

Event Listeners and Shapes

CSSE 221

Fundamentals of Software Development
Honors

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Announcements

- HW3 solution posted
- Questions on Fifteen or GUIs?
- Please show me your Fifteen UML at your earliest convenience (for example, bring it to Thursday's exam)

How to do a capsule?

Round 2: +Demo and Activity

- I still lecture (15-20 min).
 - You still create a summary and quiz.
- Now, you create the demonstration.
 - Code that shows a concept.
 - How will you know if your classmates are understanding it?
- Now, you create a *hands-on* activity for the class, like?
 - Start the demo code together (like SwingDemo)
 - Have them extend the demo code (like SalariedEmployee)
 - Do a kinesthetic activity (like having the class act out a sort method)
 - Use your creativity!

More about the Demo/Activity

- Total time for both: ~25 minutes
- **Integrate** your quiz with your demo/activity:
 - 2-3 questions should relate to them.
- Roles of Teammates:
 1. *Demo Driver*: explains the code and adds any live code
 2. *Roving Expert*: checks if any students are having difficulties, asks if they need help
 3. *Questioner*: chooses students to ask the questions on the quiz, asks them, and provides encouragement or corrective feedback as appropriate.

Capsule Deliverables

- 48 hours in advance:
 - Email me the quiz, key, and summary to me (as before) and a short script of the demo/activity so I can anticipate what you'll do.
 - **Commit your demo to the csse221-201210-public repo**
 - Include your section number (1 or 2) in the project name
 - I am most available on Monday mornings, Weds and Fridays if you have questions
- Rubric linked to in schedule.

This week: Fifteen assignment

- Monday:
 - Fifteen specification
 - GUIs using Java's Swing library
 - Intro to UML as a *design* tool
- Tuesday:
 - **EventListeners: responding to user input**
 - **Shape classes**
- Thursday:
 - Anonymous listeners
 - Exam 1

Exam 1

- Covers through end of week 2 (array lists)
- Thursday evening (~ 2 hours)
- Short written portion: closed-book
- Programming portion: open-book, 221 website (including summaries), Eclipse workspace
 - You may reference any course materials or any code that you did solo or with a partner



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THAVES

“Fifteen”

Arrays (especially
2D)

Creating GUIs
using Swing

Responding to
mouse clicks



Events and listeners

- An *event* is an action taken by the user.
For example:
 - Mouse pressed, mouse released, mouse moved, mouse clicked, button clicked, key pressed, menu item selected, slider moved...
- *Event listeners* are code we write that executes when a certain event occurs, taking appropriate action
 - We do this by implementing the corresponding interface.
- We need to add listeners:
 - `button.addActionListener(new ClickListener());`

Event source

Event responder

JButton example

2. Responder (this JButton) declares that it implements *ActionListener*

```
public class ExampleButton extends JButton implements ActionListener {  
    private ButtonAndMouseFrame frame;  
    public ExampleButton(ButtonAndMouseFrame frame) {  
        this.frame = frame;  
        this.setText("Grow");  
        this.addActionListener(this);  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent buttonEvent) {  
        this.frame.grow();  
    }  
}
```

1. JButton says that it will respond to its own button presses

3. Responder (this JButton) implements the required *actionPerformed* method, that says what to do when the JButton is pressed

4. A JButton often refers to one or more other objects (here, the ButtonAndMouseFrame) that it stores in a field. Need a setFrame(frame) method or pass it in the constructor

Another example: Button in a Panel

- Button is the event source
- Panel has to respond to the event and therefore must listen for events.

```
public TopPanel extends JPanel implements ActionListener {
    private JButton changeColor;

    ...

    public TopPanel(){
        this.changeColor = new JButton("Click to change color");
        this.changeColor.addActionListener(this); //Add the listener to the source
        this.add(changeColor);
    }

    public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e){
        //Change the background color of the panel
    }
}
```

Listener interfaces

- **MouseListener**
 - Click, enter, etc.
- **MouseMotionListener**
 - Move and drag
- **ActionListener**
 - Button presses
- **KeyListener**
- **ChangeListener**
 - Sliders and where we only care about change
- See the API spec for which methods you need to write

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- Question: do I have to write a whole separate class in its own file, just for an actionPerformed method?
 - No! You could use an anonymous listener
 - Simpler code, easier access to variables

Nested classes

- You can define a class inside another class
 - This is called a nested class
 - It has access to the outer class' fields and methods
 - Useful if the inside class is a “helper class” of interest only to the outside class
- You can define a class and construct an instance of it **inside a method**
 - This is called a local inner class
 - Useful if the class is small and the object refers to variables in the outside class
- You can even make the inside class anonymous.
 - This is called an anonymous inner class

This nomenclature is not universal. See http://blogs.oracle.com/darcy/entry/nested_inner_member_and_top for more than you could possibly want to know about this subject

Back to SwingDemo

- Next stages:
 - Pressing a button changes the panel color
 - Pressing ENTER in textField at the top of the screen changes the panel back to red
- Draw the UML for all classes so far
 - Add the listeners.
 - What other connections do I need?
- Code

Mouse Adapter class

- OK to leave most of the 5 MouseListener methods empty.
- Alternative is to extend MouseAdapter, then only override the 1-2 you need



Shapes

The Shape interface

- **Methods:**
 - **contains()**
 - **intersects()**
 - **getBounds()**
 - **getBounds2D()**
 - **getPathIterator()**

Who implements Shape?

```
new Ellipse2D.Double(double x, double y,  
                    double w, double h)
```

```
new Line2D.Double(Point2D p1, Point2D p2)
```

```
new Arc2D.Double(double x, double y,  
                double w, double h,  
                double start, double extent,  
                int type)
```

- See the javadoc for the Shape interface!
- Point2D.Double does not implement Shape

Back to Demo

- Create an arbitrary polygon
- If the user moves the mouse within it, then print, "Got me!" to the console.
- Can you do this by yourself?

Work on Fifteen Spec now

- You need to do 2 things before you start coding:
 - Show us your UML
 - Show us your user stories

UML ideas

- List of components
- For each component
 - Extends a class?
 - Implements interfaces?
 - Creates instances of other components?
 - Has instances of other components?
- For which objects can I use the default Java version and which do I need to extend?
 - Frames, panels: extend
 - Text boxes: use Java's
 - Buttons: it depends