

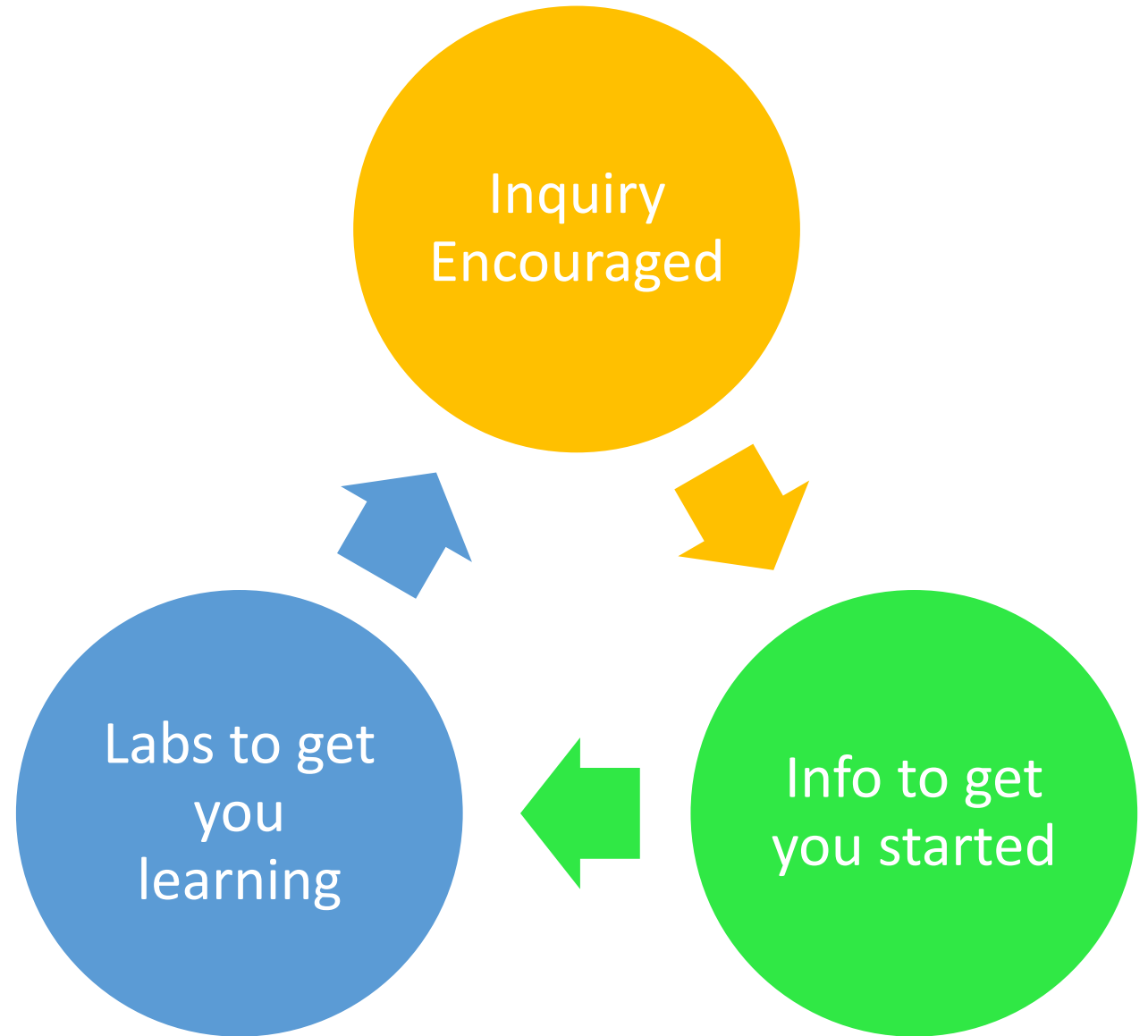


Fast API Fast

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The Workshop



A man with dark curly hair, a mustache, and aviator sunglasses is giving a thumbs up. He is wearing a blue suit jacket and a tie. The background is a wooden wall.

What Will You Need?

- Computer
- Internet Access
- For Lab:
 - Via browser on replit.com
 - Free account needed
 - OR: Local on your computer
 - Python ^3.10 + IDE

GREAT SUCCESS

About Fast API



Created by **Sebastián
Ramírez**
<https://github.com/tiangolo>



Debut circa 2019



Actively maintained



Well liked / starred

Fast API – Runtime Speed

Runtime Speed

- Benchmarks well
- Starlette (ASGI impl.)
- Pydantic

Fast API – Development Speed

Quick to develop

- Standing up an API is quick
- Easy to use
- “It just works” experience

Fast API – Covers your Use Case

Robust

- ASGI – Async Gateway Application Interface
- JSON Schema / OpenAPI
- Swagger OOB

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The library

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Instantiate

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Decorate

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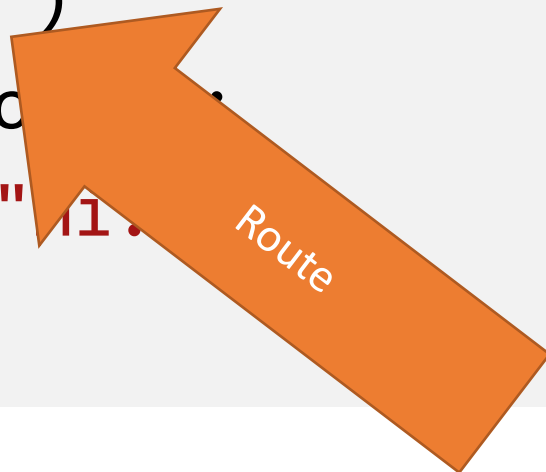
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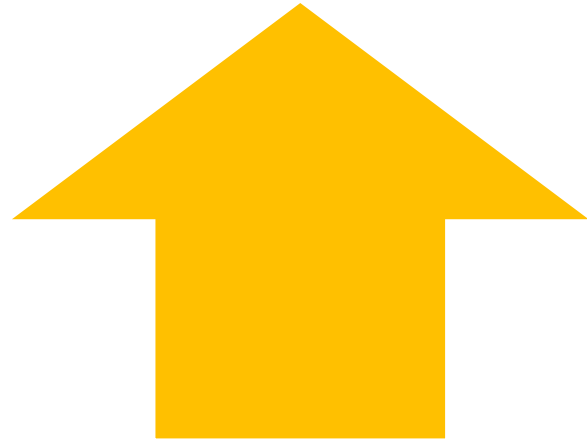
Async! (ASGI...)

Function Name is
arbitrary

Demo

Minimal hello world

What is Fast API



IS

- A web API framework
- Config + Decorators



Is Not

- A web server
- ORM / ODM

- Uvicorn
- Pydantic
- Starlette
- BYO-DB

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Practice Time!

Lab activities *M1 – Getting Started*

URL Path Parameters

- Path parameters
- Catch-all parameter

Path Parameters

```
from fastapi import FastAPI

api = FastAPI()


@api.get("/even/{number}")
async def get_even(number):
    return {
        "number": number,
        'ok': number % 2 == 0
```

Path Parameters - Typing

```
from fastapi import FastAPI
```

```
api = FastAPI()
```

```
@api.get("/even/{number}")  
async def get_even(number: int):  
    return {  
        "number": number,  
        'ok': number % 2 == 0
```



Typing of parameters:


- Type conversion
- Type validation

Path Parameters - Multiple

```
from fastapi import FastAPI

api = FastAPI()

@api.get("/add/{a}/{b}")
async def add(a: int, b: int):
    return {
        "a": a,
        "b": b,
        "sum": a + b
    }
```



Query Parameters

```
from fastapi import FastAPI
```

```
api = FastAPI()
```

```
@api.get("/div")
```

```
async def divide(a: int, b: int):  
    return a*b
```

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying a REST client interface for the `/div/` endpoint. The interface is titled `GET /div/ Divide`. It features a `Parameters` tab with a table of query parameters. The first parameter is `a`, which is required, of type `integer`, and is a query parameter. The second parameter is `b`, which is also required, of type `integer`, and is a query parameter with a minimum value of 0. The interface includes input fields for these parameters, with the first field containing the value `1` and the second field containing the value `0`. There are buttons for `Execute` and `Clear`, as well as a `Cancel` button in the top right corner.

Name	Description
<code>a</code> * required integer (query)	1
<code>b</code> * required integer (query) minimum: 0	0

Execute Clear

Query Parameters Validation

```
from fastapi import FastAPI, Query

api = FastAPI()

@api.get("/div/")
async def divide(a:int,
                b: int = Query(title="divisor", gt=0)) -> float:
    return {'result': a/b}
```

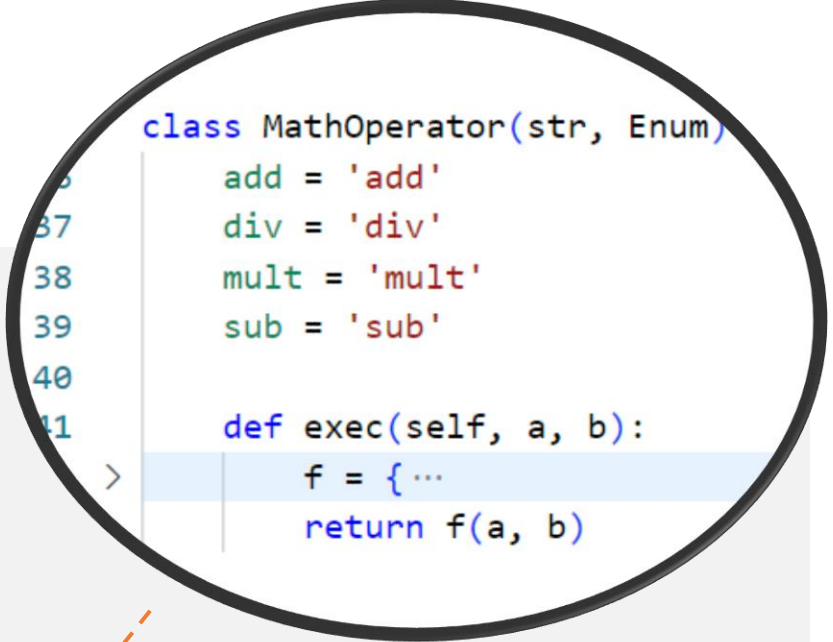
Other Parameter Types

```
from fastapi import FastAPI, Query
```

```
api = FastAPI()
```

```
@api.get("/calc/{op}")
```

```
async def calc(a: int, b: int, op: MathOperator):  
    return {'op': 'op', 'result': op.exec(a, b)}
```



```
class MathOperator(str, Enum):  
    add = 'add'  
    div = 'div'  
    mult = 'mult'  
    sub = 'sub'  
  
    def exec(self, a, b):  
        f = { ...  
        return f(a, b)
```

Demo

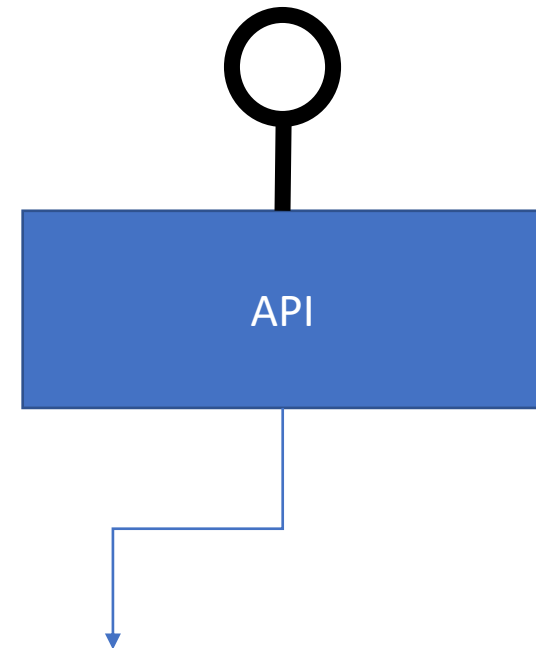
Path Parameters

Complex Schemas

- pydantic models as parameters
- Annotation / shaping
- Validation

The “why” of schemas in API

- Shape input parameters
- Constrain acceptable field values
- Validate output messages
- Communicate it all - via OpenAPI

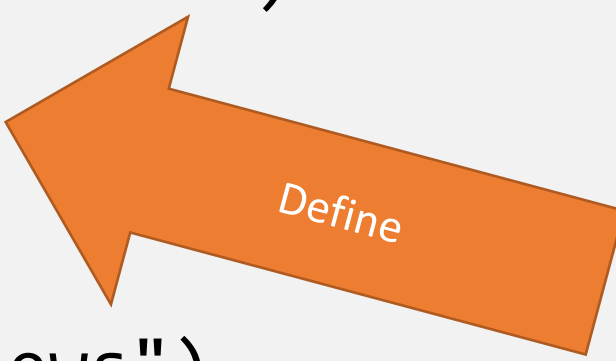


The “how” of schemas in Fast API

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    name: str
    stars: int

@api.post("/reviews")
async def create_review(review: Review):
    return heroes
```



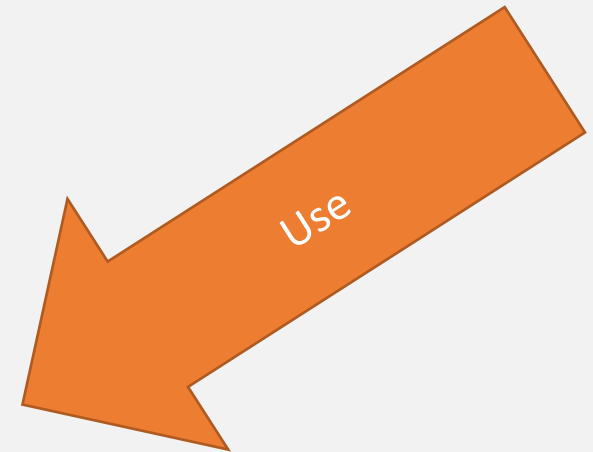
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Import, inherit
BaseModel

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More Control of Schema Fields

```
from pydantic import BaseModel, Field

class ReviewSummary(BaseModel):
    subject: str = Field(title="Rated Item")
    author: str = Field(alias="Reviewer")
    stars: float = Field(gt=0, le=5)
```

Field() Reference Guide

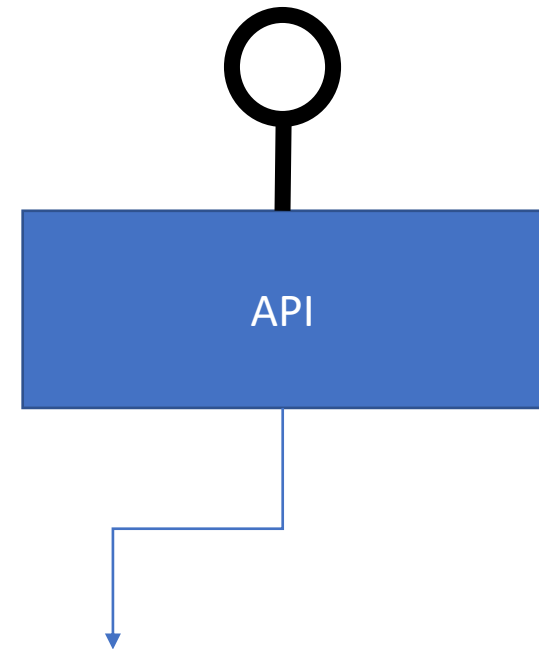
Parameters	More parameters	Even more parameters
default	gt	unique_items
default_factory	ge	min_length
alias	lt	max_length
title	le	allow_mutation
description	multiple_of	regex
exclude	max_digits	discriminator
include	decimal_places	repr
const	min_items	
	max_items	

Open API

- It just works TM
- Enriching
- Controlling Swagger / reDoc

Open API

- A spec / standard
- Machine discovery
- Human discovery
 - With tools: Swagger, reDoc...



OpenAPI + Fast API

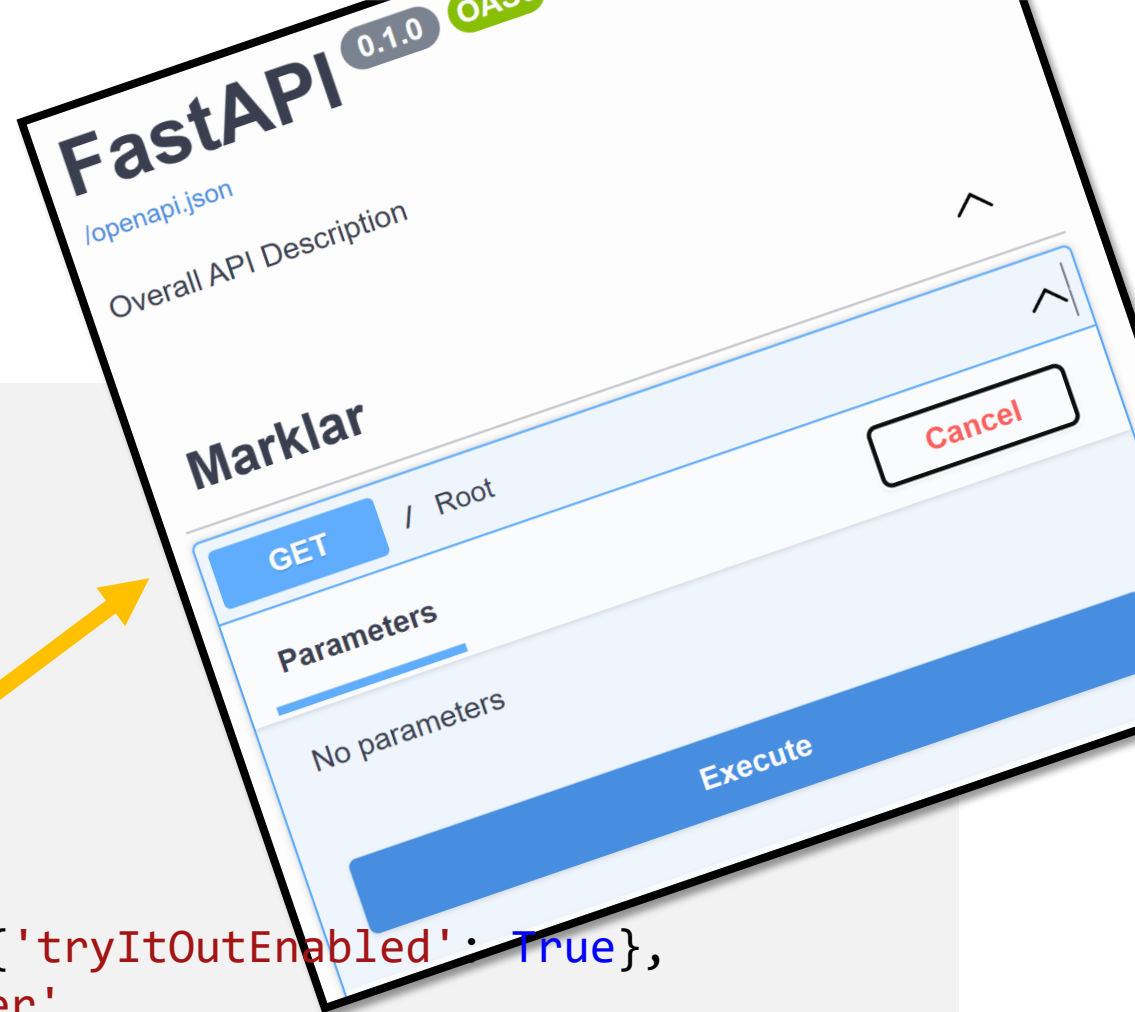
Global

Model

Field

Route

```
api = FastAPI(  
    swagger_ui_parameters={'tryItOutEnabled': True},  
    docs_url='/_/doc/swagger',  
    description="Overall API Description"  
)
```



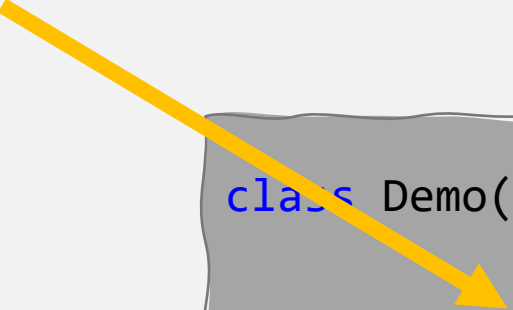
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```
class Demo(BaseModel):  
    """  
    Docstrings describe model-level  
    """  
    name: str = Field(  
        title='My field title',  
        description='My field description')
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OpenAPI + Fast API


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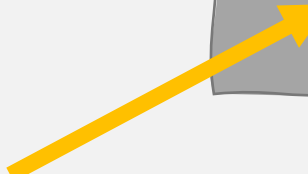
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```
@api.get('/customers/{id}',  
        summary='Get Customer',  
        description=''  
        Get a customer by the given id.  
  
        More **things** to say here...  
        ''')
```

Bigger Applications

- Modularize
- Router annotations
- `include_router`

Why Bigger



Gains

- Organize by folder
- "Internal modularity"



Consequential

- Heavier?
- More complex?




Bigger App File Layout

```
src/  
├── __init__.py  
├── subdomain_one  
│   ├── __init__.py  
│   └── main.py  
├── subdomain_two  
│   ├── __init__.py  
│   └── main.py  
├── common  
│   ├── __init__.py  
│   └── routing.py  
└── main.py
```

BYO structure...

The APIRouter Exposes HTTP Verbs


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```



```
from fastapi import APIRouter  
  
router = APIRouter(  
    prefix=f"/subdomain_one",  
    tags=[tag]  
)  
  
@router.get("/")  
async def function_one():  
    return {"message": "Hello One!"}
```

Consume Routes from Root Main

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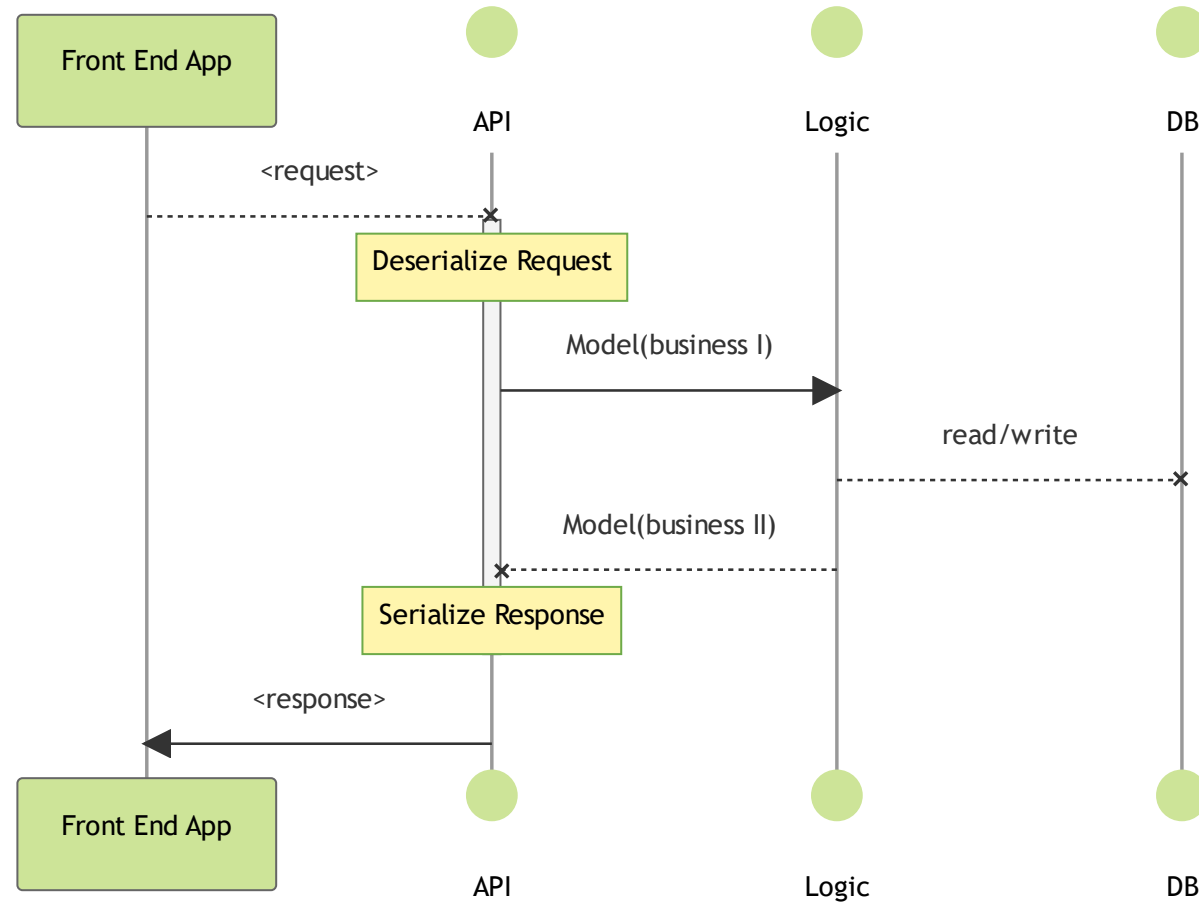


```
import subdomain_one.main as d1  
import subdomain_two.main as d2  
  
api = FastAPI()  
  
api.include_router(d1.router)  
api.include_router(d2.router)
```

Database

Adding a Data Layer with MongoDB

Pydantic for Everything?



MongoDB as Backend



Document Oriented



Solid



Scalable



Feature Rich

```
import motor.motor_asyncio  
# from pymongo import MongoClient
```

- Use the synchronous **MongoClient** from **pymongo**
- Use the async **AsyncIOMotorClient** from **motor**

MongoDB Setup

```
from pymongo import MongoClient
from fastapi import FastAPI

api = FastAPI()

client = MongoClient('mongodb://localhost/test')
db = client.get_default_database('test')
collection = db['fastapi']
```

Documents Need `_id`

```
class Customer(BaseModel):  
    email: str  
    name: str
```

```
@api.post('/customer')  
async def create(customer:Customer):  
    doc = customer.dict()  
    doc['_id'] = doc.pop('email')  
    collection.insert_one(doc)
```


Pydantic Has No `_id`

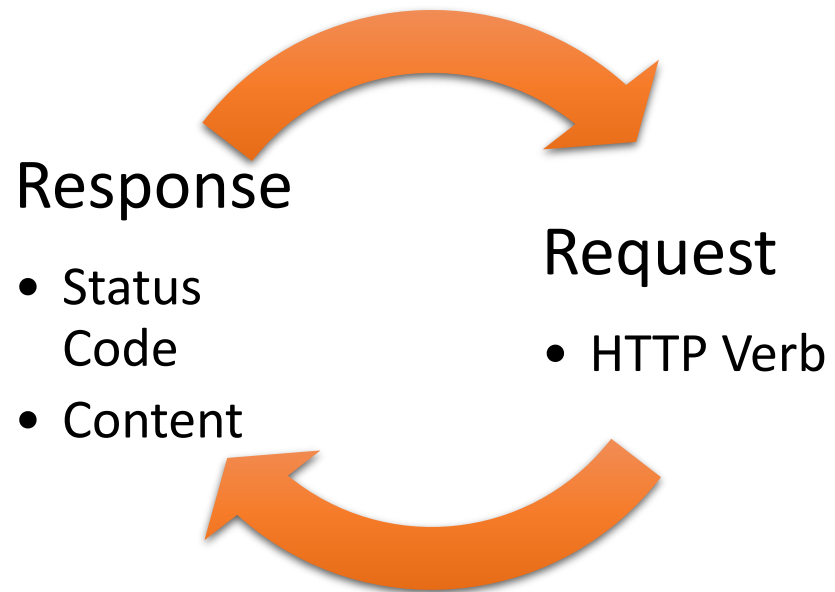
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class Customer(BaseModel):  
    email: str  
    name: str
```

```
@api.get('/customer/{email}', response_model=Customer)async  
def get_one(email: str):  
    doc = collection.find_one({'_id': email})  
    doc['email'] = doc.pop('_id')  
    return Customer(**doc)
```

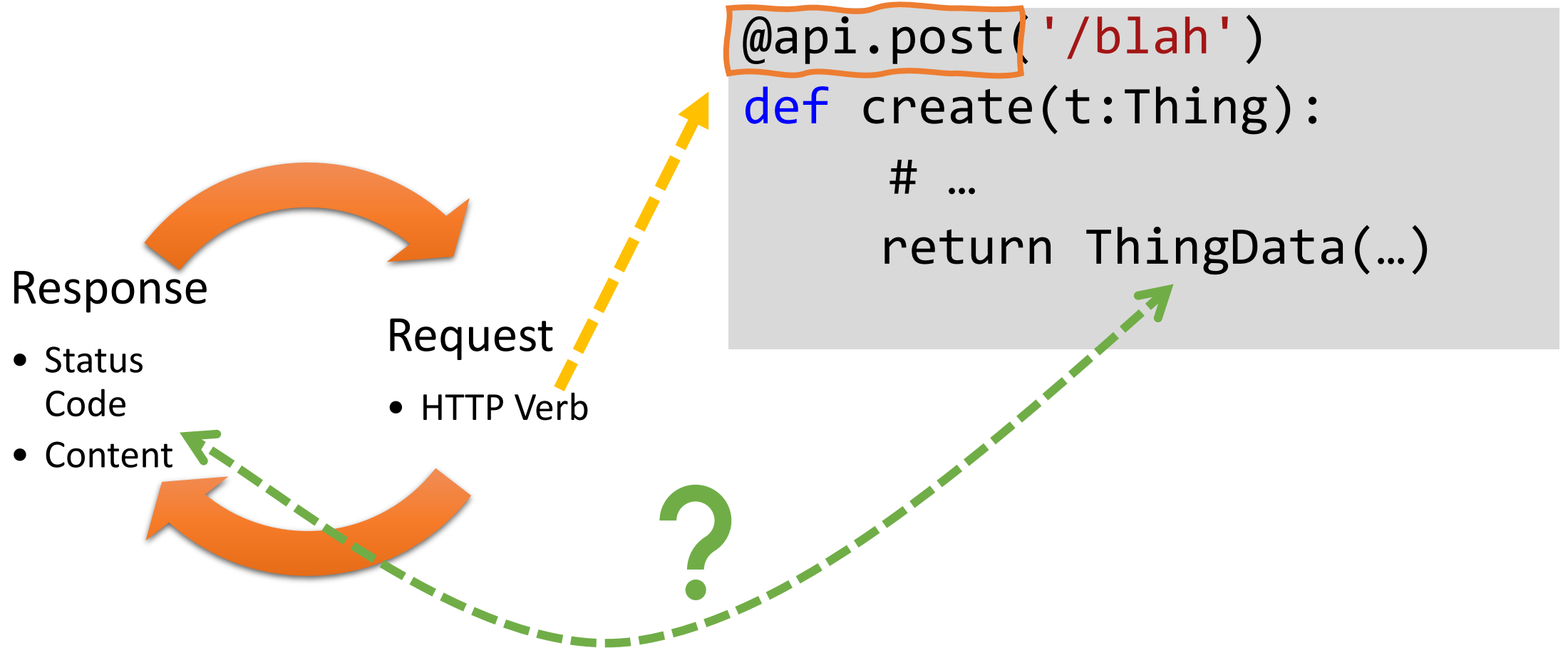
Responding & Error Handling

- HTTP Responses
- HTTP Error
- Middleware / Custom

HTTP Conversation



HTTP Conversation



HTTP Responses

- Response base class
- Exposes:
 - Status Code
 - Content : Any
 - Headers
 - Media Type
 - Charset

```
from fastapi import status
from fastapi.responses import(
    JSONResponse,
    FileResponse,
    HTMLResponse,
    RedirectResponse
)
```

```
## Constants exist:
```

```
# status.HTTP_200_OK = 200
```

Errors

- Built ins
 - Request validation: 400's
 - Response / processing: 500's
 - Return `RedirectResponse()`: 307
- Your own:
 - Throw `HTTPException()`
 - Add your own via `FastAPI::add_exception_handler(...)`

Demo

Responding with different responses

Raising HTTPException

Exception Handling

Thank You!

- Q&A

About the Instructor

- Startups ... Enterprise
- Back-end
- Databases: RDBMS, MongoDB, Other.
- Monolith <==> Microservices
- On Prem, Cloud, Hybrid
- JavaScript, Python, C#, Java

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