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Project Plan Walter, You Gotta Go

The Capstone Experience

Team Quicken Loans

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Functional Specifications

- Quicken Loans has legacy applications they wish to replace
- Creating new applications could take several years to complete
- Create a new web-based front end while still using legacy application in the background
- Automate use of legacy applications with Robotic Process Automation (RPA)

Meet the Team







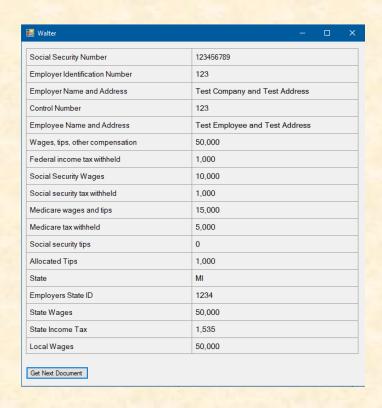




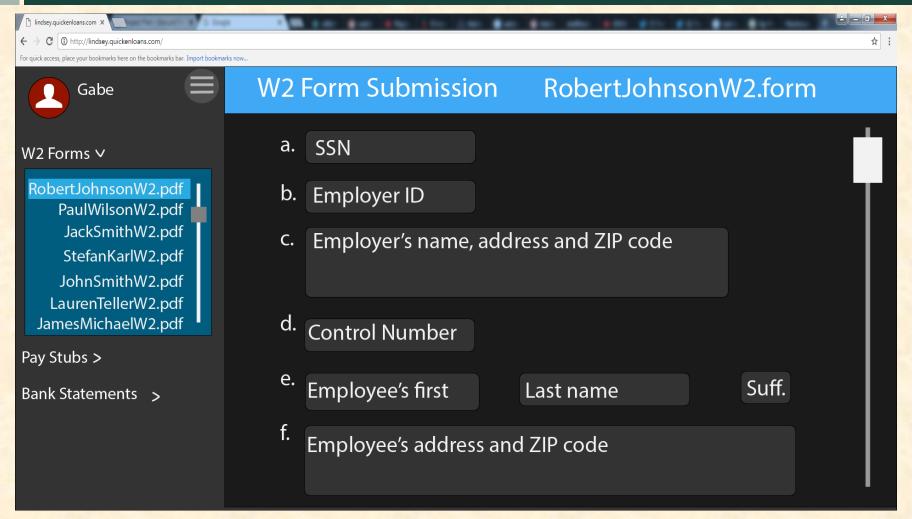
Design Specifications

- Modern web-based front-end that's easier for users to use
- "Virtual worker" that automates the data entry process for legacy app
- Central API that aids communication between different systems and the database

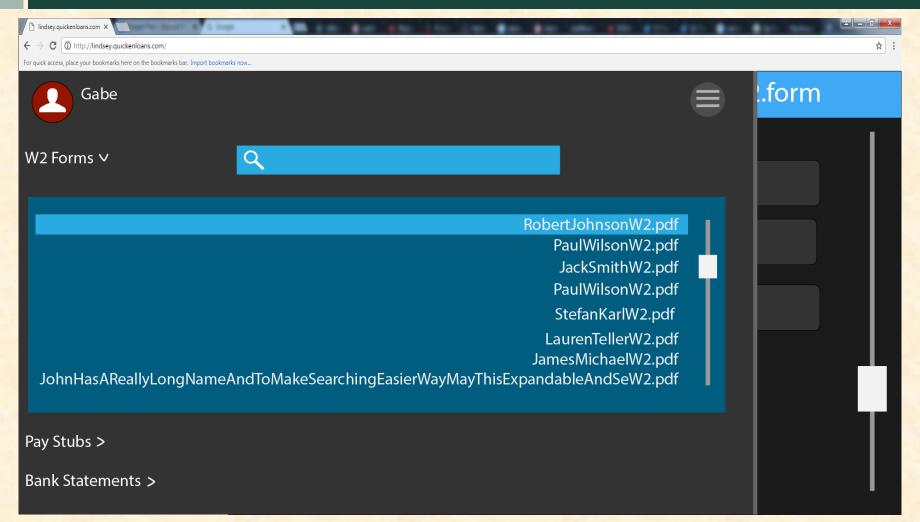
Screen Mockup: Legacy Application



Screen Mockup: W2 Entry Form

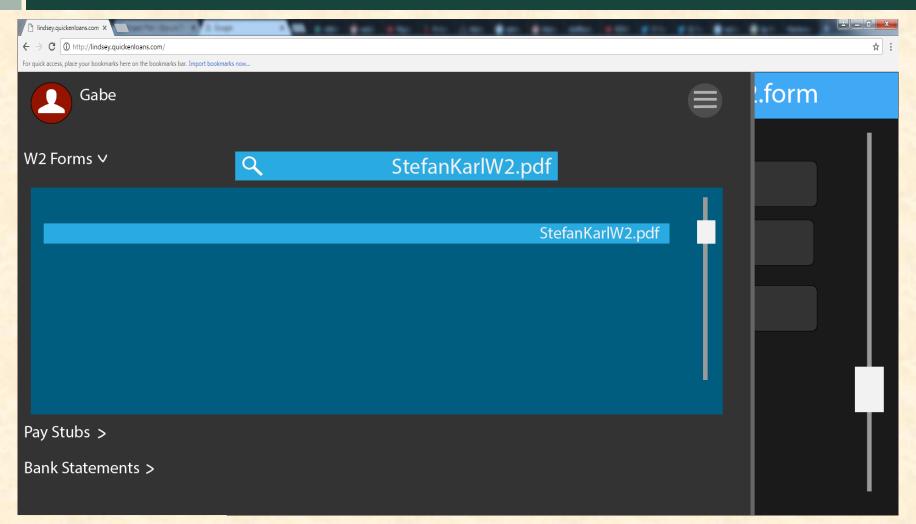


Screen Mockup: Expanded Side Bar





Screen Mockup: Side Bar Search

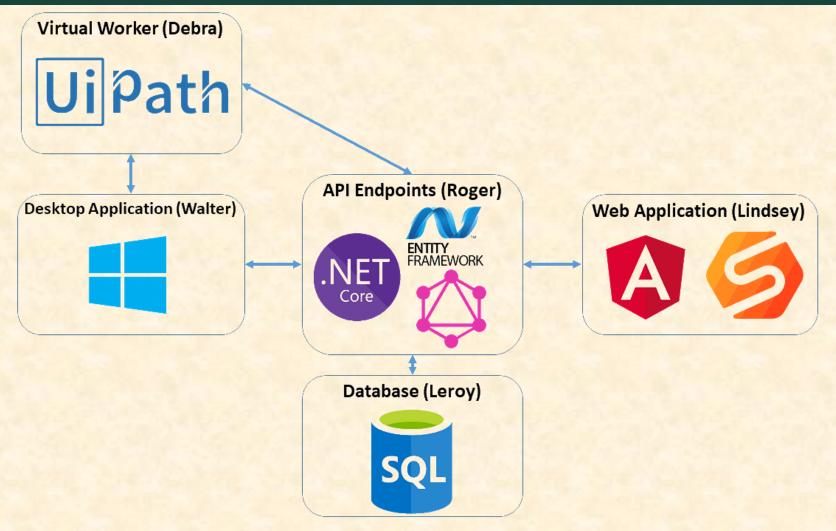




Technical Specifications

- WinForms desktop application with Azure Notifications
- Robotic Process Automation system using UiPath to locate data with screen scraping
- GraphQL API that queries the Microsoft SQL database via the Entity Framework
- Web application designed using Angular and the Spark Design System

System Architecture



System Components

- Hardware Platforms
 - None
- Software Platforms / Technologies
 - Microsoft Azure
 - UiPath
 - GraphQL
 - Microsoft SQL
 - Angular w/ Spark UI
 - .NET WinForms



Risks

- Scope Creep
 - Working on non-essential features early in the project
 - Clearly designate stretch goals and set aside until later
- Setting up Screen Scraping
 - Teaching the RPA to find the correct data fields when pulling data
 - Get system running early for extensive experimentation
- Integrating Azure Tools
 - Successfully integrating each system with each other
 - Establish connections early into development to catch issues earlier
- Lack of Useful Documentation
 - Certain software tools have limited documentation
 - Research pre-existing samples to better understand the tools

Questions?

