

Welcome to CSSE 220

- We are excited that you are here:
 - Start your computer
 - Pick up a quiz from the back table
 - Answer the first two questions

Course Introduction, Starting with Java

CSSE 220—Object-Oriented Software Development

Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

Agenda

- Instructor intro
- A few administrative details
- Verify Eclipse and Subclipse configuration
- Java *vs.* Python
- Examine and modify simple Java programs

Instructor Info

- Aaron Wilkin



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Instructor Info (continued)

- On Campus every day
 - Office Hours (F203)
 - ...
 - Email – wilkin@rose-hulman.edu
 - If you need another time, let me know and I'll do my best

Daily Quizzes

- I expect you to answer every question.
 - Including the last two, at least put N/A
- Stop me if I don't cover a question!

A Tour of the On-line Course Materials

- Moodle
- Schedule
- Syllabus

Programming is not a spectator sport

- And neither is this course
- Ask, evaluate, respond, comment!
- Interrupt me! Even with statements like, *“I have no idea what you were just talking about.”*
- I do not intend for classroom discussions to go over your head. Don't let them!

Ok, let's write our first Java program!

- Hello world

Opening Eclipse

- Start Eclipse
 - Go to C:\Program Files\eclipse
 - Double-click “eclipse.exe”
- When prompted for the workspace, enter:
 - C:\EclipseWorkspaces\csse220
- If not prompted for the workspace, after Eclipse loads:
 - Click File → Switch Workspaces → Other
 - Enter path above

Select Perspective

- Look at the top-right corner of Eclipse
- If “Java” is selected, do nothing and wait for next slide
- Otherwise:
 - Click Window → Perspective → Other...
 - Select “Java”
 - Click OK

SVN Repositories Window

- You can also display the SVN Repositories Window by doing the following:
 - Click Window → Show View → Other...
 - Expand SVN
 - Select “SVN Repositories”
 - Click OK

Add Your Repository

- Click SVN → “Checkout projects from SVN”
 - Select “Create a new repository location”
- Click Next
- Type the following URL, replace the **user** in blue with your username:
`http://svn.csse.rose-hulman.edu/repos/csse220-201710-user`
Mine would be:
`http://svn.csse.rose-hulman.edu/repos/csse220-201630-hewner`
- Click Next

Checkout Project for Today

- If you received an error at the end of the last slide,
 - let myself or a TA know immediately
 - Use <https://svn.csse.rose-hulman.edu/password/> to reset your SVN password
- Otherwise, expand your repository and select “JavaIntro”
- Click Finish
 - Do the same for HW1 now if you’d like, or you can wait and check it out later

Show Package Explorer

- If JavaIntro did not show up in the Package Explorer (defaults to the left):
 - Click Window → Show View → Package Explorer

HelloPrinter.java

- To run a Java program:
 - Right-click the .java file in Package Explorer view
 - Choose **Run As → Java Application**
- Change the program to say hello to a person next to you
- Introduce an error in the program
 - See if you can come up with a different error than the person next to you
- Fix the error that the person next to you introduced

A First Java Program

In Java, all variable and function definitions are inside *class* definitions

main is where we start

```
public class HelloPrinter {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("Hello, World!");  
    }  
}
```

System.out is Java's standard output stream. This is the variable called **out** in the **System** class.

System.out is an *object* from the **PrintStream** class. **PrintStream** has a *method* called **println()**.

Introduction to Java

Things Java Has in Common with Python

- Classes and objects
- Lists (but no special language syntax for them like Python)
- Standard ways of doing graphics and GUIs
- A huge library of classes/functions that make many tasks easier
- Nice integration with the Eclipse IDE

Why Java?

- Widely used in industry for large projects
 - From cell phones
 - including smart phones—Android platform
 - To global medical records
- Highlights essential topic of the class – Object Orientation
- Similar to other popular languages C#, Objective-C
- Less complex than C++
- Most popular language according to the TIOBE Programming Community Index [March 2016]

<http://www.tiobe.com/index.php/content/paperinfo/tpci/index.html>

Interlude: JavaScript and Java

Java is to Javascript as Ham is to Hamster

From Wikipedia (edited, bullets added to enhance PowerPoint readability):

- The change of name to JavaScript roughly coincided with Netscape adding support for Java technology in its web browser.
- The name caused confusion, giving the impression that JavaScript was a spin-off of Java.
- The choice has been characterized by many as a marketing ploy by Netscape to give JavaScript the cachet of what was then the hot new web-programming language.
- It has also been claimed that the language's name is the result of a co-marketing deal between Netscape and Sun, in exchange for Netscape bundling Sun's Java runtime with its then-dominant browser.

Interlude: **Wanted: Assistants**

- If you have workstudy funding for this year (ask Financial Aid if you aren't sure)
 - We are looking for in-class assistants for CSSE120
 - Up to 6 hours/week typically
 - We will also pay for 1 hour/week training (Monday, 10th hour)
 - Starting rate is \$8.50/hour
 - Can lead to grading/helping for upper-level classes and higher pay
 - Talk to your instructor if you are interested, or just show up Monday

Basic Java Functions and Conditionals

- Let's go through the ConditionalExamples.java file

What are Types?

- All variables in Java have a “type”
- Describes the data that can be stored in a variable
 - String – text only
 - short/int/long – whole numbers only
 - float/double – numbers with decimals
 - boolean – true or false
 - char – a single text character
- Classes – Class names are also types, let you define your own, more complex, types

Strings

- `String myString = "hello";`
- `String otherString = new String("hello2");`
- Java's way of storing text data
- Has many handy functions like `substring`, `charAt`, etc. that you will slowly learn
- But how do you find out about these cool functions?

Java API Documentation

- What's an API?
 - Application Programming Interface
- The Java API on-line
 - Google for: **java api documentation 7**
 - Or go to: <http://download.oracle.com/javase/7/docs/api/>
 - Also hopefully on your computer at
C:\Program Files\Java\jdk1.7.0_9\docs\api\index.html

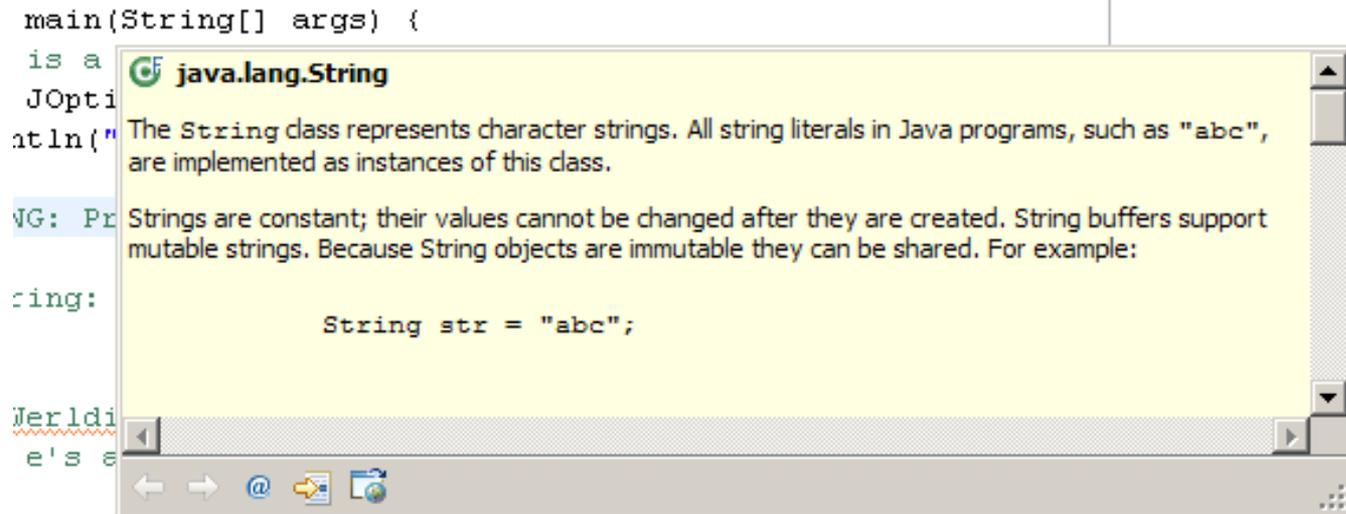
You need the 7 (or 8) to get the current version of Java



Note: Your version may be something other than 7.0_9. We recommend that you bookmark this page in your browser, so you can refer to it quickly, with or without an internet connection.

Java Documentation in Eclipse

- Setting up Java API documentation in Eclipse
 - Should be done already,
- Using the API documentation in Eclipse
 - Hover text
 - Open external documentation (Shift-F2)



Exercise

- Work on StringProbs

**HW1 DUE
BEFORE NEXT SESSION**

IT'S ON THE SCHEDULE PAGE.

**(IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO KEEP UP WITH THE SCHEDULE
PAGE)**

**AS ALWAYS, EMAIL ME IF YOU
HAVE ANY QUESTIONS**