

WELCOME TO DAT-5!



GENERAL ASSEMBLY



DAY 1 ORIENTATION

AGENDA

- › Welcome + Introductions
- › Student Experience
- › Course Expectations
- › Course Tools
- › Start Learning!

hello!

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- Data Science / Analytics Technical Program Manager
 - Disney/ABC
- Loves pulling information and insights from data
- Career path: engineering, sales, product management, business development, program management, **data analysis, data science**

HELLO.

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- › Operations Manager
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HELLO.

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HELLO.

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- Education Programs Lead
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WHO ARE YOU?

INTRODUCTIONS

- What's your name?
 - What are you up to these days?
 - Why are you taking this course?
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- Fun Fact!
Something you don't
normally share i.e. guilty pleasure
i.e. tell us your secrets





STUDENT EXPERIENCE

SEATTLE CAMPUS

HOUSEKEEPING

- › Student Handbook: campus guidelines, hours, etc. This is your home for the next 10 weeks!
- › Shared space: talk to your neighbors, clean up, make friends
- › Kitchen (coffee, tea, snacks, please label your food!)
- › Bathrooms: keys at front desk



STUDENT SUPPORT

FRONTLINES: CAMPUS FACILITIES

Door access, printing needs, heat/AC, chargers, etc.

MARIA: COURSE COUNSELOR / CHEERLEADER

Here to help with any course logistics/questions
(payments, tools/systems, etc.)

STUDENT SUPPORT

FRONT LINES

- › 206.258.7022
- › #frontlines
- › seafrontdesk@ga.co



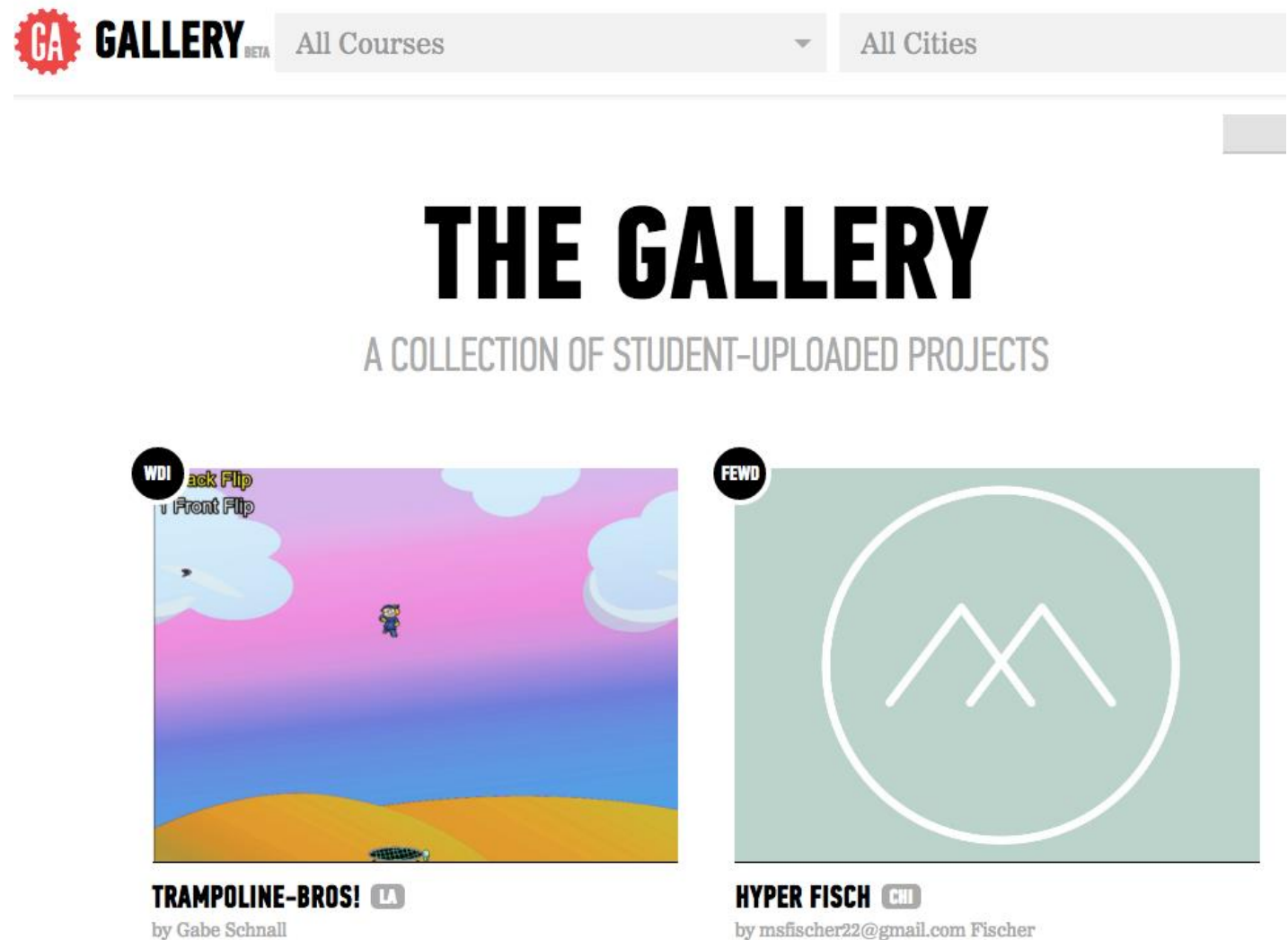
BE INSPIRED!

GA GALLERY

- › The GA Gallery is our global showcase of student projects: all courses, all campuses!

- › Get inspiration
- › Post YOUR project!

gallery.ga.co



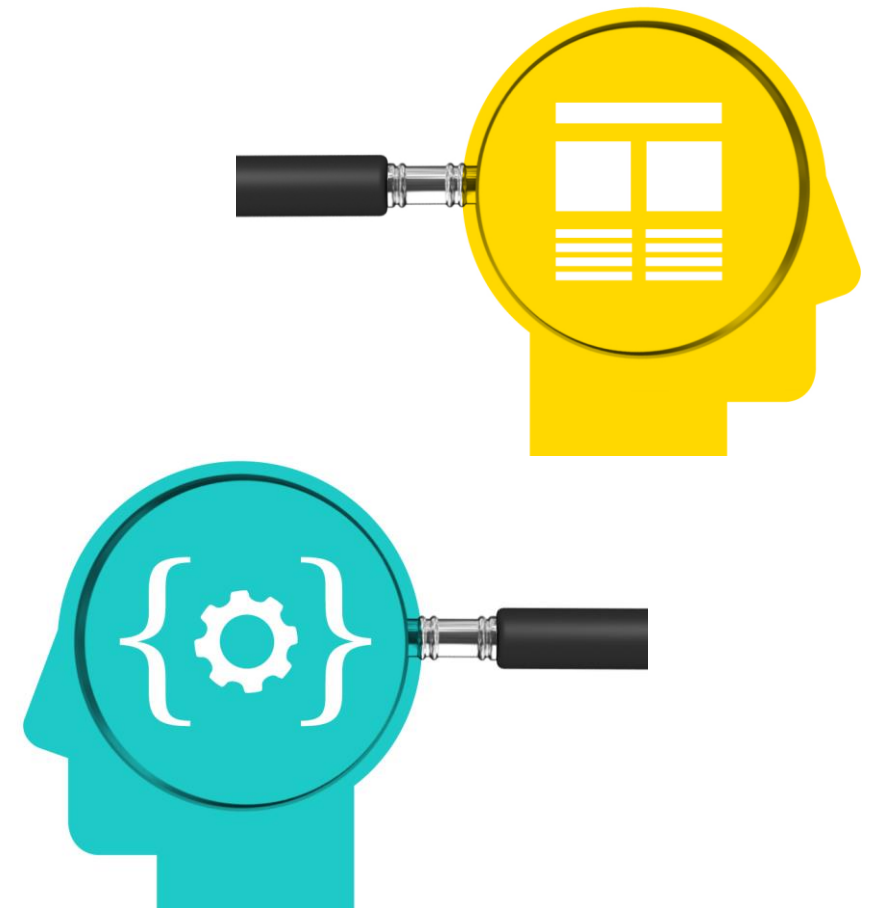


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ADULT LEARNING

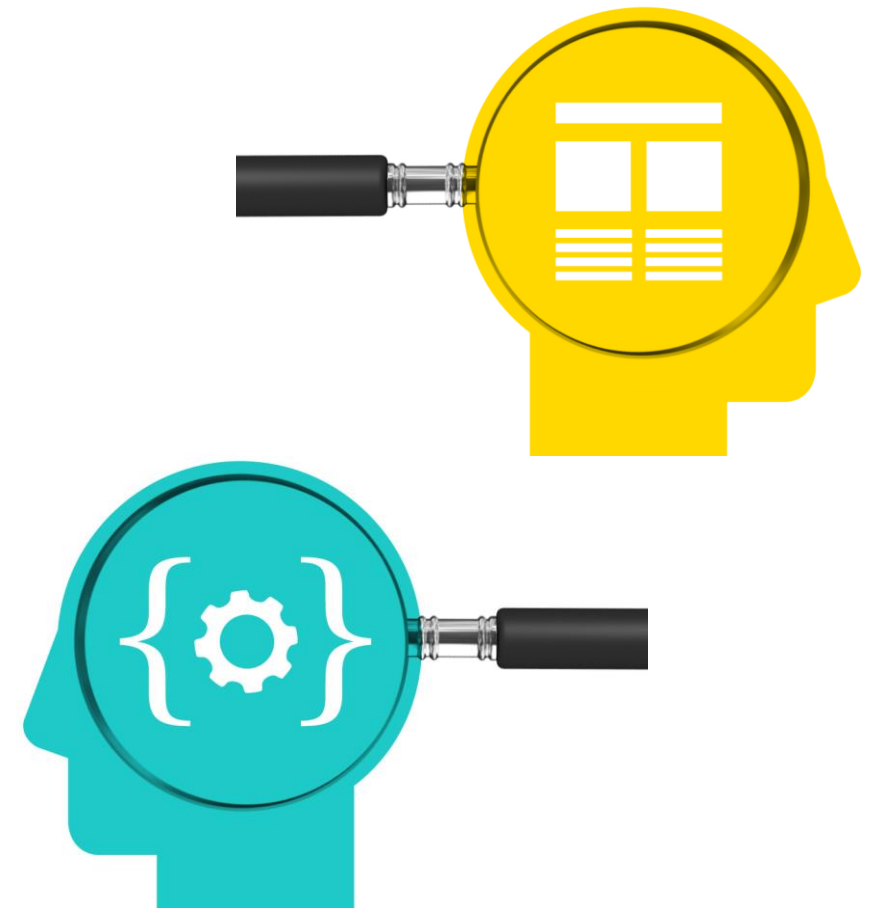
- › Be on time (i.e. early)
- › Complete your assignments and submit them on time
- › Participate + ask questions
- › Share with your peers
- › Make friends :)
- › You will get out what you put in to the class.



COURSE EXPECTATIONS

ATTENDANCE

- › Let your instructor know if you will be absent (hint: DM on Slack!)
- › Make plans to catch up if you know you are going to miss a class
- › 15 minutes late = 1 Tardy
- › 3 Tardies = Absence
WA State law



IF YOU HAVE TO MISS A CLASS:

CLASS RESOURCES

- › Look over the slides
- › Attempt the homework

CLASSMATE S

- › Grab coffee with your peers
- › Borrow notes from class

INSTRUCTOR

- › Attend office hours after reviewing materials and be ready with specific questions

LETTER OF COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

**ATTENDANCE: MISS NO MORE THAN
3 LESSONS**

**ASSIGNMENTS: COMPLETE >80% OF
HOMEWORK + MEET CRITERIA FOR,
PRESENT & SUBMIT FINAL PROJECT**

HOW'S IT GOING

FEEDBACK

- › Daily Exit tickets
(feedback + reflection)
- › Mid-Course Survey
- › End-of-Course Survey

Please write your full name. *

Which lesson is this? *

If you're not sure, please check with your instructor.

What was the topic of the lesson? *

If you're not sure, please check with your instructor.

My instructional team was effective in helping me achieve the learning objectives for this lesson *

(My instructional team made sure that I understood the topic and/or included activities for me to practice the topic)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Not Effective ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ Highly Effective

The lesson agenda was well-organized and sufficient time was allocated for each activity. *

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Do Not Agree ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ Strongly Agree

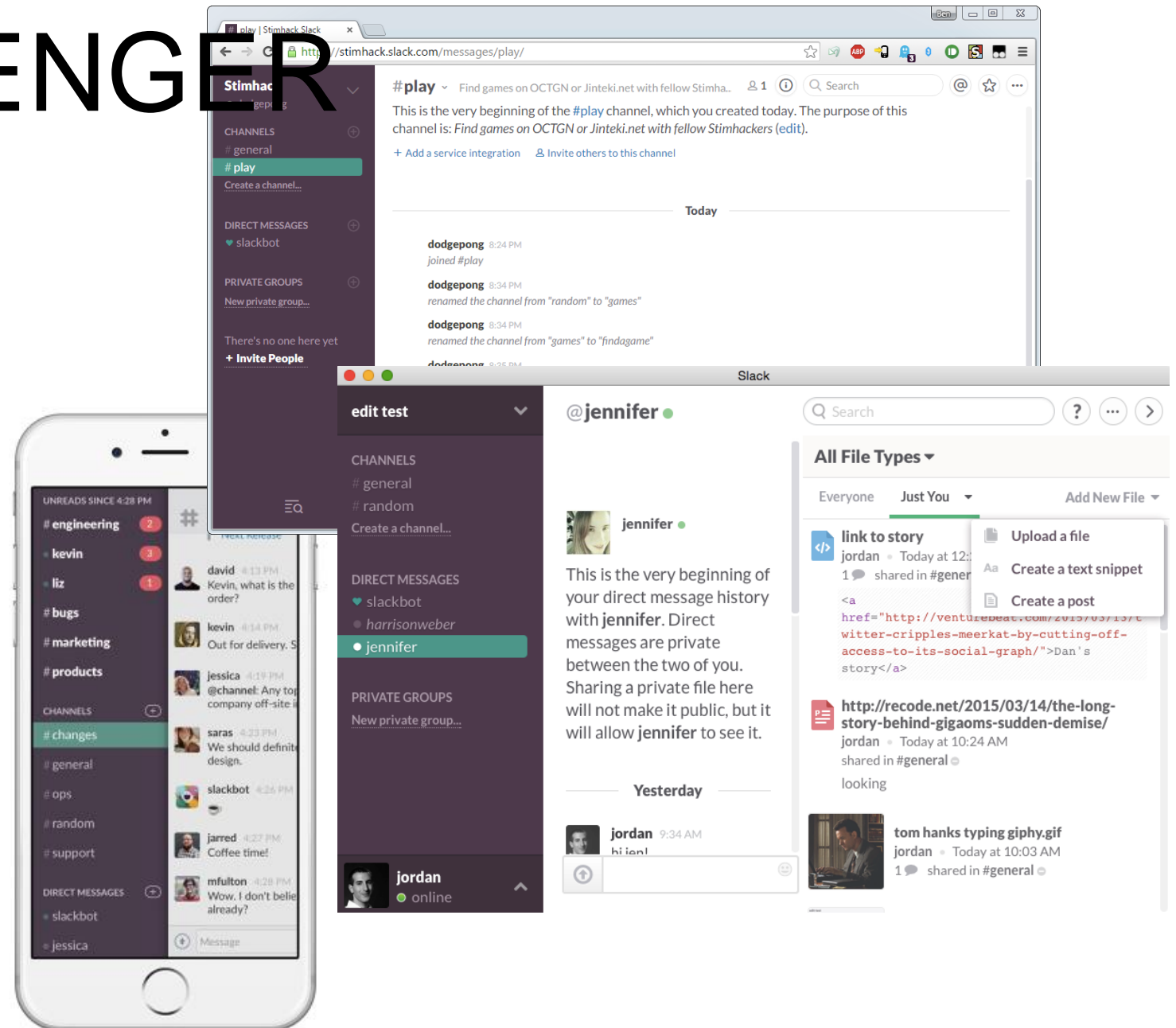


TOOLS FOR SUCCESS

SLACK


INSTANT MESSENGER

- Class communication + GA announcements
- Part-time student community:
#general, #frontlines, #random, #happyhour
- Direct messages
- Desktop / mobile app!






GITHUB

ASSIGNMENTS, SLIDES




[Pull requests](#) [Issues](#) [Gist](#)


GitHub Bootcamp

1




Set up Git
A quick guide to help you get started with Git.

2




Create repositories
Repositories are where you'll work and collaborate on projects.

3






Fork repositories
Forking creates a new, unique project from an existing one.



4



Work together
Send pull requests, follow friends. Star and watch projects.

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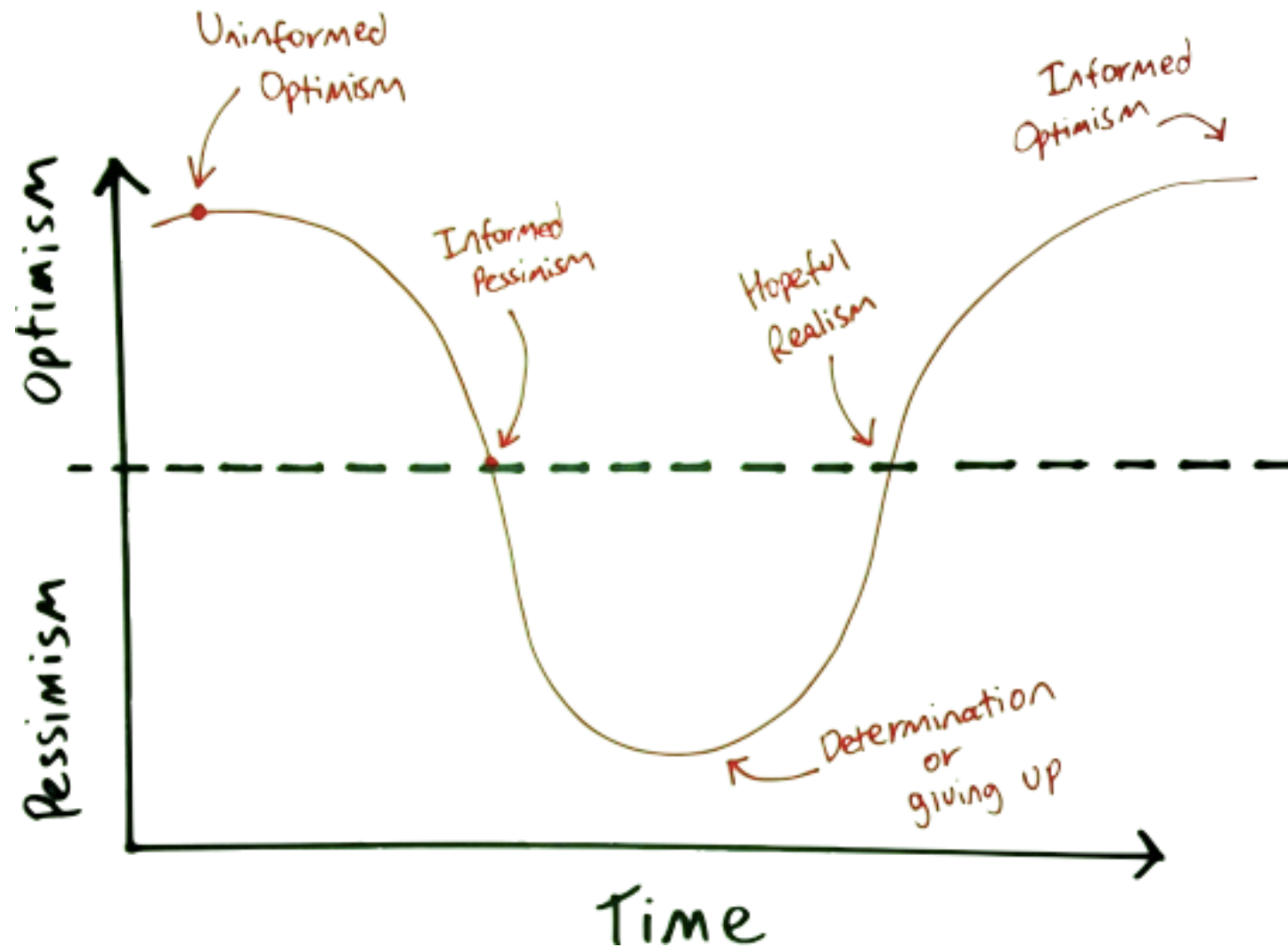
 You've been added to the **generalassembly-studio** organization! 

 **Improving map data on GitHub** 

In addition to being able to collaborate on the GeoJSON files you upload to GitHub, you can now contribute to the underlying, shared basemaps, that provides your data with context.

TIPS FOR SUCCESS

THE LEARNING ROLLERCOASTER + GROWTH MINDSET



ALMOST THERE...

QUESTIONS?

HAPPY LEARNING!

