



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
BICOL UNIVERSITY
POLANGUI

Email: bu-cpro@bicol-u.edu.ph | bupc.bu@gmail.com
JULY 13, 2024

Professor: Dr. Guillermo V. Red, Jr.

Year/Sec: BSIS – 3A

Course: IS ELEC 3

Week 11 - Assignment

Backend Setup Summary

University Event Management System (UEMS)

Group: Sigma Coders

Date: 11/25/2025

NODE AND EXPRESS SETUP DESCRIPTION

Project Initialization:

Initialize Node.js project

```
npm init -y
```

Install production dependencies

```
npm install express mongoose cors dotenv bcryptjs jsonwebtoken multer helmet  
express-rate-limit validator uuid
```

Install development dependencies

```
npm install -D nodemon jest
```

Create project structure

```
mkdir models controllers routes middleware config utils uploads
```

Server Configuration:

The Express.js server is configured with:

- Security middleware (Helmet, CORS, Rate Limiting)
- JSON body parsing with 10MB limit
- Environment variables via dotenv
- MongoDB connection with Mongoose
- ODM Modular route handling with separate route files
- Global error handling and 404 routes
- Static file serving for uploaded event media

Development Scripts:

```
{  
  "scripts": {  
    "start": "node server.js",  
    "dev": "nodemon server.js",  
    "test": "jest"  
  }  
}
```

Key Dependencies:

- **express:** Web server framework
- **mongoose:** MongoDB object modeling
- **bcryptjs:** Password hashing
- **jsonwebtoken:** Authentication tokens
- **multer:** File upload handling
- **cors:** Cross-origin resource sharing
- **helmet:** Security headers



DEFINED API ENDPOINTS

Authentication Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
POST	/api/auth/register	student registration	Public
POST	/api/auth/login	user login	Public
GET	/api/auth/me	get current user	Authenticated

Event Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
GET	/api/events	get all events (with filters)	Public
GET	/api/events/:id	get event details	Public
POST	/api/events	create new event	Organizer+
PUT	/api/events/:id	update event	Owner/Admin
DELETE	/api/events/:id	delete event	Owner/Admin
GET	/api/events/:id/analytics	get detailed analytic for specific event	Owner
GET	/api/users/my-events/analytics	get analytics overview for all events owned by the current user	Owner

Event Proposal Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
POST	/api/events/proposals	create event proposal	Student+
POST	/api/events/proposals/:id/submit	submit proposal	Owner
PUT	/api/events/proposals/:id	update draft proposal	Owner

Registration and Attendance Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
POST	/api/events/:id/register	register for event	Student+
DELETE	/api/events/:id/register	unregister from events	Student+
GET	/api/users/registrations	get user's registration	Owner
POST	/api/events/:id/attend	mark attendance	Organizer+

Admin Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
GET	/api/admin/pending-events	get pending approvals	Admin
PUT	/api/admin/events/:id/approve	approve event	Admin
PUT	/api/admin/events/	reject event with	Admin

	:id/reject	notes	
GET	/api/admin/users	get all users	Admin
GET	/api/admin/statistics	platform analytics	Admin

Notification and Sharing Routes

Method	Route	Description	Access
GET	/api/notifications	get user notifications	Owner
GET	/api/share/events/:id	generate sharable link	Public

BACKEND ARCHITECTURE

MVC Pattern Implementation:

uems-backend/

└─ models/ (Mongoose Schemas)

└─ User.js

└─ Event.js

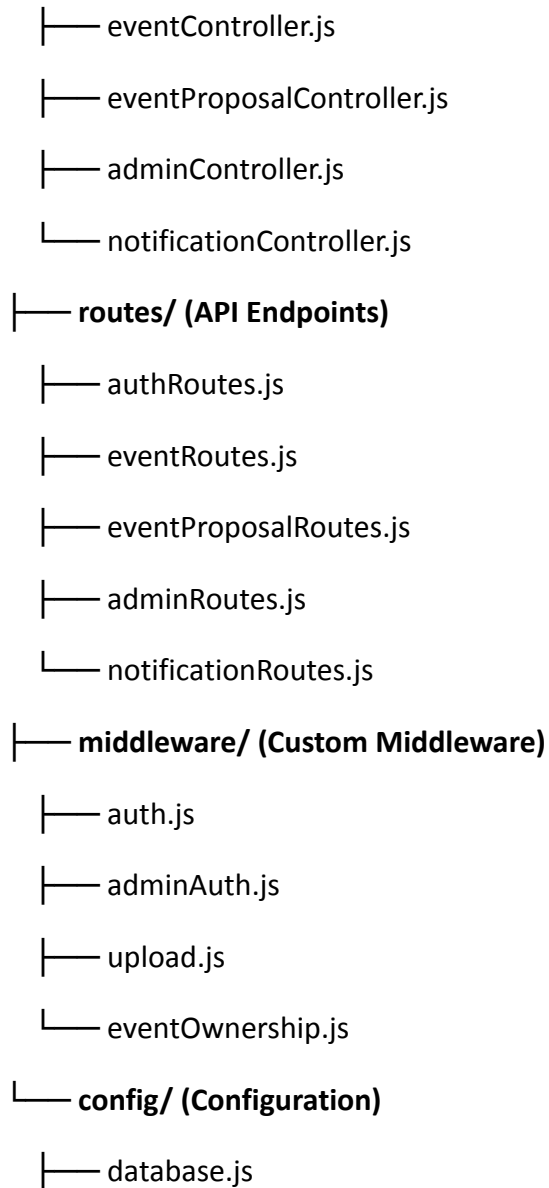
└─ Registration.js

└─ Attendance.js

└─ Notification.js

└─ controllers/ (Business Logic)

└─ authController.js



Database Schema Design:

- **User Model:** Student accounts with role-based permissions
- **Event Model:** Event details with approval workflow
- **Registration Model:** Event registration tracking
- **Attendance Model:** Participation records
- **Notification Model:** User notifications system



Key Features Implemented:

- Event Proposal System with admin approval workflow
- Role-Based Access Control (Student, Organizer, Admin)
- File Upload System for event media
- JWT Authentication with secure tokens
- Social Sharing with unique event links
- Notification System for user updates
- Search & Filtering by categories and tags

SECURITY MEASURE

Authentication and Authorization:

- JWT-based authentication with 30-day expiry
- Password hashing using bcryptjs (12 salt rounds)
- Role-based middleware for route protection
- Rate limiting (100 requests per 15 minutes per IP)

Data Protection:

- Environment variables for sensitive configuration
- Input validation and sanitization
- File type and size restrictions for uploads
- CORS configuration for frontend integration

Database Security:

- MongoDB Atlas with secure connection string
- Mongoose schema validation
- Proper indexing for performance
- Error handling for database operations



DEVELOPMENT AND DEPLOYMENT

Environment Configuration:

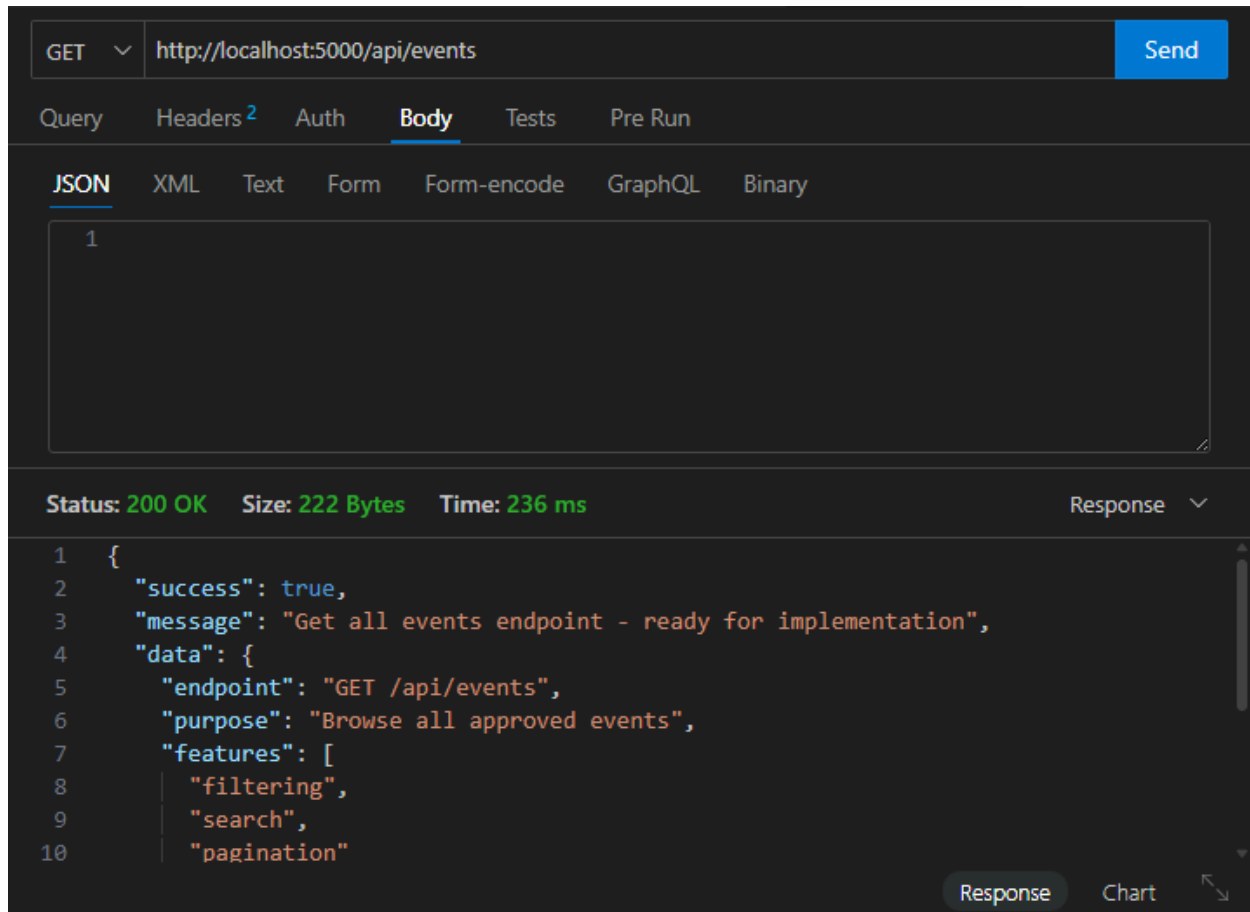
- **MONGODB_URI:** MongoDB connection string
- **JWT_SECRET:** JWT token secret key
- **CLIENT_URL:** Frontend application
- **URL_UPLOAD_PATH:** File upload directory

Production Readiness

- Environment-based configuration
- Error handling and logging
- Performance optimization
- Security headers and
- CORS Rate limiting and input validation



TESTING EVIDENCE:



The screenshot shows a REST client interface with a GET request to `http://localhost:5000/api/events`. The response is a JSON object with the following structure:

```
1 {
2   "success": true,
3   "message": "Get all events endpoint - ready for implementation",
4   "data": {
5     "endpoint": "GET /api/events",
6     "purpose": "Browse all approved events",
7     "features": [
8       "filtering",
9       "search",
10      "pagination"
11    ]
12  }
13 }
```

The status bar indicates a **200 OK** response with a size of **222 Bytes** and a time of **236 ms**. The response is displayed in the JSON tab.

```
PS C:\Projects in Framework\University-Event-Management-System\uems-backend> npm run dev

> uems-backend@1.0.0 dev
> nodemon server.js

[nodemon] 3.1.11
[nodemon] to restart at any time, enter `rs`
[nodemon] watching path(s): *.*
[nodemon] watching extensions: js,mjs,cjs,json
[nodemon] starting `node server.js`
🚀 UEMS Backend Server running on port 5000
🌐 Environment: development
🔗 Client URL: http://localhost:3000
🗄 Database: Connected
🗄 MongoDB Connected: ac-slimkb-shard-00-00.fboam7m.mongodb.net
🗄 Database: uems_database
```

