

# Interview with Eugene

## Approval Process

A feature was requested and developers would be assigned different parts of the task in order to complete the task in a timely manner. Once the developer thought the code was completed, they submitted a pull request so other developers and the developers boss could look over the code, test the code, and verify that the code passes all unit tests. Once completed, the code would be merged with the current project and someone else would work on the second part of that feature.

## Opinion on the Process

The process was incredibly slow and it would take several months for a feature to actually get into beta testing, let alone production. It was difficult to know how long it would be before you got feedback on your code or if it is still viable according to current standards since the whole process was so slow.

## What are the Problems

Speed was one of the issues. A feature was developed and by the time that the feature was released, it might no longer be needed. Bug fixes were also negatively affected by the slow speed of approval. A user would find a bug in the app and it would take several months to even get a hotfix in production.

## What are the Benefits

A greater percentage of the work was looked over since so much time was taken on approval. Bugs were far and few due to the arduous approval process.