

Project concept suggestions

1. Architecture - 2 servers:

1. API server to serve **JSON** data on **api.mysite.com**
2. View server to serve the **HTML** on **mysite.com**

2. Session

1. backend API tracks user session via session cookie
2. session cookie should be available in all subdomains, therefore the cookie domain should be: **.mysite.com**

3. API

1. Should return JSON data;
2. Should set proper status codes for the response (404 - not found, 401- unauthorized..)
3. Client preferences - available in request headers as follows:
 1. Language - `X-Language: en`, fallback on header `Accept-Language: da, en-gb;q=0.8, en;q=0.7`; We can try to merge them 🤖
 2. Currency - `X-Currency: BGN`
4. REST URLs - common URLs for each resource in the DB. Here is an example for **users** (=> means response):

```
GET      /users?q=search&page=1&limit=10&sort=-name,age => User list + Pagination
POST     /users      # add new user => The User
GET      /users/:id  # get user data => The User
POST     /users/:id  # update user data => The updated user
DELETE   /users/:id  # delete user => null
```

ADDITIONAL OPTIONAL REQUESTS

```
PUT      /users/:id  # update user data => The updated user
PATCH   /users/:id  # update user data fields => The updated user
DELETE   /users?id[] # Delete multiple users => null
POST     /users      # Create/update a user if payload has existing id => The User
```

5. Response standart

- Common models scheme - these fields are required for each resource scheme:

```
{
  id: Number,
  name: String
}

//example
user = { id: 1, name: 'Luc' }
article = { id: 1, name: 'The old republic' }
```

- No repetitive prefixes of the fields:

```
// invalid
user = {
    user_id: Number,
    user_name: String,
}

// valid
user = {
    id: Number,
    name: String
}
```

- Lists should be 0-based Arrays

```
// invalid
users = {
    2: User,
    10: User
}

// valid
users = [ User, User ]

// use array_values()
```

- Discuss pagination response!