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# asgn05 Intro to PDO

# **Objectives**

- Learn the most current way to connect to any database with PHP
- Write OOP database code
- Compile a list of PDO commands and examples for future use
- Regain familiarity with MySQL

## Setup

- Create a folder named asgn05-pdo in your web250 folder
- Watch the following videos and write the code
- Use the website's naming conventions.
- Find a way to use MySQL that works for you. You may use the CLI (Command Line Interface) or any GUI such as PHPMyAdmin (comes with XAMPP/MAMP), or research to find a GUI you like online. There are quite a few free MySQL applications. For instance, one I like for the Mac OS is Sequel Pro.

#### **Videos**

- Intro to PDO
- Lesson 1: Connection
- Lesson 2: Error Catching
- · Lesson 3: Query Method
- Lesson 4: Fetch Method
- Lesson 5: Fetch All
- Lesson 6: Prepared Statements
- Lesson 7: Prepared Statements with Named Parameters
- · Lesson 8: Insert, Update and Delete Records

### Git and GitHub

- Use version control even though this is a relatively easy set of tutorials. It's a good habit.
- Create a branch called dev then merge it to the master branch before pushing your files to your GitHub account.

### Submit

The GitHub address to this assignment.