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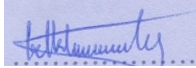
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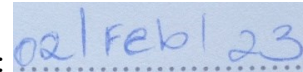
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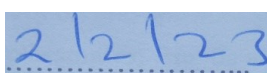
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List of Abbreviations

TPS	Transaction Processing System
MIS	Management Information System
DSS	Decision Support System
EIS	Executive Information System
CSS	Cascading Stylesheets
HTML	Hyper-Text Markup Language
MySQL	My Structured Query Language
WARMS	Web-based Alumni Record Management System
B. H. S	Bugobero High School
MOE	Measures of Effectiveness
MOS	Measures of suitability
GB	Giger Bytes
RAM	Random Access Memory
CD ROM	Compact Disc Read Only Memory
USE	Universal Secondary Education
DFD	Data flow Diagram
ERD	Entity Relationship Diagram
RAD	Rapid Application Development
PHP	Hypertext Preprocessor
UNIX (UNICS)	UNiplexed Information Computing System
MAC	Media Access Control Address
IE	Internet Explorer
TCP/IP	Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol

HTTP	HyperText Transfer Protocol
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
NEUST	Nueva Ecija University of Science and Technology
IIT	Indian Institute of Technology
ITMB	Information Technology Management for Business
UCLA	University of California Los Angeles

ABSTRACT

Most secondary school lack a web-based alumni system for keeping in touch with the alumni and knowing their way about, they still use traditional methods of recording through media to collect alumni data. The main object of this study was to develop a Web-based Alumni Record Management System for Bugobero High School that will enable the school easily connect and inform the large fraternity of alumni the school programs by uploading events and alumni will commit themselves to participate in the events at will and contact to know and remember their fellows.

The system was developed following the activity phases of Rapid Application Development. In this method, the system's prototype is built following the phases of events from requirement definition, software design, implementation and unit testing and operational maintenance. The prototypes were used to elicit more system and user requirements and to make necessary changes or modifications to the system to address user preferences.

The system was found to be cheaper than the existing systems especially in linking up with the alumni.

CHAPTER ONE

1.0: Introduction

Alumni are one of the most important assets to the school as they are the people who represent the school in the real country (Gunasekara 2017). Alumni form groups to promote a spirit of unit and loyalty among former students and to strengthen the ties between alumni, the community and school. These groups gained added importance in the development of the school because of their enormous outreach potential that benefits the school and helps the current students in their career paths.

According to NPOInfo,2022, Alumni record management system is a software solution that allows to manage alumni data and activities in a single space. Mostly created for schools, universities, alumni associations and foundations. Schools benefit from having all their information under one umbrella.

Previously, administrators were mostly constrained with the usual practice of accessing alumni records by checking files stored in shelves, making calls to those whom they can still access on air and media. This kind of record management supports not data update yet alumni status keeps on changing like from being student to employee or employer and time is wasted in the process of spreading information about school events.

According to (Bista, Shakya et al. 2021), alumni body plays an important role in institution by networking opportunities and contact among alumni or between the institution and alumni. However, limited communication between alumni, the administrators and students lead to less presentation of the school as alumni tend to forget. This is due to the ignorance of the alumnus about the roles alumni to the school to include promotion of professional network, academic and personal relationships that has limited data update. With advancement in technology, institution use system to align with alumni for fund, personal information and maintain records.

1.1: Background of the Study

Bugobero High School is a government aided secondary school located in Manafwa District, Bugobero town council. The school focuses on relevant and critical study of science and art subjects. At time of establishment, it was envisaged that the church of Uganda would develop and expand the school to accommodate the future population since the county did not have a secondary school. In 2007, the government of Uganda introduced Universal Secondary

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