

1. Using Laravel artisan tool, create 2 controllers: **PageController** and **WeatherController**.

First, you will need to enter your project directory. By default we use ~/Code/Laravel. In case you chose to change that location, please make sure to keep in mind the paths you have set.

```
cd ~/Code/Laravel  
php artisan
```

php artisan command will give you a list of all the commands Laravel artisan tool is capable of.

Sample output:

```
vagrant@homestead:~/Code/Laravel$ php artisan  
Laravel Framework version 5.2.12  
  
Usage:  
  command [options] [arguments]  
  
Options:  
  -h, --help            Display this help message  
  -q, --quiet           Do not output any message  
  -V, --version         Display this application version  
      --ansi            Force ANSI output  
      --no-ansi        Disable ANSI output  
  -n, --no-interaction Do not ask any interactive question  
      --env[=ENV]      The environment the command should run under.  
  -v|vv|vvv, --verbose Increase the verbosity of messages: 1 for normal output, 2 for  
more verbose output and 3 for debug  
  
Available commands:  
  clear-compiled  Remove the compiled class file  
  down           Put the application into maintenance mode  
  env           Display the current framework environment  
  help          Displays help for a command  
  inspire       Display an inspiring quote  
  list          Lists commands  
  migrate       Run the database migrations  
  optimize      Optimize the framework for better performance  
  serve         Serve the application on the PHP development server  
  tinker        Interact with your application  
  up           Bring the application out of maintenance mode  
  app  
  app:name      Set the application namespace  
  auth  
  auth:clear-resets Flush expired password reset tokens  
  cache  
  cache:clear   Flush the application cache  
  cache:table   Create a migration for the cache database table  
  config  
  config:cache  Create a cache file for faster configuration loading  
  config:clear  Remove the configuration cache file  
  db  
  db:seed      Seed the database with records  
  event  
  event:generate Generate the missing events and listeners based on registration  
  key  
  key:generate  Set the application key
```

```
make
make:auth          Scaffold basic login and registration views and routes
make:console        Create a new Artisan command
make:controller      Create a new controller class
make:event           Create a new event class
make:job             Create a new job class
make:listener        Create a new event listener class
make:middleware       Create a new middleware class
make:migration        Create a new migration file
make:model           Create a new Eloquent model class
make:policy           Create a new policy class
make:provider        Create a new service provider class
make:request         Create a new form request class
make:seeder          Create a new seeder class
make:test            Create a new test class
migrate
migrate:install      Create the migration repository
migrate:refresh       Reset and re-run all migrations
migrate:reset        Rollback all database migrations
migrate:rollback     Rollback the last database migration
migrate:status       Show the status of each migration
queue
queue:failed         List all of the failed queue jobs
queue:failed-table   Create a migration for the failed queue jobs database table
queue:flush          Flush all of the failed queue jobs
queue:forget         Delete a failed queue job
queue:listen         Listen to a given queue
queue:restart        Restart queue worker daemons after their current job
queue:retry          Retry a failed queue job
queue:table          Create a migration for the queue jobs database table
queue:work           Process the next job on a queue
route
route:cache          Create a route cache file for faster route registration
route:clear          Remove the route cache file
route:list           List all registered routes
schedule
schedule:run         Run the scheduled commands
session
session:table        Create a migration for the session database table
vendor
vendor:publish       Publish any publishable assets from vendor packages
view
view:clear           Clear all compiled view files
```

For this assignment, we will use **make** command to create new controllers.

```
php artisan make:controller PageController
php artisan make:controller WeatherController
```

Sample output:

```
vagrant@homestead:~/Code/Laravel$ php artisan make:controller PageController
Controller created successfully.
vagrant@homestead:~/Code/Laravel$ php artisan make:controller WeatherController
Controller created successfully.
```

From now on for the sake of simplicity, we will assume that our current directory is `~/Code/Laravel`, and all subsequent paths will be contained within that directory.

Controllers you have just created will be located at `app/Http/Controllers`.

First, open **PageController**, and create a new method, called **index**. I will provide first example of the method:

Sample code:

```
public function index()
{
    return "Hello from index page";
}
```

Next, you will create another method called **greet**. This method will take a parameter with variable **name** and return "Hello from name", where name will be the value of that variable.

Sample code:

```
public function greet($name)
{
    return "Hello from ". $name;
}
```

Now, we will work with the **WeatherController**. Create a new method called **getWeather**. It will take parameter with variable **location**. Please output the location the same way as in the greet method.

For more information about Controllers, please refer to <https://laravel.com/docs/master/controllers>

2. In the previous task we created our Controllers and methods that contain basic logic for this exercise. Now we will set up the routes in order to access that information.

Let's assign our GET / route to a **PageController index** method. You have already edited GET / route before, in the Programming Assignment 1. This will be a little bit different.

`routes.php` file is located in `app/Http/routes.php`.

Erase the route closure for GET /. Instead place the following:

Sample code:

```
Route::get('/', 'PageController@index');
```

This way, we tell our Web Application to handle GET / HTTP request with **PageController's index** method.

The next step will be to create a route that will use our **greet** method. Please note that the **greet** method will need an input parameter, name. Laravel provides an elegant way to handle variables within URI.

Sample code:

```
Route::get('/greet/{name}', 'PageController@greet');
```

Please create another route: GET /weather that will have an input parameter location. Use **WeatherController's** method **getWeather** to handle this request.

For more information about Routes, please refer to
<https://laravel.com/docs/master/routing>

Please read the Routing and Controller sections of the manual. They are very important for further Web Application development.

What to submit:

Please update your fork of **NYU-CS6015/Programming-Assignments**. Place your routes.php, PageController.php and WeatherController.php files in **Programming Assignment 2** directory. **Do not forget to commit** your programming assignment! No need to create pull requests.