

Hello,

This is my application to join the RaceCalendar project. I've worked with SQL and NoSQL databases before (although I am less experienced with SQL), and in my current job, my development stack is Java on the backend, and TypeScript under an Angular framework on the frontend. I'm interested in this project because I think it will be a good experience working end to end on a product which connects to a database. Also, my personal projects have not had a particular user base in mind, so I think this will be a great opportunity to center development around what the user would want. I also think the concept is interesting, and leads to several different design choices, such as having a list of "suggested" races for a user to sign up for, in addition to their registered races.

For business, I think that keeping it free is a good way to start out and get the name of the application out there.

For operation, I like the plan. It's nice to have an architect who oversees all the decisions, so that the design stays consistent with the goal.

For legal, registering as a Utah LLC makes the most sense to me.

For the technical aspect, the priorities you have listed seem logical and sequential. For the term, the goal is to create an MVP. This can be reassuring when minor issues pop up. I don't have a big preference on the choice of databases, so I think picking the one which fits the application's needs will work best.

For social, I like the idea of advertising on social media. That is a great way to gain traction.

I look forward to hearing back from you!

-Jaren Minnoch