

CPS 108, Spring 2004

- **Software Design and Implementation**
 - **Object oriented programming and design**
 - Language independent concepts including design patterns, e.g., Model-View-Controller, iterator, factory, bridge, ...
 - Design independent concepts, e.g., coupling, cohesion, testing, refactoring, profiling, ...
- **What's in the course?**
 - **C++ and Java, team projects, mastery exams**
 - team projects can be more and less than the sum of their parts
 - **high-level abstractions, low-level details**
 - patterns, heuristics, and idioms

Application Programming Interface, API

- **Standard C++ headers, STL headers**
 - **Curses**
 - **wxWindows**
- **Java API**
 - **java.util, javax.swing, java.net, javax.crypto, ...**
 - **Eclipse SWT**
- **Google API**
- **Gracernote API**

Program Design and Implementation

- **Language independent principles of design and programming**
 - **design heuristics**
 - coupling, cohesion, small functions, small interfaces ...
 - **design patterns**
 - factories, adapter, MVC, decorator, iterator, ...
- **Language specific:**
 - **Idioms**
 - smart pointers, vectors/arrays, overloaded operators ...
 - **idiosyncracies, idiocies**
 - must define virtual destructor, stream zoo in Java, ...

Administrivia

- **check website and bulletin board regularly**
 - `http://www.cs.duke.edu/courses/cps108/current/`
 - See links to bulletin board and other stuff
- **Grading (see web pages)**
 - group projects: small, medium, large
 - mastery programs (solo or semi-solo endeavors)
 - readings and summaries
 - tests
- **Evaluating team projects, role of TA, UTA, consultants**
 - face-to-face evaluation, early feedback
- **Compiling, tools, environments, Linux, Windows, Mac**
 - g++ 3.3, Java 2 aka 1.4, JRE, ...

wordlines.cpp, understanding code

```
typedef map<string, set<int> > linemap;

while (getline(input,line)) {

    linecount++;
    istringstream iline(line);
    while (iline >> w) {
        linemap::iterator it = info.find(w);
        if (it == info.end()) {
            set<int> si;
            si.insert(linecount);
            info.insert(make_pair(w,si));
        }
        else {
            it->second.insert(linecount);
        }
    }
}
```

Questions about wordlines.cpp

- Conceptually, what's a map and what's a set?
- In terms of implementation how do they work?
- What's an iterator (abstractly and concretely)
- What are streams? ifstream, cin/cout, istring/ostring, ...
- What's a templated class?
- Other questions?

Classes: Review/Overview

- **A class encapsulates state and behavior**
 - Behavior first when designing a class
 - Information hiding: who knows state/behavior?
- **State is private/protected; some behavior is public**
 - Private/protected helper functions
 - A class is called an *object factory*, creates lots of instances
- **Classes communicate and collaborate**
 - Parameters: send and receive
 - Containment: has a reference to
 - Inheritance: is-a

C++ (and Java) class construction

- C++ uses .h and .cpp, Java uses .java
 - Documentation different (javadoc vs. ???)
- Default ctor, copy constructor, destructor, assignment operator
 - tvector, string, Date
 - Copy constructor needed to avoid shallow copy
 - In C++ destructors needed to free resources/self, Java?
 - Clone makes copy in Java (rare), share is default
- Private, protected, public, (package)
 - Private default in C++, package default in Java
 - Per method declaration in Java, class sections in C++

Design Criteria

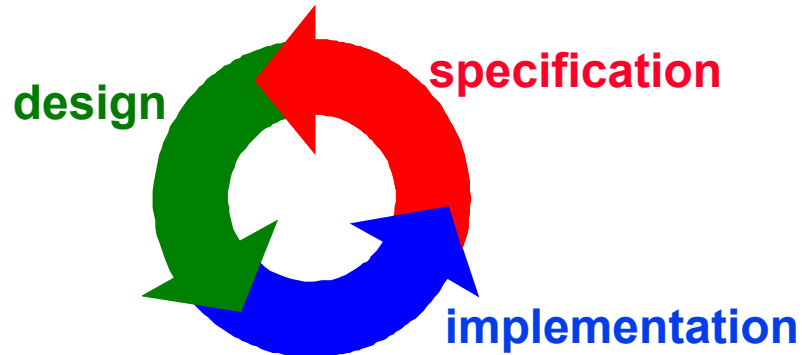
Good design comes from experience, experience comes from bad design

Fred Brooks (or Henry Petroski)

- **Design with goals:**
 - ease of use
 - portability
 - ease of re-use
 - efficiency
 - first to market
 - ?????

How to code

- **Coding/Implementation goals:**
 - **Make it run**
 - **Make it right**
 - **Make it fast**
 - **Make it small**
- **spiral design (or RAD or !waterfall or ...)**
 - **what's the design methodology?**



XP and Refactoring

(See books by Kent Beck (XP) and Martin Fowler (refactoring))

- **eXtreme Programming (XP) is an *agile* design process**
 - **Communication:** unit tests, pair programming, estimation
 - **Simplicity:** what is the simplest approach that works?
 - **Feedback:** system and clients; programs and stories
 - **Courage:** throw code away, dare to be great/different
- **Refactoring**
 - **Change internal structure without changing observable behavior**
 - **Don't worry (too much) about upfront design**
 - **Simplicity over flexibility (see XP)**

Modules, design, coding, refactor, XP

- **Make it run, make it right, make it fast, make it small**
- **Do the simplest thing that can possibly work (XP)**
 - Design so that refactoring is possible
 - Don't lose sight of where you're going, keep change in mind, but not as the driving force [it will evolve]
- **Refactor: functionality doesn't change, code does**
 - Should mean that new tests aren't written, just re-run
 - Depends on modularity of code, testing in pieces
- **What's a module in C++**
 - Could be a class, a file, a directory, a library, a namespace
 - We should, at least, use classes, files, directories

Design Heuristics: class/program/function

(see text by Arthur Riel)

- **Coupling**
 - classes/modules are independent of each other
 - goal: minimal, loose coupling
 - do classes collaborate and/or communicate?
- **Cohesion**
 - classes/modules capture one abstraction/model
 - keep things as simple as possible, but no simpler
 - goal: strong cohesion (avoid kitchen sink)
- **The open/closed principle**
 - classes/programs: open to extensibility, closed to modification

C++ idioms/general concepts

- **Genericity**
 - Templates, STL, containers, algorithms
- **Copy/Assignment/Memory**
 - Deep copy model, memory management “required”
- **Low-level structures**
 - C-style arrays and strings compared to STL, Tapestry
- **const**
 - Good for clients, bad for designers/coders?
- **From C to C++ to Java**
 - function pointers, function objects, inheritance

Standard Libraries

- In C++ there is the *Standard Library*, formerly known as the *Standard Template Library* or *STL*
 - Emphasizes generic programming (using templates)
 - Write a sorting routine, the implementation depends on
 - Elements being comparable
 - Elements being assignable

We should be able to write a routine not specific to int, string or any other type, but to a generic type that supports being comparable/assignable

- In C++ a templated function/class is a code-factory, generates code specific to a type at compile time
 - Arguably hard to use and unsafe

Eric Raymond

- **Open source evangelist**
 - **The Cathedral and the Bazaar**
<http://ot.op.org/cathedral-bazaar.html>
 - **How to construct software**

**“Good programmers know what to write.
Great ones know what to rewrite (and
reuse).”**

- **How to convince someone that guns
are a good idea? Put this sign up:**
- **THIS HOME IS A GUN-FREE ZONE**

