Python - Try Django Challenges

Getting Started (Level 1)

01. firstView.py

Write a simple view in an app:

- Create a function called home() that a request parameter, that returns an HttpResponse.
- Update the returned HttpResponse to include the text "Welcome Home Eaters!".
- Copy code to */FoodTracker/main/views.py file.

02. firstURL.py

Create a simple URL pattern for a view:

- Create a url() object in the urlpatterns array.
- Pass in the URL you're matching, "home/" as a parameter to the url() object.
- Pass in the corresponding views.home view as a parameter to the url() object.
- Copy code to */FoodTracker/FoodTracker/urls.py, and replace everything following the existing docstring.
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000/home/ to test your code.

03. projecturls.py, mainurls.py

Refactor the existing URL Dispatchers:

- In the projecturls.py file, edit the second url() object to include('main.urls').
- In the projecturls.py file, change the regex parameter to match a blank path.
- In the mainurls.py file, add a url() object whose regex parameter takes an empty path that terminates, and goes to views.home.
- Copy code from projecturls.py to */FoodTracker/FoodTracker/urls.py, and replace everything following the existing docstring.
- Copy code from mainurls.py to */FoodTracker/main/urls.py.
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code.

Templates (Level 2)

04. renderView.py, home.html

Update the existing template:

- In the renderView.py file, import render from django.shortcuts
- In the renderView.py file, update the home() function to return a render object that takes in a request object, and the home.html template
- Move home.html to */FoodTracker/main/templates directory.
- Update code in */FoodTracker/main/views.py with the code in renderView.py

05. dynamicData.py, dynamicHome.html

Render dynamic data in a template:

- In the dynamicData.py file, create a dictionary in the view that holds the "location_name" and "flavors" values using keys with the same name.
- In the dynamicData.py file, pass the dictionary as the third argument to the render function.
- In the dynamicHome.html file, display the dictionary variables "location_name" and "flavors" in separate paragraph tags, using the Django Language Syntax.
- Add the main app to */FoodTracker/FoodTracker/settings.py INSTALLED APPS

- Update code in */FoodTracker/main/views.py with the code in dynamicData.py
- Update code in */FoodTracker/main/templates/home.html with the code in dynamicHome.html
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code

06. firstClass.py

Create a simple location class:

- Add the "flavors" attribute to the existing Location class.
- Add the "num_franchises" attribute to the existing Location class.
- Add the "image" attribute to the existing Location class.

07. classList.py

Create a list of class objects

- Add a third Location object to the locations list with the following values:
 - name = "The Hill Top, CT", flavors = any string you want, num_franchises = any integer you'd like, image = "http://www.gffoodservice.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/restaurant-e1456862749354.jpg"

Copy code in classList.py to */FoodTracker/main/views.py

08. renderList.py, renderList.html

Render a list in a template

- In the rednerList.py file, remove the location_name and flavors variables, and set the context dictionary object to hold only the locations list.
- In the renderList.html file, add a Django template language for loop to loop over each location in locations.
- In the renderList.html file, add paragraphs tags in the for loop to display location.name and location.flavors.
- In the renderList.html file, add an image tag of width=80, and src=location.image in the for loop.
- Move code in renderList.py to */FoodTracker/main/views.py
- Move code in renderList.html to */FoodTracker/main/templates/home.html
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code

09. styledTemplate.html

Add styles to a template

- Add the Django Template Language tag to load the staticfiles directory.
- Update the first link's href attribute to link to boostrap.min.css.
- Update the second link's href attribute to link to styles.css.
- Add bootstrap.min.css to */FoodTracker/main/static.
- Add styles.css to */FoodTracker/main/static.
- Move code in styledTemplate.html to */FoodTracker/main/templates/home.html.
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code.

10. cycleTag.html

Add a cycle tag to a template:

- Refer to the Cycle Tag Documentation if needed (https://docs.djangoproject.com/ja/1.9/ref/templates/builtins/#cycle).
- On line 26, add a Django Template Language cycle tag to cycle between tracker-left and tracker-right.

- Move the /images directory to */FoodTracker/main/static directory
- Copy code from cycleTag.html to */FoodTracker/main/templates/home.html
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code

Models (Level 3)

11. firstModel.py

Create a simple model:

- Add the following fields to the model, with the correct Django field types:
 - "name" a string, "flavors" a string, "num_franchises" an integer, "image" a string
- Set the CharField() types to have a max_length of 75.
- Add a __str__ method that will return the self.name value.
- Copy code from firstModel.py into */FoodTracker/main/models.py

12. modelView.py

Refactor view to use model:

- Import the Location model from .models.
- Create a list object called locations, and set it equal to all() of the objects in the Location model using a QuerySet.
- Copy code from modelView.py into */FoodTracker/main/views.py
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000 to test your code.

13. registerAdmin.py

Register an admin:

- Import the Location model.
- Register the Location model with the admin.
- Copy code in registerAdmin.py to */FoodTracker/main/admin.py.
- Navigate to http://localhost:8000/admin to login and test your code.