Introduction To Mocha



We'll take a look at Mocha and how we can use it to set up a nice testing playground



## What is Mocha?

- ✓ Mocha is a testing framework
- ✓ Use it to perform tests within our application
- ✓ Make sure everything works correctly



## In Our Case...

- ✓ Test our connection with the database:
  - Creating records
  - Reading records
  - Updating records
  - Deleting records



Install Mongoose

npm install mocha --save

Create file "demo\_test.js" in the folder "test"



## Simple Test Example

```
const mocha = require('mocha');
const assert = require('assert');
// Describe our tests
describe('some demo code', function(){
  // Create tests
  it('adds two numbers together', function(){
      assert(2 + 2 === 4)
 });
});
```



Set up our test script in the package.json

```
"scripts": {
    "test": "mocha"
}
```

Terminal

npm run test



You've seen the test example

Using Mocha we're going testing out the differnt features of Mongoose and MongoDB (saving documents to the database retrieving them)



