Welcome to General Assembly

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Course Details
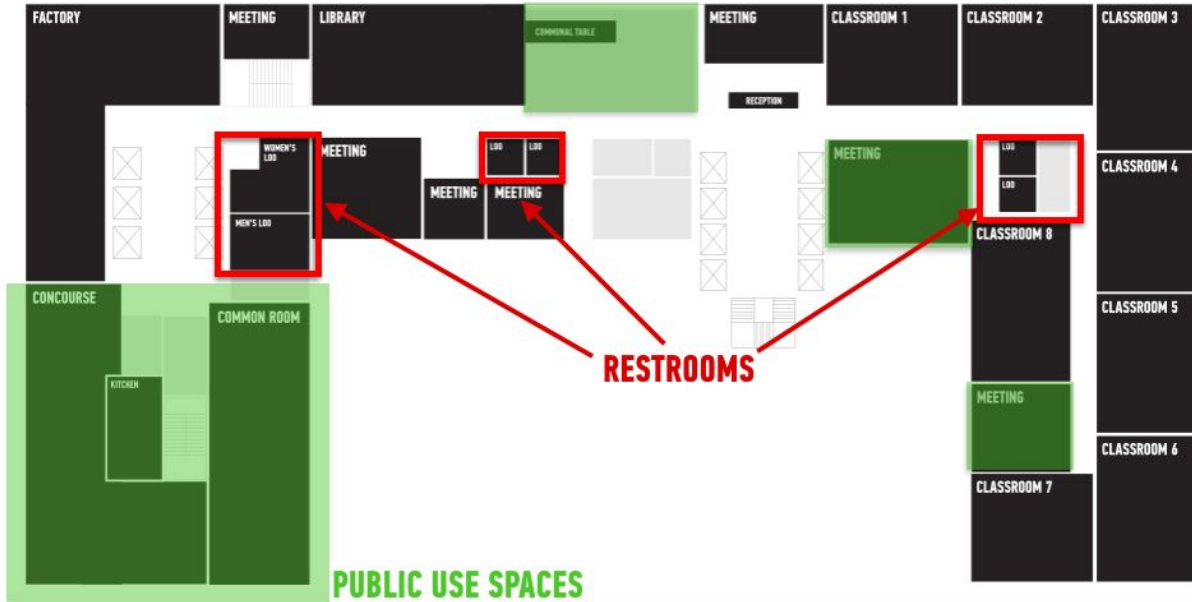
Dates: *9/24/2019-12/03/2019*

Hours: *6:30-9:30 PST*

Scheduling Exceptions: *11/29/2019 (Thanksgiving)*

The San Francisco Campus

SF Campus Map/Hours

We're open:

8am - 10pm
Monday to Thursday

8am - 9pm
Friday

9am - 6pm
Saturday and Sunday

About GA SF Campus

Security: Check-in with the front desk if you are attending an event or using our space after graduating.

Bike Parking: In the garage of this building, there are first-come, first-served bike racks. Ask the building security for directions to the garage.

Car Parking: [St. Mary's Garage](#) on Kearny St. (between Pine and California)

Between 5:00pm - 6:30pm our Frontlines team will be reformatting each classroom for evening programming. Please be mindful of how you use space during this time.

Have a question about...
- the campus?
- lost and found?
- free coffee and tea?

Come here to talk to Front Lines and they will help you out.

Meet Your Team

Adam Jones, PhD

Lead Instructor

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3 "interesting" facts about me:

       1. I grew up in MT (Go Griz!)

       2. I like flowers (pollinators, etc.)

       3. I'd like to build a cabin someday

Others Faces You May See
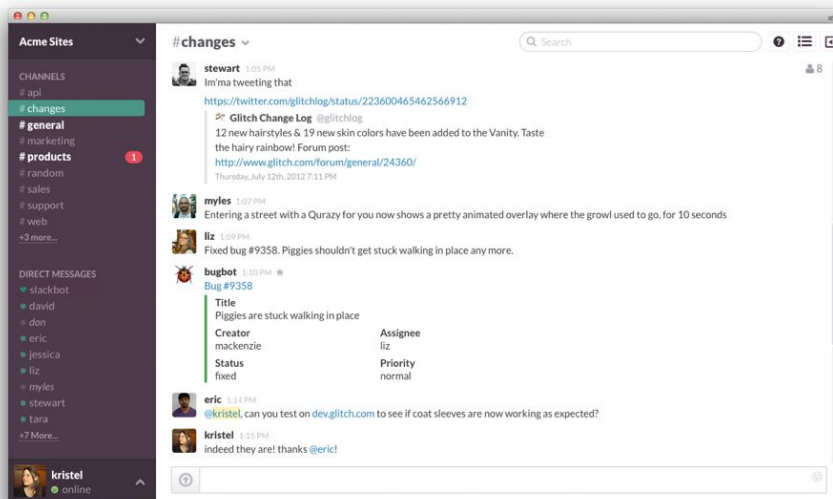

Amira Jaffer

Campus Operations

Janet Lee

Instructor Manager
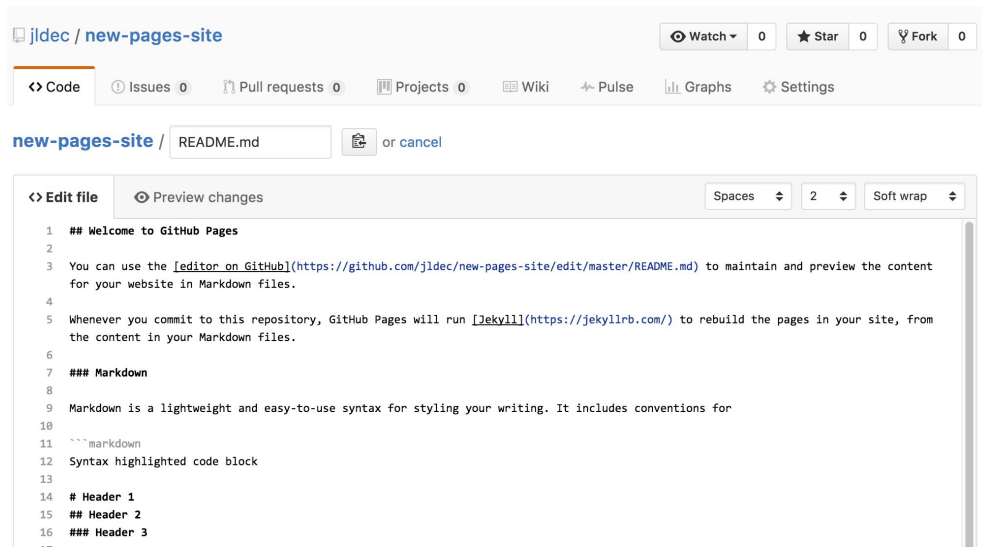
Course Communication Tools

Slack

All course communication with each other and instructors will happen here.

sf-dat-60.slack.com

GitHub + GitHub Enterprise

Slide decks, lesson content, and homework will be housed here:
git.generalassemb.ly/meccaLeccaHi/dat-sf-60

Expectations and Classroom Culture

Student Responsibilities

- Treat this as your job, be professional

- Be proactive and resourceful

- Respect your classmates

- Show up on time and ready to work

- Don't miss more than 3 days

- Communicate daily and often

- Trust yourself

- Embrace the growth mindset

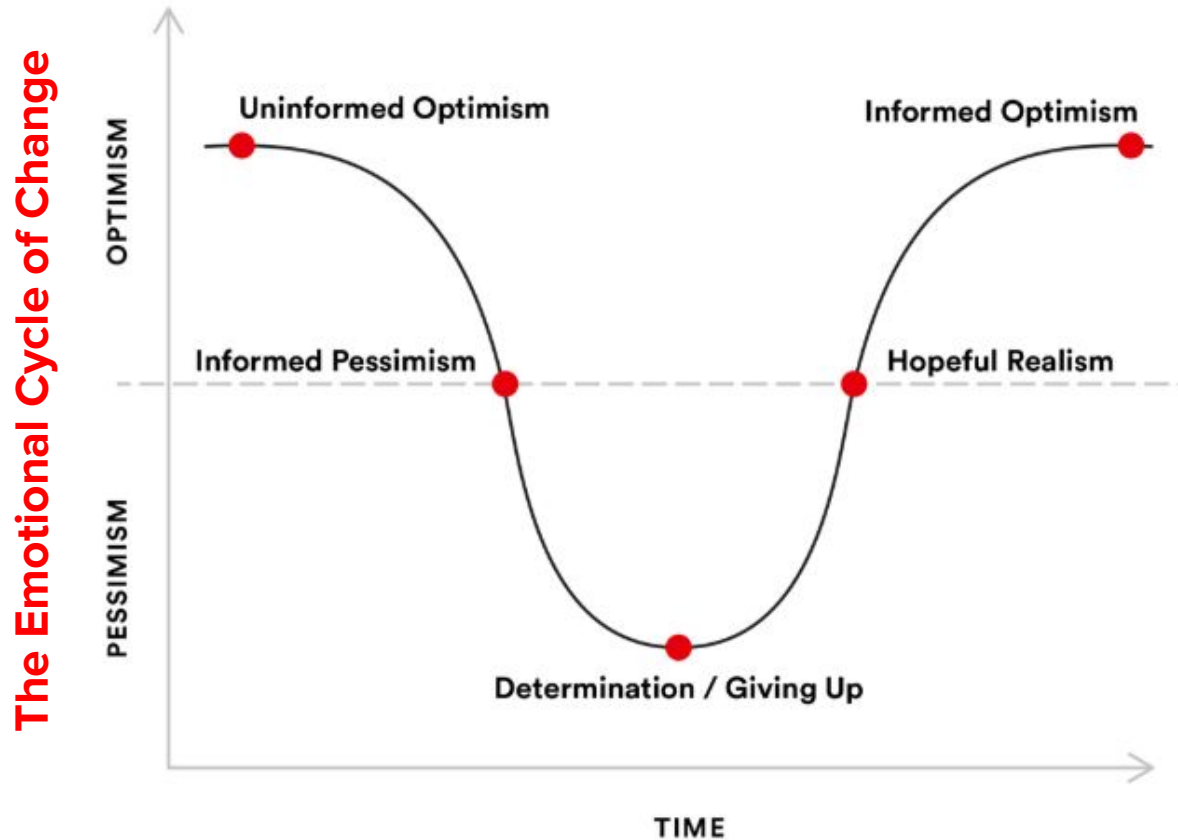- Apply grit and perseverance; you CAN do this

General Assembly's Code of Conduct

- Foster a productive classroom environment
- Treat one another with respect and dignity
- Professionalism in all methods of communication, both in-person and online
- Slack, e-mail and any other electronic methods of communication are an extension of our on-campus communities. Be courteous, respectful, and professional always.
- Zero tolerance for plagiarism and cheating

Graduation Requirements

1. Submit and present all unit projects
2. Submit 80% of all homework/lab assignments. Assignments are graded on the basis of completion.
3. Adhere to attendance policy:
   - Students are allowed 3 absences over the course
   - 3 tardies/early departures = 1 absence
   - All absences must be communicated to your instructor with as much notice as possible
4. Follow student Code of Conduct
5. Tuition must be paid in full by the end of the course to receive a letter of completion. *Please communicate with Student Experience if you have any questions about this.*
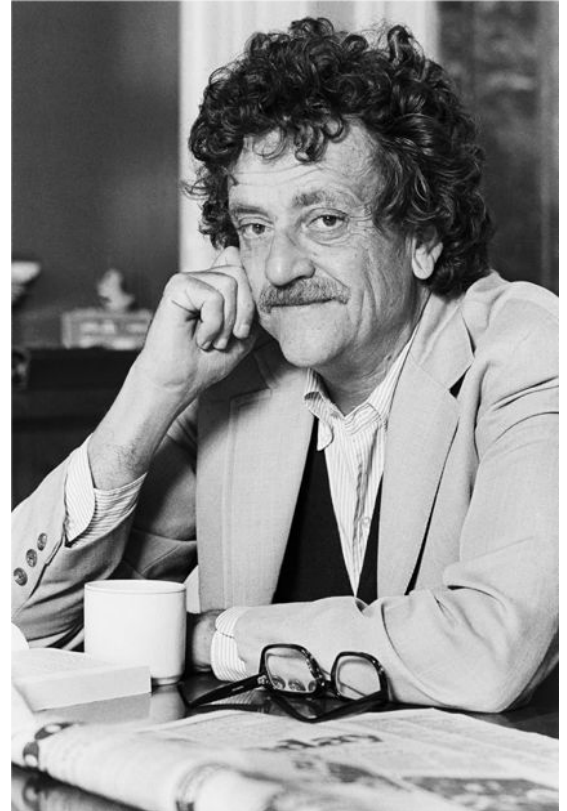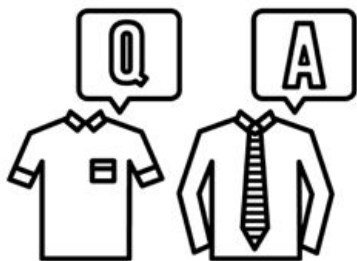
How To Be Successful

Learning by Doing

"We have to continually be jumping off cliffs and developing our wings on the way down."

- **Kurt Vonnegut**

Let's get to know each other

STRUCTURE

PAIRS

**INTROS: 2 MIN
SHARING: 15 MIN**

OBJECTIVES

1. Take 2 minutes to get to know your neighbor by finding out:

   a. Their name

   b. Why they are taking this course

   c. A non-resume skill

2. Be prepared to introduce your neighbor to the rest of the room