WGU-Reddit Student Feedback

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D288: Back-End Programming

College: School of Technology

Topics: 6
Pain Points: 19

Feedback Topics

1. Challenges with Resolving Project Errors – [7 posts]

Students are struggling to resolve persistent errors in their projects despite following provided instructions, highlighting a need for additional support.

"It's actually throwing an error and not letting me run the application."

Reddit post

"Cannot add or update a child row: a foreign key constraint fails"

Reddit post

"course instructor was no help."

Reddit post

"It's actually throwing an error and not letting me run the application."

Reddit post

"I don't know where in my code I need to be looking."

Reddit post

"I have an error on my new and old version of the project: 'ERROR: Failed to retrieve application beans snapshot:: application=*"

Reddit post

"I've tried every silly work around for this but am completely stuck and confused."

Reddit post

2. Difficulty with Course Material – [4 posts]

Students are struggling with the complexity and difficulty of the course material, indicating a need for clearer instruction or resources.

"this shit is hard."

Reddit post

"I can't get the dropdowns working."

Reddit post

"I feel this is a terribly put together course with little instruction, and poorly documented guidance."

Reddit post

"the Panopto videos are conflicting about some details of setting up the project." Reddit post

3. Technical Issues with Local Machine Setup – [3 posts]

Students are facing challenges with running project code on local machines, leading to confusion and frustration.

"I continue to get 'CORS header 'access-control-allow-origin' missing'."

Reddit post

"It appears the code doesn't run on local machines... Something to do with SQL database not connecting?"

Reddit post

"I'm getting the exception called

'ExpressionChangedAfterItHasBeenChechedError' on page load."

Reddit post

4. Unexpected Server Errors – [2 posts]

Students are encountering unexpected server errors that hinder their progress when attempting to run applications.

"I ran the project successfully but when I tried to see the front end of the application, specifically, for the Cart file I get this error."

Reddit post

"I did almost all steps (till Step I), but data is still not displayed on my Front-End with the error 500 {Internal Server Error}."

Reddit post

5. Access Issues with Requested Information – [2 posts]

Students are experiencing access issues, such as 404 errors, while trying to retrieve important information related to course projects.

"I no longer have access to Panopto to view the javabits video which describes how to fix a drop down issue on the front end."

Reddit post

"I just cannot get this tracking number to show up. I get a 404 error on my purchase request."

Reddit post

6. Challenges with Transaction Errors (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students are encountering errors related to transaction processes, indicating a need for better support and resources in understanding cart functionality.

"All the frontend calls have the cart ID set to 0. They fail because the cart can't be found when making a purchase."

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Reddit post

