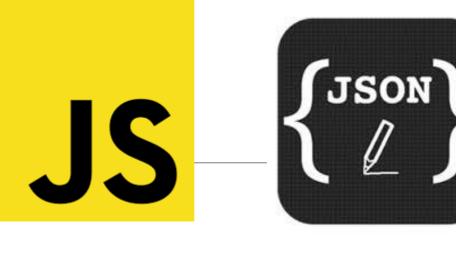
## Web App Introduction

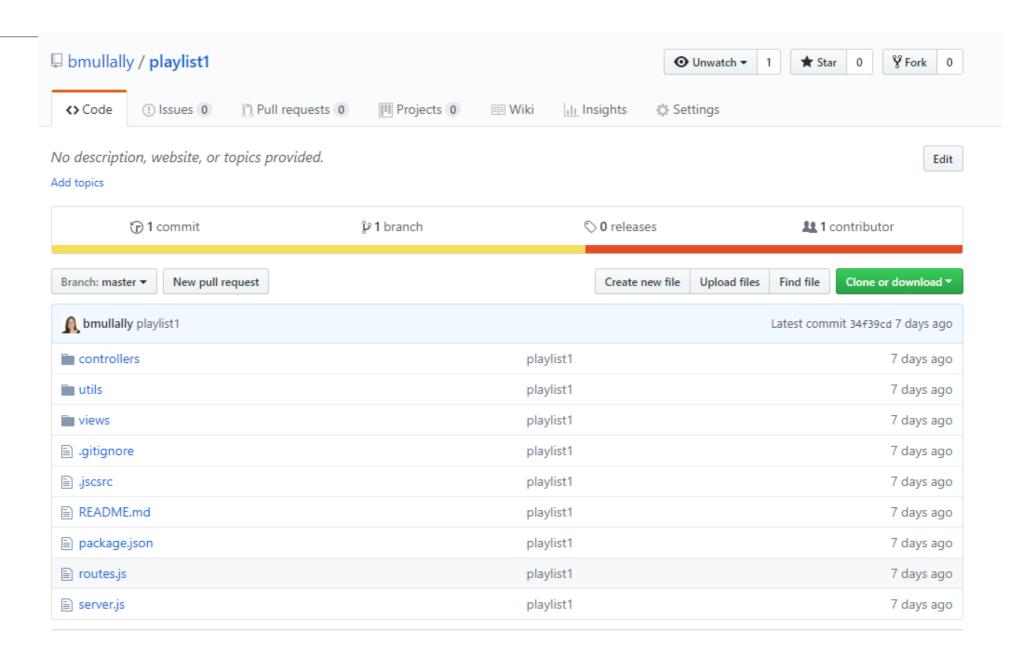




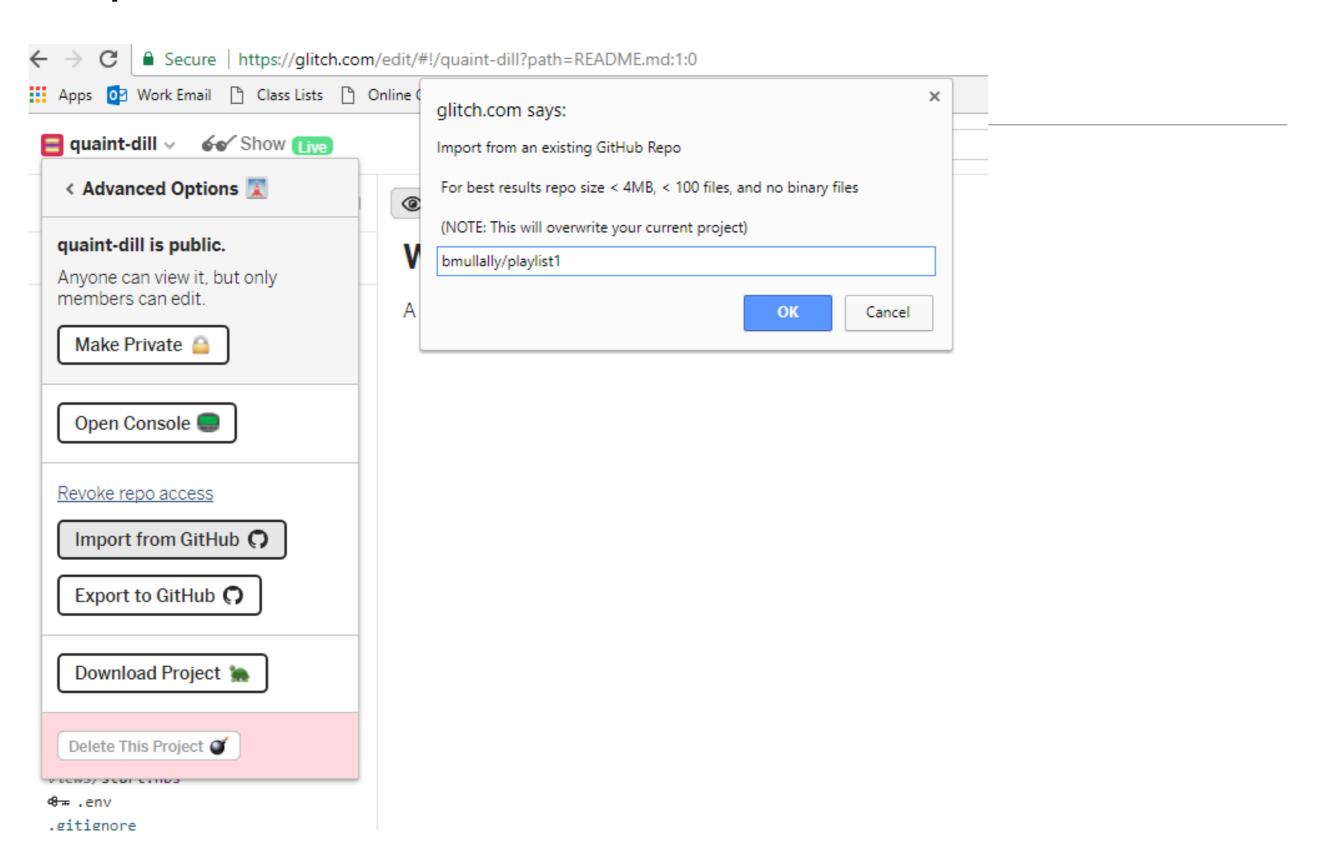


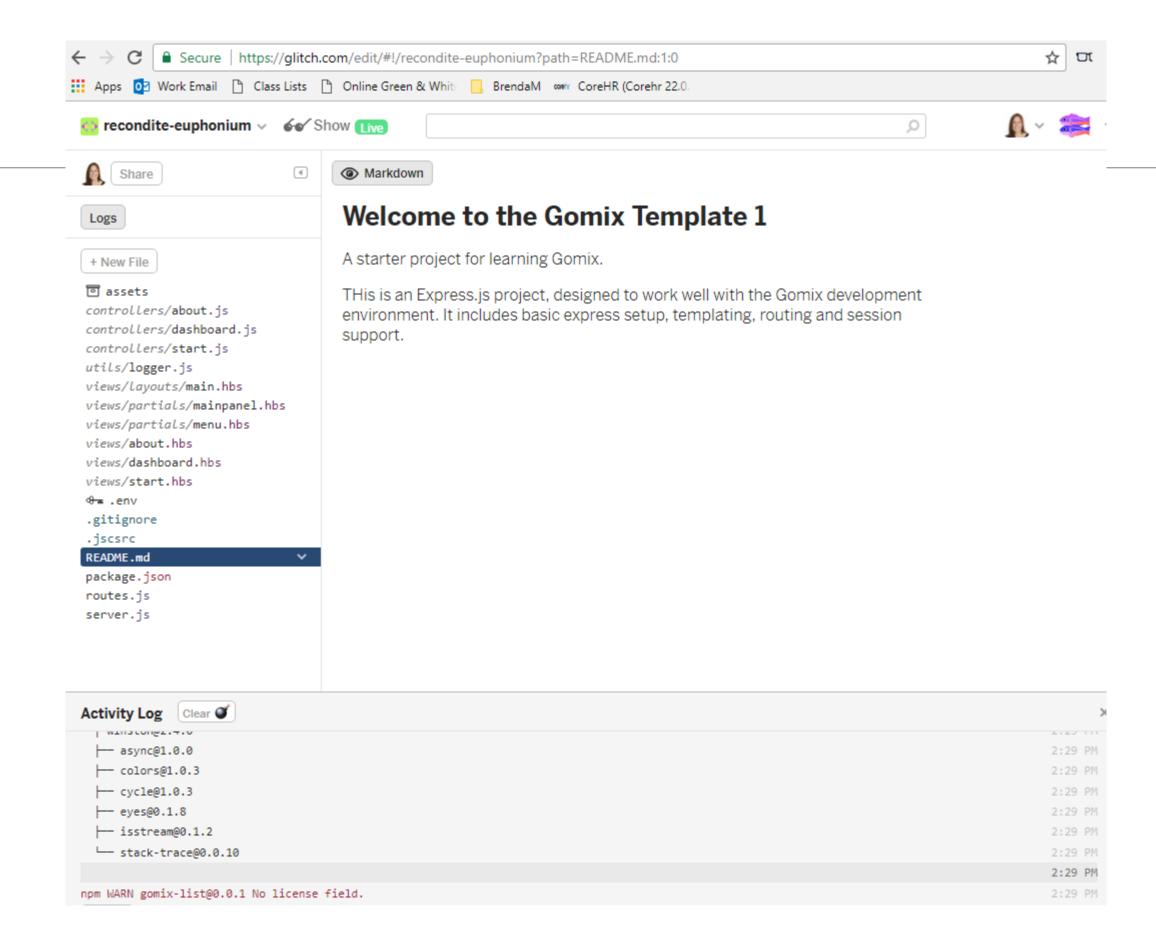
## Starter App

- We will always start a new project by importing a template project from github.
- Playlist1 is a 'boilerplate' project providing foundation components for a starter application.
- Extend/repurpose this project to build interesting applications.



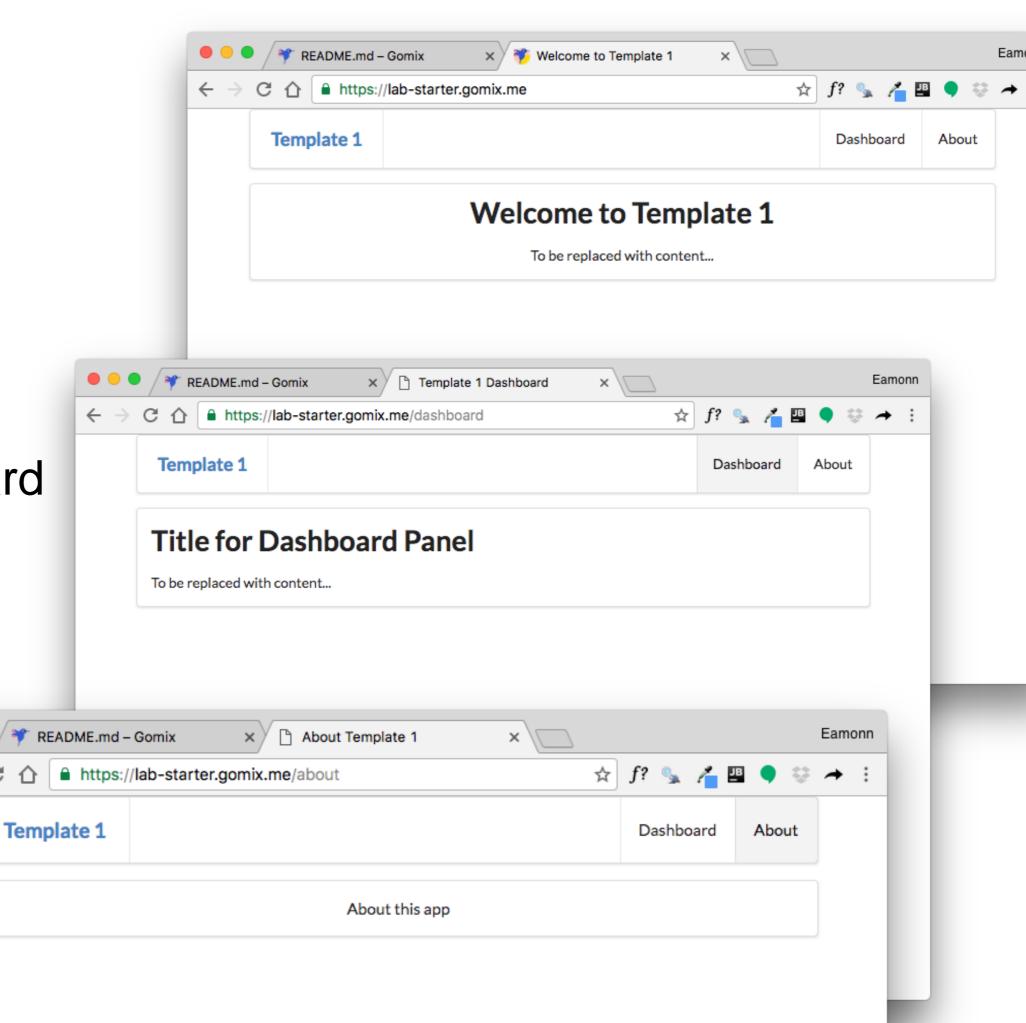
## Import from Github...





The starter app has a menu + 3 'Views':

- Start
- Dashboard
- About



## **Application Structure**

```
লি assets
controllers/about.js
controllers/dashboard.js
controllers/start.js
utils/logger.js
views/layouts/main.hbs
views/partials/mainpanel.hbs
views/partials/menu.hbs
views/about.hbs
views/dashboard.hbs
views/start.hbs
⊕ .env
.gitignore
.jscsrc
README.md
package.json
                           README.m
routes.js
server.js
```

- App implements Routes + Model/View/Controller Architecture
- Back-end + Front-end collaborate to support structured, predictable application workflow

### Back-end

# JS



controllers/about.js
controllers/dashboard.js
controllers/start.js

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package.json
routes.js
server.js
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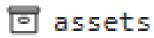
- All written in Javascript + JSON
- Consists of:
  - Server main entry point
  - Routes supported urls
  - Controllers objects to handle the routes
  - Config .gitignore, .jscsrc, env, package.json, readme.md
- Will include Models later...

#### Front-end





- All written in HTML + handlebars
- Handlebars: Templating language
- Similar to EJS, it supports:
  - Layouts
  - Partials
  - Views
- These are very similar to EJS equivalents



views/layouts/main.hbs
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views/start.hbs

#### Back-end + Front-end

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- Building a new app:
  - Extend, modify, replace and create new routes + controllers
  - Rewrite handlebars templates to support new features, data and user experience.