# Intripid

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## 1. What are we trying to do?

- Interactive web app for planning a road trip
- Take in user-inputs to personalize the experience
- Optimize trip for time, cost, and enjoyment

## 2. How is it done today?

- Each feature of Intripid can be done by separate services
- Algorithmic complexity limits scalability
- Research topics in literature survey

- 3. What's new in our approach? Why will it be successful?
  - Compiles multiple services
  - Simplifies user experience
  - Expected product innovation

#### 4. Who cares?

- Anyone interested in planning a road trip
- 5. If we're successful, what difference and impact will it make, and how do you measure them?
  - Simpler, less stressful trip planning
  - User studies

- 6. What are the risks and payoffs?
  - Risks: None
  - Payoffs: Easily monetizable; technical/product development skills

#### 7. What are the costs?

- Time of group members
- Scaling up (more API calls, web hosting, etc.)

## 8. How long will it take?

Beta version at conclusion of project (7 weeks)

- What are the midterm and final "exams" to check for success? How will progress be measured.
  - Midterm: accurately planning a route that integrates API metadata
  - Final: customizable user profiles and creating a comprehensive user interface

# **Plan of Activities**

## Sarah

Routing algorithm (3 weeks)

## Erik

Data collection / API integration (4 weeks)

## **Nick**

Interactive UI (5 weeks)

#### Will

Data collection / API integration (4 weeks)