

# Creating a RESTful API using express.js and creating a database and index in MongoDB.

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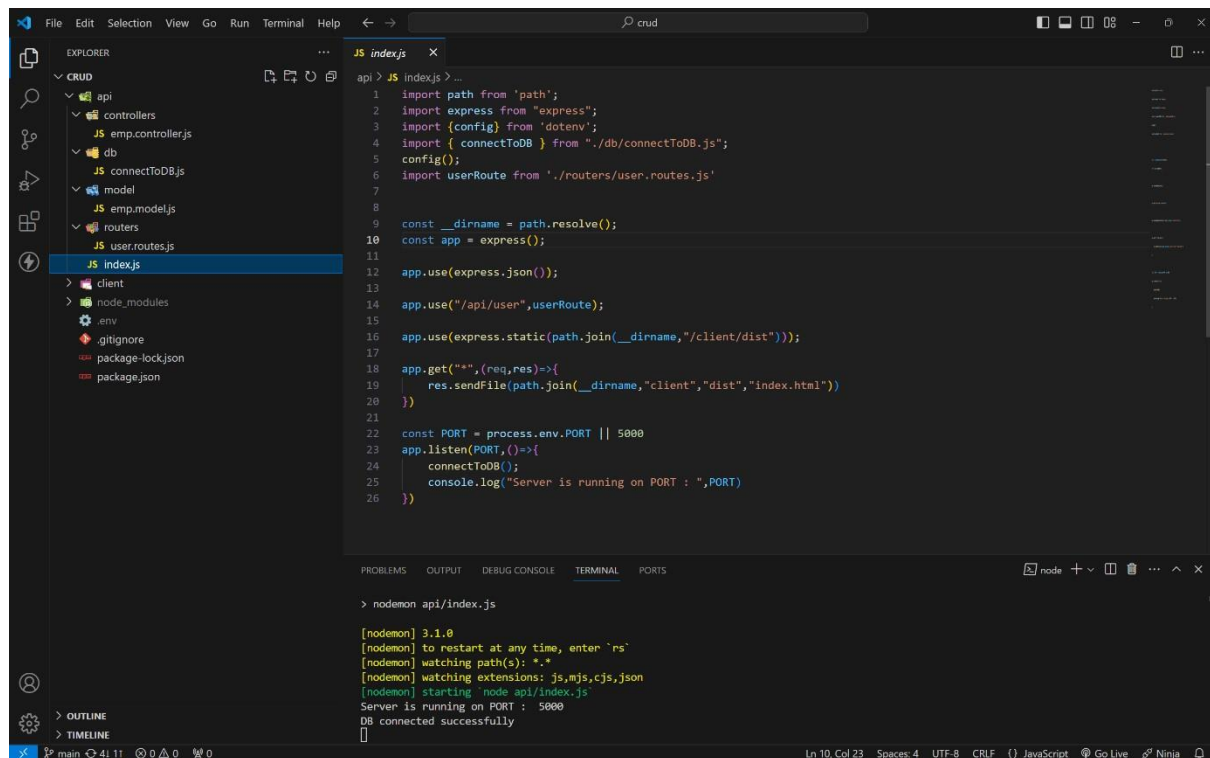
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**source code :**

**index.js file :**



The screenshot shows a VS Code editor with a project named 'crud'. The Explorer sidebar on the left shows the file structure: 'api' (controllers, db, model, routers), 'client', 'node\_modules', '.env', '.gitignore', 'package-lock.json', and 'package.json'. The 'api/index.js' file is selected and open in the editor. The code in 'index.js' is as follows:

```
1 import path from 'path';
2 import express from 'express';
3 import {config} from 'dotenv';
4 import { connectToDB } from './db/connectToDB.js';
5 config();
6 import userRoute from './routers/user.routes.js';
7
8
9 const __dirname = path.resolve();
10 const app = express();
11
12 app.use(express.json());
13
14 app.use("/api/user",userRoute);
15
16 app.use(express.static(path.join(__dirname,"/client/dist")));
17
18 app.get("/*",(req,res)=>{
19   res.sendFile(path.join(__dirname,"client","dist","index.html"))
20 })
21
22 const PORT = process.env.PORT || 5000
23 app.listen(PORT,()=>{
24   connectToDB();
25   console.log("Server is running on PORT : ",PORT)
26 })
```

The terminal at the bottom shows the command to run the application and its output:

```
> nodemon api/index.js
[nodemon] 3.1.0
[nodemon] to restart at any time, enter `rs`
[nodemon] watching path(s): *.*
[nodemon] watching extensions: js,mjs,cjs,json
[nodemon] starting `node api/index.js`
Server is running on PORT : 5000
DB connected successfully
```

**MONGODB CONNECTION :**

The screenshot shows a VS Code editor with a project structure on the left. The 'db' folder contains 'connectToDB.js', which is selected. The file contains the following code:

```
1 import mongoose from 'mongoose';
2
3 export function connectToDB(){
4   mongoose.connect(process.env.CONN_STR)
5   .then(()=>{
6     console.log("DB connected successfully")
7   })
8   .catch((err)=>{
9     console.log("Error while connecting to DB : ",err.message);
10  })
11 }
```

The terminal at the bottom shows the command `> nodemon api/index.js` and the output of the application, including the message `DB connected successfully`.

## MODEL :

The screenshot shows a VS Code editor with a project structure on the left. The 'model' folder contains 'emp.model.js', which is selected. The file contains the following code:

```
1 import mongoose from 'mongoose';
2
3 const userSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
4   username:{
5     type:String,
6     unique:true,
7     required:true
8   },
9   empname:{
10    type:String,
11    required:true
12  },
13  email:{
14    type:String,
15    required:true
16  },
17  role:{
18    type:String,
19    required:true
20  },
21  salary:{
22    type: Number,
23    required: true,
24  }
25 },{timestamps:true})
26
27 const Emp = mongoose.model("User",userSchema);
28
29 export default Emp;
```

The terminal at the bottom shows the command `> nodemon api/index.js` and the output of the application, including the message `DB connected successfully`.

## ROUTES:

The screenshot shows the Visual Studio Code editor with the file explorer on the left. The file explorer shows a project structure with folders like 'api', 'controllers', 'db', 'model', 'routers', and 'client'. The 'routers' folder is expanded, and 'user.routes.js' is selected. The main editor shows the content of 'user.routes.js', which imports 'express' and defines a router with routes for create, readAll, read, update, and delete. The terminal at the bottom shows the command 'nodemon api/index.js' being executed, and the output indicates that the server is running on port 5000 and connected successfully.

```
api > routers > JS user.routes.js > @ router
1 import express from 'express'
2 import { create, readAll, read, remove, update, } from '../controllers/emp.controller.js';
3
4 const router = express.Router();
5
6 router.post('/create', create);
7 router.get("/readall", readAll);
8 router.get("/read/:id", read);
9 router.put("/update/:id", update);
10 router.delete("/remove/:id", remove);
11
12 export default router;
```

```
> nodemon api/index.js

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## CONTROLLERS :

### CREATE :

The screenshot shows the Visual Studio Code editor with the file explorer on the left. The file explorer shows a project structure with folders like 'api', 'controllers', 'db', 'model', 'routers', and 'client'. The 'controllers' folder is expanded, and 'emp.controller.js' is selected. The main editor shows the content of 'emp.controller.js', which imports 'Emp' from the model and defines a 'create' function. The 'create' function takes a request and a response object, extracts the body data, checks if a user with the same username already exists, and if not, creates a new employee and saves it. The terminal at the bottom shows the command 'nodemon api/index.js' being executed, and the output indicates that the server is running on port 5000 and connected successfully.

```
api > controllers > JS emp.controller.js > @ remove
1 import Emp from '../model/emp.model.js';
2
3 export async function create(req,res){
4   try {
5     const {username,empname,email,role,salary} = req.body;
6
7     console.log(req.body);
8     const emp = await Emp.findOne({username});
9
10    if(emp) return res.status(400).json({error:"username is already exists"});
11
12    const newEmp = new Emp({
13      username,
14      empname,
15      email,
16      role,
17      salary
18    });
19
20    if(newEmp){
21      await newEmp.save();
22
23      res.status(201).json({
24        _id : newEmp._id,
25        username : newEmp.username,
26        empname : newEmp.empname,
27        email : newEmp.email,
28        role : newEmp.role,
29        salary : newEmp.salary
30      });
31    }else{
32      res.status(400).json({error:"Invalid emp data"});
33    }
34  } catch (error) {
35    console.log("Error in create controller : ",error.message);
36    res.status(500).json({message : error.message});
37  }
38 }
39
40
41
```

### READALL:

```
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3  > export async function create(req,res){...
40 }
41
42 > export async function read(req,res){...
58 }
59
60 export async function readAll(req,res){
61   try {
62
63     const emps = await Emp.find();
64
65     if(!emps || !emps.length ) return res.status(404).json({error:" no emp data found!"});
66
67     res.status(201).json({
68       emps
69     })
70
71   } catch (error) {
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**READONE :**

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42 export async function read(req,res){
43   try {
44     const {id} = req.params;
45
46     const emp = await Emp.findById({_id:id});
47
48     if(!emp) return res.status(404).json({error:"emp not found!"});
49
50     res.status(201).json({
51       emp
52     })
53
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**UPDATE :**

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77 export async function update(req,res){
78   try {
79     const {id} = req.params;
80
81     const emp = await Emp.findById({_id:id});
82
83     if(!emp) return res.status(404).json({error:"emp not found!"});
84
85     const newEmp = await Emp.findByIdAndUpdate({_id:id},{...req.body},{new:true});
86
87     res.status(201).json({
88       newEmp
89     });
90   } catch (error) {
91     console.log("Error in create controller : ",error.message);
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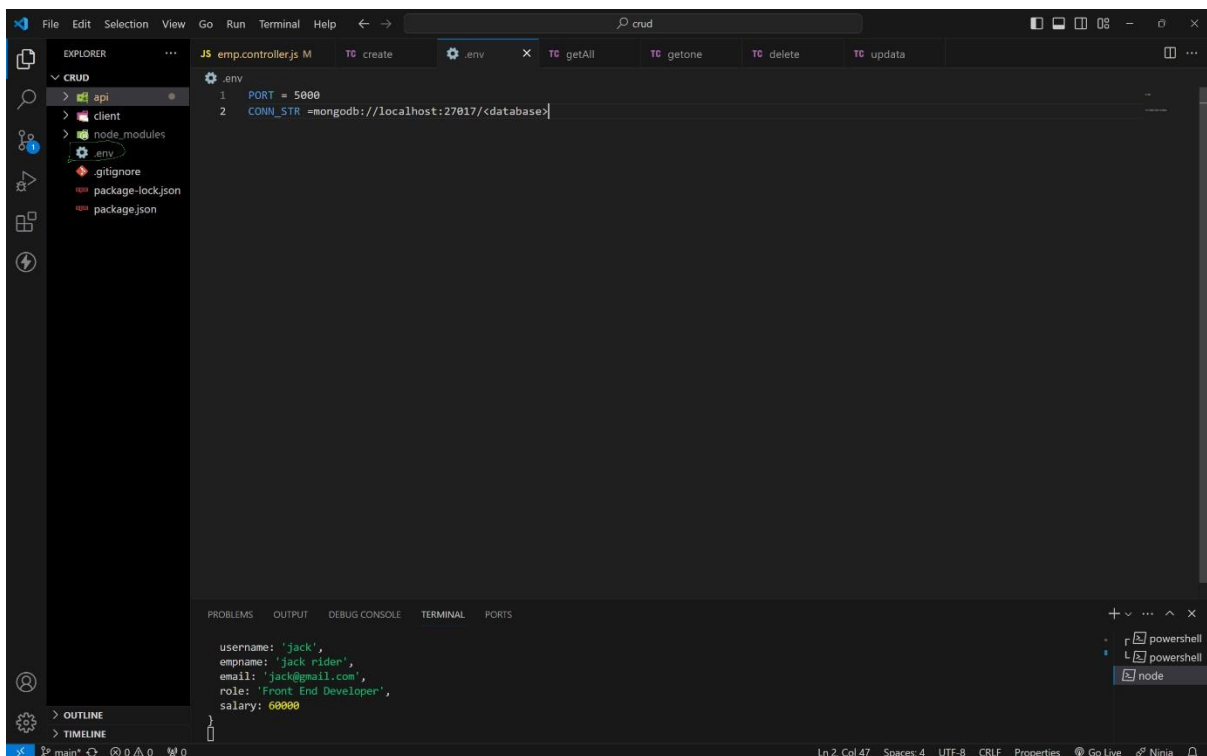
## DELETE :

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94 }
95
96 export async function remove(req,res){
97   try {
98     const {id} = req.params;
99
100     await Emp.findByIdAndDelete({_id:id});
101
102     res.status(201).json({
103       id,
104       message : "deleted successfully..",
105     });
106   } catch (error) {
107     console.log("Error in create controller : ",error.message);
108     res.status(500).json({error:"Internal server Error"})
109   }
110 }
```

## HOW TO RUN ON LOCALLY :

- 1 . Create a folder as any name.
- 2 . Open that folder in any code editor (vs code).
- 3 . Open terminal ( ctrl + ~ ) on code editor.
- 4 . Type this code to get code locally.      `git clone`  
<https://github.com/yslikhitha2/crud.git>
- 5 . Now move to crud folder (`cd crud` in terminal)
- 6 . Ignore client folder.
- 7 . Here crud is root folder.
- 8 . In root folder create a `.env` file and create a PORT and  
CONN\_STR variables and assign value.  
ex : `PORT = 3000`      ( commonly any number between 3000 - 8080).  
`CONN_STR = your mongodb_connection_string.`



--- trouble in above process ? : simply

paste this code in `.env` file .

PORT = 5000

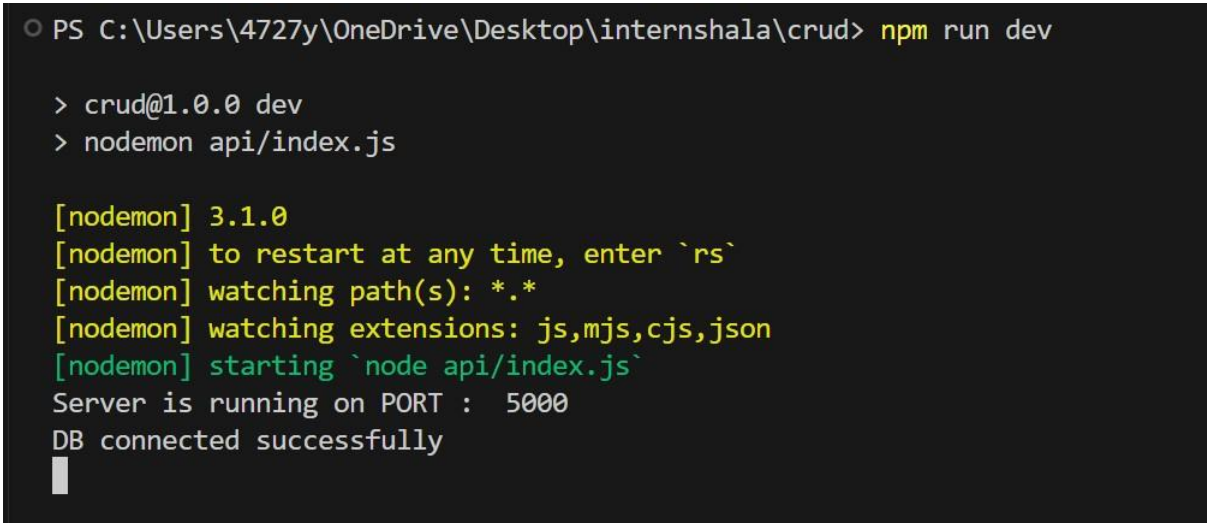
CONN\_STR=mongodb+srv://4727yesuraju:rough@cluster0.wbclvtg.mongodb.net/?retryWrites=true&w=majority&appName=Cluster0

**9 . After in terminal (in crud folder as root folder) type this command to run server.**

**npm i (installing all dependencies)**

**npm run dev (to run server)**

**10 . if you get below message in terminal then your server will running successfully.**



```
PS C:\Users\4727y\OneDrive\Desktop\internshala\crud> npm run dev

> crud@1.0.0 dev
> nodemon api/index.js

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**route and its functionality :**

**For this use any API using tools like Postman or Thunder Client.**

**i use THUNDER CLIENT.**

## **CREATE ROUTE :**

**1 . This route is used to create a new employee in database with a below fields.**

**username, empname, email, role, salary**

**2 . in thunder client click on new request and select this options**

**method as post url as http://localhost:5000/api/user/create**

**pass this json data as a body as your required value.**

```
{  
  "username": "jack",  
  "empname": "jack rider",  
  "email": "jack@gmail.com",  
  "role": "Front End Developer",  
  "salary": 60000  
}
```

**3 . finally press send to insert data in mongodb data base and get a inserted data**

**as a response.**

**4 . If user is already in db it will return User is already exist as response. for more details visit below output images...**

## **READONE :**

**1 . This route is used to read specific user info by passing that user id**



**as a param. method**

**as get**

**url as** http://localhost:5000/api/user/read/65ed7b3d76e1dcc9a51654ca

**2 . After sending you will get that specific user details as response.**

## **READALL :**

**1 . Read all route is used to get all the user data existing in the mongodb data base .**

**method as get url as**

http://localhost:5000/api/user/readall

**2 . After sending you will get that all user details as response.**

## **UPDATE :**

**1 . This route is used to update specific user by passing that user id as a param. method**

**as put**

**url as**

http://localhost:5000/api/user/update/65ed7b3d76e1dcc9a51654ca

**2 . After sending you will get updated user details as response.**

## **DELETE :**

**1 . This route is used to delete specific user by passing that user id as a param. method**

**as delete**

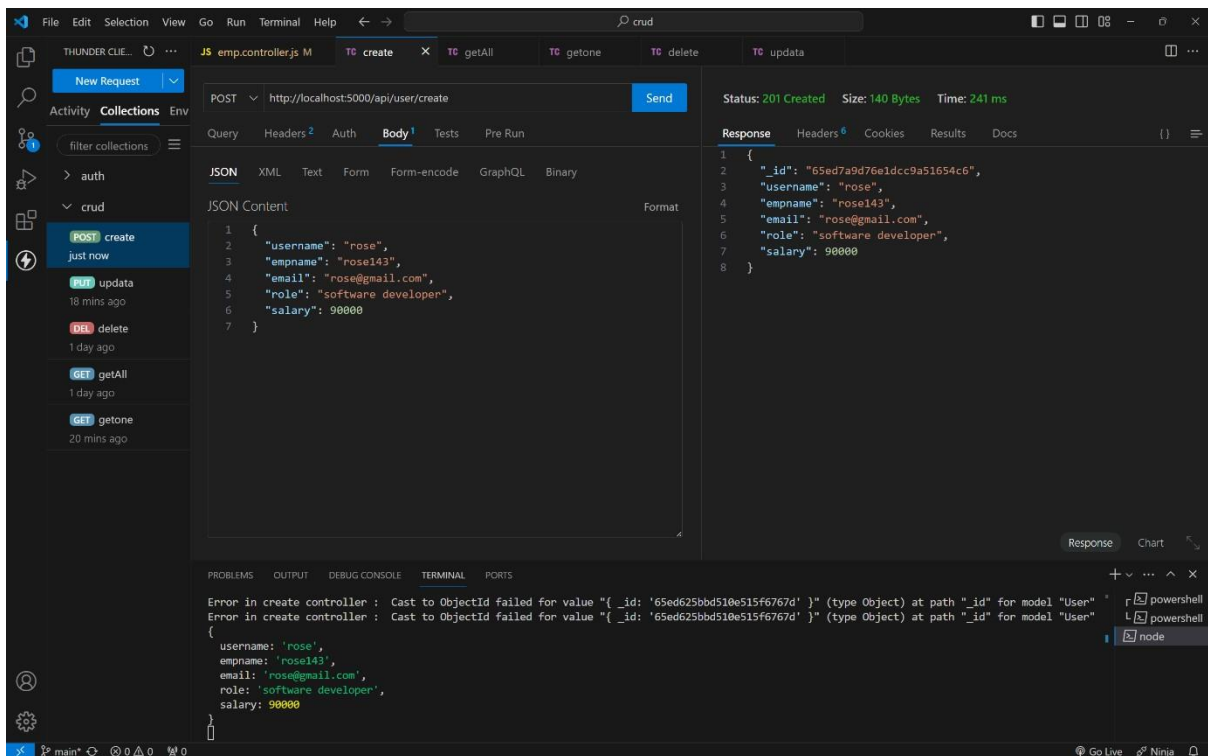
**url as**

http://localhost:5000/api/user/delete/65ed7b3d76e1dcc9a51654ca

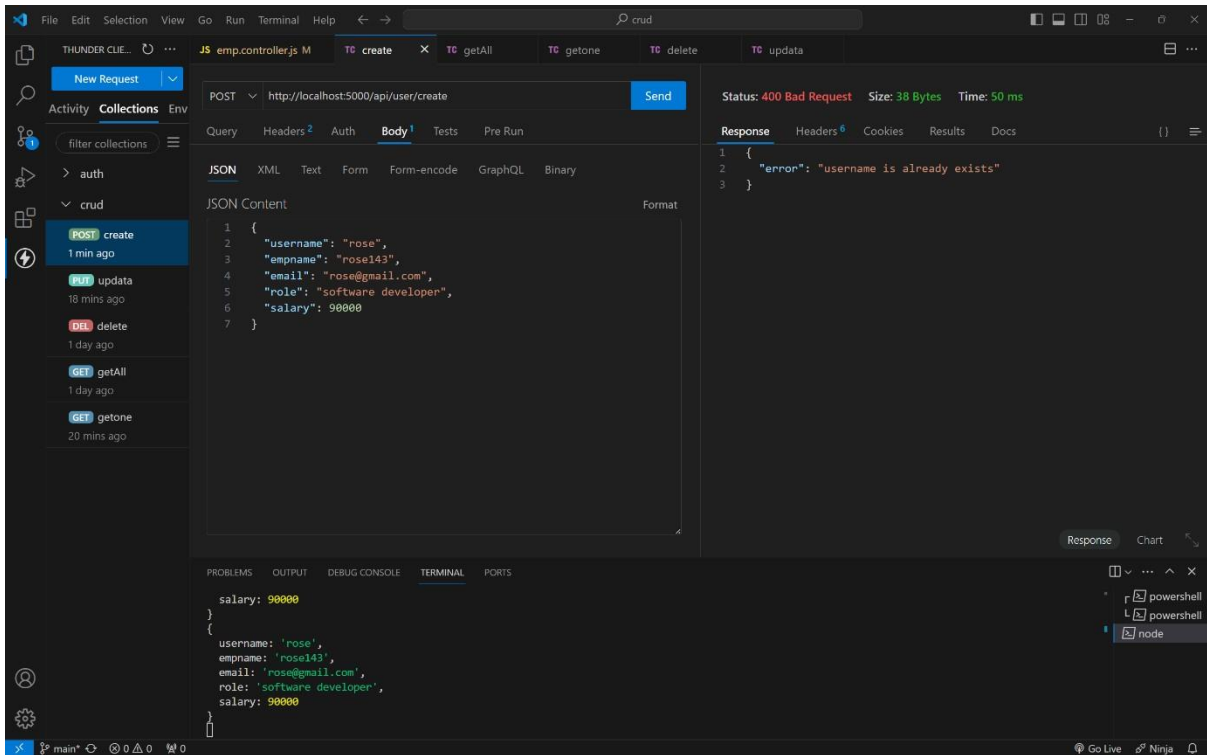
**2 . After sending you will deleted successfully as response.**

**OUTPUT :**

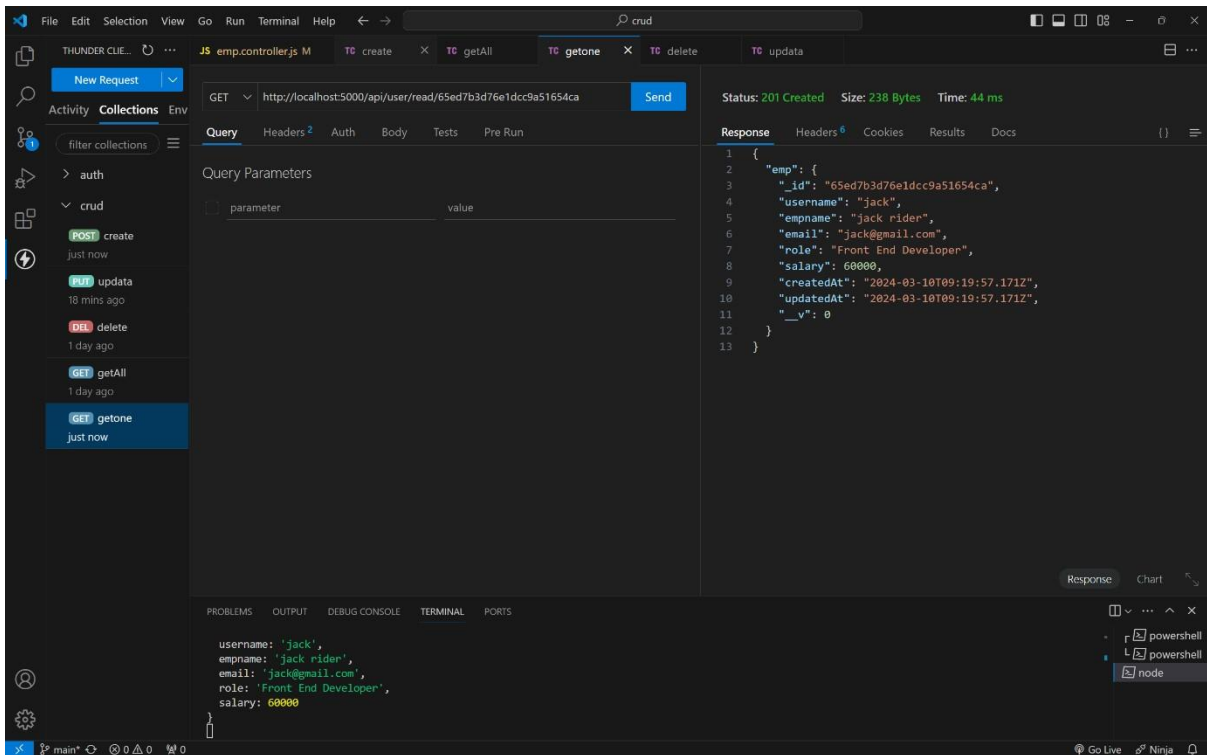
**CREATE A NEW USER :**



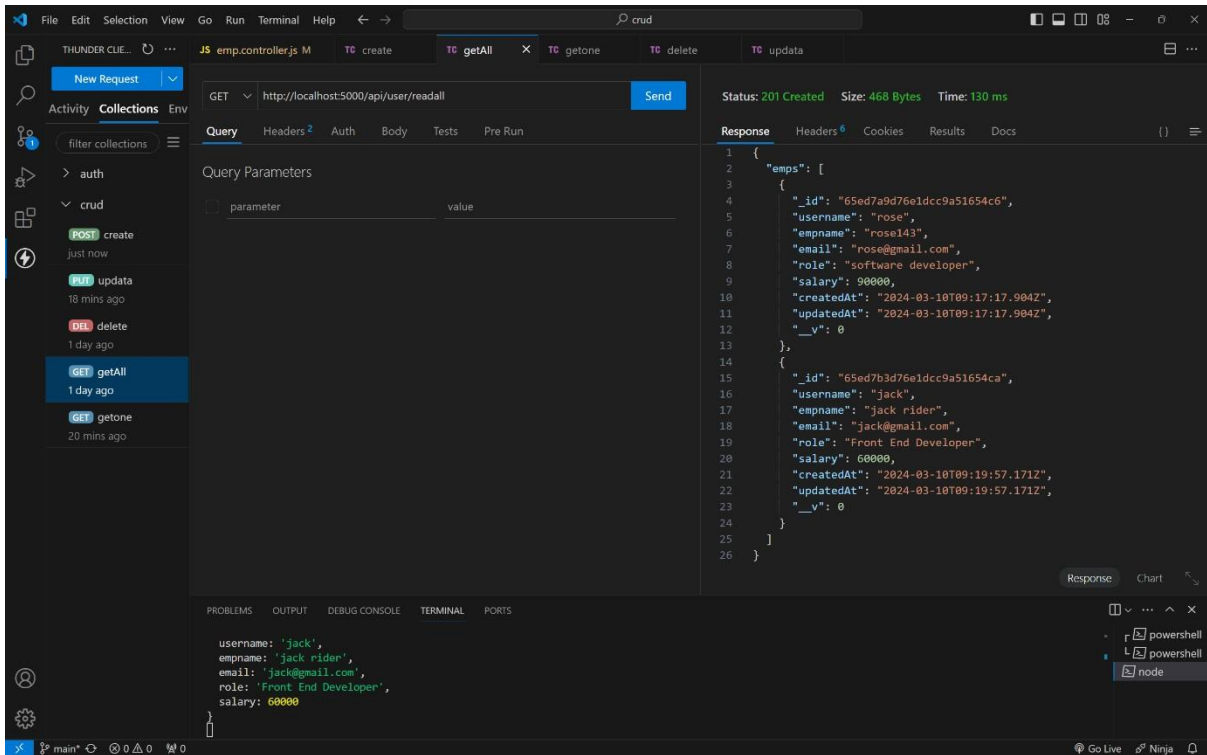
**CREATING USER WITH EXISTING USERNAM :**



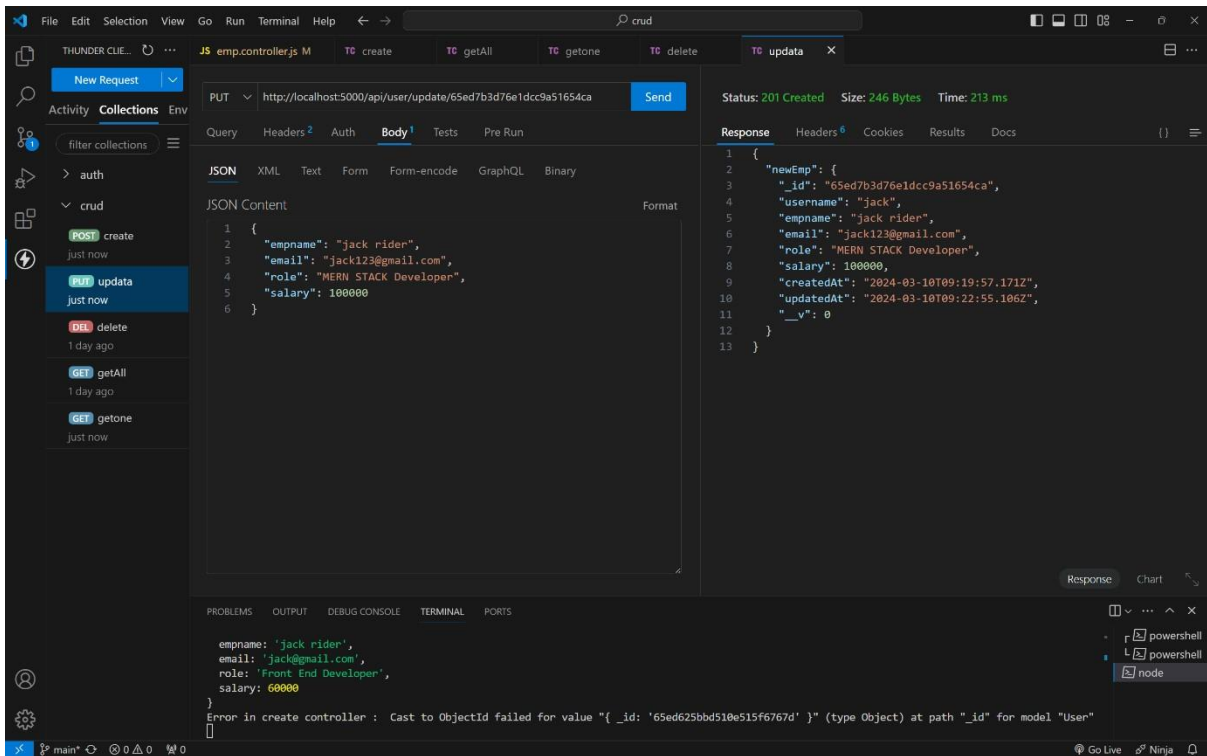
READONE :



READ ALL :



## UPDATE :



## DELETE :

THUNDER CLIENT

JS emp.controller.js M TC create TC getAll TC getone TC delete TC update

New Request

Activity Collections Env

filter collections

auth

crud

POST create 5 mins ago

PUT update 2 mins ago

DEL delete just now

GET getAll 1 day ago

GET getone 3 mins ago

DELETE http://localhost:5000/api/user/remove/65ed7b3d76e1dcc9a51654ca Send

Status: 201 Created Size: 68 Bytes Time: 111 ms

Query Headers Auth Body Tests Pre Run

Query Parameters

parameter value

Response Headers Cookies Results Docs

```
1 {
2   "id": "65ed7b3d76e1dcc9a51654ca",
3   "message": "deleted successfully.."
4 }
```

PROBLEMS OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS

```
Node.js v20.11.0
[nodemon] app crashed - waiting for file changes before starting...
[nodemon] restarting due to changes...
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