# **EzTravels**



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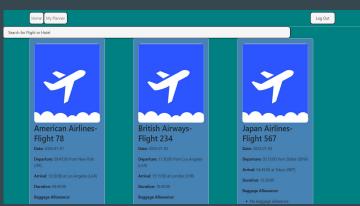
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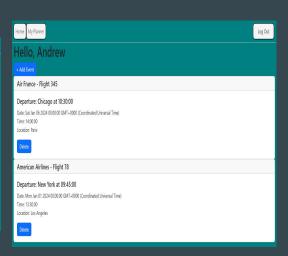
### **Project Description**

Travel planning platform that makes it easier to determine one's travel plans and create their itinerary.

Our functional search engine lets users compare flights and hotels and once a desired one is found it can be added to an itinerary in the planner tab.







Javascript - Client Side



Group Rating: 3/5



Group Rating: 4/5



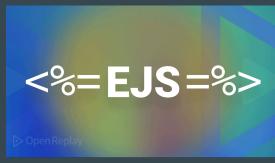
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NodeJS



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#### EJS



Group Rating: 5/5

#### Docker - Containerization



Group Rating: 5/5

#### Azure - Deployment



Group Rating: 3/5



Group Rating: 5/5

#### Methodology: Kanban

- Kanban style project board
- Continuous flow
- No specific "roles"
- Decided on what each person would do weekly.

#### Group Rating: 2/5



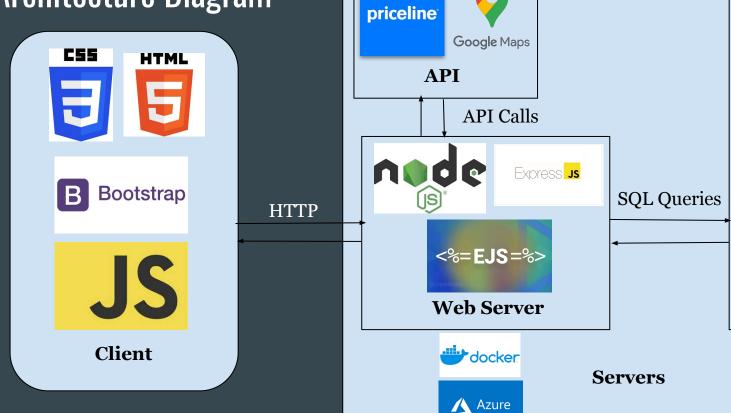
• Used for generating a map with the location of hotels

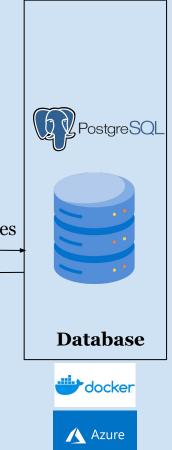
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## priceline

Used for pulling real time flight and hotel information into our database

### **Architecture Diagram**





## Challenges

### Challenges: API

- Finding an API
  - Needed an API which offered both flights and hotels.
  - o Only 500 free API calls.
- Sifting through returned data.
  - API returned thousands of lines of data.
  - Sorting through arrays.
  - o Finding and pulling only the specific data needed.
- Security and hiding our API keys
  - o .env
  - o .gitignore

### **Challenges: Cart**

- Authentication and payment methods.
  - $\circ$  Would have needed to authenticate and take payment information.
  - Actually purchasing the flight/hotel on behalf of the user.
- Managing dependencies.
  - API call and returned data.
  - SQL table.
- Merged with the planner:
  - $\circ$  Add items to planner just like a cart with no option for purchasing.

#### **Challenges: Planner**

- Keeping up with and managing changing standards for the planner.
  - Differentiating our product from our competitors.
  - Working with the Cart/actual functionality.
  - Time constraints and dependencies.
- Managing dependencies and workflow.
  - Cart and API.
  - SQL table.
- Functionality of a cart without option for purchasing items.
  - Add items and view them together in a list in order to help plan a trip.

### **Challenges: Merge Conflicts**

- Problem files:
  - Index.js.
  - SQL tables.
- Multiple people attempting to solve dependencies.
- Different and overlapping elements.

#### Solutions:

- Communication about who's working on what.
- Push/Merge workflow through command line and browser.
- Frequently making new branches.
- Frequent pulls when editing.
- Atomic commits.

### Demo

### Questions?

