# Introduction to Gamification

Mobile Web Services

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# The Gamification Project





#### What is Gamification?



"Gamification is the use of game-thinking and game mechanics in a non-game context in order to engage users and solve problems.

Gamification is used in applications and processes to improve user engagement, ROI, data quality, timeliness, and learning."

## Examples





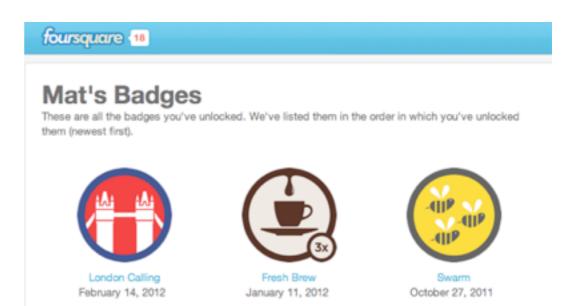
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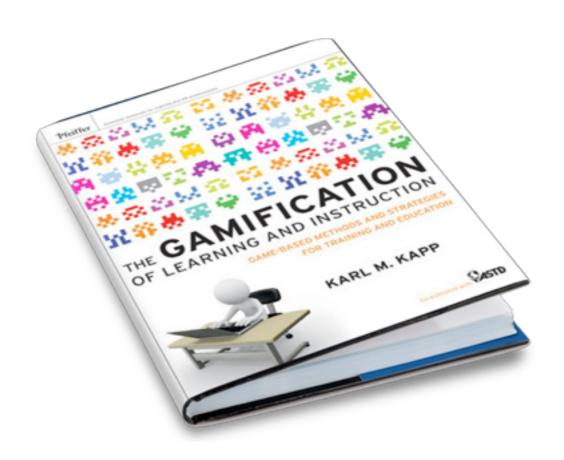
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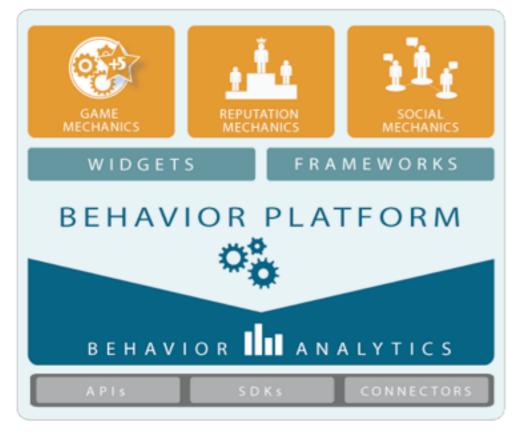




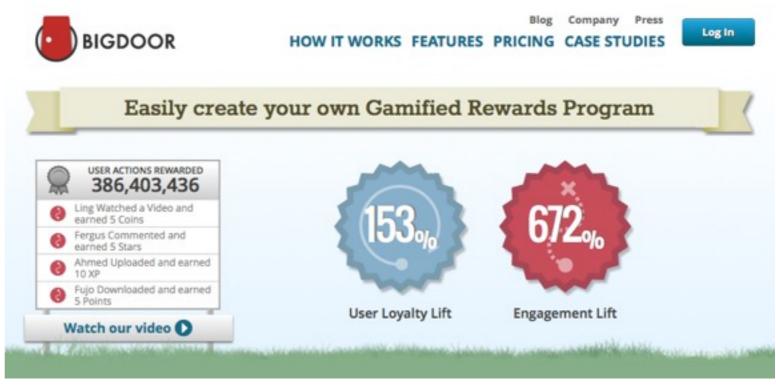
#### Gamification Platforms











### What is a Gamification Platform?



#### **Gamified Application**

notify events get status

#### **REST API**

**UI Console** 

#### Game "Mechanics"

Domain Model & Business Services **Event Processing & Activity Tracking** 

Scalable Persistence Store

# Gamification Engine



We want to design a domain model, a set of business services and a REST API to offer "game mechanics" to third-party applications.

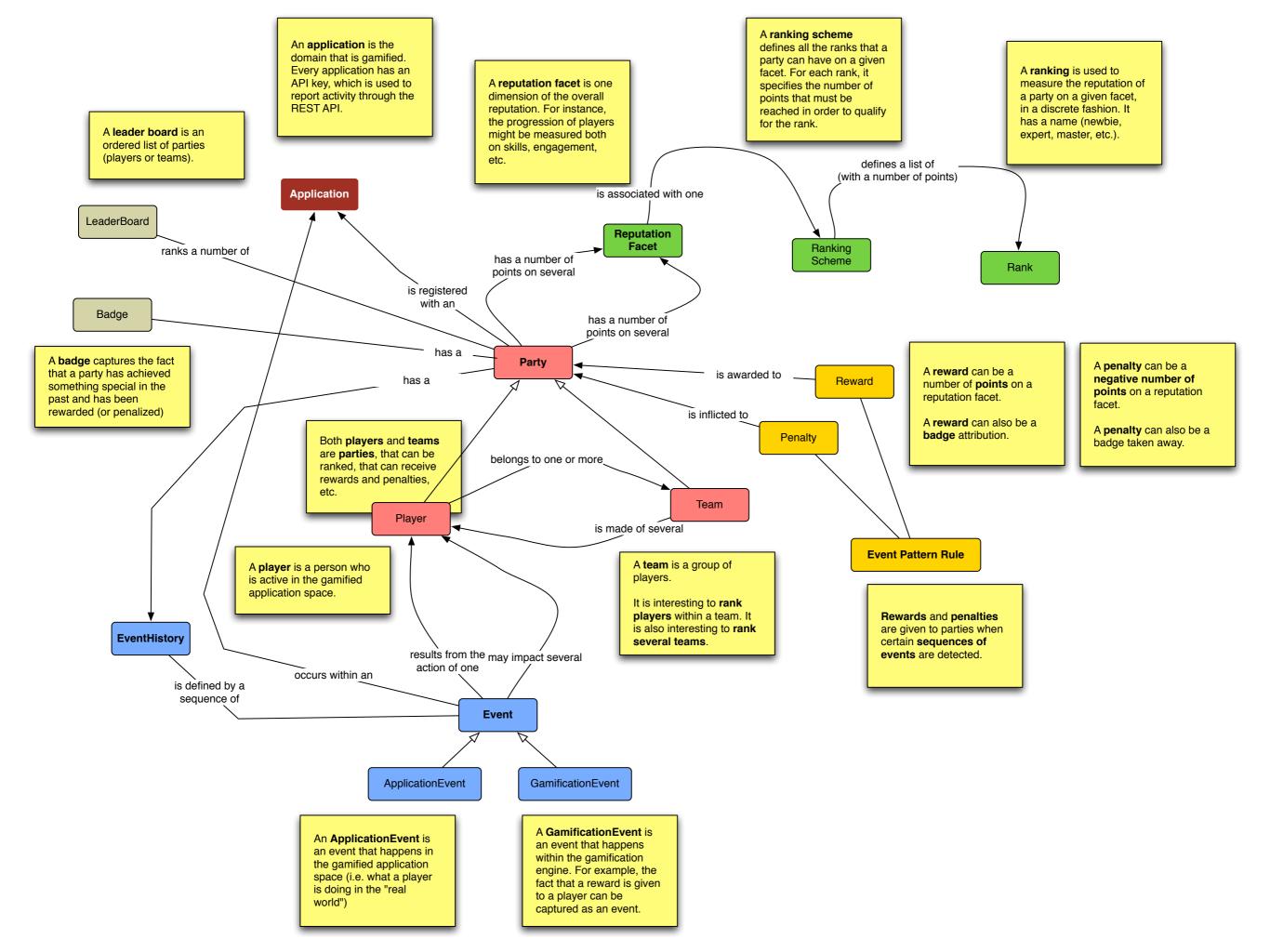
# Gamified Application



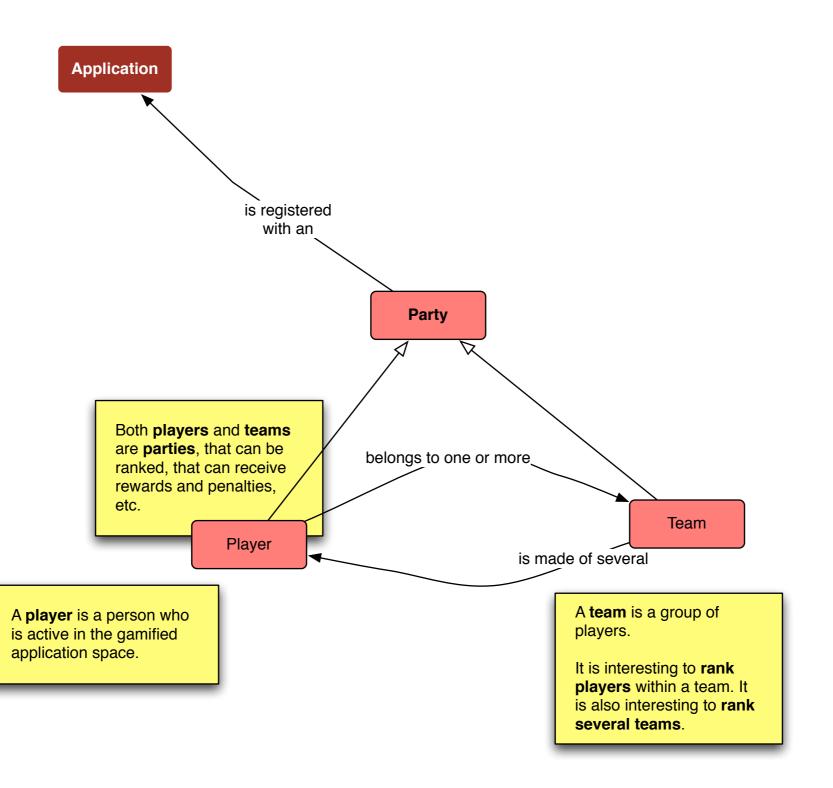
We want to design a domain model, a set of business services and a REST API for a particular application.

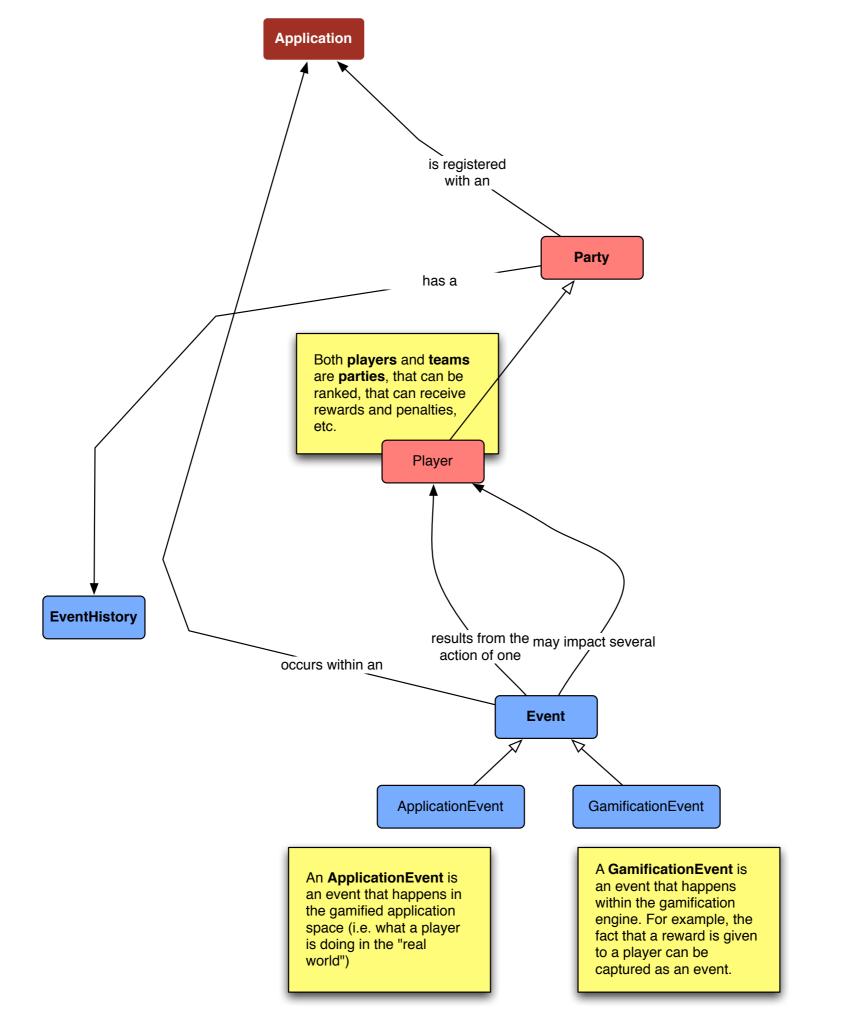
We want to write a mobile application that manages the UI and uses the application REST API.

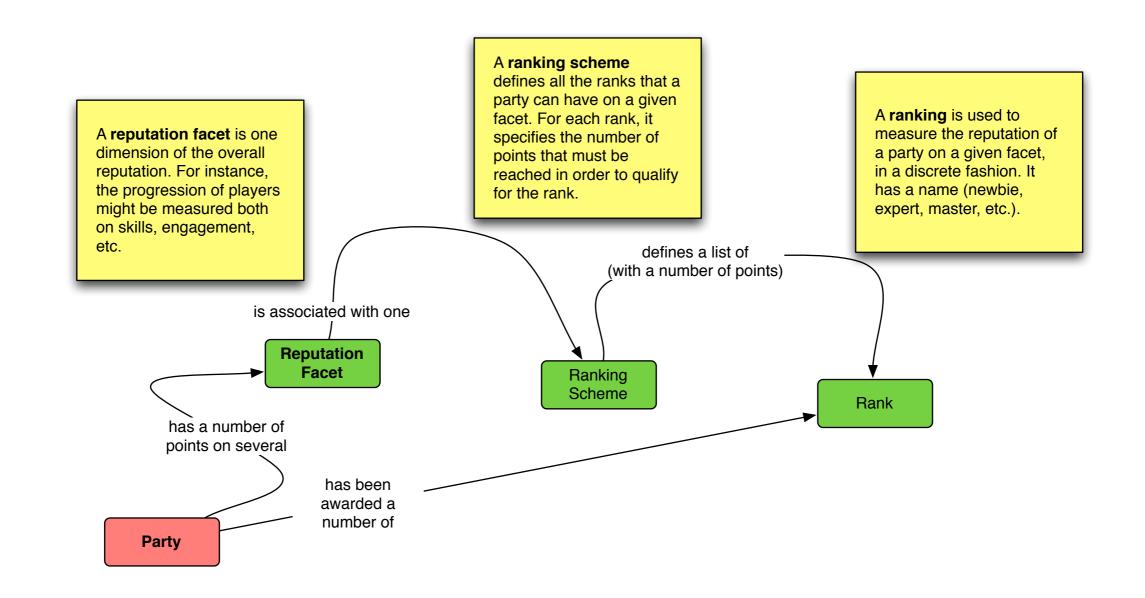
From the application back-end, we want to use the REST API exposed by the Gamification Engine.

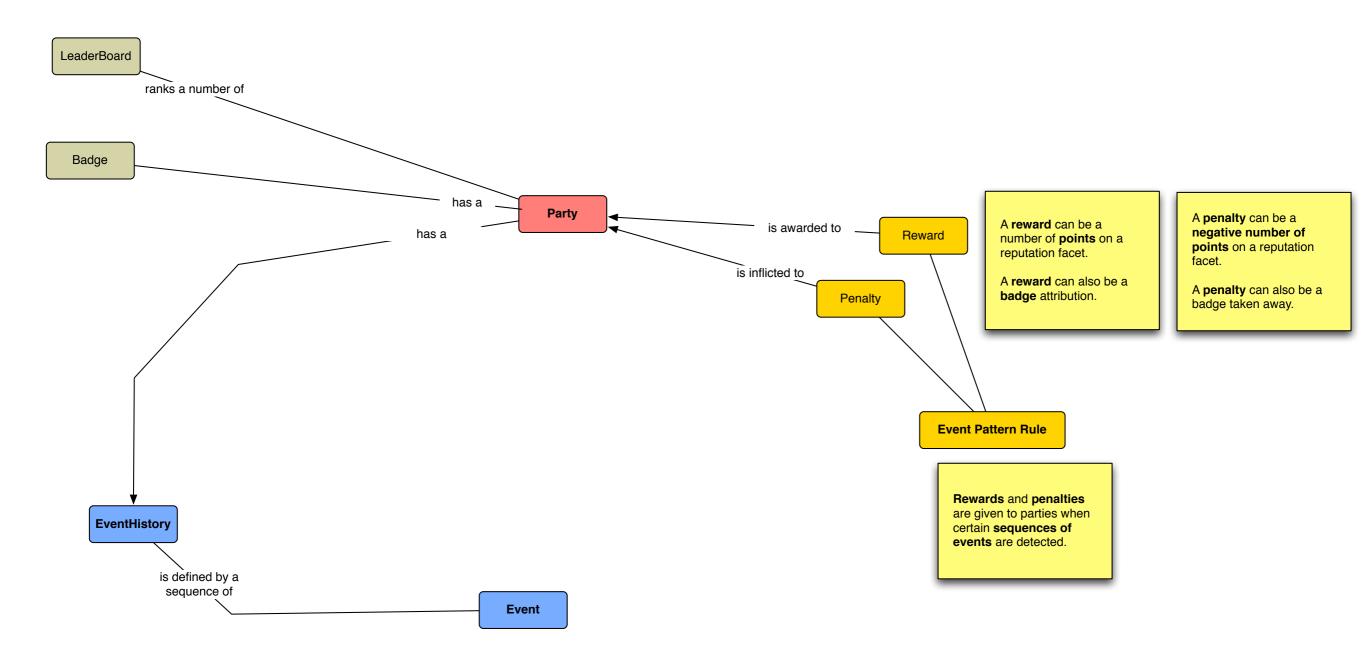


An **application** is the domain that is gamified. Every application has an API key, which is used to report activity through the REST API.









Gamification Domain Model (simple version)

