Game Time: Project Week

The Coding Bootcamp |

Project Week Overview

You made it!!!

Project Week! (This Week)

Today's Class:

- Divide into groups
- Begin researching APIs
- Outline project ideas
- Submit Project Proposal for Approval
- Initial Design work

Rest of the Week:

Hardcore Development

Project Week

Today

Planning and API Research

This Week

Hardcore Development

Next Week:

Presentations!

The Great Push

- •Be serious about project week!
- •Use this as an opportunity to push yourself and prove what you know.

Teams

Groups

Team #1

John Liscar, Mubin Akhawala, Scott Hunter, Taylor Hampton

Team #2

Julie Shockley, Ogheneovie Omene, Peter Fullen, Janessa Hanna

Team #3

Shaheena Qureshi, Peter Perreiah, Andre Jarboe, Taly Huang

Team #4

Leaveil Armstrong, Mara Greco, Brad Whitcomb, Dan Nop

Team #5

Miki Collins, Lisa Ewart, Steven Sammon

Team #6

Yetnayet Aberra, Austin Branham, Stashaun Ashmore

Team #7

Keli Chau, Summiyah Siddeeq, Michelle Johnson, Juanita Pinkney-Barrier

Team #8

Brian Peace, Mitch Vassar, Corey Sullivan, Gregory Brown

Task

Coding Requirements

- Must use at least two APIs
- Must use AJAX to pull data
- Must utilize at least one new library or technology that we haven't discussed
- •Must have a polished frontend / UI
- •Must meet good quality coding standards (indentation, scoping, naming)
- •Must <u>NOT use alerts, confirms, or prompts</u> (look into modals!)
- •Must have some sort of repeating element (table, columns, etc)
- •Must use **Bootstrap or Alternative CSS Framework**
- Must be <u>Deployed</u> (GitHub Pages or Pages)
- Must have <u>User Input Validation</u>

Coding – Nice To Haves

- •Utilize some means of Persistent Data Storage
- Mobile Responsive
- Use an alternative CSS framework like Materialize

Presentation Requirement

- •You will also be responsible for preparing a 10 minute presentation.
- •This will be a formal presentation.
- •One in which you explain in detail:
 - Your overall application's concept
 - The motivation for its development
 - Your design process
 - The technologies you used (and briefly how they work)
 - A demonstration of its functionality
 - Directions for future development
- •Treat the presentation seriously!
- •Talking intelligently about tech > doing tech sometimes.

Be Glam for the Camera

- •All presentations will be recorded...
- •So treat it seriously!
- •These can be great portfolio pieces if you invest the time.

Metrics

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- Concept
- Design
- Functionality
- Collaboration
- Presentation

Awards Yay!

- Most Awe-Inspiring
- Most Useful
- Most Creative
- Best Use of Tech
- Best UI/UX
- Most Hilarious
- Most Disruptive
- Most Socially Conscious

API Suggestions

Stick to APIs that do all of the following:

- Allows CORS
- Simple or no authentication
- JSON response returned
- Well documented

API Suggestions

API List

Name	Allows CORS	Authentication Method	Authentication Required
Spotify Web API	yes	oauth	yes/no
reddit API	yes	auth	yes
Youtube API	yes	API key	yes/no
Linkedin	yes	API key	yes
Soundcloud	yes	API key	yes
Wikipedia	yes	n/a	n/a
Rotten Tomatoes	yes	API key	yes
flickr	yes	oauth	yes
Pinterest API	yes	oauth	yes
Google Custom Search API	yes	API key	yes
Tumblr API	yes	outh	yes
Marvel API	yes	API key	yes
GeoNames API	yes	username	yes
<u>OMDB</u>	yes	n/a	n/a
Zillow	no	ID	yes

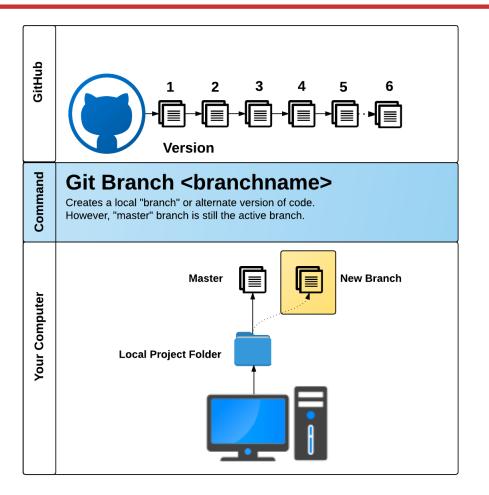
Open Street Maps	yes	n/a	no
GovTrack.us	yes	n/a	no
Sqoot	yes	API key	yes
Google Maps	yes	API key	yes
Giphy	yes	API key	yes
<u>JSFiddle</u>	yes	n/a	n/a
Bitcoin Charts	yes	n/a	n/a
StackExchange API	yes	oauth	yes
ProPublica NonProfit API	Yes?	n/a	no
U.S. City & County Web Data API	Yes	n/a	no
UN Data API	Yes	API key	yes
Face++ API	Yes	API Key	Yes
MusiXMatch	Yes	API Key	Yes
Words API	Yes	Token	No

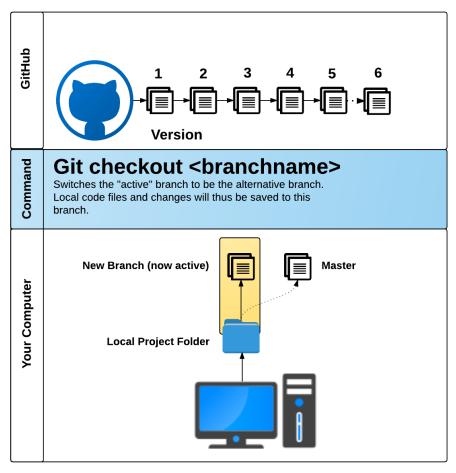
Tools

Collaboration is Critical!

- Steering a project with remote developers like this one can be challenging.
- Consider using the following tools...

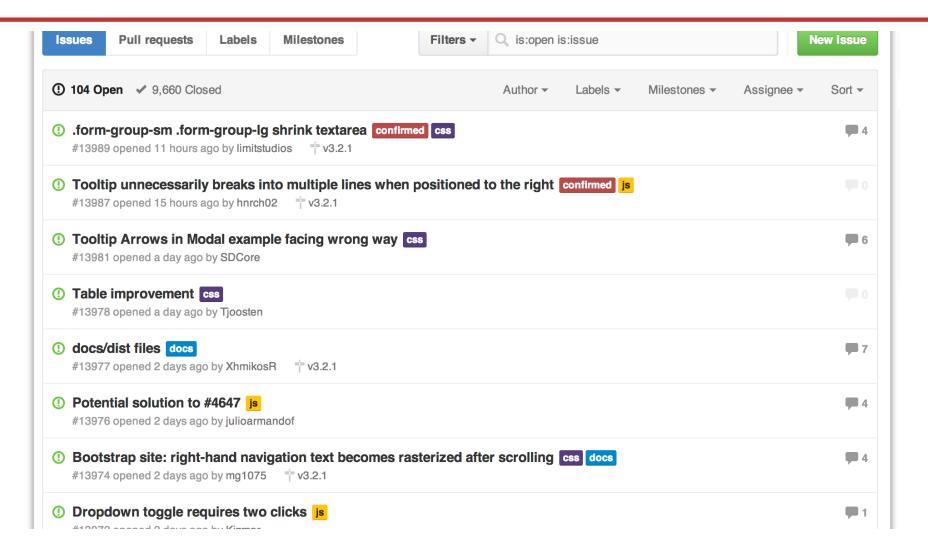
GitHub Pull Requests





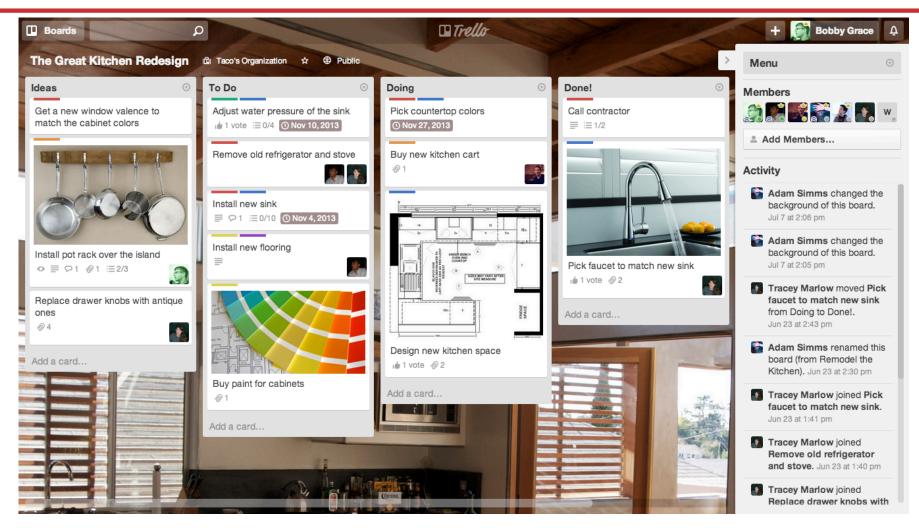
- •GitHub Pull Requests are a great way to "combine" code when multiple users are working on the same files.
- •We'll show you how to use this feature in the next class.

GitHub Issues



•GitHub Issues are a great way to keep track of bugs, feature requests, etc.

Trello



•Trello is a great project management tool for creating to-do lists and communicating updates.

Example Project Ideas

Event Searcher

- Users type in the name of their favorite sporting team.
- Then using the SeatGeek API, your web application points them to the next game and location where the team is playing.
- •The web application also provides them a link to Ebay where they can purchase memorabilia associated with the team.



UN Data API

- •Use the Unofficial UN Data API to search a user specified country's health records.
- Then use a secondary data source (Google Maps, Flickr, YouTube, etc.) to provide additional context or data.
- •Examples: Per Capita Govt Expenditures on Health, # of Physicians, Deaths due to HIV, Malaria Cases etc, low birth weight newborns



Facial Recognition

- Use the Face++ API
- •Allow users to provide a URL link to a facial image then provide viewers with information on the image's gender, race, whether they are wearing glasses, and their age
- Search Pinterest to show pins that may interest them.



Or...

Just do your own thing. Be creative! Be ambitious!

Today's Focus

By End of Day - Today

- Brainstorm possible ideas
- Begin API Research
- Create an initial draft / sketch of the final design
- •Create a short 1 page proposal listing out each of the following:
 - **OProject Title**
 - **○Team Members**
 - OProject Description
 - Sketch of Final Product
 - ○APIs to be Used
 - ○Rough Breakdown of Tasks

Questions