

Knex.js

Migrate to Postgresql database

<https://github.com/TechMaster/knex-migrate-tutor>

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Installation

```
npm init
```

```
npm install --save knex pg
```

```
npm install -g knex-migrate
```

```
npm install -D knex-seed-file
```

```
knex init
```



Migration

```
knex migrate:latest
```

```
knex migrate:rollback
```

```
knex migrate:currentVersion
```

```
knex-migrate up
```

```
knex-migrate down
```

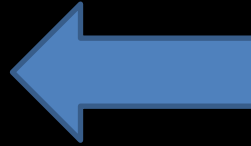
```
knex-migrate rollback
```

```
knex seed:make setup
```

```
knex seed:run
```

```
migrations
|
|--20170103120042_setup.js
|
|--20170103171359_step1.js

seeds
|
|--category.js
|
|--person.js
|
|--post.js
|
knexfile.js
package.json
```



Folder structure

```
module.exports = {
  development: {
    client: 'postgresql',
    connection: {
      host: '192.168.1.60',
      database: 'payroll',
      user: 'postgres',
      password: 'abc'
    }
  },
  production: {
    client: 'postgresql',
    connection: {
      database: 'my_db',
      user: 'username',
      password: 'password'
    },
    pool: {
      min: 2,
      max: 10
    },
    migrations: {
      tableName: 'knex_migrations'
    }
  }
};
```

`knex init`
creates file `knexfile.js`

Edit `knexfile.js` to
connect to your
Postgresql database



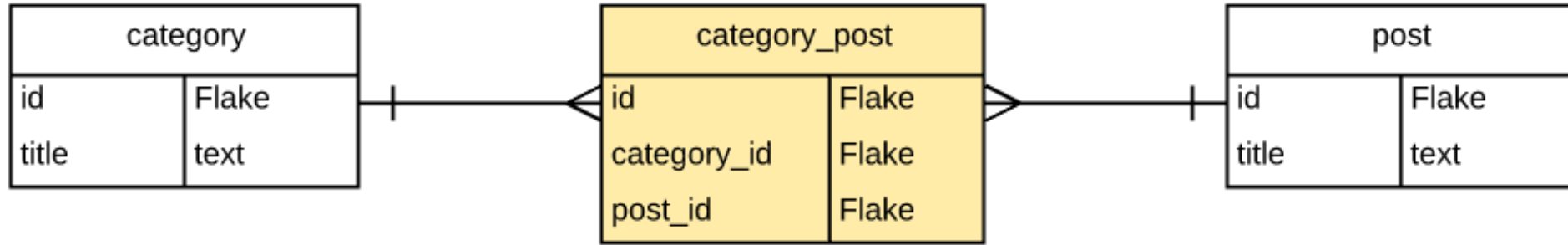
knex migrate will write `public.knex_migrations`

Migration file

- In folder migrations
- **up** create tables và **down** drop tables

```
exports.up = function(knex, Promise) {  
  return Promise.all([  
  
  ]);  
  
exports.down = function(knex, Promise) {  
  return Promise.all([  
  
  ]);  
};
```

Sample database schema. Many : many relationship



Primary key id type BigInt will be generated by a function **`util.id_generator()`**

Call this kind of primary is Flake (Twitter Snow Flake, see

<http://rob.conery.io/2014/05/29/a-better-id-generator-for-postgresql>)

Category_post is intersection table where composite key (category_id, post_id) must be unique

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('post', function(table){
  table.bigInteger('id').primary().defaultTo(knex.raw('util.id_generator()));
  table.text('title').comment("You can comment a column");
  table.comment('All posts will store here');
}),
```

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('category', function(table){
  table.bigInteger('id').primary().defaultTo(knex.raw('util.id_generator()));
  table.text('title');
  table.comment('Category blog post');
}),
```

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('category_post', function(table){
  table.bigInteger('id').primary().defaultTo(knex.raw('util.id_generator()));
  table.bigInteger('post_id').references('id').inTable('blog.post');
  table.bigInteger('category_id').references('id').inTable('blog.category');
  table.unique(['post_id', 'category_id']);
  table.comment('Intersection table')
})
```


Create table **post** in schema **blog**

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('post',  
function(table){}
```

Always use schema to divide hundreds of tables
into manageable schema

Add comment to table and column

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('category_post',  
function(table){  
  ...  
  table.comment('Intersection table')  
})
```

```
knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('category_post', function(table){  
  table.bigInteger('post_id').references('id').inTable('blog.post');  
  table.bigInteger('category_id').references('id').inTable('blog.category');  
  table.unique(['post_id', 'category_id']);  
})
```

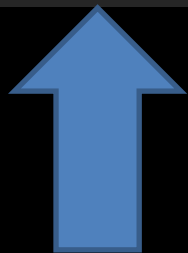


| category_post | |
|---------------|-------|
| id | Flake |
| category_id | Flake |
| post_id | Flake |

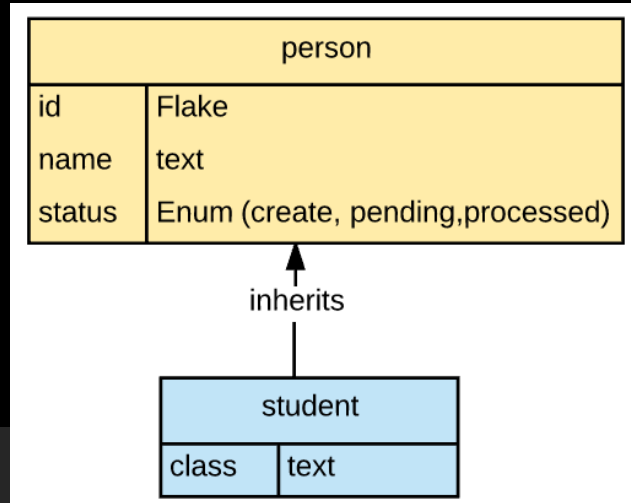
unique constraint for two columns (post_id , category_id)

Use `specificType` and `knex.raw` to create column
if its type is not natively supported by Knex

```
table.specificType('authors', knex.raw('text[]'));
```



student inherits from person



```
exports.up = function(knex, Promise) {  
  return Promise.all([  
    knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('person', function(table){  
      table.bigInteger('id').primary();  
      table.text('name');  
    }),  
  
    knex.schema.withSchema('blog').createTable('student', function(table){  
      table.inherits('blog.person');  
      table.text('class');  
    })  
  ]);  
};
```

knex does not support true enumeration type

<https://github.com/tgriesser/knex/issues/394>

```
knex.schema.createTable('person', function(table){  
  table.bigInteger('id').primary();  
  table.enum('status', ['create', 'pending', 'processed']);  
}),
```

knex creates constrain check

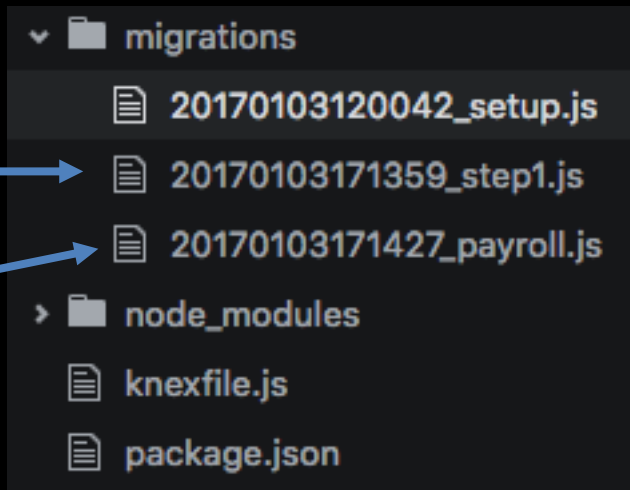
```
CONSTRAINT person_status_check CHECK (status = ANY  
(ARRAY['create'::text, 'pending'::text, 'processed'::text]))
```

Use raw to create Postgresql enumeration type

```
knex.schema.raw("CREATE TYPE blog.person_status AS  
ENUM ('create', 'pending', 'processed')"),  
  
table.specificType('status', 'blog.person_status')  
  
knex.schema.raw("DROP TYPE blog.person_status")
```

knex migrate:make

```
knex migrate:make step1  
knex migrate:make payroll
```



Roll back

```
knex migrate:rollback
```

```
Using environment: development
```

```
Batch 1 rolled back: 1 migrations
```



knex migrate

In public schema

- knex-migrations : store **id** of already run migration files (**up**)
- knex-migrations-lock

knex migrate:currentVersion returns **id** of last successful migration, returns **none if no** migration has run yet

When migration error happens, you cannot migrate nor rollback, remove all records in knex-migrations and clean database

knex-migrate

<https://github.com/sheerun/knex-migrate>

Migrate up / down each step or to specific version . It is better than default knex migrate cli. Should install knex-migrate globally as command

```
$ knex-migrate up # migrate everything
$ knex-migrate up 20160905 # migrate upto given migration name
$ knex-migrate up --to 20160905 # the same as above
$ knex-migrate up --only 201609085 # migrate up single migration
$ knex-migrate down --to 0 # rollback all migrations
$ knex-migrate down # rollback single migration
$ knex-migrate rollback # rollback previous "up"
$ knex-migrate redo --verbose # rollback and migrate everything
```



Create file prepare data
`knex seed:make setup`

Run to insert sample data
`knex seed:run`

seed/setup.js

```
exports.seed = function(knex, Promise) {  
  // Delete old data  
  return knex('blog.category').del()  
    .then(function () {  
      return Promise.all([  
        // Insert sample data  
        knex('blog.category').insert({title: 'iOS'}),  
        knex('blog.category').insert({title: 'Linux'}),  
        knex('blog.category').insert({title: 'PHP'})  
      ]);  
    });  
};
```

Insert array data type

```
knex('blog.post').insert({title: 'iOS is fun',  
authors: '{"Page", "Plant", "Jones", "Bonham"}' } ),
```



```
SELECT authors[1:3] from blog.post  
{"Plant", "Jones", "Bonham" }
```

Insert enum data

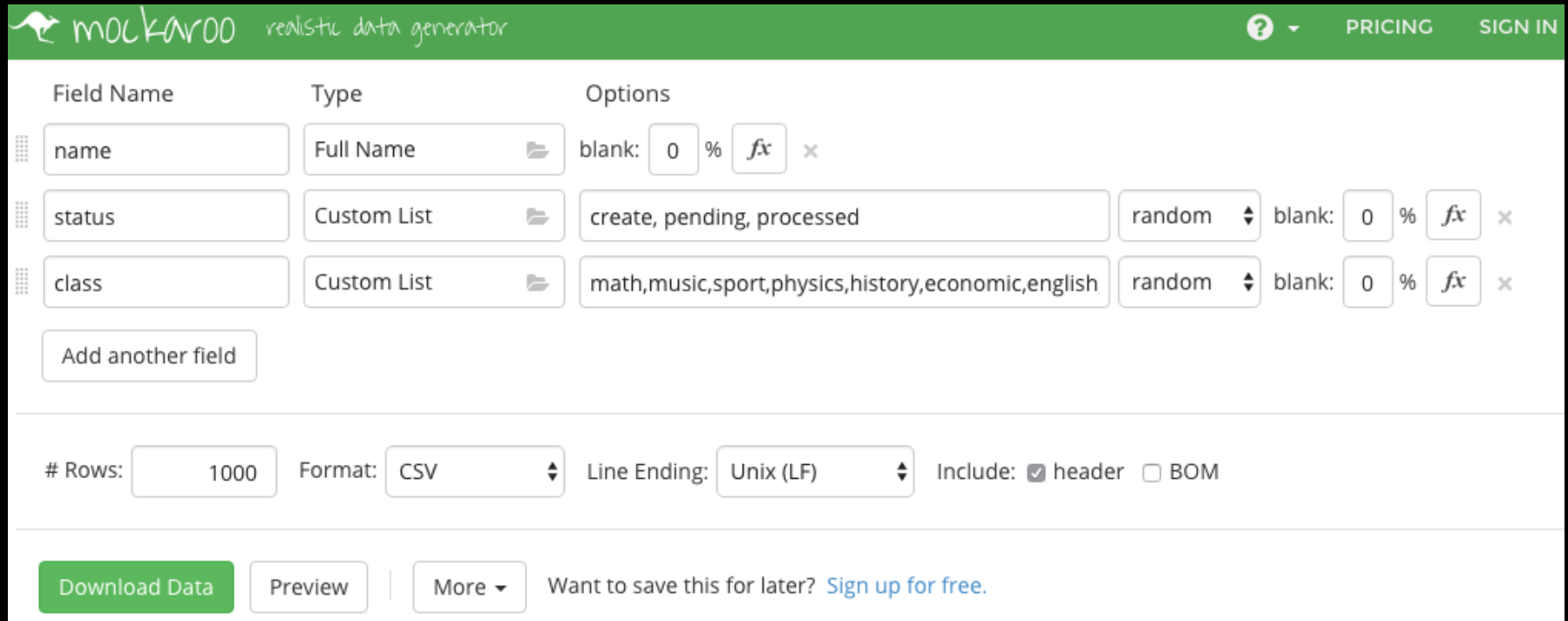
```
return knex('blog.person').del()
.then(function () {
  return Promise.all([
    knex('blog.person').insert({name: 'John', status: 'create'}),
    knex('blog.person').insert({name: 'Ben', status: 'pending'}),
    knex('blog.person').insert({name: 'Bill', status: 'processed'}),
    //hood is not item in blog.person_status
    //knex('blog.person').insert({name: 'Jake', status: 'hood'})
  ]);
});
```



Value not in enum will raise error when insert

Insert data from file

- Cannot insert manually > 50 records
- mockaroo.com free for <= 1000 records



The screenshot shows the Mockaroo website interface, a realistic data generator. The header is green with the Mockaroo logo and navigation links for PRICING and SIGN IN. The main form is divided into three columns: Field Name, Type, and Options. Three fields are currently defined: 'name' (Full Name), 'status' (Custom List), and 'class' (Custom List). Each field has a 'blank' percentage and a 'fx' button. Below the fields is a button to 'Add another field'. At the bottom, there are settings for the number of rows (1000), format (CSV), line ending (Unix (LF)), and include options (header checked, BOM unchecked). A green 'Download Data' button is on the left, and a 'Preview' button is next to it. A 'More' dropdown menu is also present. On the right, there is a link to 'Sign up for free'.

| Field Name | Type | Options |
|------------|-------------|--|
| name | Full Name | blank: 0 % fx × |
| status | Custom List | create, pending, processed random blank: 0 % fx × |
| class | Custom List | math,music,sport,physics,history,economic,english random blank: 0 % fx × |

[Add another field](#)

Rows: 1000 Format: CSV Line Ending: Unix (LF) Include: ☒ header ☐ BOM

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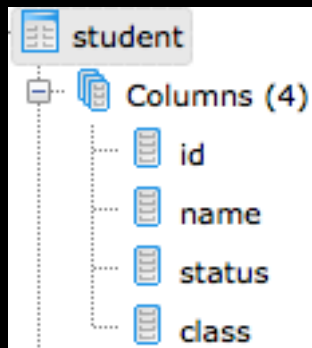
student.cvs generated by mockaroo

```
name,status,class
Lisa Reynolds,pending,music
Betty Lynch,pending,english
Mark Sims,pending,math
Paul Mason,create,english
Lillian Harrison,processed,sport
Eugene Crawford,pending,english
Irene Ramos,processed,chemistry
Julia Sanders,create,english
Michael Sanders,create,physics
Willie Romero,pending,physics
Patricia Montgomery,pending,sport
```

npm install --save-dev knex-seed-file

```
const path = require('path');
const seedFile = require('knex-seed-file');
exports.seed = function(knex, Promise) {
  return Promise.join(
    knex('blog.student').del(),
    seedFile(knex, path.resolve('./seeds/student.csv'),
    'blog.student', [
      'name',
      'status',
      'class'
    ], {
      columnSeparator: ',',
      ignoreFirstLine: true
    })
  );
};
```

Result !



| id bigint | name text | status blog.pers... | class text |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| 1420058186093692038 | Betty Lynch | pending | english |
| 1420058186093692039 | Mark Sims | pending | math |
| 1420058186102080649 | Paul Mason | create | english |
| 1420058186102080650 | Lillian Harrison | processed | sport |
| 1420058186102080648 | Lisa Reynolds | pending | music |
| 1420058186110469259 | Eugene Crawford | pending | english |
| 1420058186110469260 | Irene Ramos | processed | chemistry |
| 1420058186110469261 | Julia Sanders | create | english |
| 1420058186160800910 | Michael Sanders | create | physics |
| 1420058186160800911 | Willie Romero | pending | physics |
| 1420058186160800912 | Patricia Montgomery | pending | sport |