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Recitation 4

1 More on PostgreSQL...

1. Log in to your assigned VM
2. Connect to PostgreSQL, create an empty database and connect to it:

```
sudo -u postgres psql  
CREATE DATABASE Recitation4;  
\connect Recitation4;
```
3. Under the database, create four tables; namely: *Student*, *Faculty*, *Class*, and *Enrolled*. You can either enter the SQL CREATE statements via the command-line or put them all in a file (aka a SQL script). For convenience, you can download the SQL script from the course website and import it:

```
\i '<SQL script path>';
```

4. To check that the tables were created, we run the following command: `\dt`;
5. Populate the tables by inserting tuples. Again, you may enter your SQL INSERT statements via the command-line. However, we shall show you how to import existing data into the tables. In the tgz that you got from the website, there are four CSV (Comma Separated Values) files; namely: `student.csv`, `faculty.csv`, `class.csv`, and `enrolled.csv`, each of which should be imported into the respective table. To do so, use the copy command as exemplified below:

```
copy <table_name> from '<filename>' with CSV # EXAMPLE
```

```
copy student from 'C:/Users/ZFK/Recitation4/Student.csv' with CSV;
```

6. Write your first query!

```
SELECT * from student;
```
7. Close the connection to the database:

```
\q;
```

2 Writing SQL Queries

Consider the following relation schemas:

```
Student (sid: integer, sname: string, major: string  
         standing: string, age: integer)
```

```
Class (name: string, meets_at: string, room: string, fid: integer)
```

```
Faculty (fid: integer, fname: string, deptid: integer)
```

```
Enrolled (sid: integer, cname: string)
```

The meaning of these relations is straightforward. For example, *Enrolled* records student-class pairs such that the student is *Enrolled* in the class. A student's **standing** refers to the student's year, and can take on the values **FR** (Freshman), **SO** (Sophomore), **JR** (Junior), and **SR** (Senior).

Write SQL queries to achieve the following requirements. Note that no duplicates should be produced in any of the answers.

1. Find all Juniors who are enrolled in a class taught by any faculty whose surname begins with the letter **T**. Print the students and faculty names.
2. For all the standings except **JR**, print the standing and the average age of students in that group.
3. Find the names of all students who have a conflict; i.e. they are enrolled in two classes that meet at the same time.