



# Welcome to Web Development Immersive!

## Orientation

Wi-Fi: MISK

Password: Misk12345

# Introductions

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## MiSK Team

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## Nahar Aldrees

Program Coordinator

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- Logistics MiSK Academy
- Works in Riyadh on MiSK team

## Moataz Alhusseini

Program Coordinator

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- Logistics MiSK Academy
- Works in Riyadh on MiSK team

# GA Team

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## Stephen Kirsch

Regional Director

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- Oversees all Academy courses here in Riyadh
- Works in Riyadh with MiSK team

## Aliah Aljowaie

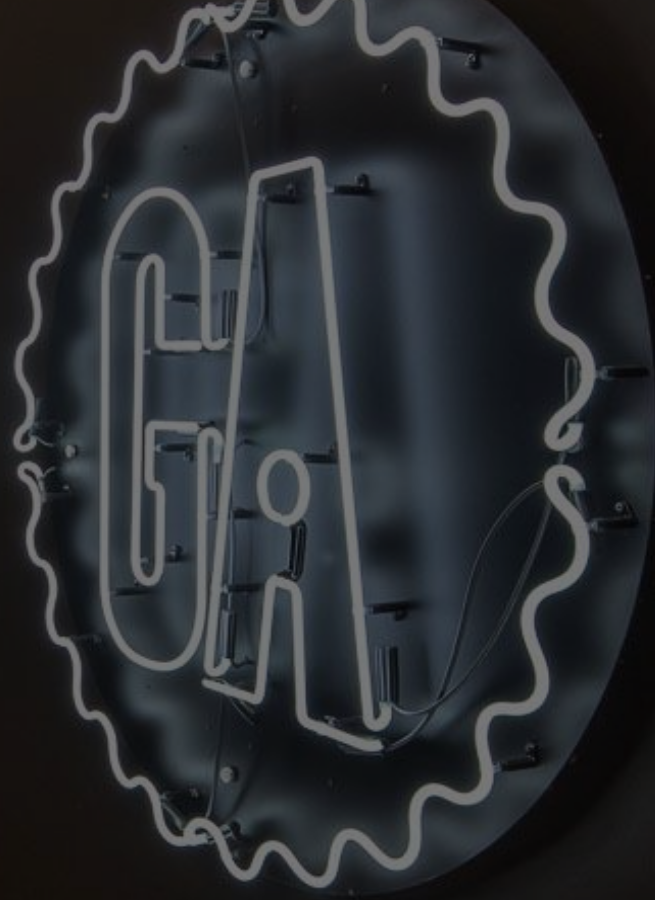
Manager, Instruction and Student Experience

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- Supports instructional team
- Manages and supports student experience in Riyadh



# Your Instructors



# GA Team



## Trevor Preston

Lead Instructor

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- Software Engineer from Seattle, Lived in NYC the last 6 years.
- Started coding 10 years ago working in a physics lab.
- Former Google data analyst.
- Took this class a long time ago to switch to web development!
- Has since taught 5 WDI classes and 7 part-time classes/workshops.
- Favorite personal project: a plant watering robot built with javascript.
- Hobbies outside of code: rock climbing, hiking, snowboarding, skateboarding, wakeboarding, \_\_\_\_\_ boarding. Can't surf though (teach me, Jack).



# GA Team

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## Jack “Wolf” Jeffress

Web Development Immersive Lead Instructor

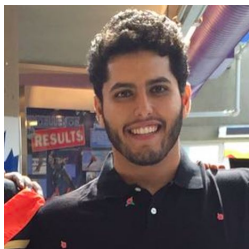
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- Teacher and [Google Developer Expert](#)
- Software Engineer and ~Artist
- Web Proponent and Philomath
- Beyond Coding...
- Why do I teach?
- What am I excited about?
- [@threequal](#) on Twitter



# GA Team

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## Moath Althawad

Instructor Associate

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- Software Engineer
- Supports students & instructors

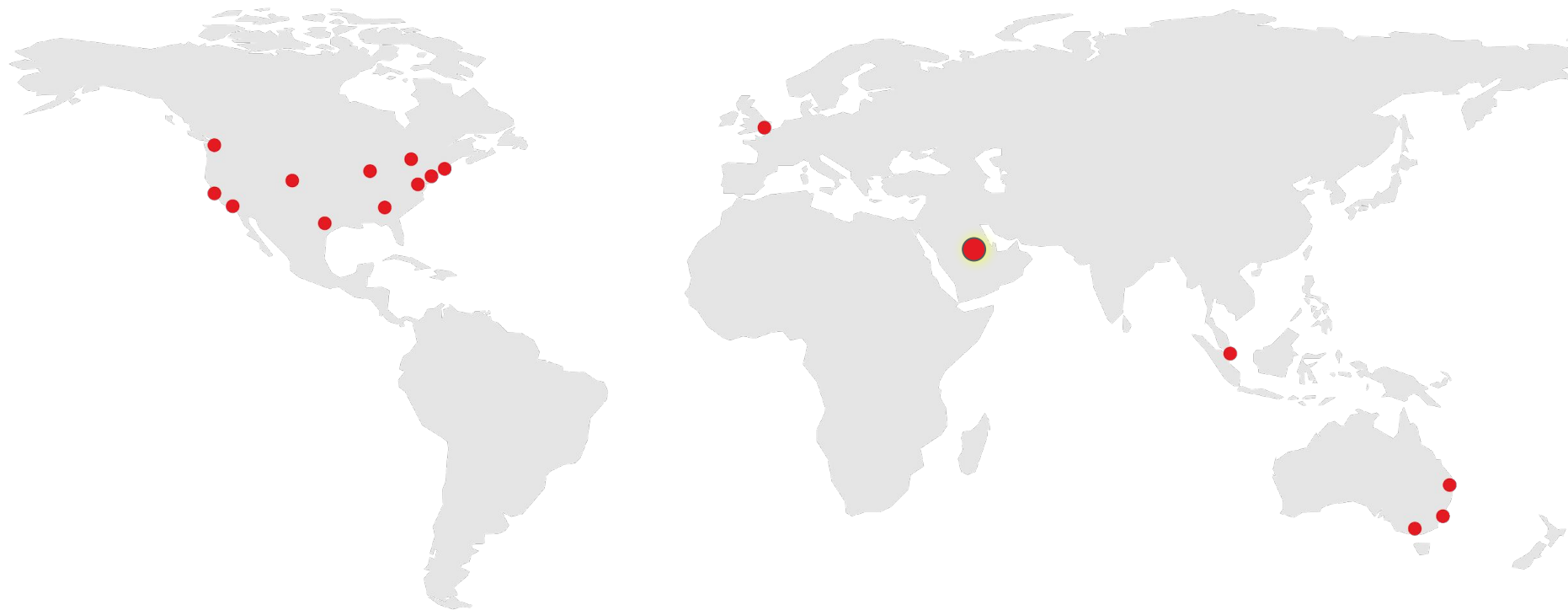


# About General Assembly

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**General Assembly is a global  
*community* of individuals empowered to  
pursue the work they love.**



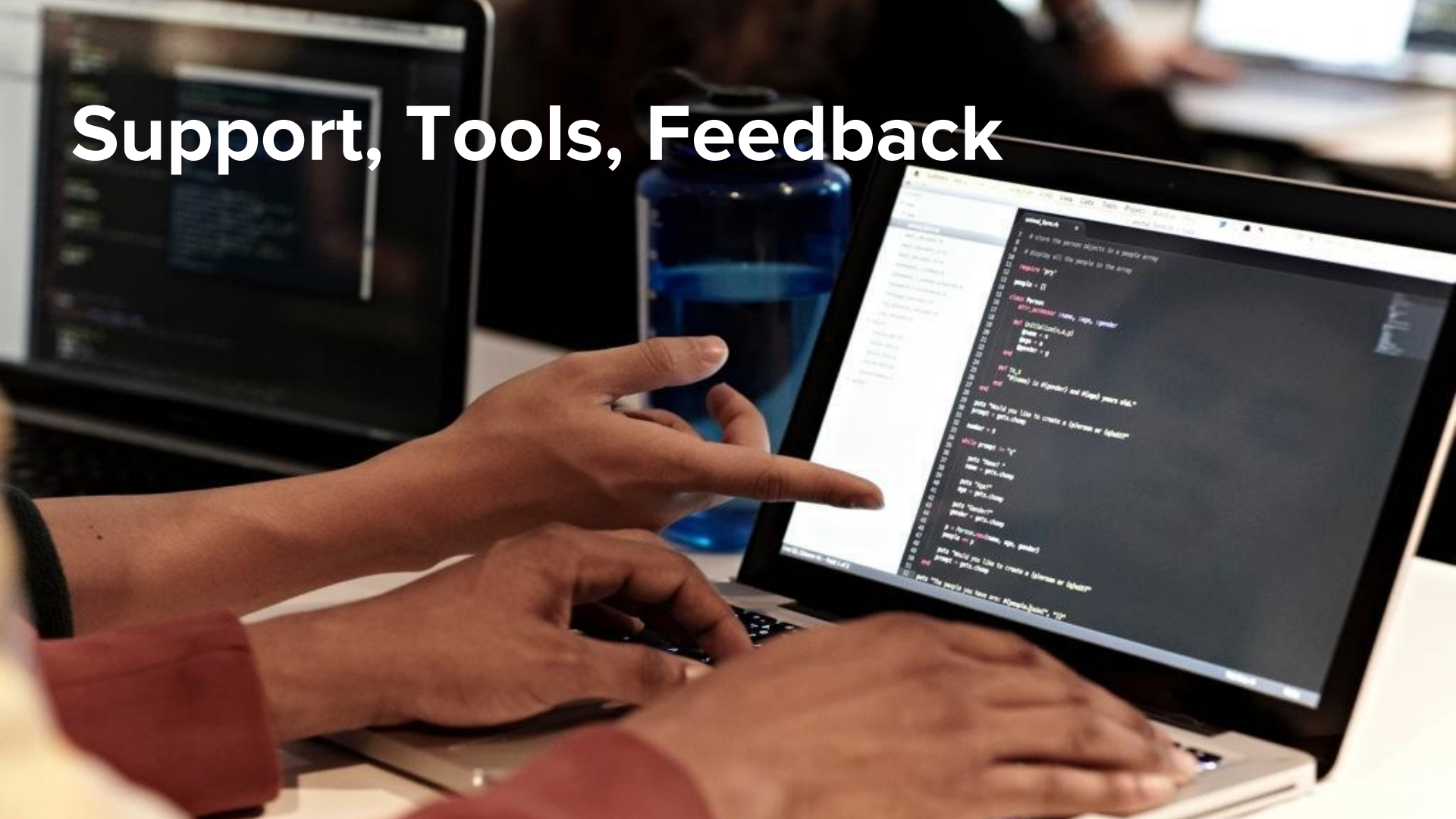


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**General Assembly's mission is to build  
our community by transforming millions  
of thinkers into *creators*.**

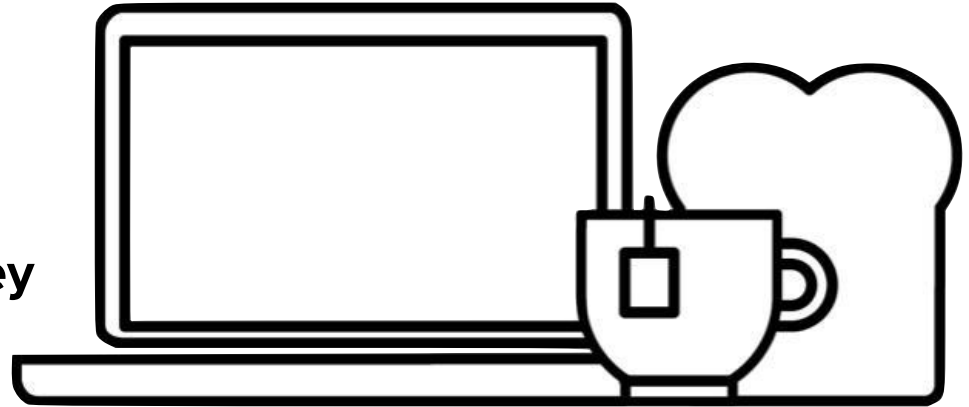


# Support, Tools, Feedback



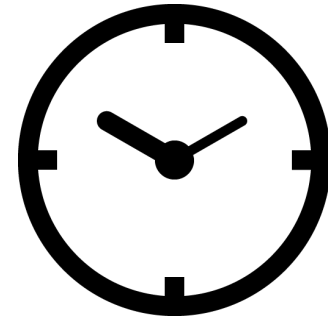
# Feedback & Support

- **Access to Instructional Team:** office hours, in-class support, Slack
- **Exit Tickets**
- **Feedback on Projects**
- **Mid-Course Student Survey**
- **End of Course Student Survey**



# Office Hours

- **Office Hours are on Tuesday evenings, with an instructor**
- They will be from 5:30 to 7:30
- Reach out to your instructors if you need to book additional support!



# Exit Tickets

## Welcome to Today's Exit Ticket

This survey is designed to help your instructor as well as the GA team to understand how you felt about the lesson and how effective the instruction was today. Your honest feedback will help you improve your learning experience in real time.

\* Required



Please, write your full name. \*

Course/Cohort # \*

What's the lesson number? \*

If you're not sure, please check with your instructor or TA.

What was the topic of the lesson? \*

If you're not sure, please check with your instructor or TA.

My instructional team was effective in helping me achieve the learning objectives for this lesson \*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Not Effective ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● Highly Effective

The lesson agenda was well-organized and sufficient time was given for each activity. \*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Do Not Agree ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● Strongly Agree

I feel prepared to continue practicing this skill outside of class. \*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Do Not Agree ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● ● Strongly Agree





The screenshot shows the GitHub interface for the repository 'DAT-ME-1 / course-info', which is a fork of 'data-part-time/course-info'. The repository has 2 watchers, 0 stars, and 191 forks. The 'Code' tab is selected, showing a sample template for home repositories. The repository has 44 commits, 1 branch, 0 releases, and 2 contributors. The current branch is 'master', which is 6 commits ahead of the upstream 'data-part-time:master'. The commit history shows three commits: '.gitignore' (Initial commit, a year ago), 'LICENSE.md' (Update LICENSE.md, 4 months ago), and 'README.md' (added instructor readme, 2 months ago). The README file is displayed, showing the title 'Instructor Readme' and a large red 'GA' logo followed by the text 'Welcome to Data Science'.

Enterprise This repository Search Pull requests Issues Explore

DAT-ME-1 / course-info  
forked from data-part-time/course-info

Watch 2 Star 0 Fork 191

Code Pull requests 0 Projects 0 Wiki Insights

Sample template for home repositories. Instructors should fork this and then modify with their specific course information.

44 commits 1 branch 0 releases 2 contributors

Branch: master New pull request Create new file Upload files Find file Clone or download

This branch is 6 commits ahead of data-part-time:master. Pull request Compare

ggodreau added instructor readme Latest commit a3e2f4a on May 20

.gitignore	Initial commit	a year ago
LICENSE.md	Update LICENSE.md	4 months ago
README.md	added instructor readme	2 months ago

README.md

Instructor Readme

**GA** Welcome to Data Science

GA & MISK Aca...

Moath Althawad

Jump to...

All Threads

Starred

wdi-oryx-instructors

Jack Jeffress, Trevor Pr...

Trevor Preston, Stephe...

Channels

# general

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# wdi-9-30-2018

Direct Messages

slackbot

Moath Althawad (you)

Abdullah AlQahtani

Edward Shiplee

Leana

Mansour

Mohammed

Sarah Alasadi

Stephen Kirsch

Apps

+ Add Apps

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Add a topic

Tuesday, September 25th

I am here to help, so please don't hesitate to reach me if you have any questions or any comments throughout this journey. Wish you all the best of luck!

**Mohammed** 11:57 AM  
Welcome to this group I hope that we enjoy in web development throw all this trip best wishes mohammed mustafa.

**Sami** 12:21 PM  
Reminder, tomorrow is the last day for 'pre-work' September 26th. You can do it 🍌

**Noura Alsubaie** 12:53 PM  
welcome to this group ... we are so excited and looking forward to start this course

**Jack Jeffress** 3:37 PM  
joined #wdi-9-30-2018 by invitation from Trevor Preston.

**Noura Alsubaie** 6:35 PM  
@Aliah Aljowaie about the place, it will be at Alfaisal university?

**Aliah Aljowaie** 7:47 PM  
Yes, the course will take place at Alfaisal University. You will get more info and instructions on how to get there in the next couple of days, so please keep an eye on your email. And I am here in case you have any questions.

Wednesday, September 26th

**Moath Althawad** 10:07 AM  
joined #wdi-9-30-2018 by invitation from Aliah Aljowaie.

Thursday, September 27th

**Moath Althawad** 11:54 AM  
@channel Hi everyone!  
  
My name is Moath Althawad and I'll be the Instructional Associate for this course. I'll be there to support you in class and with your homework, so please feel free to reach out at anytime.  
  
I'm sending a poll about what type of laptops you're bringing to class, so please make sure to choose yours by clicking on the numbers underneath the poll options. (edited)  
  
/poll "What type of laptop are you bringing to class?" "Mac (2013 or later)" "Windows 10" "Windows (7 or older)" "other"

Message #wdi-9-30-2018

# Code of Conduct & Participant Undertaking

Have you reviewed the Code of Conduct and the Participant Undertaking?



- “Meet expectations” on 80% of assigned work, including homeworks and projects
- Miss no more than 3 classes (3 lates = 1 absence)
- Ask questions! Help each other!

# Code of Conduct & Participant Undertaking

Have you reviewed the Code of Conduct and the Participant Undertaking?



- Foster a productive classroom environment
- Treat others with respect and dignity
- Treat this as your job, be professional.
- Be proactive and resourceful
- **Zero tolerance for plagiarism and cheating. Don't cheat! We know ;).**

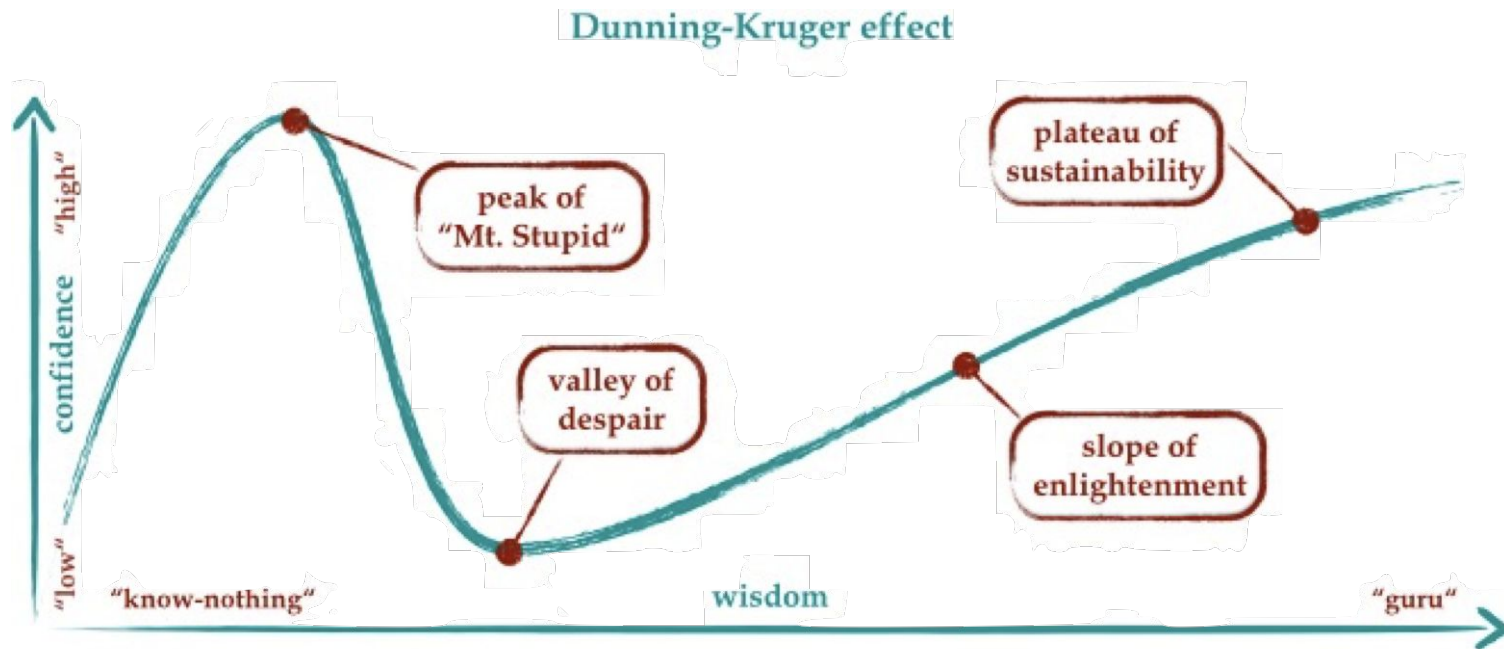


# The Emotional Cycle of Change





## Or in other words...



<http://www.understandinginnovation.wordpress.com>

# To Overview!

## GA Certificate of Completion Requirements

**Projects &  
Labs**  
**80% of Assigned  
Work**

**Attendance**  
(miss no more  
than 3 classes, show  
up on time)

**Class  
Engagement**

**Participation +  
Feedback**

# Class Engagement

1. **Fill out exit tickets at the end of each week.**
2. **Stay engaged and focused during class lecture and especially lab times.**
3. **Keep us aware of your progress, whether you feel you are falling behind or want more of a challenge.**





# GA Graduates



## Build Your Network

It's not just about altruism: your network is your most valuable asset. GA has amazing alumni in web development, product management, design, marketing, and data.



## Access to our Alumni Community

You're part of the alumni community forever.



## Official Certificate of Completion

Sent to your inbox via email after the course is completed. You can use this on your LinkedIn and in communication with clients.

# Questions & Answers



# Introductions!

- **What is your name?**
- **Where are you from?**
- **What did you do before this class?**
- **What is your coding experience?**
- **Three favourite hobbies?**
- **Favorite emoji?**
- **A funny or interesting fact?**
- **What were you last amazed by?**





# GENERAL ASSEMBLY

