

PDU DevOps = Assignment 2,

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Create a Rest API with Serverless framework.
Creating Rest APIs with Serverless framework is an efficient
way to deploy Serverless application that can scale
automatically without managing servers.

(i) Serverless framework:

A powerful tool that deployment of services and serverless
application across various cloud providers such as AWS,
Azure and Google Cloud.

(ii) Serverless architecture: This design model allows developers
to build application without worrying about underlying
infrastructure enabling focus on code and business logic.

(iii) Rest API: Representation State Transfer is architecture style for
designing application.

Steps for creating REST API for Serverless framework.

1) Install Serverless framework:

You start by installing Serverless framework globally using
Node Package Manager (NPM) this allow you to manage
Serverless application directly from your terminal.

2) Creating a Node.js Serverless project.

A directory is created for your project where you initialize a
Serverless service. Using the command Serverless and you
set up a template for AWS node.js middlware that will
eventually deploy to AWS Lambda.

Project Structure: The Project creates essential files
like handler.js (which contains) code for Lambda
functions and serverless.yml.

Create a Rest API Response.

5) Deploy the Service:

With the SIS deploy command, Serverless framework packages your application uploads, necessary resources or AWS Lambda functions to AWS Lambda.

6) Testing the API:

Once deployed you can test REST API using tools like curl or Postman by making POST requests to generated API.

7) Storing data in DynamoDB:

To store submitted candidate data you integrate AWS DynamoDB as a database.

8) Adding more functionalities like list all candidates or candidate by ID

a) AWS IAM Permission

You need to ensure that Serverless framework is given sufficient permission to interact with AWS resources like DynamoDB.

10) Monitoring and maintenance.

After Deployment, Serverless framework provides service information like deployed endpoint, API key, log structure.

case Study for SonarQube. SonarQube is an open source platform used for continuous inspection of quality in code bugs, risks, smells and security vulnerabilities in projects across various programming languages.

Profile creation in SonarQube.

Quality profiles in SonarQube are essential configurations that define rules applied during code analysis. Each project has a quality profile for every supported language with default being 'Sonar Way'. Profiles comes built-in for all languages. Custom profiles can be created by copying or extending existing ones.

Copying creates an independent profile, while extending existing ones. Copying creates an independent profile, while extending inherits rules from parent profile and reflects future changes automatically. You can activate or deactivate rules.

Prioritize custom rules to specific projects. Permissions to manage quality profile are restricted. To ensure

profiles include new rules it's important to check against uploaded built-in profiles or the SonarQube rules page.

using Sonar Cloud to analyze GitHub code!

Sonar Cloud is cloud-based counterpart of SonarQube that integrates directly with GitHub, Bitbucket, Azure and GitHub repositories. To get started with Sonar-

Cloud via GitHub Signup via Sonar Cloud product page and connect your GitHub organization or personal account once connected, Sonar Cloud mirrors your GitHub setup.

With each project corresponding to GitHub repository.

After setting up the organization choose Subscription plan and import repositories into your SonarCloud Organization where each

5) If your project becomes a SonarCloud project. Define 'new code' to focus on recent changes and choose between automatic analysis or CI-based analysis. Automatic analysis happens directly in SonarCloud, while CI-based analysis integrates with your build process once the analysis is complete. Results can be viewed in both SonarCloud and GitHub, including security important issues.

3) Sonarlint in JAVA IDE:

Sonarlint is an IDE that performs on-the-fly code analysis as you write code. It helps developers detect bugs, security vulnerabilities and code smells directly in the development environment such as IntelliJ IDEA or Eclipse. To set it up, install the Sonarlint plugin, configure the connection with SonarQube or SonarCloud and select the project profile to analyze Java code. This approach ensures immediate feedback on code quality, promoting clean and maintainable code from the beginning.

4) Analyzing Python Projects with SonarQube:

SonarQube supports Python for coverage reporting but requires third-party tools like CoveragePy to generate coverage reports in XML format. The build process can also be automated using GitHub Actions, which install dependencies, run tests and invoke SonarQube Scan. Ensure a report in Cobertura XML format and place where SonarQube can access it.

Analogy Node.js Project with SonarQube
 For Node.js project with SonarQube can analyze Java code
 TypeScript code. Similar to the Python Script, you can
 for configure SonarQube to analyze Node.js projects
 by installing the appropriate plugin and using Sonar
 Scanner to scan the project. SonarQube will check
 the code against industry standard rules and best
 practices, flagging issues related to security vulnerabilities
 bugs and performance optimization.

At a large organization your centralized operation team may
 get many repetitive infrastructure requests you can
 use Terraform to build a self-service infrastructure
 model that lets produce them manage their own
 infrastructure independently you can create and use Terraform
 modules that codify the standards for deploying
 Terraform Cloud can also integrate with ticketing system
 like ServiceNow to automatically generate new
 infrastructure requests.

Implementing a self-service infrastructure model using Terraform
 can transform how large organization manage their
 infrastructure independent organization can enhance efficiency
 reduce bottlenecks and comply with established needs.

The need for self-service infrastructure: In large organization
 centralizing operations teams often face an overwhelming number
 of repetitive requests this can lead to delay in
 delivery and move quickly.

A self-service model allows teams to provision and manage their infrastructure without an operator to handle every request.

Benefits of using Terraform:

1) Modularity and Reusability:

Terraform modules encapsulate standard configuration for various infrastructure components like networks, databases, computer resources.

Teams can reuse these modules across different projects, reducing redundancy and minimizing the risk of errors.

2, Standardization:

By defining best practices within a modular organization, you can ensure that all deployments comply with organizational policies and standards.

This consistency helps maintain security and operational integrity across the organization.

3) Integration with DevOps Systems: Terraform Cloud can integrate with DevOps systems like GitHub, Jenkins, to automate the generation of their delivery platform, reducing manual intervention.

Implementation Steps

1. Identify infrastructure components Begin by identifying the components of your infrastructure within your organization.
e.g. VPCs, security groups, load balancers.

2. Develop Terraform modules.

Create & reuse modules do define the desired configuration
and resources.

Ensure each module includes input variables for customization and output for migration with ease.

Establish Grounds and Best practices:

Define guidelines for module usage, versioning and documentation to ensure clarity and maintainability.

Testing and Validation

Implement a strategy to do validate module functionality before development.

Best practices for Module Management

Utilize the Terraform Registry.

Leverage existing community modules from the Terraform Registry to avoid re-inventing solutions and focus on best practices.

Version control:

Implement versioning for your modules to track changes. Over time, this helps manage dependencies efficiently and minimize disruptions during updates.

Encouraging collaboration: forms a culture of collaboration by sharing modules across teams. This promotes consistency in deployments and by adopting a self-service infrastructure model within the organization. It empowers product teams to efficiently manage their approach. Not only streamlining processes but also agility in responding to changing business environments. Ultimately, it leads to a more responsive organization that supports innovation and growth.

