



A WFW Databases and SQL Workshop

Or you could say, the harbinger of the BackEnd realm

The WFW community was created to make it easier for women to share their skills and knowledge among their female friends. If you want to deepen your IT knowledge but feel too awkward/shy to ask the opposite gender for help, consider this group to be your starter-kit for the future. AWE-SOME DAYS are coming ahead!

Autumn just arrived and brought with it the fresh episode no.4 from the Women for Women workshops series called **"Choose your coding path"**. After a summer full of radiant Algorithm, Git and Front-End vibes, we are turning our attention towards the more inner, hidden (or Back) end of IT. And thus, we have rolled out the carpet for our latest **Databases and SQL** workshop which was led by Alexandra Shtromberg - procurement analyst at Sievo and member of WFW.

The scope of this event was to give the participants an insight on how a database is built and the importance one needs to give to it when working on a project. Now, although it might sound like a heavy topic, don't think for a second that participants didn't have any fun and just focused on picking up new pieces of knowledge. There was actually plenty of fun and, furthermore, plenty of play while building on paper the (for some of us first ever) plan of a database.

The workshop started with an immersion into database concepts and notions of database design. After receiving insights and cool tips from our speaker Alexandra, participants had the opportunity to get their first hands-on experience while brainstorming in groups a database design of their own.



Let's make learning fun again!

The highlight of the evening was when at the end of the exercise all groups started presenting their database models and exchanged ideas about challenges faced while designing their first models.

But this was not the end of the event yet. Since the topic of the workshop was called "Introduction to Databases and SQL" of course, a small introduction to SQL followed shortly after and participants received some insights on the SQL syntax and further learning sources for advancing in this domain.

Coming next...

Did you find this event interesting and want to learn more? Then don't forget to keep tabs on our future events, we promise it will be worth your time!

Many thanks to our speaker Alexandra and to the WFW team for making this Workshop possible. And don't forget to follow us on Facebook (link→ <https://www.facebook.com/WfWorkshopFinland/>) for more updates on the upcoming events!

See you at the next rounds! :)