

Creating your IoT REST API with Strongloop and Loopback

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Understanding the API Economy

50 Billion Connected Devices that can compute and communicate!

2-Speed IT for the Enterprise

Today's Enterprise IT is divided into 2 different spheres of applications:

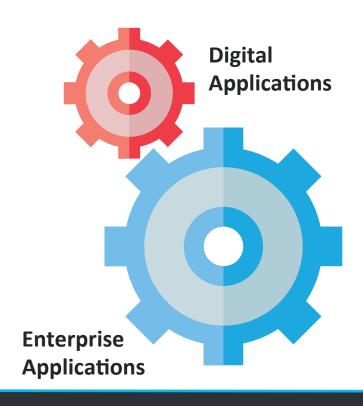
Digital Applications

- Rapid Change Cycles
- Innovative Developers
- DevOps and Agile Principles

Enterprise Applications

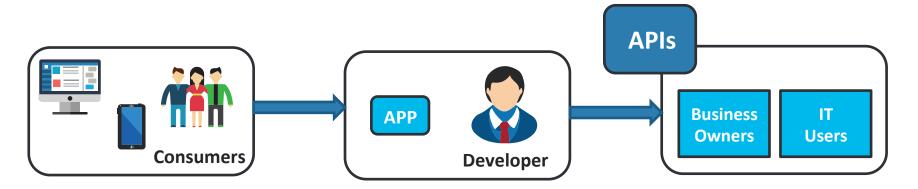
- Slow Change Life Cycles
- Mission Critical Legacy Systems

DevOps helps enterprises to make changes to systems at **varied speeds** independently, but helps to ensure that both systems are **aligned** at required points.





Apps, APIs and Management



Benefits

- New Business Opportunities
- New Markets
- Increase Customers
- Enhance Branding
- Competitive Advantage

Extended Development Team

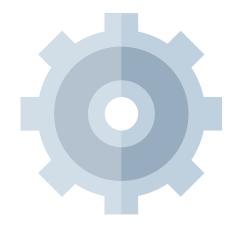
- Increase Innovation
- Increase Scale

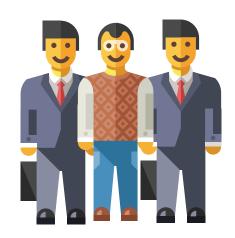
Challenges

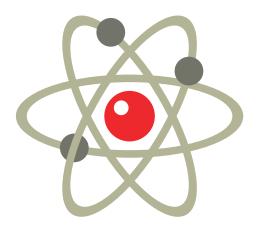
- Business Strategy
- Operational Control
 - Publish
 - Analyze
 - Monitor
- Infrastructure
 - Security
 - Creation
 - Scalability



Connectivity for Innovation







Internal Silos

Connecting Internal
Silos for a Connected
Experience for your
employees

Business Partners

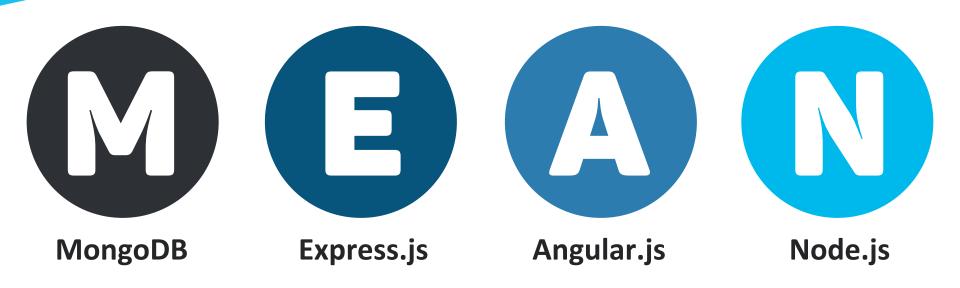
Expose your Data and Services to Partners to enhance the Self-Service Experience

External APIs

your services to
unlock hidden
business value with
3rd Party Developers



JavaScript as a Power Player



A Technology Stack based on with a much more unified approach to simplicity with JavaScript as the corner stone ©

With 98% of the web using JavaScript in some way (or) the other, it is the future of programming for the Enterprise



Introducing StrongLoop!

Compose, Deploy, Scale, Monitor and Manage APIs





Build and Deploy Automate Lifecycle



Process Manager Scale APIs



Performance **Metrics** Real-time production monitoring



Profiler Root cause **CPU & Memory**















Lets go Hands-On with Strongloop

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#1 | Access Cloud9 and Create Space

- Login (or) Sign Up at http://c9.io
- Create a new workspace and call it "StrongLoopSpace"
- Select the Node.js Template when prompted

- Install StrongLoop with the following npm command,
 - npm install –g strongloop



#2 | Create the StrongLoop REST API

- Start by creating the Application Model with the command slc loopback
 - Remember your Directory/Application Name
- Navigate to your application with cd <app-name>/ server and open the datasources.json file and add the Cloudant Connector details(JSON)
 - You can also use the GUI of Cloud9 to access the file
- Install Cloudant Connector with the npm install loopback-connector-cloudant command



#3 | Create the Loopback Model

- Create the loopback model by using the slc loopback:model command
 - Enter the Model Name
 - Select the Cloudant DB as your Data Source
 - Select the PersistedModel as the Base Class
 - Add your required properties for the model
 - For example add cputemp and devicename as String Types
- Run the StrongLoop API Explorer by using the command node . and open the link http://0.0.0.0:8080/explorer from the terminal



#4 | Add Loopback: Model to NodeRed

- For the flow to execute properly we must add the loopbackModel name to our NodeRed Flow
- Replace the function node with the following,

```
msg.payload = {"temp":msg.payload.d.cputemp,
"loopback__model__name" : <Your Model Name>}
```

Go to the Explorer and test the GET Operation!



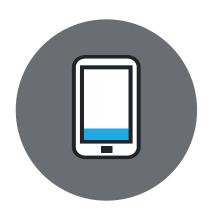


Question and Answers Time!!

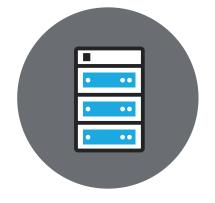
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