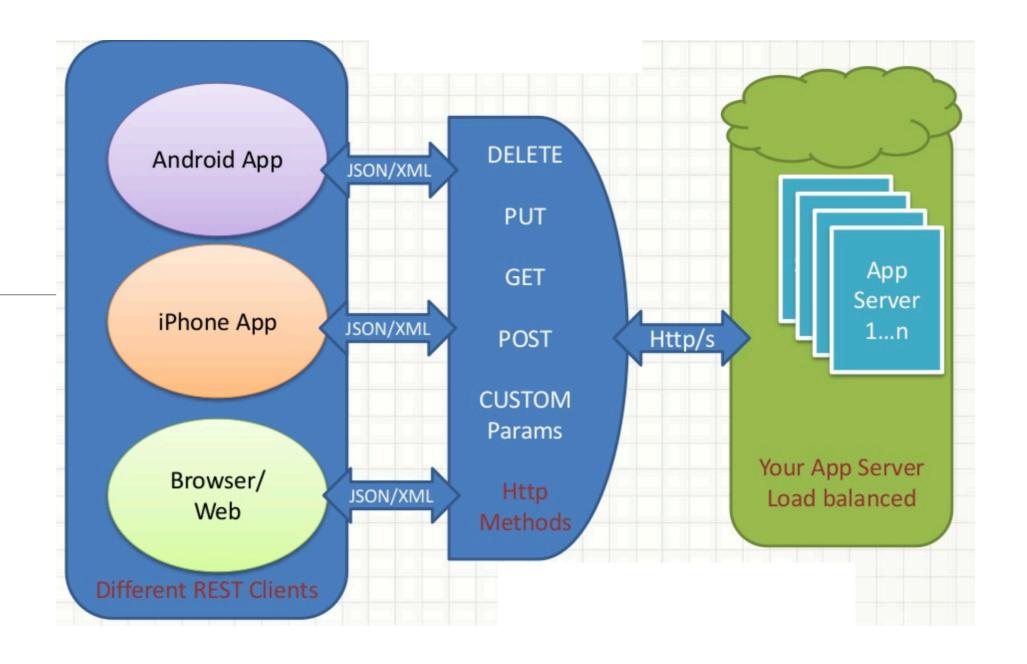
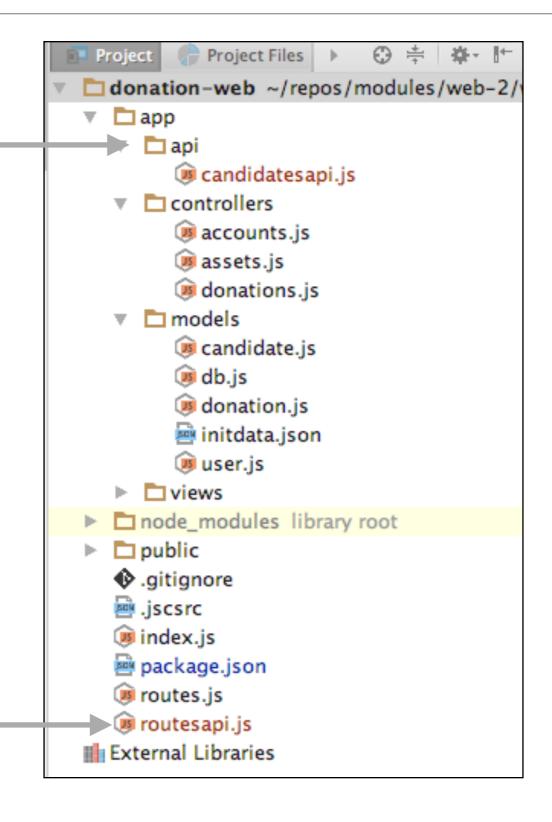
Endpoints



Project Structure

Create 'api' folder to expose endpoints from the application

Create 'routesapi.js' to define these endpoints



routesapi.js

```
const CandidatesApi = require('./app/api/candidatesapi');

module.exports = [
    { method: 'GET', path: '/api/candidates', config: CandidatesApi.find },
];
```

candidatesapi.js

```
const Candidate = require('../models/candidate');
const Boom = require('boom');
exports.find = {
 auth: false,
  handler: function (request, reply) {
    Candidate.find({}).exec().then(candidates => {
      reply(candidates);
    }).catch(err => {
      reply(Boom.badImplementation('error accessing db'));
    });
  },
```



```
__id: "57b6b94d701cce8539bddea5",
    firstName: "Lisa",
    lastName: "Simpson",
    office: "President",
    __v: 0
},

_id: "57b6b94d701cce8539bddea6",
    firstName: "Donald",
    lastName: "Simpson",
    office: "President",
    __v: 0
}
```

boom provides a set of utilities for returning HTTP errors. Each utility returns a Boom error response object (instance of Error) which includes the following properties:

- isBoom if true, indicates this is a Boom object instance.
- isServer convenience bool indicating status code >= 500.
- message the error message.
- output the formatted response. Can be directly manipulated after object construction to return a custom error response.
 Allowed root keys:
 - statusCode the HTTP status code (typically 4xx or 5xx).
 - headers an object containing any HTTP headers where each key is a header name and value is the header content.
 - payload the formatted object used as the response payload (stringified). Can be directly manipulated but any changes will be lost if reformat() is called. Any content allowed and by default includes the following content:
 - statusCode the HTTP status code, derived from error.output.statusCode.
 - error the HTTP status message (e.g. 'Bad Request', 'Internal Server Error') derived from statusCode.
 - message the error message derived from error.message.
- inherited Error properties.

Get Candidate (singular) Endpoint

```
routesapi.js
{ method: 'GET', path: '/api/candidates/{id}', config: CandidatesApi.findOne },
```

Object ID passed as part of path

candidatesapi.js

```
const Candidate = require('../models/candidate');
exports.findOne = {
    auth: false,
    handler: function (request, reply) {
        Candidate.findOne({ _id: request.params.id }).then(candidate => {
            reply(candidate);
        }).catch(err => {
            reply(Boom.notFound('id not found'));
        });
      });
    },
}
```

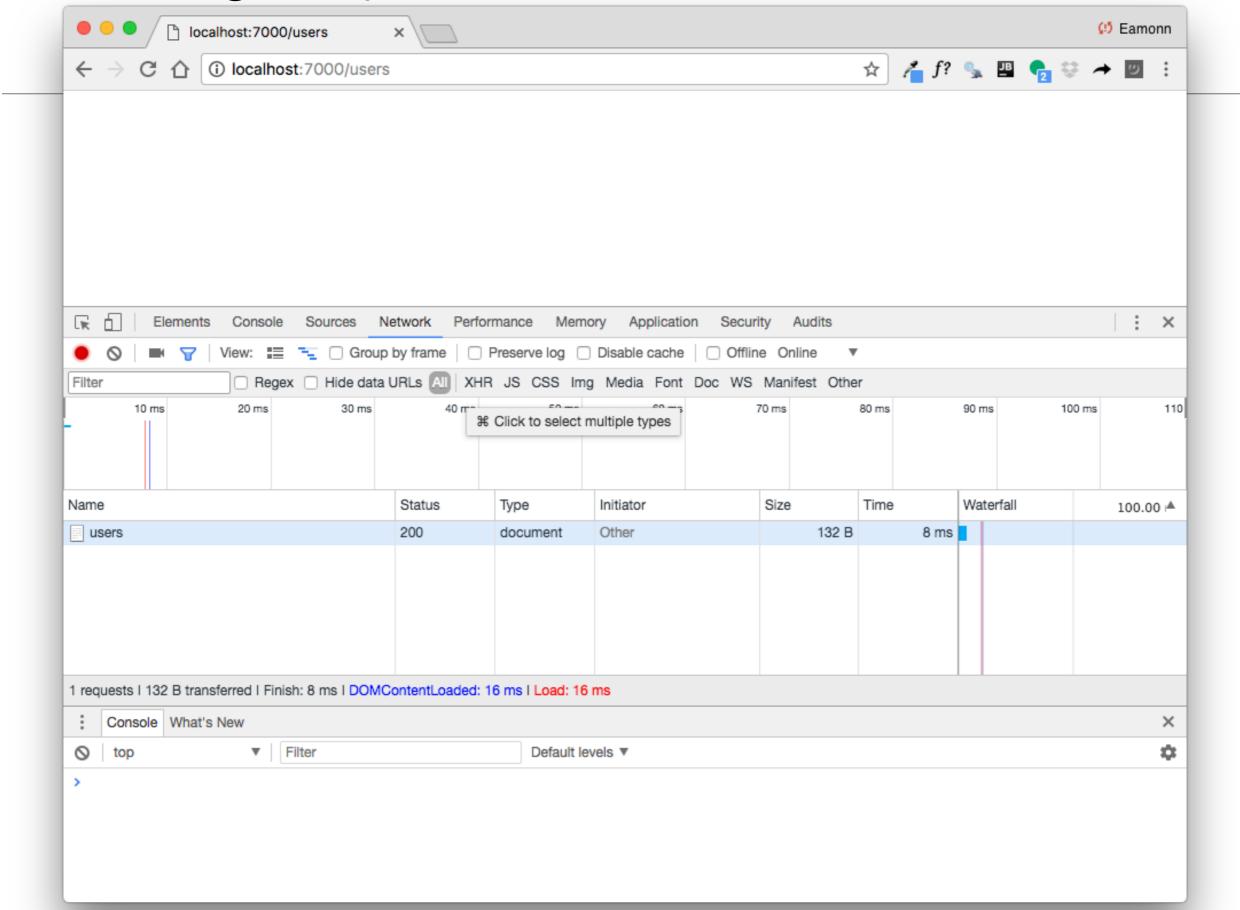
Get Candidate (singular) Endpoint

```
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   _id: "57b6bc90747c18bf3dbc435f",
   firstName: "Lisa",
   lastName: "Simpson",
   office: "President",
   v: 0
}
```

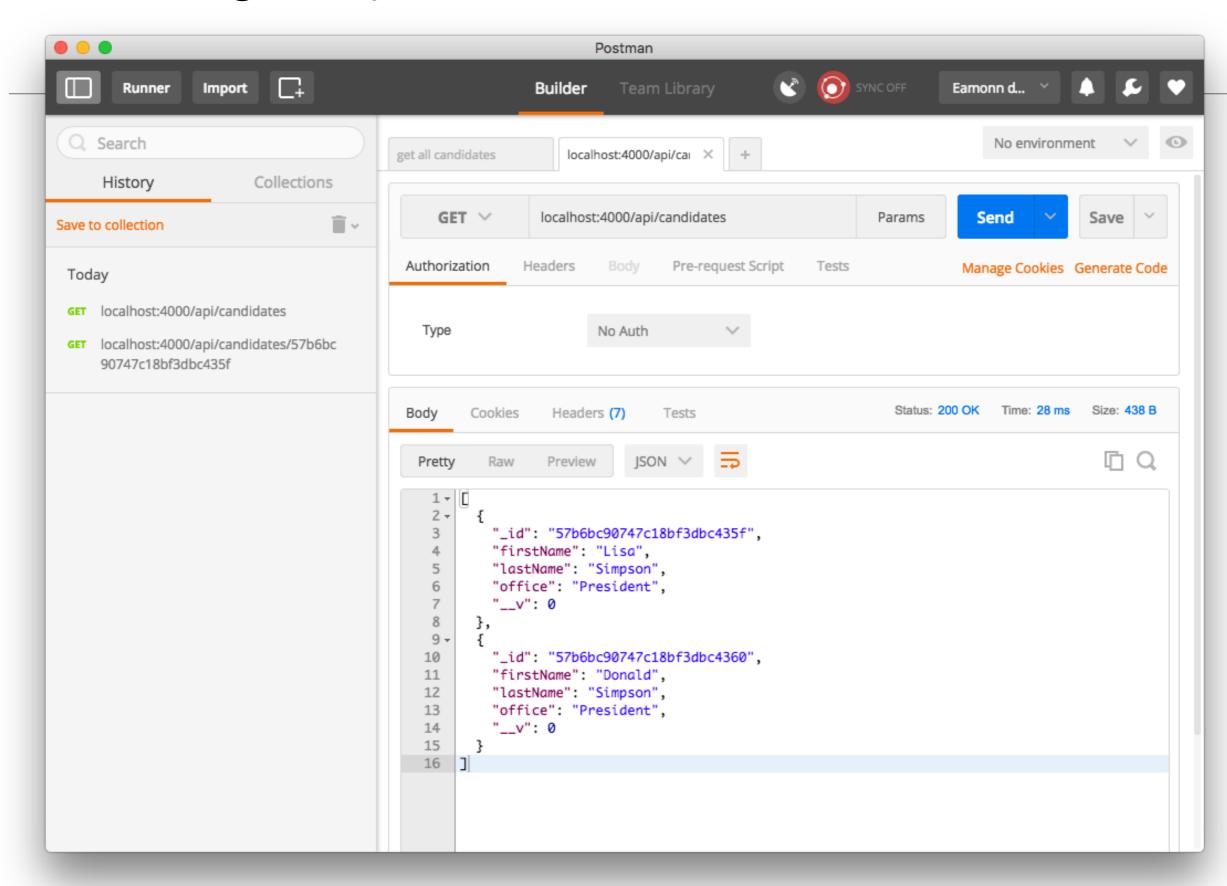
Boom Error Messages

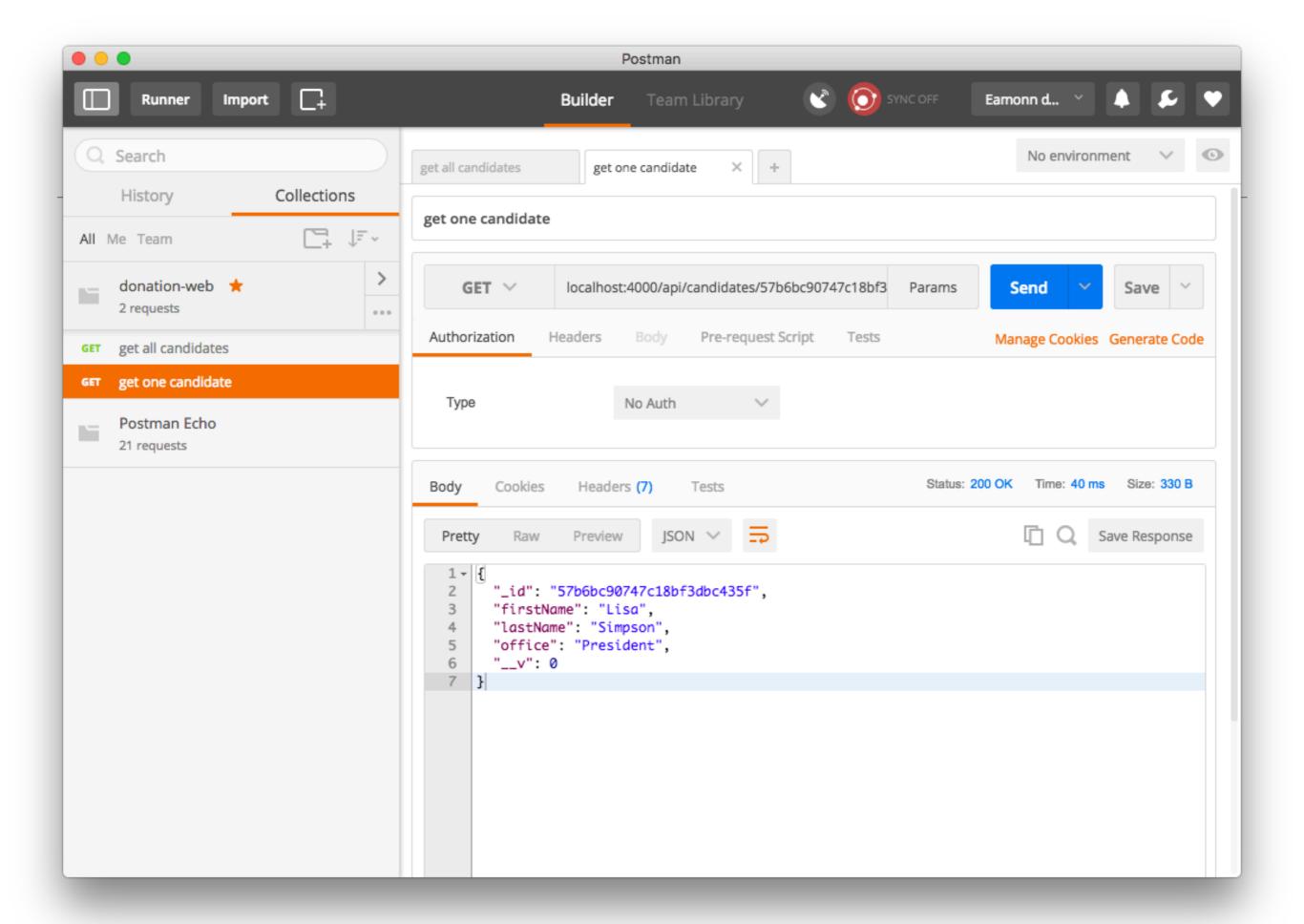
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    statusCode: 404,
   error: "Not Found",
   message: "id not found"
error
```

Exercising Endpoints: Chrome

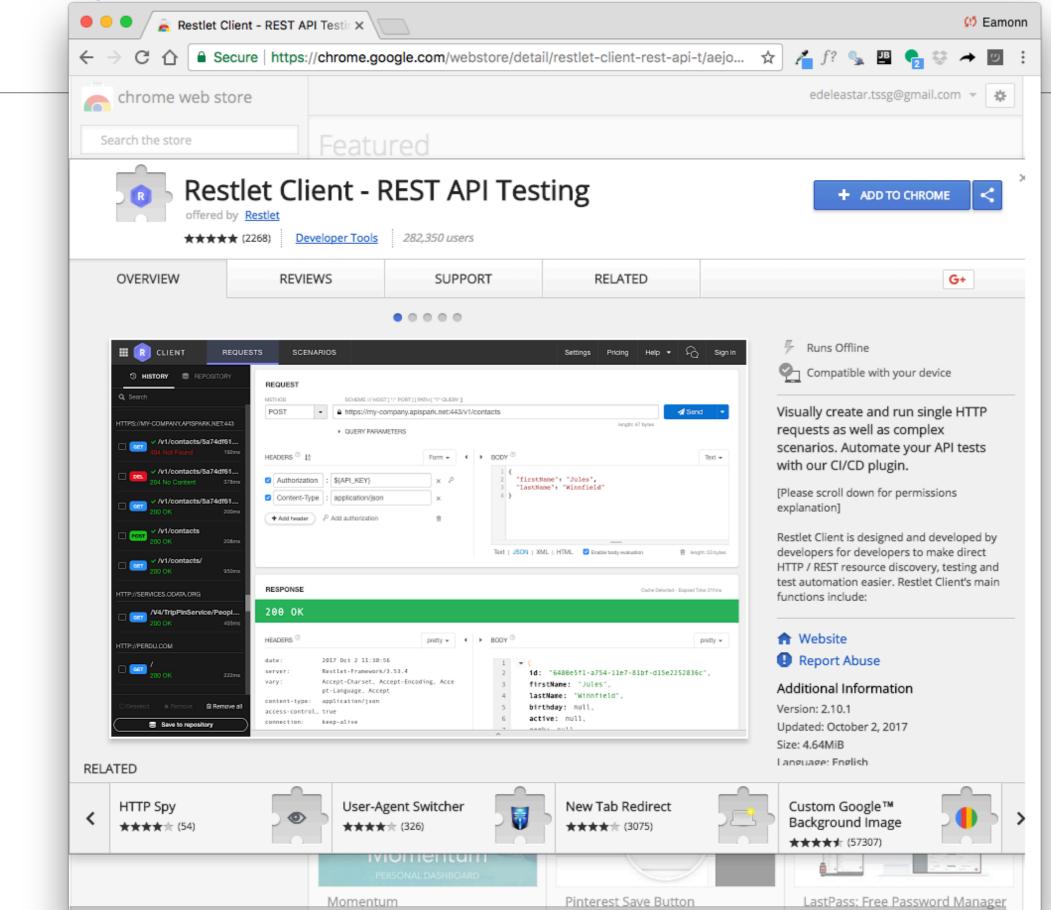


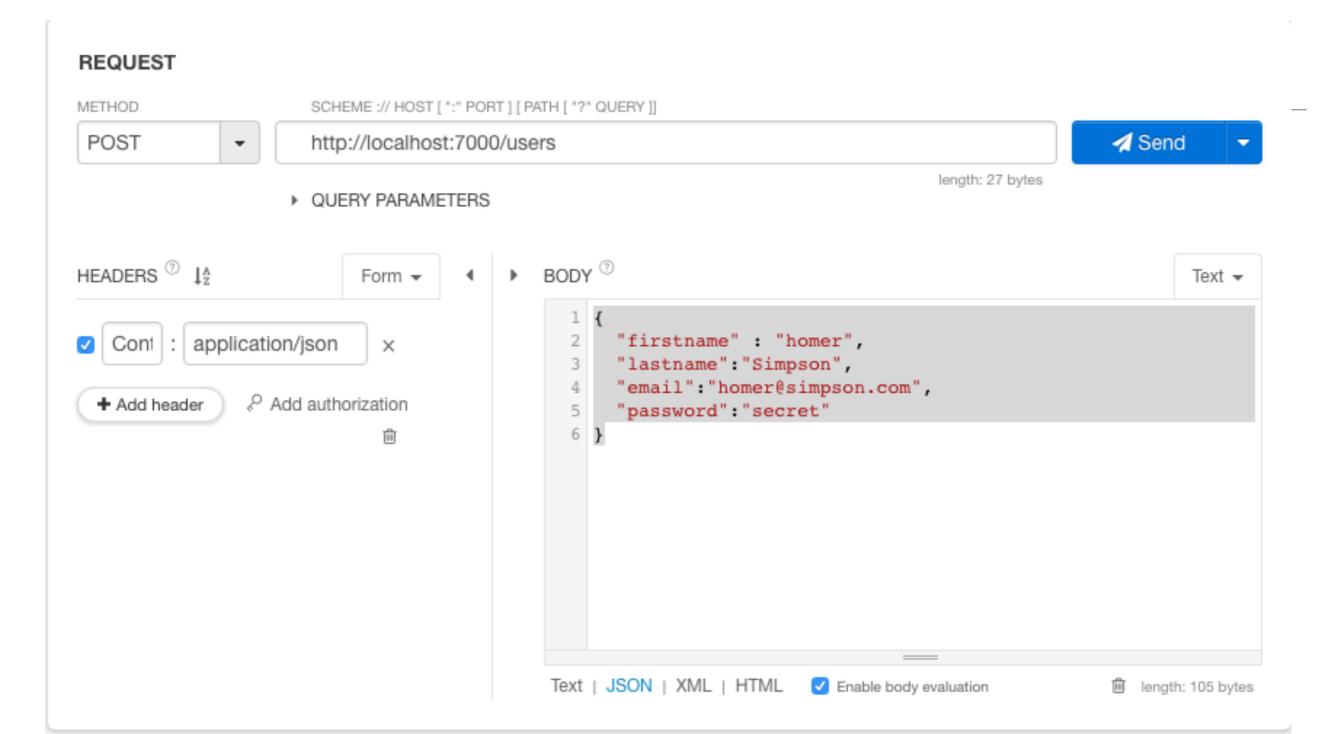
Exercising Endpoints: Postman





Exercising Endpoints: Restlet Client





200 OK

```
HEADERS ®
                                                ▶ BODY <sup>③</sup>
                               pretty -
Date:
            2017 Oct 14 17:22:59
            Javalin
Server:
Content-T... application/json
Content-L... 150 bytes
▼ COMPLETE REQUEST HEA...
                               pretty -
Origin:
            chrome-extension://aejoela
            oggembcahagimdiliamlcdmfm
User-Agen... Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; In
                                                     lines nums
            tel Mac OS X 10_12_6) Appl
            eWebKit/537.36 (KHTML, lik
            e Gecko) Chrome/61.0.3163.
            100 Safari/537.36
Content-T... application/json
            */*
Accept:
Accept-En... gzip, deflate, br
Accept-La... en-US, en; q=0.8, nb; q=0.6, g
            a;q=0.4,la;q=0.2
  Note: XHR automatically adds headers
  like Accept, Accept-Language,
  Cookie, User-Agent, etc.
```