

Intern Assessment Task: Build a Simple Action Suggester API

Expected hours: (4-6 hours)

Goal:

This task assesses your ability to build a basic web service using Django and integrate it with an external AI (LLM) API. Your goal is to create a simple API that analyzes a short text message, understands its basic tone and intent using an LLM, and suggests relevant actions.

Project Overview:

You will build a Django backend service with a single API endpoint. When this endpoint receives a user's text message (e.g., "I want to order pizza"), it should:

- Call an external LLM API (like Google AI or OpenAI) to determine the message's tone (e.g., Happy, Urgent) and intent (e.g., Order Food, Ask Question).
- Based on the identified tone and intent, suggest 1-3 predefined actions (e.g., Order Food Online, Find Pizza Recipes).
- Log the request details (query, analysis, suggestions) to a PostgreSQL database.

Core Requirements:

* Django Setup:

- * Create a standard Django project.
- * Configure it to use a PostgreSQL database.
- * Use Django REST Framework (DRF) to build the API endpoint.

* API Endpoint:

- * Create one endpoint: POST /api/analyze/
- * Request: Accepts JSON like { "query": "Your text message here" }.
- * Response: Returns JSON like:

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{
  "query": "User's message",
  "analysis": {
    "tone": "Identified Tone",
    "intent": "Identified Intent"
  },
  "suggested_actions": [
    {"action_code": "ACTION_1", "display_text": "Suggestion 1"},
    // ... more suggestions (up to 3)
  ]
}
```

*** LLM Integration:**

- * Choose an LLM provider (e.g., Google AI Studio's Gemini API - often has a free tier, or OpenAI's API).
- * Write Python code to call the LLM API with the user's query.
- * Prompt: Ask the LLM to identify the primary tone and intent of the query. Try to get a simple response.
- * **API Key Security:** Crucially, load the LLM API key from an environment variable (e.g., using a .env file and python-dotenv). Do not hardcode the key in your Python files.

*** Action Suggestion Logic:**

- * Define a small set of possible actions directly in your Python code (a dictionary is fine). Examples: ORDER_FOOD, FIND_RECIPE, ASK_HELP, SHARE_NEWS.
- * Write simple Python logic (e.g., if/elif/else based on tone and intent strings) to select 1-3 relevant actions from your predefined list for the API response.

*** Database Logging:**

- * Create a simple Django ORM model (e.g., QueryLog).
- * Store: the original query text, timestamp, identified tone, identified intent, and the list of suggested actions (you can store this list as JSON in a JSONField or as a simple string in a TextField).
- * Save a log entry to the database for each successful API call.

What We're Looking For:

- * **Functionality:** Does the API endpoint work as described? Does it call the LLM, process the response, suggest actions, and log to the database?
- * **Code Clarity:** Is your code reasonably well-organized and easy to understand?
- * **Following Instructions:** Did you meet the core requirements, especially regarding API structure and key handling?
- * **Basic Error Handling:** Does your code handle potential issues gracefully (e.g., if the LLM API call fails or returns unexpected data)? (Basic try-except blocks are sufficient).

Submission:

- * Please provide a link to a Git repository (e.g., GitHub, GitLab) containing your complete Django project code.
- * Include a requirements.txt file listing the necessary Python packages.
- * Include a brief README.md file explaining:
 - * How to set up the project (e.g., install requirements, run migrations).
 - * Mention the api endpoints in README.md making sure can test using Postman.
 - * Which environment variables are needed (especially for the LLM API key).
 - * Which LLM provider you used.