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Course Registration Program for University

Team Project Proposal

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1. Problem Definition

Kwangwoon University's existing course registration software suffers from several critical deficiencies. The main issue is that the software is inconvenient and has outdated UI/UX.

2. Problem Analysis

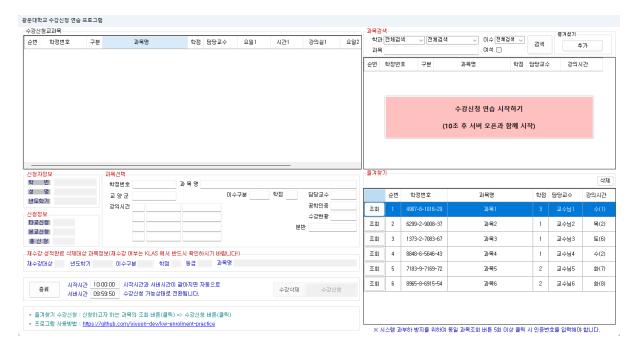


Figure 1: Course Registration Program of KWU

- The design of the software is antiquated. This results in unintuitive user interfaces and poor user experiences (i.e., When a freshman opens it, they cannot figure out how to register for the lectures).
- Secondly, users cannot find easily where to look for major courses.
- It does not provide enough information about ratings, comments, and syllabus of the courses.
- It's impossible to find prerequisite courses (cannot see the current status of major subjects) or follow the curriculum (i.e., required courses or elective courses)
- It is uncomfortable to press the "registration" button since the distance between the registration button and the "query" button is far.
- The number of favorite items is too small to add all desired courses.
- The order of search results is not suitable for choosing the "correct" lectures should take. This results in the choice of an incorrect lecture, for example, another department's one.

3. Data Collection

To implement the course registration software, student and lecture information. There are some methods to get them:

- Everytime's ratings and comments for all lectures for Kwangwoon University are borrowed from KLAS Helper GitHub repository
- We may request Kwangwoon University to get the in-the-wild database of the entire course; For now, we use the sample database for preview.
- We may need to gather the user's status for additional features.

4. Solution

• User-friendly and intuitive user interface



Figure 2: UI prototype for the registration software; Not a target design.

• Let the user effortlessly figure out what courses should take.

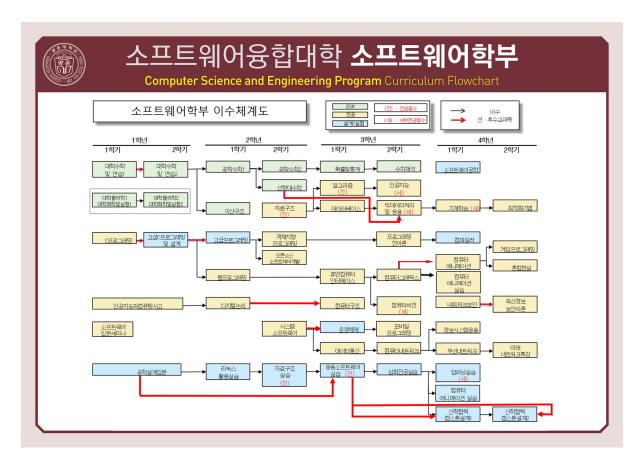


Figure 3: Flowchart for the Major Courses

- For example, it shows Prof. name, time, location, Everytime rating and comment, syllabus, etc. on click. On right-click, add the lecture to favorites. In Fig. 3, the green color indicates courses already taken, and the red colored courses not taken yet (to be implemented). By doing this, users can find efficiently prerequisite courses and the overall curriculum.
- Avoid the need to click the "query" button before pressing the "course registration" button. And place them together.
- Remove the limit on the number of favorite items.
- Show the lectures for a specific department at the top of the search result.

5. Role of Each Team Member

• Universe Shrestha: Frontend development

• Vadim Choi: UI/UX design

• Hoon-Hui Lee: Application programming

• Donghyeok Tak: Backend programming

6. Estimated Resources Needed

• Database server