

Django Internship Assignment Report & Implementation Guide

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Abstract

This report details the implementation of a Django-based internship assignment, encompassing a production-ready Django project setup, API development with Django REST Framework (DRF), Celery integration for background tasks, Telegram bot integration, and code management practices. The project demonstrates secure configuration, user authentication, asynchronous task processing, and external service integration, adhering to Python and Django best practices.

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1 Introduction

The Django Internship Assignment is designed to showcase proficiency in backend development using Django and related technologies. The project involves creating a Django application with a RESTful API, integrating Celery for background tasks, incorporating a Telegram bot to capture user data, and maintaining clean, documented code in a GitHub repository. This report outlines the implementation steps, code structure, and considerations for each component.

1.1 Objectives

- Configure a production-ready Django project with secure settings.
- Develop public and protected API endpoints using DRF.
- Integrate Celery with Redis for asynchronous task processing.
- Implement a Telegram bot to collect and store user data.
- Manage code with Git, ensuring proper documentation and commit history.

2 Project Components

2.1 Django Project Setup

The project begins with a robust Django setup using Django REST Framework (DRF) and production-ready configurations.

2.1.1 Implementation

1. **Create Project and App:** Initialize the project and app using:

```
1 django-admin startproject myinternship
2 cd myinternship
3 python manage.py startapp core
```

2. **Install Dependencies:** Install DRF and environment variable management:

```
1 pip install djangorestframework python-decouple
```

Add `rest_framework` and `core` to `INSTALLED_APPS` in `settings.py`.

3. **Production Settings:** Configure `settings.py` for security:

```
1 from decouple import config
2
3 SECRET_KEY = config('SECRET_KEY')
4 DEBUG = config('DEBUG', default=False, cast=bool)
5 ALLOWED_HOSTS = ['127.0.0.1', 'localhost']
6 DATABASES = {
7     'default': {
8         'ENGINE': 'django.db.backends.postgresql',
9         'NAME': config('DB_NAME'),
10        'USER': config('DB_USER'),
```

```

11         'PASSWORD': config('DB_PASSWORD'),
12         'HOST': config('DB_HOST'),
13         'PORT': config('DB_PORT', default='5432', cast=int),
14     }
15 }

```

Create a `.env` file (excluded via `.gitignore`):

```

1 SECRET_KEY=your_super_secret_django_key
2 DEBUG=True
3 DB_NAME=myinternship_db
4 DB_USER=django_user
5 DB_PASSWORD=your_db_password
6 DB_HOST=localhost
7 DB_PORT=5432

```

2.2 API Development

Two API endpoints are implemented: a public endpoint and a protected endpoint using Token Authentication. Django's built-in login supports web-based access.

2.2.1 Implementation

1. **Serializers:** Define in `core/serializers.py`:

```

1 from rest_framework import serializers
2 from django.contrib.auth.models import User
3
4 class UserSerializer(serializers.ModelSerializer):
5     class Meta:
6         model = User
7         fields = ['id', 'username', 'email', 'password']
8         extra_kwargs = {'password': {'write_only': True}}
9
10    def create(self, validated_data):
11        user = User.objects.create_user(**validated_data)
12        return user
13
14 class PublicDataSerializer(serializers.Serializer):
15     message = serializers.CharField(max_length=200)
16     timestamp = serializers.DateTimeField(read_only=True)

```

2. **Views:** Implement in `core/views.py`:

```

1 from rest_framework.views import APIView
2 from rest_framework.response import Response
3 from rest_framework import status
4 from rest_framework.permissions import IsAuthenticated
5 from rest_framework.authentication import TokenAuthentication
6 from rest_framework.generics import CreateAPIView
7 from datetime import datetime

```

```

8 from .serializers import PublicDataSerializer, UserSerializer
9
10 class PublicView(APIView):
11     def get(self, request):
12         data = {'message': 'This is a public endpoint, accessible to everyone.', 'timestamp': datetime.now()}
13         serializer = PublicDataSerializer(data)
14         return Response(serializer.data, status=status.HTTP_200_OK)
15
16 class ProtectedView(APIView):
17     authentication_classes = [TokenAuthentication]
18     permission_classes = [IsAuthenticated]
19     def get(self, request):
20         return Response({'message': f'Hello {request.user.username}, this is a protected endpoint!'})
21
22 class UserRegisterView(CreateAPIView):
23     queryset = User.objects.all()
24     serializer_class = UserSerializer
25     permission_classes = []

```

3. URLs: Configure in myinternship/urls.py and core/urls.py:

```

1 # myinternship/urls.py
2 from django.contrib import admin
3 from django.urls import path, include
4 from rest_framework.authtoken.views import obtain_auth_token
5
6 urlpatterns = [
7     path('admin/', admin.site.urls),
8     path('api/', include('core.urls')),
9     path('api-token-auth/', obtain_auth_token),
10    path('api-auth/', include('rest_framework.urls')),
11 ]
12
13 # core/urls.py
14 from django.urls import path
15 from .views import PublicView, ProtectedView, UserRegisterView
16
17 urlpatterns = [
18     path('public/', PublicView.as_view(), name='public_endpoint'),
19     path('protected/', ProtectedView.as_view(), name='protected_endpoint'),
20     path('register/', UserRegisterView.as_view(), name='user_register'),
21 ]

```

4. Web-based Login: Enabled via api-auth/ for DRFs browsable API.

2.3 Celery Integration

Celery with Redis handles background tasks, such as sending a welcome email after user registration.

2.3.1 Implementation

1. Install Dependencies:

```
1 pip install celery redis
```

2. Configure Celery: Create myinternship/celery.py:

```
1 import os
2 from celery import Celery
3 from django.conf import settings
4
5 os.environ.setdefault('DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE', 'myinternship.
6     settings')
7 app = Celery('myinternship')
8 app.config_from_object('django.conf:settings', namespace='CELERY
9     ')
10 app.autodiscover_tasks(lambda: settings.INSTALLED_APPS)
```

Update myinternship/*init.py*:

```
@shared_taskdef send_registration_email(user_email, username) : print(f"Simulating sending email to user_email")
```

Trigger Task: Update UserRegisterView in core/views.py:

```
1 from .tasks import send_registration_email
2
3 class UserRegisterView(CreateAPIView):
4     def perform_create(self, serializer):
5         user = serializer.save()
6         send_registration_email.delay(user.email, user.username)
```

2.4 Telegram Bot Integration

A Telegram bot captures user data upon receiving a /start command and stores it in the Django database.

2.4.1 Implementation

1. Create Bot: Obtain a token from @BotFather on Telegram and add to .env:

```
1 TELEGRAM_BOT_TOKEN=YOUR_TELEGRAM_BOT_API_TOKEN
```

Install python-telegram-bot:

```
1 pip install python-telegram-bot
```

2. Model: Define in core/models.py:

```
1 from django.db import models
2
3 class TelegramUser(models.Model):
4     telegram_username = models.CharField(max_length=255, unique=
5         True, null=True, blank=True)
6     chat_id = models.CharField(max_length=255, unique=True)
7     first_name = models.CharField(max_length=255, null=True,
8         blank=True)
9     last_name = models.CharField(max_length=255, null=True,
10        blank=True)
11    date_joined = models.DateTimeField( auto_now_add=True)
12
13    def __str__(self):
14        return self.telegram_username or f"Chat_ID:{self.
15            chat_id}"
```

Run migrations:

```
1 python manage.py makemigrations
2 python manage.py migrate
```

3. Bot Handler: Create telegram_bot_listener.py :

```
async def start_command(update : Update, context : ContextTypes.DEFAULT_TYPE) ->
None : user_id = update.effective_user_id = update.effective_chat.id telegram_username =
user_id.username first_name = user_id.first_name last_name = user_id.last_name try : telegram_user, created =
await TelegramUser.objects.get_or_create(chat_id = str(chat_id), defaults = 'telegram_username' : telegram_username)
updated = False if telegram_user.telegram_username != telegram_username : telegram_user.telegram_username =
telegram_username updated = True if telegram_user.first_name != first_name : telegram_user.first_name =
first_name updated = True if telegram_user.last_name != last_name : telegram_user.last_name =
last_name updated = True if updated : await telegram_user.save() await update.message.reply_text(f"Hello first name {first_name} last name {last_name}")
await update.message.reply_text("An error occurred. Please try again.")
```

```
def main(): application = Application.builder().token(config('TELEGRAM_BOT_TOKEN')).build()
Update.ALL_TYPES)
```

```
if __name__ == '__main__': main()
```

2.5 Code Management

The project is maintained in a GitHub repository with clean, documented code and a detailed README.

2.5.1 Implementation

1. Git Setup:

```
1 git init
2 git add .
3 git commit -m "Initial Django project setup with DRF"
```

2. .gitignore:

```
1 .env
2 __pycache__/
3 *.pyc
4 *.sqlite3
5 venv/
```

3. README: Create README.md:

```
1 # Django Internship Assignment
2
3 ## Overview
4 A Django project demonstrating API development, Celery
   integration, Telegram bot functionality, and code management.
5
6 ## Setup
7 1. Clone: `git clone https://github.com/your_username/your_repo.
   git`
8 2. Install: `pip install -r requirements.txt`
9 3. Configure `.env`:
10 ```
11 SECRET_KEY=your_key
12 DEBUG=True
13 DB_NAME=myinternship_db
14 DB_USER=django_user
15 DB_PASSWORD=your_password
16 DB_HOST=localhost
17 DB_PORT=5432
18 TELEGRAM_BOT_TOKEN=your_token
19 CELERY_BROKER_URL=redis://localhost:6379/0
20 CELERY_RESULT_BACKEND=redis://localhost:6379/0
21 ```
22 4. Migrate: `python manage.py migrate`
23 5. Run server: `python manage.py runserver`
24 6. Run Celery: `celery -A myinternship worker -l info`
25 7. Run bot: `python telegram_bot_listener.py`
26
27 ## API Endpoints
28 - **Public**: `GET /api/public/`
29 - **Protected**: `GET /api/protected/` (Token Auth)
30 - **Register**: `POST /api/register/`
```

3 Conclusion

The Django Internship Assignment successfully implements a secure Django project with DRF APIs, Celery for background tasks, a Telegram bot, and proper code management. The project adheres to best practices, including environment variable management, PEP 8 compliance, and comprehensive documentation.