down to partial use case diagrams at summary or user goal details level.

- 2.2.1 Partial Use Case diagram for Meeting Scheduler Application
- 2.2.2 Meeting Optimizer Subsystems
- 2.2.3 Administrator Subsystem
- 2.2.4 Partial Use Case Diagram for Managing Meetings









# 2.3 Use Cases Text Description

Main use cases described in detail which are at user goal level while sub function use cases in abstract.

For simplicity:

Db = database, user= Meeting initiator, potential participant and potential important participant, Initiator= Meeting initiator, participant= potential participant.

#### 2.3.1 Request Meeting

Use Case ID: UC-1.(	).1		
Name:			
Scope: Meeting	Scheduler application		
Level: User go	pal		
Primary Actors:	Meeting Initiator		
Description:	This use case let users to ask for having a meeting with their colleagues		
Preconditions:	User is identified and authenticated (logged in).		
Success Guarantee (or Postconditions):	Proposed meeting is saved. Suggested location for that period of time is available. Suggested time frame and dates are from are chosen from calendar. Everyone who is invited to the meeting receives a notification email.		
Main Success Scenario (or Normal Flow):	<ol> <li>Meeting initiator requests to set a meeting.</li> <li>System shows the meeting request session.</li> <li>User chooses preferred date(s), meeting time frame, location(s), exclusion dates, potential participants for meeting and decides who is mandatory to attend and who is not (classifies participants). He also set the degree of meeting importance (3= very important (urgent), 2=important, 1=regular meeting) and submit the request.</li> <li>Update meetings db and user's profile on user db for potential participants and location db for the booked location.</li> <li>System send notifications via email to all potential participants.</li> </ol>		
Extensions (or Alternative Flows):	<ol> <li>System fails to load the page:         <ol> <li>Initiator reloads/refreshes the page or he can go back to home page.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Initiator can read help (?) section to fill it correctly.</li> <li>Initiator can read help (?) section to fill it correctly.</li> <li>If any field was empty at the submission time:         <ol> <li>System gives error to user to fill those empty field.</li> <li>Initiator fills all the fields and submit it again.</li> </ol> </li> <li>If there was no available location or date to select         <ol> <li>Initiator should contact system admin to check if databases are updated or not.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Any failure due to DB accessibility:         <ol> <li>System should show the related error.</li> <li>User should submit the request again</li> </ol> </li> <li>If the system fails to send the email to a user:         <ol> <li>System should retry to send it again and notify the user if it was successful or not.</li> <li>If system couldn't sent the email, ask user to enter another</li> </ol> </li> </ol>		

	contact information for that specific user.
	Use case: show error notification, help
Priority:	High
	classify meeting, select dates and time period
Frequency of Use:	Very often (depend on size of the company)
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	-what customization is needed for different organizations? -what are different ways for notifying users about meetings? -what is the size of the company?

# 2.3.2 View Scheduled Meetings

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0	.2
Use Case	View Sc	cheduled Meetings
Name:		
		Scheduler application
Level:	User go	
Primary A	Actors:	Meeting initiator, Potential Participant, Potential Important Participant
Descri	iption:	Users can view the meetings they initiated, are invited to or attended before.
Precond	litions:	User is logged in to the system.
Success Guaran Postcondi		System shows all user meetings with related details and user can browse among them easily.
Main Success Sc (or Normal		<ol> <li>User enters the view session</li> <li>System shows all the past and active meetings with related details</li> </ol>
Extensio Alternative F		<ol> <li>User can select filters to view specific meetings</li> <li>Search based on participants ID</li> <li>Search based on participants category (important/non-important)</li> <li>Search based on location of meeting</li> <li>Search based on dates</li> <li>Search based on meeting category</li> </ol>
	riority:	High
	cludes:	
Frequency of		Very often (depend on size of the company)
Special Require	ments:	
Assum	ptions:	
Notes and 1	Issues:	

# 2.3.3 Manage Meeting

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0.3
Use Case	Manage Meeting
Name:	
Scope:	MeetingScheduler application
Level:	User goal
Primary	<b>Actors:</b> Meeting initiator, Potential Participant, Potential Important Participant

Dagawindiana	Initiator can manage the meeting by medify the initial information such
Description:	Initiator can manage the meeting by modify the initial information such as extending the initial time frame for meeting, changing the suggested
	location(s) and so on. System need to update related databases to save
	the information and notify the potential participants about changes.
	Other users can manage their meetings too. They can change their
	preference and exclusion set or withdraw from a meeting. Any user can
	refer to help at any time. After initiation phase, potential participants
	would receive an email about the new meeting. By logging in to the
	system and referring to manage meetings section, they are able to see
	all their meetings. Response session would contain accept, withdraw,
	setting preference date and setting exclusion dates, and important
	participants can choose location too.
Preconditions:	User is logged in and has invitation to a meeting or some scheduled
	meetings.
Success Guarantee (or	System saves all the changes, update related databases and potential
Postconditions):	participants receive notification email about the meeting changes or
<u></u>	system initiate the optimizer.
Main Success Scenario	1. Initiator requests to manage the meeting
(or Normal Flow):	2. System show the meeting information
	3. Initiator make the appropriate modifications which can be
	location, time frame, preference or exclusion time periods,
	potential participants and their role or meeting importance.
	4. System will save the entered information to related databases
	and notify the potential users about the change.
Extensions (or	a* at any point if the system does not respond or show the appropriate
Alternative Flows):	session to user.
	1. System should show the appropriate error message.
	1.1 If it does not show the error, user need to reload the page.
	2. User should take an action related to the message.
	1a. Potential Participant can ask to manage his meetings.
	3a. If user tagged as important:
	1. He can choose the location of meeting too from the list
	(activated section).  3b. If meeting tagged as urgent or important, participant cannot
	withdraw from the meeting (deactivated section).
	3c. Potential participant can modify the preference date and exclusion
	date or withdraw from the meetings.
Priority:	High
Includes:	Send notification
Frequency of Use:	sometimes
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

# 2.3.4 Cancel Meeting

Initiator can cancel the meeting he initiated at any time. System will notify all potential participants about the cancelation and release the booked location and update related databases (meeting, user, location).

Primary actor: Meeting initiator Includes: release location, send notification, updating meeting, user and location database.

#### 2.3.5 Add Participants

Initiator should choose potential participants for each meeting he initiates. He also needs to determine if participant presence is mandatory or not.

#### 2.3.6 Classify Participants

Initiator will do this task as part of selecting participants for the meeting.

#### 2.3.7 Set Initial Time Frame

This would be done by initiator while creating the meeting request.

#### 2.3.8 Select Location

This task can be done by initiator and potential important participants.

#### 2.3.9 Send Notification

System is responsible to send notification when a meeting is initiated, changed, canceled or finalized.

#### 2.3.10 Select Date and Time Period

Participants and Initiator can select date and time periods by responding to meeting invitation or managing their meetings. It can be setting exclusion set or preference set or both.

#### 2.3.11 Select Exclusion Set

This list contains the dates and time periods that participant can not attend the meeting due to conflict with other meetings or another reason.

#### 2.3.12 Select Preference Set

This list contain the dates that participant is willing to attend the meeting.

#### 2.3.13 Login

All the users and system admin need to login to the system to be able to perform any task. System will authenticate users by searching the user database.

Active actors: Admin, Potential Participants, Potential Important Participants, Meeting Initiator Include: Authentication (Access to user db)

#### 2.3.14 Schedule Meeting

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	Use Case ID: UC-1.0.14		
Use Case	Schedule	Meeting	
Name:			
Scope: Meeting		Optimizer Subsystem	
Level: Summa			
Primary	Actors: S	System	
Description:		This use case is responsible to find the best date and location for	
Î		meeting based on exclusion sets, preference sets and importance of	

	participants.
<b>Preconditions:</b>	All potential participants responded to invitation or if any one
	makes changes by using manage meeting section.
Success Guarantee (or	Send notification which can be finalized date and location or a new
Postconditions):	round of negotiations to find new date or new location to potential participants.
Main Success Scenario	Potential participant entered new information for the meeting
(or Normal Flow):	2. System initiate the schedule meeting process by considering
, ,	new information (new time period or location)
	3. System considers provided dates and locations by all potential
	participants for the meeting and finds available time and
	location which all important participants can come
	<ul><li>4. System send notification about finalized date and location</li><li>5. Participants will receive an email about the finalized meeting</li></ul>
Extensions (or	1a. Potential participant changed previous selection for the meeting
Alternative Flows):	1b. Potential participant withdraw from meeting
,.	1c. Potential participant respond to new round of negotiation
	3a. System cannot find any common date or location between important
	participants:
	1. System investigate all possible options to set a meeting
	2. Send some suggestions to participant to negotiate
Priority:	High
Includes:	Find available dates, finalize meeting, find available location
Frequency of Use:	Very often
<b>Special Requirements:</b>	
Assumptions:	
<b>Notes and Issues:</b>	

# 2.3.15 Finalize Meeting

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0	1.15
Use Case	Finalize	Meeting
Name:		
Scope:	Meeting	Optimizer Subsystem
Level:	Sub fun	ction
Primary	Actors:	System
Desc	ription:	System was able to find the optimum date and location for meeting and notify participants to agree about that.
Precon	ditions:	All participants provided necessary information for meeting date, time and location
Success Guara Postcond		Agreement notification will be sent to potential participants
Main Success Scenario (or Normal Flow):		<ol> <li>System find available dates and location meeting requirements</li> <li>System finalize the time and location, update related databases and send agreement notification to all potential participants</li> <li>Participants will receive the agreement notification and will respond to that.</li> </ol>
Extensions (or Alternative Flows):		1a. if there was more than one available option with the same priority (same number of participants who can attend the meeting):  1. System will choose the first available option as the finalized

	option
Priority:	High
Includes:	
Frequency of Use:	Very often
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

#### 2.3.16 Obtain Agreement

As part of finalizing meeting, system need to make sure all important participants are agreed about the last time and location of meeting.

#### 2.3.17 Find Available Location

As part of scheduling meeting process, scheduler need to consider initial suggested locations by initiator and important participants preferences for location and meet the maximum vote.

#### 2.3.18 Find Available Date

As part of scheduling meeting process, the scheduler need to find available dates that all the important participants and most of the potential participants can attend. These job can be done by obtaining initial time frame, preference sets and exclusion sets from all participants.

#### 2.3.19 Obtain Preference Dates

As part of scheduling meeting, scheduler needs to consider preference dates for all potential participants to decide about the time of meeting. The importance of considering remaining dates in time frame after taking out exclusion sets is higher. Then if there was any day left, we should consider the preference sets of potential important participants. At the end, if there was any choice, we can consider non-important potential participants preference dates.

#### 2.3.20 Obtain Exclusion Dates

Schedule needs to obtain and exclude the exclusion time periods from initial time frame to find the best time for the meeting. If there was not any available date among all important participants,

#### 2.3.21 Handle no date found situation

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0	0.21	
Use Case	Handle	no date found situation	
Name:			
Scope:	Meeting	Meeting Optimizer Subsystem	
Level:	User go	User goal	
Primary Actors: System		System	
Desc	ription:	When meeting scheduler cannot find any available date which meets the minimum requirements, it would take some extra steps to make it possible to set a meeting by asking some non-important participants to withdraw, asking initiator to extend the initial time frame, asking a participant to withdraw from another meeting with lower significance, ask some participants to add dates to their preference set, or asking	

	some participants to remove some dates from their exclusion set.
Preconditions:	No dates was found for the meeting based on minimum
	requirements
Success Guarantee (or	New round of negotiation (email) would be held by the scheduler and
<b>Postconditions):</b>	target participants should receive an email.
Main Success Scenario	1. System could not find any available common date for
(or Normal Flow):	participants
	2. System suggests initiator to extend the initial time frame
	3. Initiator receives the email, log in to system and change the
	initial time frame.
	4. System schedule the meeting again considering new
	information
	5. System find the common date and location for the meeting
	6. System finalize the meeting and send notification to all
	participants
	7. Participants receive the email and respond to agreement request
Extensions (or	2a. System suggests to specific participants to take out those conflicting
Alternative Flows):	exclusion dates and times from exclusion set
111011110110110110110110110110110110110	1. Recognized participant receive an email about the suggestion
	2. Participants manage their meeting selection by logging in to the
	system
	2b. System identify some non-important participants which their
	withdrawal lead to have a common dates for the meeting
	2c. System suggests to specific participants to add some dates to their
	preference set
	2d. System can suggest a participant to cancel another meeting which
	has conflict with this one and has lower importance
	2e. some dates from exclusion set of non-important participants can be
	considered.
Priority:	High
Includes:	
	Negotiate
Frequency of Use:	Some times
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

#### 2.3.22 Release Location

Whenever the initiator cancel a meeting or scheduler finalize another location different from the previous booked one, the location database needs to be updated and change status of previous location to available.

#### 2.3.23 Accept Meeting

When participant invited to a meeting and he does not have any restriction in suggested time frame.

#### 2.3.24 Withdraw Meeting

When a potential participant does not want to participate in a meeting voluntary or as a request from system or initiator. Related dbs should be updated and meeting scheduler then need to schedule meeting with new condition.

#### 2.3.25 Search

All users can search meetings, locations or other users based on id or keywords or label to view selected information from the system.

#### 2.3.26 Search participants

Users can search other participants in the system, or in a specific meeting, with a specific label.

#### 2.3.27 Search meeting category

Everyone can search among their own meetings by meeting label.

#### 2.3.28 Search Calendar

All users can view calendar and limit it to specific dates or time periods.

#### 2.3.29 Search Locations

Users can search among locations in general or available locations for the proposed meeting. However, the only ones who can set a location for meeting are initiator and important participants.

#### 2.3.30 Classify Meeting

Initiator can classify the meeting by choosing one of these three labels: urgent, important or regular.

#### 2.3.31 Negotiate

When the system could not find a common date or location among participants, it needs to send some specific suggestion to all participants or specific ones to resolve the problem.

#### 2.3.32 Help

Users can ask for help (hint) form the system at any session they are to find out how they should work with the system.

#### 2.3.33 Manage Potential Participants

Initiator can manage participants at the initiating stage or after that. He can change their label, add new participants, remove some participants or ask someone to withdraw from the meeting (depends on organization policy).

#### 2.3.34 Ask to Withdraw

Initiator or system scheduler can ask some participants to withdraw from the meeting.

#### 2.3.35 Remove Participants

Initiator can remove invited participants to the meeting.

#### 2.3.36 Manage Meeting

Admin can manage the meetings to by accessing meetings database.

#### 2.3.37 Manage Location

Admin can modify location's information by entering their name or ID and add, remove or change location information.

#### 2.3.38 Manage User

Admin can modify user's information by entering their user ID and add, remove or change user information after he received the request for change.

#### 2.3.39 Add

As part of managing db, admin can add location, meeting or users to related databases by receiving the request in order to update location and meeting list and register new users to the system.

#### **2.3.40** Remove

As part of managing db, admin can remove users, locations and meetings from related databases upon request.

#### **2.3.41** Modify

As part of managing db, admin can modify information about any user, location or meeting to keep the system accurate.

#### 2.3.42 Monitor/View system

Admin can view the information which are saved to the database and monitor the system to see if the system works properly or not.

#### 2.3.43 Search

Admin can search in system databases based on a keyword or date. Search can be performed on user, location and meeting databases.

# 2.4 Nonfunctional Requirements

#### 2.4.1 Requirements for System

The user requires a menu-based system because it provide the easiest method of navigating the system. The maximum depth of menus are limited to three. The system will be accessed by various company employees with friendly user interface.

#### 2.4.2 Requirements for Software

The user require that the system should be implemented by using Java technology. By using a graphical user interface (GUI), mouse support should also be available; this will further simplify the procedure. The system should have a familiar look and feel to any experienced computer user.

#### 2.4.3 Requirement for response-time and process

As a customized system, the system should attempt to simplify the scheduling tasks as much as possible. The user require that he/she is permitted to arrange a time for a meeting by providing a minimal amount of information. System need to have acceptable response time to make decision about meeting.

#### 2.4.4 Scalability

Immutable functions in implementation part prevent the system to have problem with concurrency.

#### 2.4.5 Reliability

Providing unit tests for testing each function and using test driven development which means designing test cases before implementing. Moreover, for verifying overall system functionality we can use integration testing.

#### 2.4.6 Availability

#### 2.4.6.1 Clustering

2.4.6.2 Automated integration test: checking system status all the time

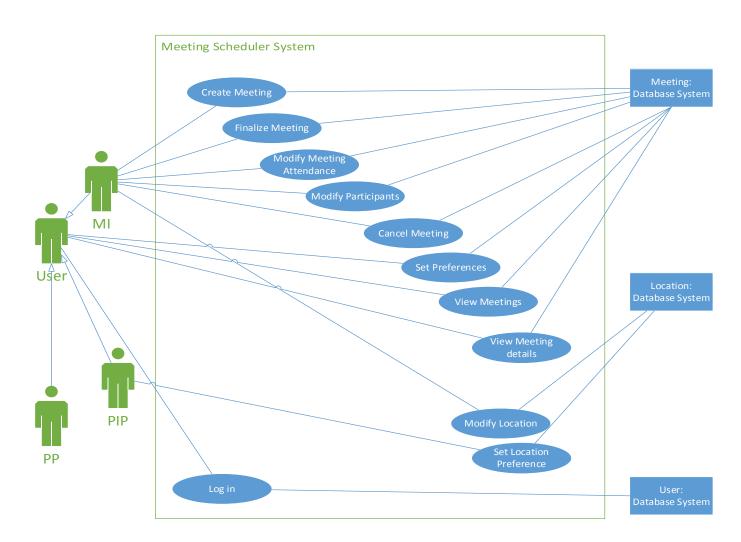
# 3. Use Case Model for reduced sized software

As part of this project, I need to implement the web-based meeting software with necessary functionality which turns the software into simpler, lower cost, with less maintainability problem software. In this part I will explain related use case and use case diagrams for first implemented version of the software. For the similar functions and actors description, please refer to chapter two as everything described with full details in that chapter.

#### 3.1 Actors

MI = Meeting Initiator, PP = Potential Participant, PIP= Potential Important Participant Databases: Location Db, User Db, Meeting Db (one database with three tables)

#### 3.2 Use Case Diagram



# 3.3 Use Case Scenarios

# 3.3.1 Create Meeting

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0	.1
Use Case	Create Meeting	
Name:		
Scope:		Scheduler application
Level:	User go	al
Primary A	Actors:	MI
Descr	ription:	This use case let users to ask for having a meeting with their colleagues
Precond	ditions:	User is identified and authenticated (logged in).
Success Guarar	itee (or	Proposed meeting is saved to the db.
Postcond	itions):	
Main Success So	cenario	1. User request to create meeting.
(or Normal	Flow):	2. System shows appropriate page
		3. User enters meeting time period and location or locations
		4. System save information successfully
Extensi		
Alternative 1	Flows):	
	riority:	High
In	cludes:	
Frequency		Very often (depend on size of the company)
Special Require		
	ptions:	All locations are exist in db.
Notes and	<b>Issues:</b>	-what customization is needed for different organizations?
		-what are different ways for notifying users about meetings?
		-what is the size of the company?

# 3.3.2 Modify Meeting Attendance

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0	1.2
Use Case	Modify I	Meeting Attendance
Name:		
Scope:	Meeting	Scheduler application
Level:	User go	al
Primary	Actors:	MI
Desc	ription:	MI can extend the time period of meeting
Precon	ditions:	User is identified and authenticated as meeting initiator.
Success Guara	ntee (or	New time sets are saved to the db.
Postcond	litions):	
Main Success S (or Normal		<ol> <li>MI asks to modify time period</li> <li>System provide related page and field</li> </ol>
(Of INOTHIA)	riow).	<ul> <li>3. MI append or prepend period by entering new start and end time</li> <li>4. System save changes</li> </ul>
Extensions (or		
Alternative	Flows):	
P	riority:	High
In	cludes:	

Frequency of Use:	sometimes
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

# 3.3.3 Modify Participants

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0.3		
Use Case	Modify Participants		
Name:			
Scope:	Meeting	Scheduler application	
Level:	User go	al	
Primary A	Actors:	MI	
Desci	ription:	MI can add and remove participants or change their labels as imp, non-imp for the meeting.	
Precond	ditions:	User recognized as MI for meeting	
Success Guarar Postcond			
Main Success So (or Normal		<ol> <li>MI ask to modify participants</li> <li>System shows related page</li> <li>MI enter user ID and select remove</li> <li>System save changes, update related db and notify related participants about changes.</li> </ol>	
Alternative 1	,	3a. MI choose participants label 1. Change Imp/non important label for existing participants 3b. MI add new participants and choose isImportant attribute value for each	
P	riority:	High	
In	cludes:	Sending email	
Frequency	of Use:	Very often	
Special Require	ements:		
Assum	ptions:		
Notes and	Issues:		

# 3.3.4 Cancel Meeting

Use Case ID:	$IIC_{-1}$ 0	1	
Use Case	Cancel I	Meeting	
Name:			
Scope:	Meeting	MeetingScheduler application	
Level:	User goal		
Primary	Actors:	MI	
Desc	ription:	MI can cancel the meeting at any stage	
Precon	ditions:	User identified as MI	
Success Guara	ntee (or	System save changes and notify all participants	
Postcond	litions):		
Main Success S	cenario	1. MI ask to cancel the meeting	

(or Normal Flow):	2. System remove the meeting and updates all related dbs and send email to participants.
	eman to participants.
Extensions (or	
Alternative Flows):	
Priority:	High
Includes:	send cancellation notification
Frequency of Use:	sometimes
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

# 3.3.5 Finalize Meeting

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0.5	
	Finalize Meeting	
Name:		
Scope:	Meeting 9	Scheduler application
Level:	User goa	al
Primary A	ctors:	MI
Descri		MI is the only one who can finalize the meeting
Precondi	itions:	System could find a time and location for meeting
Success Guarant	tee (or	Save changes to db, everyone receive notification and location get
Postcondit	tions):	booked
Main Success Sco	enario	1. Finalize section in MI profile become activated by system
(or Normal I	Flow):	2. MI log in and finalize the meeting which means he agrees to
		location and time.
		3. System save changes, update meeting and location in db and
		send emails to participants.
Extensio		
Alternative F	_	
	iority:	High
	ludes:	Send notification, update location status
Frequency o		Very often
Special Requiren	ments:	
Assump	otions:	
Notes and I	Issues:	

# 3.3.6 Set Time Preferences

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0.6	
Use Case	Set Tim	e Preferences
Name:		
Scope:	MeetingScheduler application	
Level:	User goal	
Primary	Actors:	User
Description:		Users can change their available and preference times
Precon	ditions:	User log in to his own profile

Success Guarantee (or Postconditions):	
Main Success Scenario	1. user signs in to his profile and view meeting details
(or Normal Flow):	2.system shows set time section to all users
	3. pp/pip user sets the right attendance time and exit
	4. system save the changes
Extensions (or	3a. If all PIP users set their preference time
Alternative Flows):	1. system should send an email to MI
Priority:	High
Includes:	
Frequency of Use:	Very often
Special Requirements:	
Assumptions:	
Notes and Issues:	

# 3.3.7 View Meetings

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0.7		
Use Case	View Meetings		
Name:			
Scope:	Meeting	Scheduler application	
Level:	User go	al	
Primary	Actors:	User	
Descr	ription:	Users can see all their meetings (past, active and invited) in their profile	
Precon	ditions:	User is logged in	
Success Guarat Postcond	`	System loaded all user meetings	
Main Success S (or Normal		<ol> <li>User logged in</li> <li>System shows user session</li> <li>User chooses to view all meetings related to him</li> <li>System load all the meeting by getting user id</li> </ol>	
Extens Alternative	ions (or Flows):		
P	riority:	High	
In	cludes:		
Frequency	of Use:	Very often	
Special Require	ements:		
Assum	nptions:		
Notes and	Issues:		

# 3.3.8 View Meeting Details

<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0.8
Use Case	View Meeting Details
Name:	
Scope:	MeetingScheduler application

Level: User go	Level: User goal		
Primary Actors:	User		
Description:	Users can see details of the meeting they are invited to		
Preconditions:	User logged in and select a meeting		
Success Guarantee (or Postconditions):	System loaded selected meeting details which can be different based on user role		
Main Success Scenario (or Normal Flow):	<ol> <li>User select a meeting to view the details</li> <li>System get meeting and user id and load the data which shows initial time period, suggested locations and participants to pp user</li> </ol>		
Extensions (or Alternative Flows):	2a. System can load set locations preference for PIP users additionally 2b. System can load all participants with their submitted preferences for MI		
Priority:	High		
Includes:			
Frequency of Use:	Often		
Special Requirements:			
Assumptions:			
Notes and Issues:			

# 3.3.9 Modify Locations

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0.9		
Use Case	Modify L	ccations	
Name:			
Scope:	Meeting	MeetingScheduler application	
Level:	User goal		
Primary	Actors:	MI	
Desc	ription:	MI can add or remove locations for the meeting	
Preconditions:		User has to logged in as MI and select meeting	
Success Guarantee (or		Save changes to system	
Postconditions):			
Main Success Scenario			
(or Normal Flow):			
Extensions (or			
Alternative Flows):			
Priority:		High	
Includes:			
Frequency of Use:		Often	
Special Requirements:			
Assumptions:			
Notes and Issues:			

# 3.3.10 Set Location Preference

Use Case ID:	UC-1.0.10
Use Case	Set Location Preference

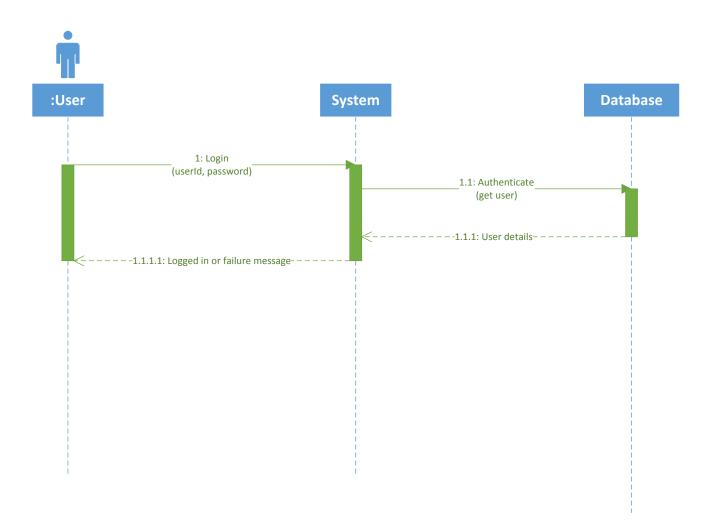
Name:			
Scope: Me	MeetingScheduler application		
Level: Us	User goal		
Primary Act	tors: PIP		
Descript	tion: Just PIP users can choose location among suggested locations by MI.		
Preconditi	ons: User is logged in and authenticated as pip for the meeting and asked to view meeting details.		
Success Guarante Postcondition			
Main Success Scen (or Normal Fl	2. System shows meeting detail with option of selecting preferred location 3. PIP can choose between previously suggested locations by MI 4. system save changes by getting location id		
Extension Alternative Flo			
Prio	rity: High		
Inclu	des:		
Frequency of	Use: Sometimes		
Special Requireme	ents:		
Assumpti	ons:		
Notes and Iss	sues:		

# 3.3.11 Log in

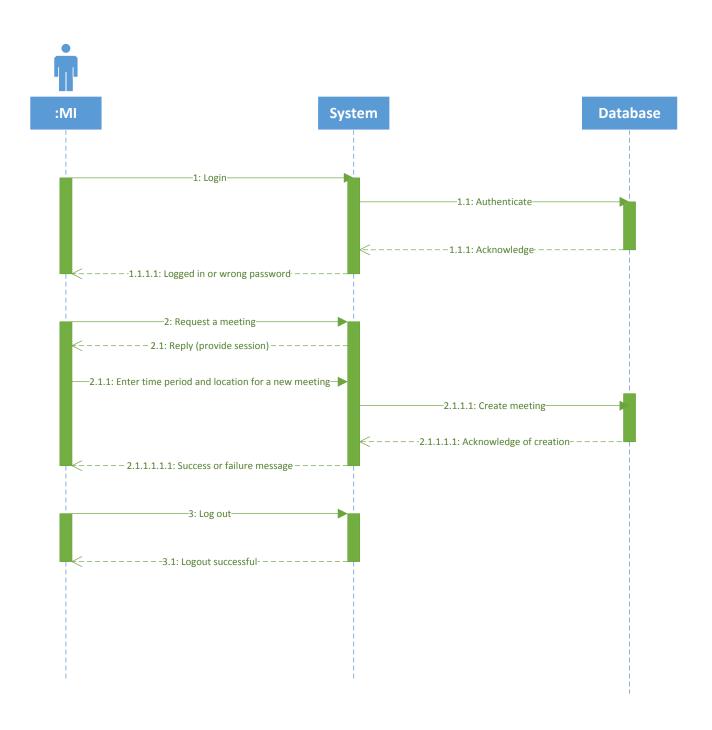
<b>Use Case ID:</b>	UC-1.0.11			
Use Case	Log in			
Name:				
Scope:	Meeting	MeetingScheduler application		
Level:	User go	User goal		
Primary	Actors:	User		
Desci	ription:	User can sign in to his own profile		
Precon	ditions:	User is connected to internet		
Success Guarai	ntee (or	User successfully sing in to the system		
Postcond	litions):			
Main Success Scenario		3. User opens application log in page		
(or Normal	Flow):	4. User enters his id.		
		5. System connect to db and search for id.		
		6. System identify the user and let the uset to sign in and see the new		
		page		
Extensions (or		4a. system does not identify user id		
Alternative	Flows):	1. System show appropriate error message		
		2. User need to enter correct id		
	riority:	High		
	cludes:	Authentication		
Frequency of Use:		Very often		
Special Require				
Assumptions:				

# 4. Sequence Diagrams

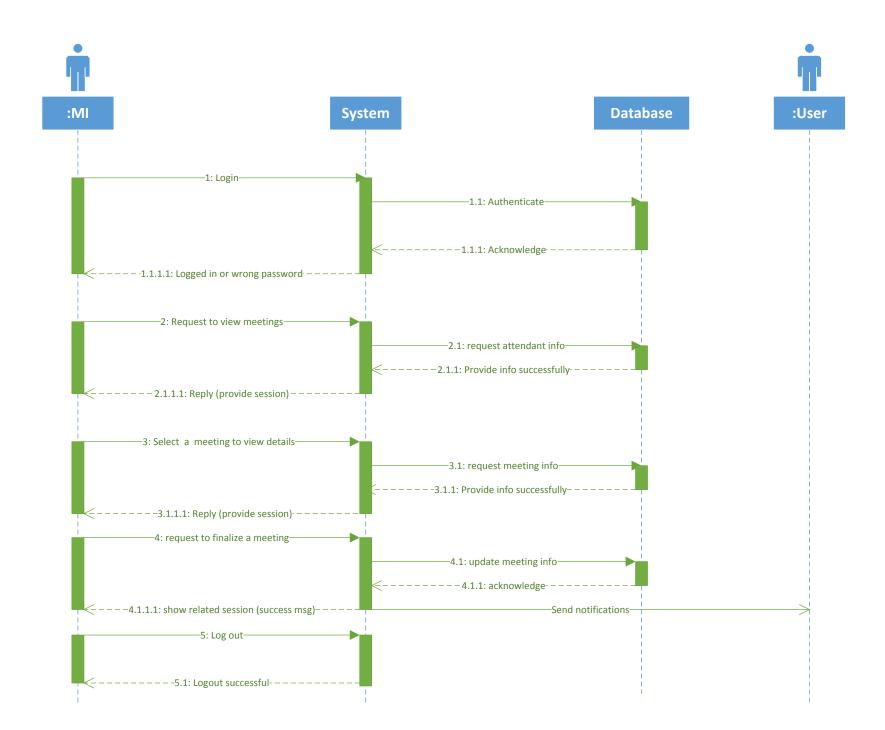
- 4.1 User log in
- 4.2 Meeting initiator create meeting
- 4.3 Meeting initiator finalize meeting
- 4.4 Meeting initiator modify meeting attendance
- 4.5 Meeting initiator modify participants
- 4.6 Meeting initiator modify location
- 4.7 Potential important participant set location preference
- 4.8 User view meetings
- 4.9 User view meeting details
- 4.10 User set preference time
- 4.11 Meeting initiator cancel meeting



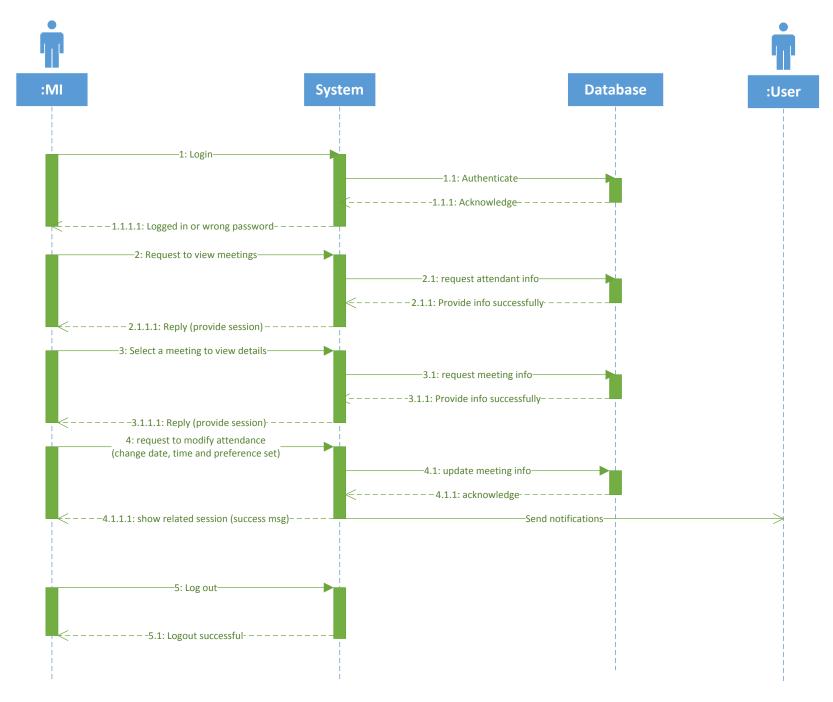
#### SD. MI.createMeeting()



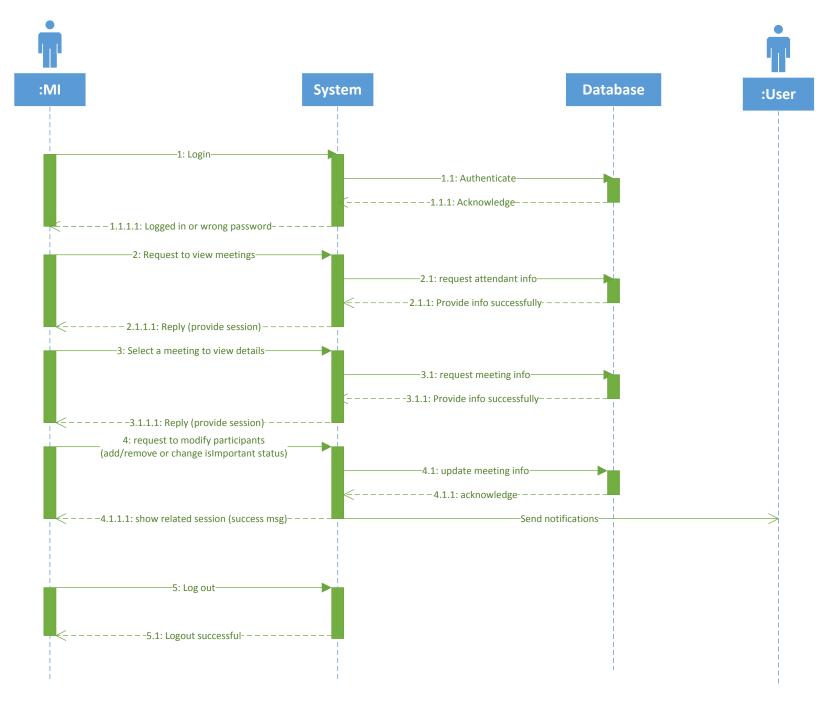
#### SD. MI.finalizeMeeting()



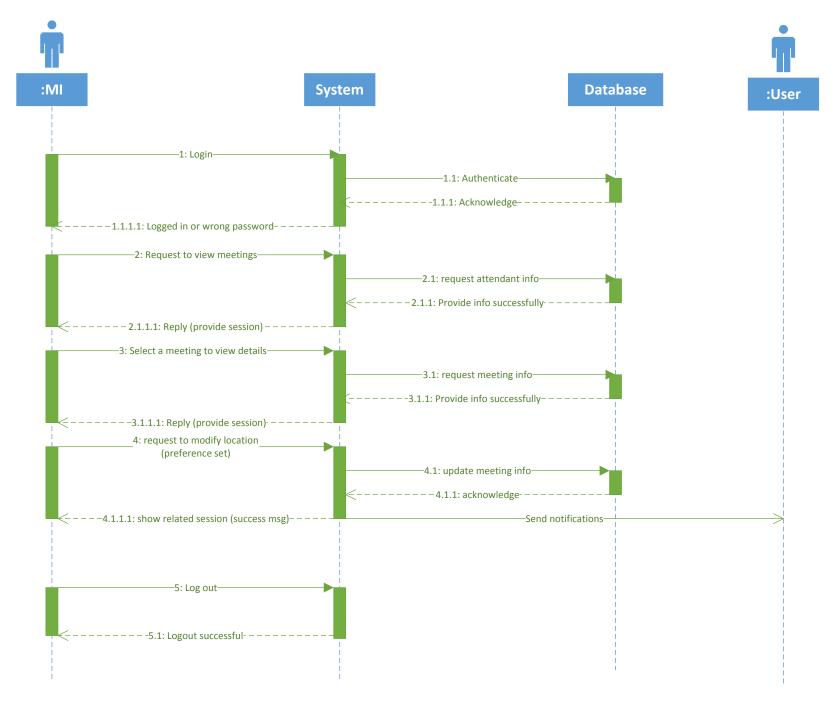
#### SD. MI.modifyMeetingAttendance()



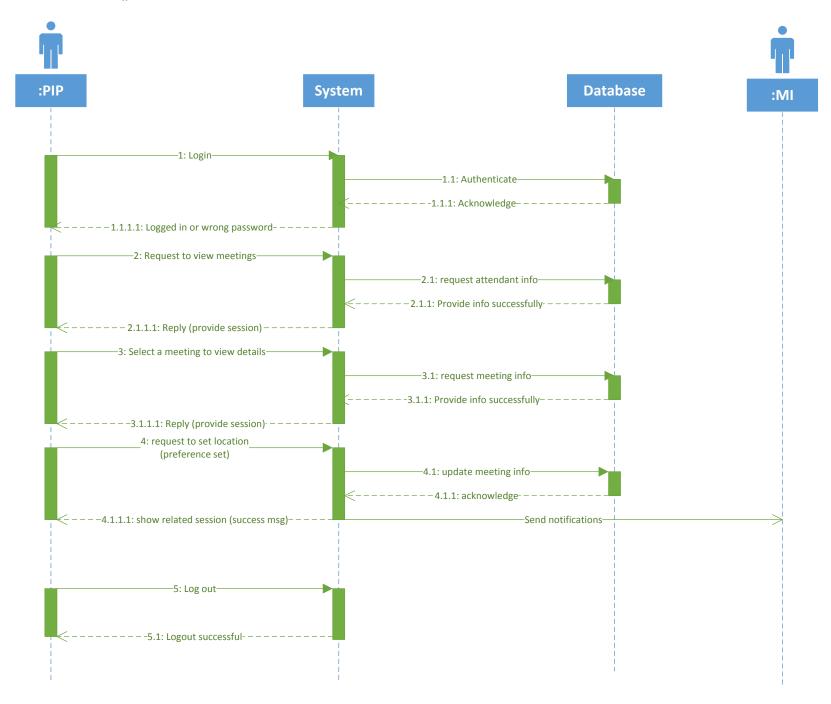
#### SD. MI.modifyParticipants()



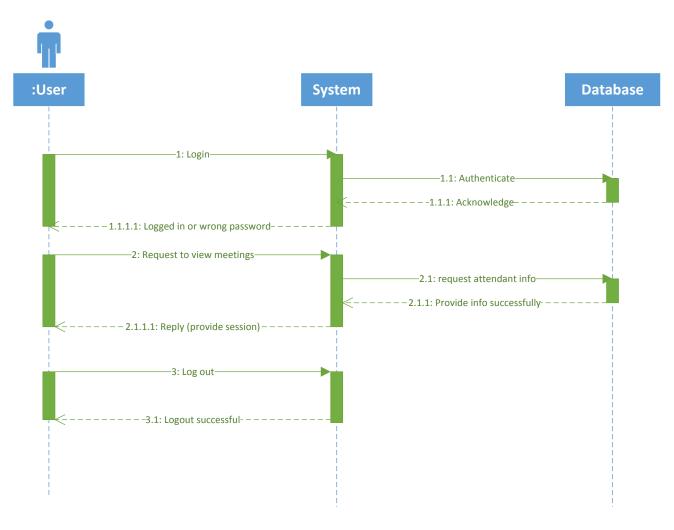
#### SD. MI.modifyLocation()



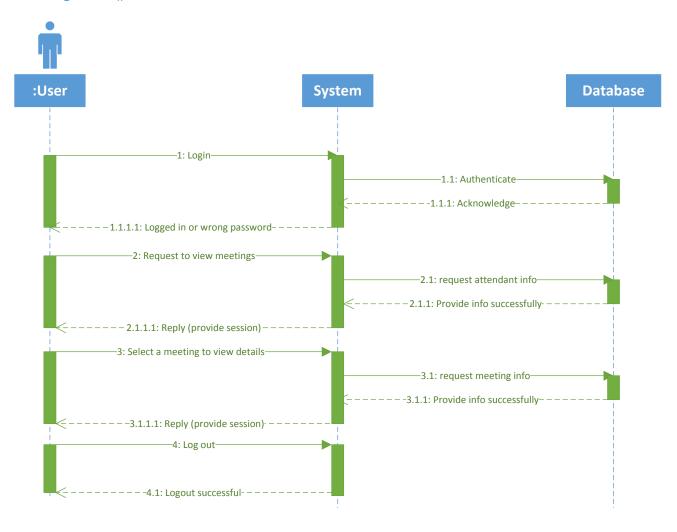
## SD. PIP.setLocationPreference()



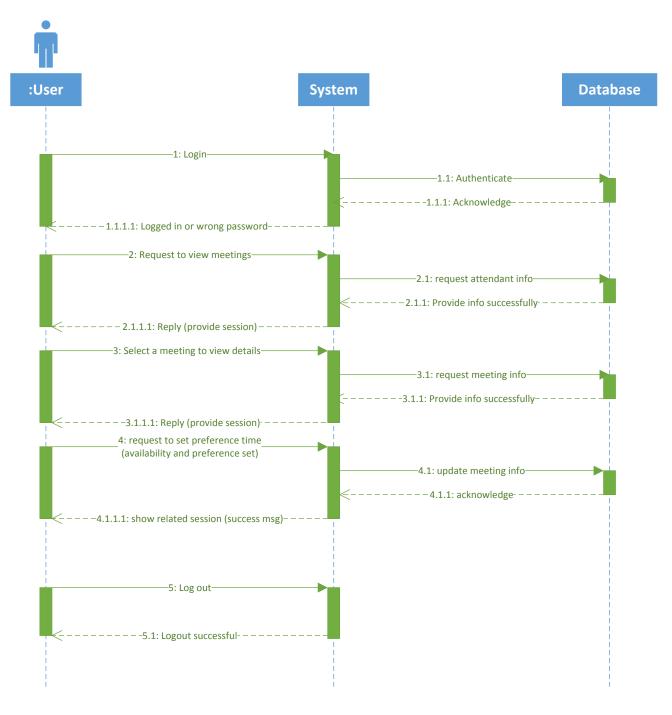
## SD. User.viewMeeting()



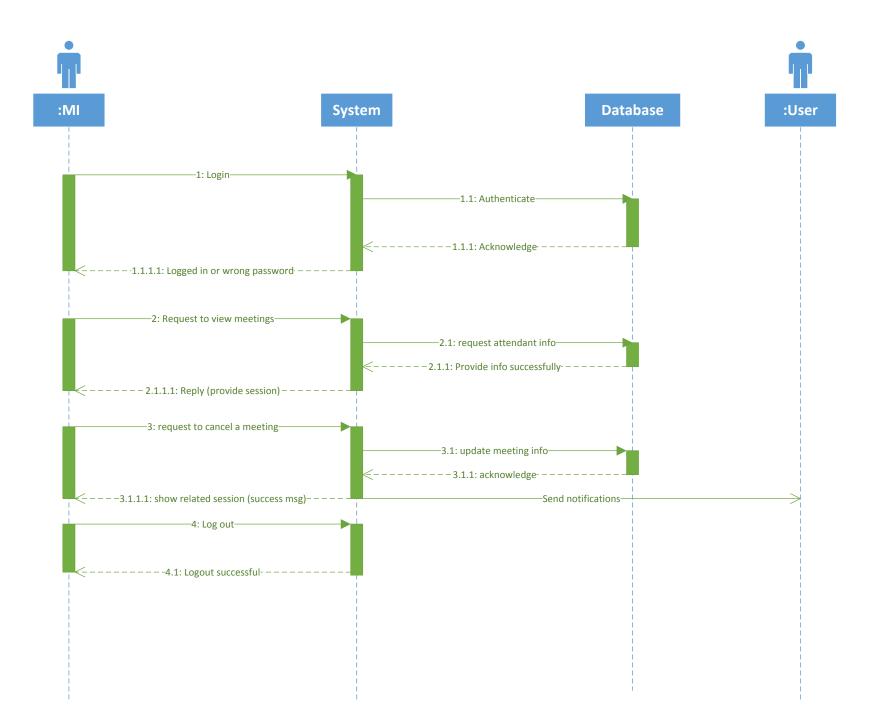
## SD. User.viewMeetingDetails()



## SD. User.setPreferenceTime()



## SD. MI.cancelMeeting()



## 5. Class Model

## **5.1 Class Description**

## 5.1.1 Availability Period

#### 5.1.1.1 Attributes

start: Date end: Date

isAvailable: boolean preference: int

#### 5.1.1.2 Functions

getStart(): Date getEnd(): Date is Available(): bo

isAvailable(): boolean getPreference(): int

## 5.1.2 Availability Record

#### 5.1.2.1 Attributes

elements []:AvailabilityPeriod

#### 5.1.2.2 Functions

apply(AvailabilityPeriod): AvailabilityRecord update(AvailabilityPeriod): AvailabilityRecord

isAvailable(): boolean

isAvailableBetween(start: Date, end: Date): boolean

getMostPreferredPeriod(): AvailabilityPeriod

## 5.1.3 Location

#### 5.1.3.1 Attributes

id: int

name: String

availability: AvailabilityRecord

#### 5.1.3.2 Functions

getId(): int

getName(): String

getAvailability():AvailabilityRecord setAvailability(AvailabilityRecord)

#### 5.1.4 Attendant

#### 5.1.4.1 Attributes

availability: AvailabilityRecord

isImportant: boolean preferredLocationId: int

#### 5.1.4.2 Functions

getAvalability(): AvailabilityRecord setAvailability(AvailabilityRecord) isImportant(): boolean getPreferredLocationId(): int setPreferredLocationId(LocationId:int)

#### 5.1.5 Meeting

#### 5.1.5.1 Attributes

Id: int name: String

attendants: Map <userId,attendant> avalability: AvailabilityRecord meetingScheduler: MeetingScheduler

#### 5.1.5.2 Functions

getAvailability():AvailabilityRecord setAvailability(AvailabilityRecord) isFinalizable: boolean finalize(start: Date, end: Date, LocationId: int) getAttendant(UserId): Attendant setAttendant(UserId, Attendant) hasAttendant(UserId)

## **5.1.6** Meeting Scheduler (singleton object)

#### 5.1.6.1 Attributes

allUsers []: User allMeetings []: Meeting allLocations []: Location notificationService

#### 5.1.6.2 Functions

reloadMeetings()
reloadLocations()
reloadMeetings(UserId)
getUserMeetings(UserId): UserMeetings []
getUserMeetingDetail(UserId,MeetingId): UserMeeting
createMeeting(start, end, locationIds[]): MeetingId:int
login(email:String, pass:String)
destroyMeeting(MeetingId)

#### **5.1.7** Notification Service (interface)

## 5.1.7.1 Attributes

nothing

## 5.1.7.2 Functions

Send(email:String, message: String)

#### 5.1.8 User

#### 5.1.8.1 Attributes

Id: int

Email: String Pass: String

meetingScheduler: MeetingScheduler

## 5.1.8.2 Functions

getId():int

getEmail: String

getPass(): String //Password

getMeetings() //to implement view meetings

getMeetingDetails()

## 5.1.9 User Meeting

#### 5.1.9.1 Attributes

meeting: Meeting

## 5.1.9.2 Functions

getAvailability():AvailabilityRecord
setAvailability(AvailabilityRecord)

## 5.1.10 PIP Meeting

#### 5.1.10.1 Attributes

Same as user meeting

#### **5.1.10.2** *Functions*

getLocation(): locationId
setLocation(LocationId)

## **5.1.11 PP Meeting**

#### 5.1.11.1 Attributes

Same as user meeting

#### **5.1.11.2** *Functions*

Same as user meeting

## 5.1.12 MI Meeting

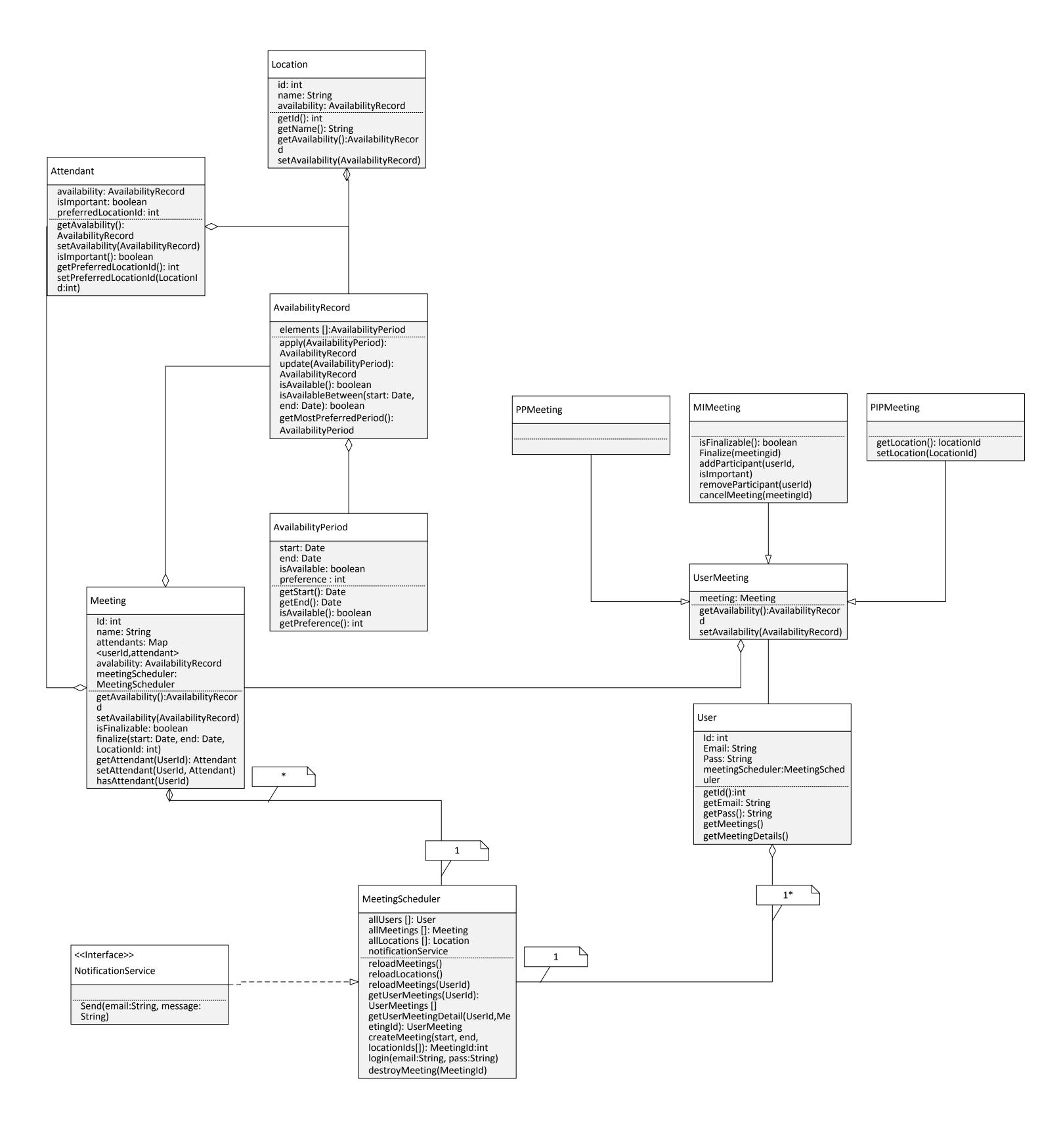
## **5.1.12.1** *Attributes*

Same as user meeting

## **5.1.12.2** *Functions*

isFinalizable(): boolean Finalize(meetingid) addParticipant(userId, isImportant) removeParticipant(userId) cancelMeeting(meetingId)

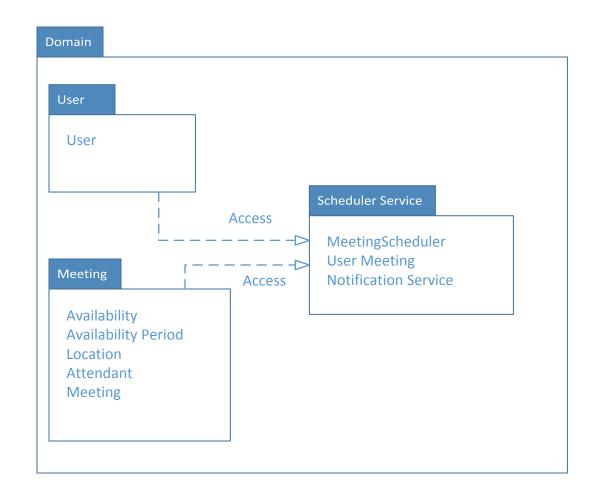
# 5.2 Class Diagram



# 6. Package Diagram

Package diagrams can be used to show dependencies between different packages in a model. It used to semantically relate elements. We can use package diagrams with different goals. It can contain use cases to show the functionality, contain classes or represent different layers of software and how they communicate with each other.

I draw the package diagram to show the grouping between classes.



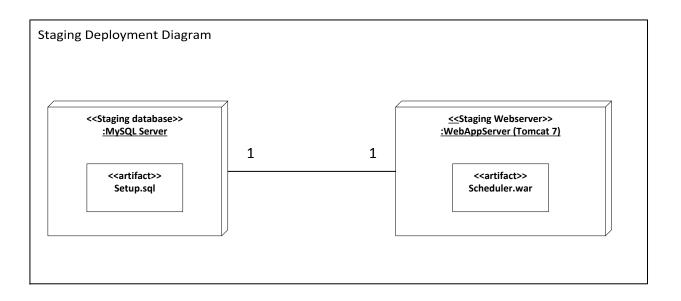
# 7. Deployment Diagram

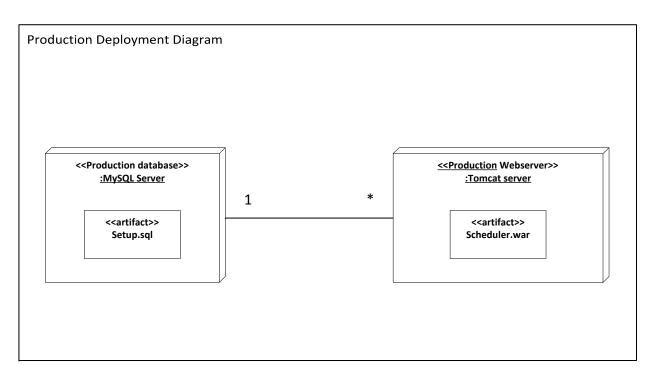
A deployment diagram would show the physical deployment of artifacts (components) on nodes. For a web application, the diagram can show what hardware components (nodes) exist (e.g., a web server, an application server, and a database server), what software components run on each node (e.g., web application, database), and how the different pieces are connected (e.g. JDBC, REST, RMI).

Instance level deployment diagram exhibits deployment of instances of artifacts to specific instances of deployment targets. It used for example here to show differences in deployments to development, staging or production environments with the names/ids of specific deployment servers or devices.

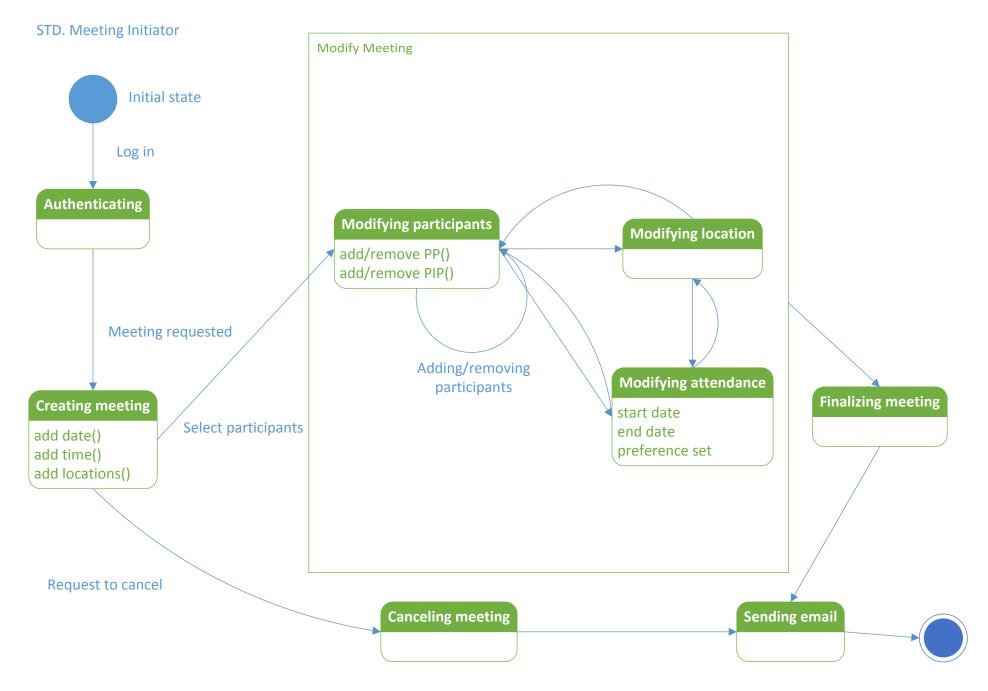
## 7.1 Staging deployment diagram

## 7.2 Production deployment diagram

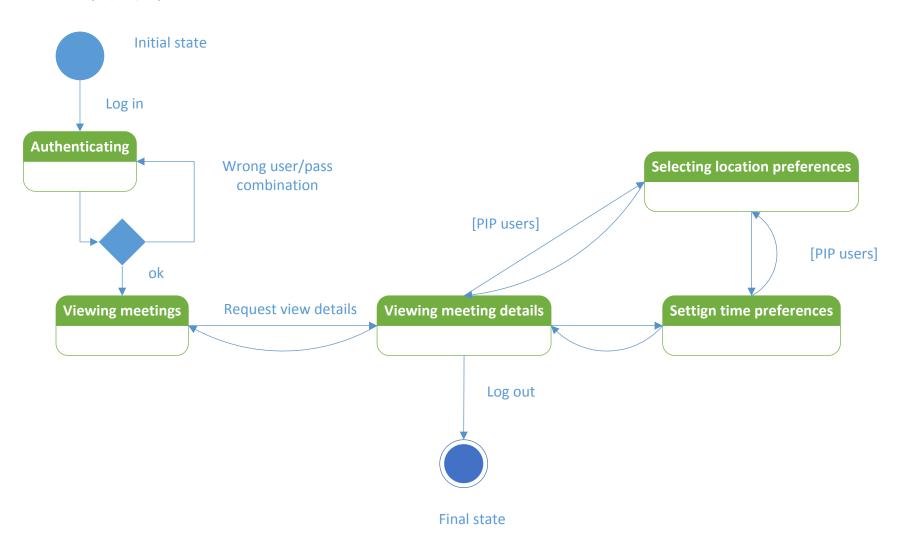




# 8. State Transition Diagram



## STD. Users (PP,PIP,MI)

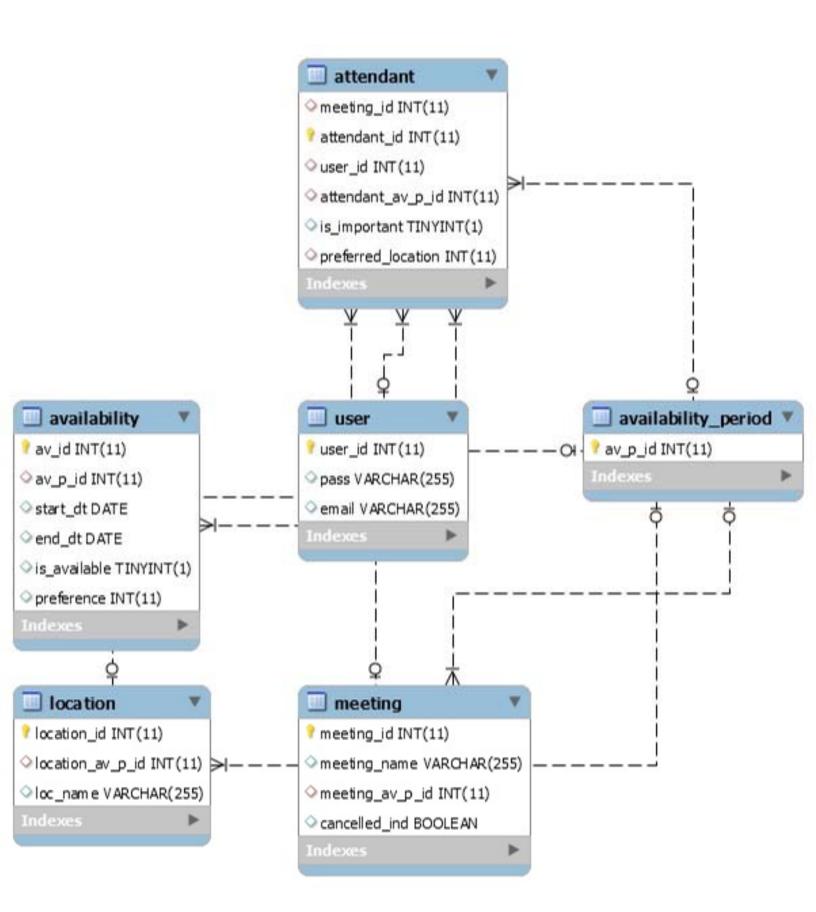


# 9. Entity Relationship Diagram

MySQL workbench 6.3 is used for this project.

# 9.1 ERD

This diagram shows the relationship between different database objects (tables).



# 9.2 Query scripts

#### **9.2.1 Tables**

```
#create database meeting:
CREATE TABLE User
user id int AUTO INCREMENT primary Key,
pass varchar(255),
email varchar(255)
);
CREATE TABLE Availability period
av p id int AUTO INCREMENT primary key
CREATE TABLE Availability
av id int AUTO INCREMENT primary key,
av p id int,
FOREIGN KEY (av p id) REFERENCES Availability period(av p id),
start dt date,
end dt date,
is available boolean,
preference int
Create table Location
             int AUTO INCREMENT primary key,
location id
location av p id int,
FOREIGN KEY (location_av_p_id) REFERENCES Availability_period(av_p_id),
loc name varchar(255)
);
Create table Meeting
      meeting id int auto increment primary key,
      meeting name varchar(255),
      meeting av p id int,
      FOREIGN KEY (meeting av p id) REFERENCES Availability period(av p id),
  cancelled ind boolean
Create table Attendant
meeting id int,
FOREIGN KEY (meeting id) REFERENCES Meeting(meeting id),
attendant id int primary key,
user id int,
```

```
FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES User(user_id), attendant_av_p_id int, FOREIGN KEY (attendant_av_p_id) REFERENCES Availability_period(av_p_id), is_important boolean, preferred_location int, foreign key (preferred_location) references Location(location_id) );
```