

Meander

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Description

Meander is a travel blog designed for strange and out of the way features of popular tourist locations. Users will register, create posts, and browse through other user posts to find points of interest.



Features

- Blog Posts
- User Profile
- Search by location or activity



Planning - User Stories

Users can register, then log in to their own profile.

Users can create, edit, or delete posts, as well as view a list of all their posts.

Users can browse through the posts of all the other users of the site, as well as search by activity or location.



Planning - Database

User table - keeps track of the name, email, password, location, and social media links of the user.

Post table - the actual posts, title, and text that the user creates



Technology Stack

- Java
- Spring Boot
- Thymeleaf
- MySQL
- Spring Security
- Javascript



Demo



What I Learned

- Spring Security - We had not worked with this directly in class, and it's a much cleaner way to handle things
- Finding the current logged in user - since I had not worked with Spring Security it was triking making that work



What's Next

- Google Maps API Integration
- Rich text editor
- Following other user posts
- Commenting on posts

