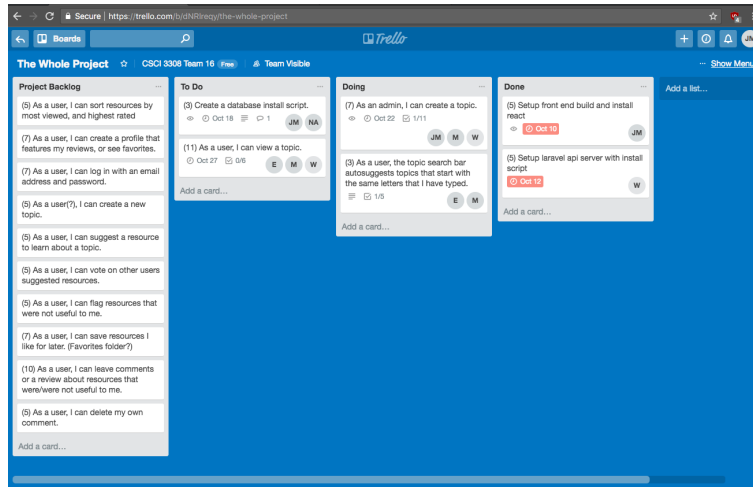# Milestone 2

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Project Management Tool

Our team tracks our sprints and backlog in **Trello**. We integrate Trello with Github and Slack so that each service is syncing with the others.

Plan Cycle

We will run 3 sprints with each sprint lasting 3 weeks. The final sprint will end just before the final presentations begin. We recognize that it will not be realistic to get through every desired feature in the 9 weeks. We will be sure that we follow the agile methodology and deliver fully functional features at the end of each sprint. In this way we ensure there is a deliverable at the end of the course without committing to a particular set a features.

	Start Date	End Date
Sprint 1	Monday, October 9	Sunday, October 29
Sprint 2	Monday, October 30	Sunday, November 19
Sprint 3	Monday, November 20	Sunday, December 10

Agile Methodology

Conclusions from our retrospective:

- It has been very difficult to arrange consistent meeting times to conduct them face-to-face.
- The very large difference in experience levels makes it difficult for members to contribute equally.
- The skills required to begin coding the project have not been taught yet.

Things we will change to make it more productive:

- We will meet in smaller groups to share knowledge so more members can contribute effectively.
- We will give group members opportunities to specialize on parts of the project helping them to be more effective without overwhelming them with the large number of seperate tools and languages.