Enhancing Node.js with StrongLoop/Bluemix Integration



Interactivity Tips

1. Ask A Question



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Bluemix & StrongLoop

Node.js

- Asynchronous, event-driven framework
- Unify language (JS) and data (JSON) across stack
- Easy development of real-time web applications
- Lightweight, performant, massive community backing

Difficulties with Node.js

When managing applications...

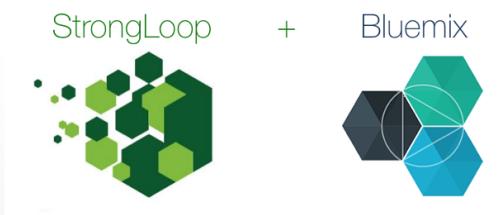
- Many solutions for debugging, but no industry standard
 - o node-inspector
 - o debugger
 - o memwatch
 - o **profiler**
- Even harder to manage Node.js on the cloud

When developing applications...

- Iterating on Node.js apps in a PaaS requires full restages/repushes
- Using cloud services locally requires maintaining two
 different development/deployment environments

StrongLoop to the Rescue

- DevOps capabilities to manage applications
 - Tracing
 - Profiling
 - Metrics
- LoopBack API framework to develop applications
 - StrongLoop Arc for visual composition
 - CLI/Text Editor for manual composition



App Management

- Starts app with StrongLoop Process Manager
- Allows you to use Arc to manage application
 - o DevOps
 - Metrics
 - Tracing

• Great for rapid development https://developer.ibm.com/bluemix/2015/10/05/advanced-debugging-node-apps-bluemix/

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Managing Node.js Apps

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Bluemix Live Sync

- Develop LoopBack apps as they run on Bluemix
 - Sync Arc Composer to Jazz Hub for Bluemix
- Rapidly iterate on applications within seconds, not minutes
- Create fully CRUD capable applications connected to
 Bluemix services

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Live Sync

DEMO

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