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1 About

Term project for course *PA181 Services - Systems, Modeling and Execution*¹ in year 2019. Within the project, we had to create a fully functional application using the *IBM Cloud*² technology including a detailed documentation and a presentation. *doc. Mouzhi Ge, Ph.D.*³ is the project supervisor.

2 Idea

The core idea was to create and develop a useful and practical application. The application provide services for testing the users in a form of questions and answers. Users are able to test themselves via these questions by selecting the correct answers. There are several tests in three different types of language (Czech, Slovak and English).

3 Used Technologies

The following technologies were integrated and used during the development process:

- cloud based platform
 - IBM Cloud⁴
- version control system (VCS)
 - GitHub⁵
- continuous integration (CI)
 - Travis CI⁶

4 Work Division

Our team consisted of 5 members: Adrián Tóth, Jan Ondruch, Jiří Čechák, Tadeáš Pavlík and Václav Stehlík.

Everyone from us was in charge of a certain part of the project. The work was divided as the following:

- Adrián Tóth
 - project initialization
 - VCS initialization
 - creation of project skeleton
 - Travis CI integration and configuration
 - IBM DevOps toolchain configuration
 - creation of continuous delivery pipeline
 - project deployment

¹is.muni.cz/predmet/fi/jaro2019/PA181

²cloud.ibm.com

³is.muni.cz/auth/osoba/239833

⁴cloud.ibm.com

⁵github.com

⁶travis-ci.org

- Jan Ondruch
 - application design (idea)
 - **TODO**
- Jiří Čechák
 - application frontend
 - application design (user interface)
 - **TODO**
- Tadeáš Pavlík
 - testing
 - application design (concept)
 - **TODO**
- Václav Stehlík
 - application backend
 - backend and frontend interconnection
 - **TODO**

5 Application initialization

Firstly, we have chosen a stable, reliable and safe platform supporting team project development - GitHub. Furthermore, GitHub provides a version control system management and the integration with IBM Cloud is supported. Subsequently, after the repository was configured properly, we had to choose the technologies. We decided to use #C (general-purpose, multi-paradigm and object oriented programming language) and React (library for building user interfaces) for the project. Based on the above, we have initialized the project skeleton - a *'Hello, World!'* application.

6 Application implementation

TODO: backend-frontend interconnection, architecture pattern (MVC), API

7 Application deployment

The deployment was configured before the core implementation itself. Deployment was initialized and configured on the already set *'Hello, World!'* application. We are using a continuous deployment approach - automated build and deploy method via IBM's delivery pipeline. The delivery pipeline was configured to automatically install all required dependencies, build and deploy the application.

Whole deployment is based on one own properly configured DevOps toolchain. The toolchain is shown in Figure 1, which includes GitHub⁷, Travis CI⁸ (as other tool) and Delivery Pipeline⁹.

⁷console.bluemix.net/docs/services/ContinuousDelivery/toolchains_integrations.html#github

⁸console.bluemix.net/docs/services/ContinuousDelivery/toolchains_integrations.html#othertool

⁹console.bluemix.net/docs/services/ContinuousDelivery/toolchains_integrations.html#deliverypipeline

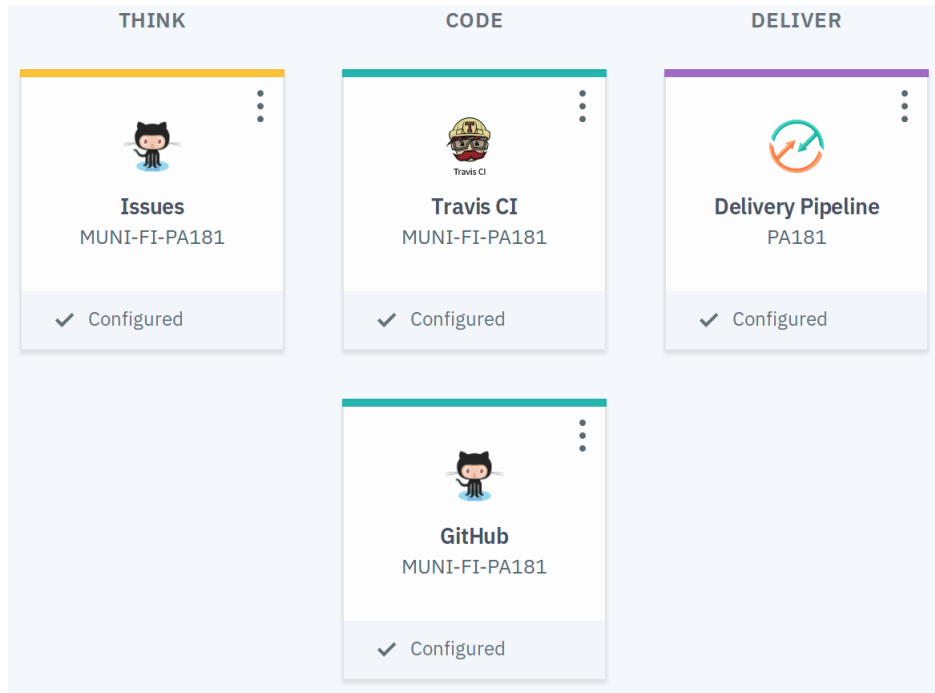


Figure 1: Toolchain

The toolchain providing a continuous delivery service allows us to focus on code only. After the continuous delivery toolchain was set properly, we just had to commit the changes to the repository and the application was immediately built and deployed.

8 Application instructions

TODO: how to use, tutorial, examples

9 Screenshots

TODO: images (add it to 'doc/img' folder - vector would be the best or raster with high resolution)

10 Development issues

During the project development we have faced a few problems that have been reported:

- github.com/IBM-Bluemix-Docs/ContinuousDelivery/issues/13
- github.com/IBM-Cloud/aspnet-core-helloworld/issues/39