

# BACKEND STRUCTURE

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Everything related to backend is in /backend/

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/backend/  
| request_structs/  
| | requests.py  
| const.py  
| controller.py  
| db_manager.py  
| main.py  
| utils.py
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- main.py - module responsible for fastapi
- request\_structs/requests.py - contains structs used as parameters or request body in api requests
- controller.py - contains class Controller responsible for executing various, specific commands on the database
- db\_manager.py - contains class DbManager responsible for creating, opening and maintaining connection to an SQL database file
- utils.py - utility functions used in various modules
- const.py - const values and returns codes used in various modules

## main.py

- Contains each GET,POST,DELETE,PATCH api endpoint
- If an endpoint needs access to data in database it creates a connection using class Controller from controller.py
- Each connection with controller is 'atomic'. After an endpoint end, the connection with controller is closed. This ensures that each change in database is a transaction and every change is saved
- Session tokens are fully encrypted

## request\_structs/requests.py

- Contains parameters and request bodies used in api endpoints
- Each class must inherit from pydantic.BaseModel

## controller.py

- Contains specific functions for executing SQL commands on the database, like SELECTs, DELETEs, UPDATEs

## db\_manager.py

- Contains support functions for simple SQL commands
- Each SELECT from database is returned as List[dict]

- Datetime objects in database are stored in format 'YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS' and should be inserted as time in UTC timezone
- Use `execute(command,params)` to execute any SQL command
- Use `save_to_csv(output_dir_path)` to save all data into csv files in selected output directory

#### const.py

- Contains return codes for better transparency of an outcome of a function

#### utils.py

- Contains widely used functions - mostly datetime conversion and data parsing