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KickOff • CH23-1 • March 2023

TODAY

9:00-11:50 **Welcome**
Meet as a Group
Your hopes & expectations
Recap: The next months
Technical Setup

12:00-12:30 **Launch Party**

12:30-14:00 **Lunch Break**

14:00-17:00 **Example Presentation**
Group Agreement &
Powercoders Agreement



WELCOME !

Your Intro

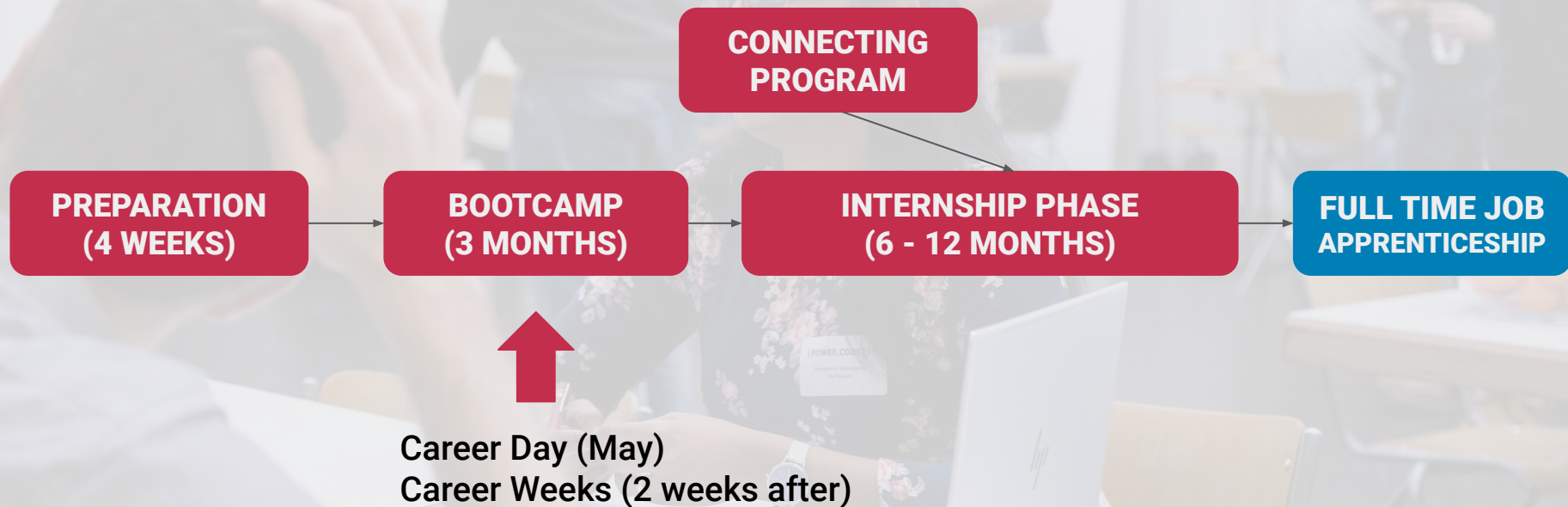
- Name
- One special thing about you (something you don't have in common with anyone here)

Team Intro

- Teaching: Susanne, Marc, Simon & Mustafa
- Industry Relations: Christina & Hany
- Program/Organization: Linus
- Job Coaching & Alumni Engagement: Ya'ara



Recap: The Next Months



Bootcamp

Basic Coding Skills

Weeks 1 to 7

27 March until 12 May

Career Days & Weeks

Weeks 7 to 9

9 May, 11 May + 15 May to 26 May

Project Weeks

Weeks 9 to 10

15 May to 2 June

Focus Weeks

Weeks 11 to 14

5 June until 30 June

Basic Coding Skills

The main focus is on software engineering essentials, mostly front-end. You will learn the basics in practical **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript**, as well as some concepts like frameworks and common developer tools, teamwork tools and methods.

Teachers are Susanne, Marc and Simon. IT trainers & Mustafa support with exercises and projects onsite (Bern, Zürich & Lausanne) or online.



Career Days & Weeks

In week 5, IT companies receive your CVs and join the Career Day in week 7 for a speed dating interview session.

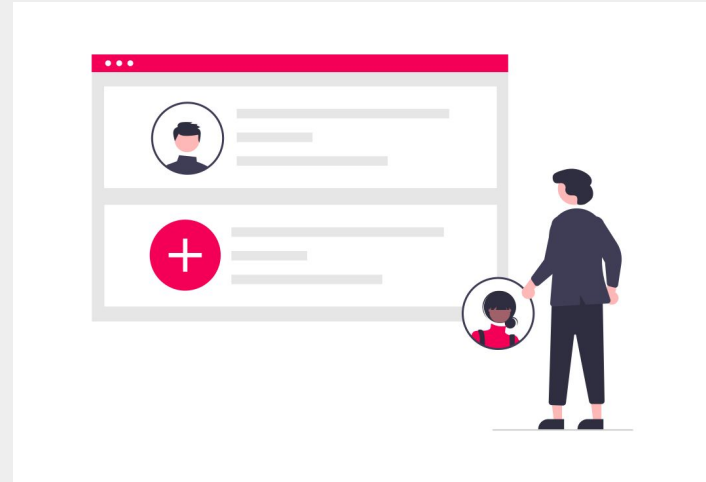
During week 8 and week 9, personal job interviews take place.



Project Weeks

Week 9 to 10, you will work on a project in a small group. The project will be in web development, like a **small app** or **website**. At the end of week 10 you will **present** your project.

In week 9 there will be still interviews, so some of you might be busier than others. They will work less on the project, similar to team colleagues later on who have a part-time pensum.



Focus Weeks

Week 11 to 14, you are prepared for internships by improving specific technical skills upon companies' requirements by joining different **focus tracks**, like web or software development, devOps, data analytics or testing.

During Focus Weeks, you will work in groups with IT trainers who are experts in the area in which your internship will focus.



Your Hopes & Expectations

- On a yellow or green card, write your hopes for this program
- On a red or orange card, write your fears or worries for this program



Hybrid bootcamp

MON-FRI, 9am: Check-in

In person or via Zoom.

MON + THU: Remote days

Mostly learning by yourself plus some exercises and online live coding. Cultural presentation.

TUE + FRI: In person (Bern / Zurich / Lausanne)

Live coding, group exercises, projects and a bit of theory / recap.

WED: In person (Bern)

Social and business skills workshops. Cultural presentation (after Career Day).

Social activities in the afternoon.

In Person: Where to go?

BOOTCAMP LOCATION		Count 12
▼	Bern, Marktgasse 42	
1	Ersel Kula (83) Fribourg / Freiburg	
2	Joan Alex Ferré Obiol (68) Bern	
3	Kingsley Chijioke Mgbachi (89) Solot...	
4	Muhammet Sahin (88) Bern	
5	Mustafa AYDIN (84) Jura	
6	Mustafa Germec (90) Luzern	
7	Nesrin Bora (88) Luzern	
8	Ömer Öztürk (90) Valais / Wallis	
<input type="checkbox"/>	↕ ↗ Sümeyra Sevim (83) Luzern	
10	Tetiana Kravchenko (01) Bern	
11	Ümit Yaman (91) Luzern	
12	Yilmaz Degerli (88) Bern	

BOOTCAMP LOCATION		Count 11
▼	Zürich, Badenerstrasse 409	
13	Anna Ostrowska (82) Zürich	
<input type="checkbox"/>	↕ ↗ Denys Belskiy (00) Aargau	
15	Erdogan Sahin (87) Zürich	
16	Harun Gümüs (82) St. Gallen	
17	Hüseyin Sevindik (92) Aargau	
18	Latif Gungor (80) Glarus	
19	Melek Altin (84) Aargau	
20	Merve Cildag (94) Zürich	
21	Oana-Iulia Niste (97) Zürich	
22	Sahin Yesilirmak (93) Zürich	
23	Viacheslav Dziadok (92) Basel-Lands...	

BOOTCAMP LOCATION		Count 6
▼	Lausanne, Pl. de la Gare 10	
24	Anastasiia Sheludko (98) Valais / Wallis	
25	Burak Bilkay (90) Genève / Genf	
26	Caner Esiyok (91) Genève / Genf	
27	Engin Bozkaya (84) Genève / Genf	
28	Hamdi YILDIRIM (91) Genève / Genf	
29	Medhane Hadush (95) Vaud / Waadt	

Hybrid bootcamp

**WED Social and business skills workshops
and Social activities**

Cultural or Skills Presentations

Evaluation of progress

Throughout the bootcamp

Active participation during group work, exercises and presentations, social and business skills in practice.

Code check-in

Last week to see where everyone stands in the beginning.

Coding day before Career Day

1 day of coding assignments, also in group work with presentations.

Demo day (or week) before Graduation

Present your learnings / your project of the focus tracks in the last week.

Support system

1:1 check-ins on remote days

10 min video call to get direct feedback.

Weekly buddies

Each week you will get to know one of your classmates, your weekly [buddy](#). Talk online on remote days and answer the weekly challenge until Friday afternoon. Challenges will be posted in Slack each Monday morning.

Teaching assistants & IT trainers

Online and onsite support by volunteer IT professionals as well as TAs.

Program Coordinator / Social Lead

You can always reach out to Linus if you have any questions or need support.

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What is the bootcamp all about

Recreate typical work environment

- Full-time: 5 days a week, 9am to 5pm
- Hybrid: remote at home, but also in person
- Additional tasks: host, present, schedule

Learn the basics

- CLI & Git(hub)
- HTML & CSS
- Programming 101
- JavaScript

[current agenda](#)

Hosting & Food

Weekly Hosts in each location

**Lunches: Organised by us or individual,
refund of CHF 10 per day in class**

BOOTCAMP: Onboarding

Lunches

Wednesdays

Presentations

Hosting

The Locations (ZRH / BE/LAU)

Our tools: Slack, G Suite



Different pathways

There are many different pathways to success.

The Powercoders team will regularly evaluate your progress and make recommendations based on these. Results will be shared with companies.

If needed, the Powercoders team reserves the right to decide whether you would not

- Attend the Career Day (if there are grounded concerns that you're not ready to succeed in an internship)
- Graduate (if you didn't meet the expectations such as attendance and active participation)



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A message from an earlier batch

Our shared agreement

Our ground rules

What is important for you: How shall we work with each other? How shall we treat each other?



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Our shared agreement

The Powercoders participation agreement

Our expectations

- Be on time
- be responsive,
- participate actively, attend all classes (min. 90% to get a diploma)
- communicate proactively
- be open & transparent.



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Our shared agreement

100 hours

Pay forward (volunteer) 100 hours of your time to the Powercoders community (cooking, teaching, media requests, training, hosting, etc.)


Task in Google Classroom to sign until Friday



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Our shared rules



"Success in life is about building strong relationships, and strong relationships are built on trust."

– Zig Ziglar

trust
THE
process

Your Questions & Comments





Thank you!