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Beginner to Guru

Getting the Most Out of This Course



## Number One Tip

- **Take the time to complete the course!**
- Many people never start
- Many start, but never finish
- To get the most out of the course, you need to take the course!!!
- **Pro-Tip** - Plan time on your calendar. Make a meeting for yourself!





## More Tips

- Do the quizzes
- Do the assignments
  - You get a lot of benefit in learning from doing the coding exercises
    - Proven in educational research



## Swagger Hub

- Swagger Hub is used in the course
  - Commercial Product - but free to use
  - Is not the focus of this course



## Swagger Hub Alternatives

- Visual Studio Code
  - Free to download and use
  - Look for OpenAPI Plugins - will help
- IntelliJ - free community edition
- **Any** text editor will work fine
  - Notepad, Text Wrangler, Sublime Text
- **DO NOT USE WORD** or other word processing programs



## Slack Community

- As a student in this course, you can request access to Spring Framework Guru's Slack Community
- Get your access to a Slack channel exclusive to students of this course
- Get help with the course, your projects, share something cool you are working on
- Or just say Hi!
- See Module in Section one for Instructions on How to join!





## Summary

- Do the course!
  - Make time for yourself!
- Use Swagger Hub or your preferred text editor
- Join Slack - ask questions, or just say hi!





