

W8 Lab 7: Databases + Node.js

Practice retrieving data from a relational database and rendering it as HTML via Node.js. **This tutorial is conducted in pairs at your own pace.**



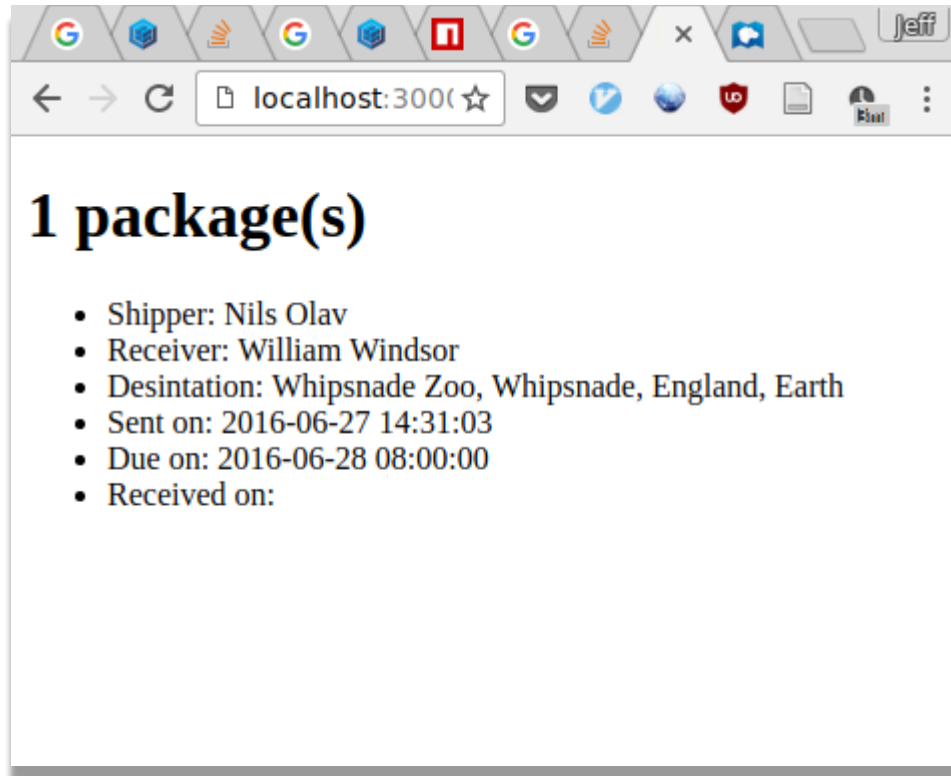
Prep

- 1) Install several **Node.js modules** via this command: `npm install sequelize sqlite3 handlebars`
- 2) In addition, you will need the **SQLite binary**. If you use OS X, this should already be on your system. (Open a terminal and run `sqlite3` to check.) If you use Windows, you can download the latest version here, under "Precompiled Binaries for Windows": <http://sqlite.org/download.html>



Instructions

- 1) Download the basic files from GitHub > CSC309summer2016 > w8-lab.
- 2) The first step is to **create the database** by running `sqlite3 shipments.sqlite < schema.sql`
- 3) Now, start the **server** via `node server.js`
 - a. Tip: `nodemon` will automatically restart Node every time you changed your code. To use it, run `npm install -g nodemon`, then run `nodemon` instead of `node` (i.e., `nodemon server.js`).
- 4) Now, in **server.js**, modify the two pieces of the code (marked by `// Your code goes here`) necessary to make the application work.
- 5) Your result should look something like this:



Advanced

Add several additional packages to your database by running **INSERT** queries from the `sqlite3` shell. Render separate lists for packages that have been delivered already, and packages that are still awaiting delivery.



Deliverable:

All of your files submitted as a single zip named `YOUR_LAST_NAMES-l7.zip` to MarkUs. At the least, you should include the following files: `index.html`, `server.js`, `shipments.sqlite`, and a `readme.pdf/txt/md` file that includes your names, CDF IDs, and preferred contact emails.



Due:

The day after lab day (Tuesday) by 11:00am; pass/fail, 1.5%.