GitHub Technical Interview

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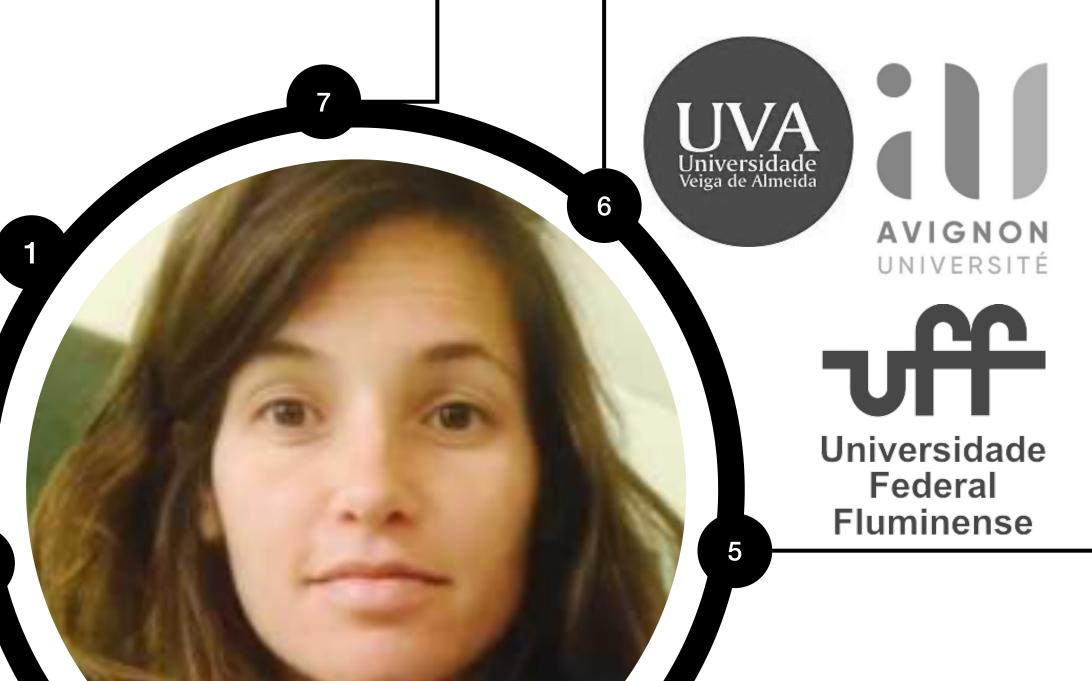
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I'm a happy person, motivated and enthusiastic

Worked companies







Customer scenario

What is the problem that we wanna address?

• The security team is asking for help ensuring proper reviews are being done to code being added into our repositories.

We have hundreds of repositories in our organization.

What is the best way we can achieve at scale?

In a holistic point of view ...

The customer scenario that we want to solve is much more than a matter of automatisation!

It's about people, process and technology ... working together!

BUT in this jungle of hundred repositories, without automatisation we not going to survive!

To improve the Code Review at Scale

We should ...

Define a process

Set Up an Effective Workflow
Make Reviews Accessible to Global Teams
Require Code Reviews Before Merging

Setup a culture

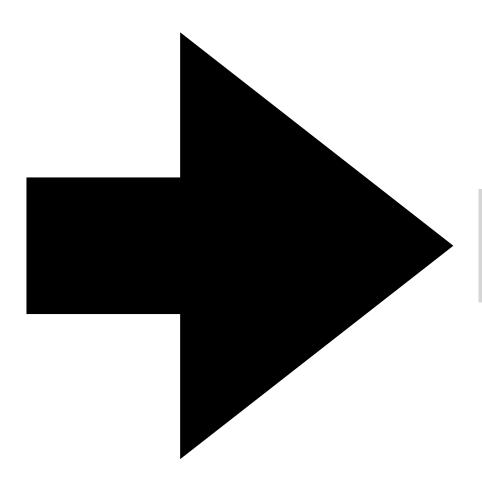
Coaching developers.

Ensuring transparency across teams.

Sharing innovation

identify the technology

softwares programming language frameworks



Have automatisation as much as you can !!!

The small piece of code that I'm gonna present you, is all about that!

Technical solution

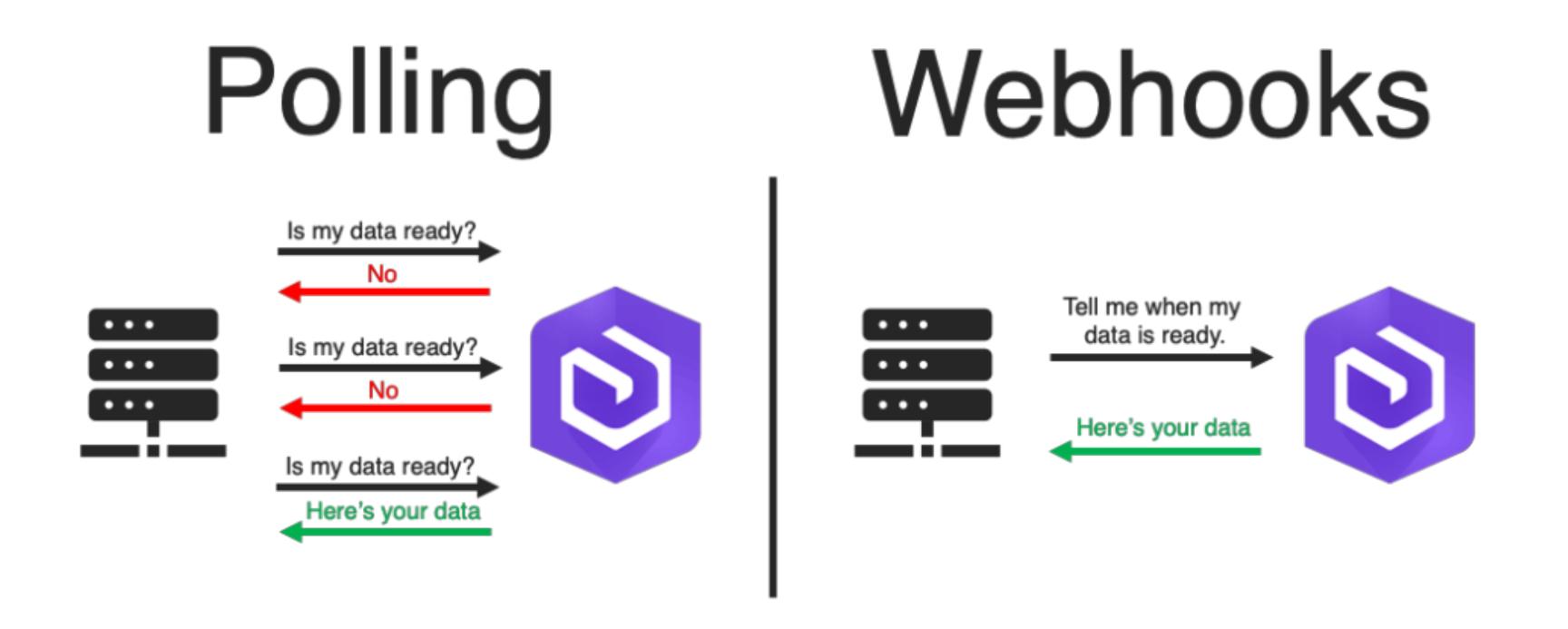
Automatisation

The technical solution, requested as part of interview evaluation, consists of:

- WebHook that sends an event when a repository is created.
- WebService that listen to such event, and perform the following actions:
 - 1. Create a **readme.md** file, if it does not exist.
 - 2. Sets protection of the default branch.
 - 3. Add an issue with a @mention to outline that protection was added.

Everything seems really good but ...

What is Webhook?



A webhook is a HTTP callback:

an event-notification via HTTP POST that occurs when something happen !!!

Now that we have a good understanding ...

Let's jump to the demo!