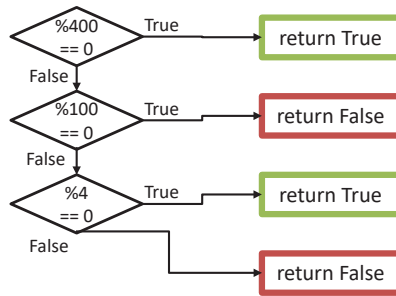


# Compsci 101

## Selection, Lists, Sequences, Totem



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**E** is for ...



- **Escape Sequence**
  - Why `\n` is newline and `\t` is a tab
- **Encryption**
  - From Caesar Ciphers to SSL and beyond
- **Enumerate**
  - Iterating over data, counting
- **Emoticon**
  - 😊 😞

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## Luis von Ahn, Guatemalan entrepreneur

### Duke BS Math 2000, CMU PhD CS

"I build systems that combine humans and computers to solve large-scale problem that neither can solve alone. I call this Human Computation, but others sometimes call it crowdsourcing."

"In college, I thought my goal in life was to get a good GPA, but it's equally important to get involved with a good professor doing good research. Take advantage of what's going on around you."



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## Announcements

- APT-1 is due tonight! 11:30pm
  - Run each APT on the APT tester, 1 grace day
- QZ01-05 extended to Sat night 11:30pm (drop/add)
  - Remaining reading quizzes turn off 10:15am on due date
- Assignment 1 Faces is out, due Jan 27
  - Read the whole thing
  - Take assignment 1 quiz on Sakai – Due Jan 25
- Lab 2 Friday
  - Prelab 2 do before attending lab
- Always, Reading and Sakai quiz before next class

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# PFTD

- Assignment 1
- Selection continued
- Strings
  - Sequence of characters, "CompSci 101"
- Lists
  - Heterogenous sequences
- Sequences
  - len(...), indexing, and slicing

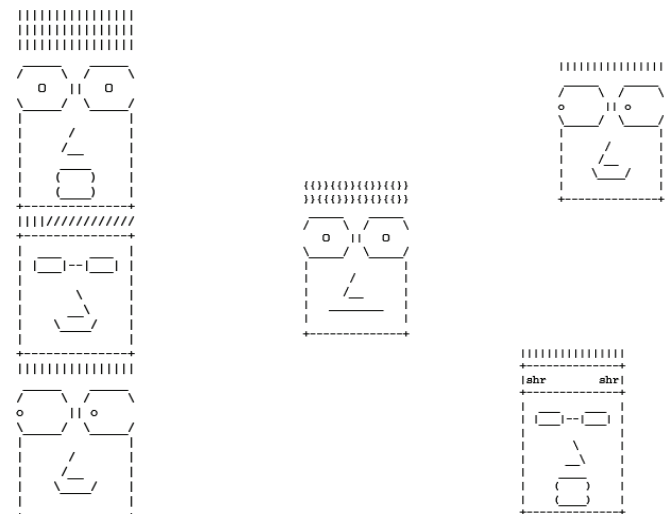
# Finish WOTO-3 from last time

## What does the animal say?

```
7 import random

19 s += "What does a " + animal + " say?\n"
20 which = random.randint(0,1)
21
22 if which == 1:
23     s += otherSound1 + "? No. "
24     s += otherSound2 + "? No. "
25 else:
26     s += otherSound2 + "? No. "
27     s += otherSound1 + "? No. "
28
29 s += sound + "? Yes!\n"
```

## Assignment 1: Faces



# Learning Goals: Faces

- Understand differences and similarities:
  - Function definitions vs function calls
  - Functions with return statements vs those without
  - Functions with parameters vs those without
  - Functions can be arguments
- Be creative and learn lesson(s) about software design and engineering
  - Create a small, working program, make incremental improvements.
  - Read the directions and understand specifications!

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# Function Name Format

Function	Parameters	Returns	Example
part_DESCRIPTION	No parameters	A string	part_smiling_mouth
DESCRIPTION_face	No parameters	No return value, only prints	happy_face
face_with_DESCRIPTION	1 or 2 parameters of type function	No return value, only prints	face_with_mouth
faces_DESCRIPTION	No parameters	No return value, calls face functions	faces_fixed, faces_selfie, faces_random
selfie_band, face_random – helper functions!			

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## Creating your program

Start small and build incrementally



Use seven steps!  
Plan what to do!



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## With functions grow by...

```
8 def part_hair_pointy():
9     a1 = r"012345678901234567"
10    a2 = r" /\///\///\ "
11    return a2
12
13 def happy_face():
14     print(part_hair_pointy())
15
16 def faces_fixed():
17     pass
18
19 def faces_selfie():
20     pass
21
22 def faces_random():
23     pass
24
25 if __name__ == '__main__':
26     print("\nfixed group of three faces\n")
27     faces_fixed()
28
29     print("\ngroup of three self faces\n")
30     faces_selfie()
31
32     print("\ngroup of three random faces\n")
33     faces_random()
```

Minimal code that does run and can be submitted

Where go from here?

- Add face part functions to create happy\_face()
- Create the next face function for faces\_fixed and any new face part functions
- Try a face\_with function
- Go to the next group of faces
- etc.

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# Faces Assignment

## What should you do ...

- Read the assignment
- Do the Assignment 1 reading quiz
- Create project and start writing code (do not need to finish)
- Goal: Find your first question about how to do this assignment then ask on Ed Discussion (anonymously) or at consulting/office hours

## Selection Syntax

```
if BOOLEAN_CONDITION:
    CODE_BLOCK_A
else:
    CODE_BLOCK_B

if BOOLEAN_CONDITION:
    CODE_BLOCK_A
elif BOOLEAN_CONDITION:
    CODE_BLOCK_B
else:
    CODE_BLOCK_C
```

- What is similar and different?
  - What other variations could work?
  - Could only `elif...else` work?
- `if` – required
- `elif` – optional, as many as needed
- `else` – optional, no condition

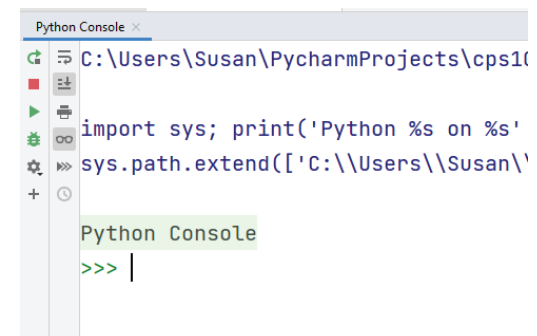
Could this else  
not be here?

## Boolean condition (True/False)

```
if BOOLEAN_CONDITION:
    CODE_BLOCK_A
```

- See `type(3 < 5)`
- Relational operators: `<` `<=` `>` `>=` `==` `!=`
- Boolean operators: `and` `or` `not`

## Console on Booleans



The screenshot shows a Python Console window with the following code and output:

```
Python Console x
C:\Users\Susan\PycharmProjects\cps1
import sys; print('Python %s on %s'
sys.path.extend(['C:\\Users\\Susan\\
Python Console
>>> |
```

# Boolean Operations

	A	B	Result
A and B	True	True	True
A and B	True	False	False
A and B	False	True	False
A and B	False	False	False
A or B	True	True	True
A or B	True	False	True
A or B	False	True	True
A or B	False	False	False
not A	True		False
not A	False		True

IF my cat is hungry **AND** she likes the food, she will eat dinner.

IF it is raining **OR** it might rain today, I will carry an umbrella.

IF I did **NOT** have dessert yesterday, I may have dessert today.

# Example with And and Or

```
x = 3
y = 8
if x < 2 or y > 2:
    print("first")
elif x > 2 and y < 2:
    print("second")
else:
    print("third")
```

```
x = 3
y = 2
if x < 2 or y > 2:
    print("first")
elif x > 2 and y < 2:
    print("second")
else:
    print("third")
```

## WOTO-1 Review Functions and Booleans

<http://bit.ly/101s22-0120-1>

- In your groups:
  - Come to a consensus



	A	B	Result
A and B	True	True	True
A and B	True	False	False

## When is a leap year?

- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leap\\_year](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leap_year)
- “years which are multiples of four (with the exception of years divisible by 100 but not by 400)”
- 2004/4 = 501, 2004/100=20.04, 2004/400=5.01
  - Leap year
- 2200/4 = 550, 2200/100=22, 2200/400 = 5.5
  - Not Leap Year
- 2000/4 =500 and 2000/100 = 20, 2000/400 = 5
  - Leap Year

## WOTO-2: Which LeapYear correct?

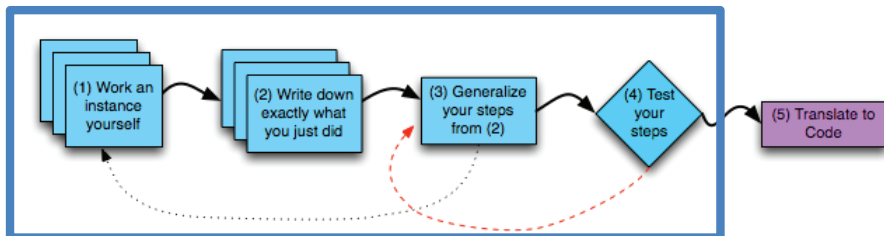
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- is\_leap\_one
- is\_leap\_two

## Which LeapYear correct?

- Is 1900 a leap year?
- Which program is correct?
- What is wrong with the program that is not correct?

## if's or if...elif...else?



- Remember steps 1-4 do not involve code!
- After have plan, choose based on what works best
  - There could be multiple ways to implement it

## Strings

- `x = "chair"`
- `y = "desk"`
- `z = x[2] + y[2] + y[3]`
- `w = len(x)`
- `v = x[ len(y) ]`
- `t = x[ len(x) ]`

# Lists

- Syntax: `[ITEM_1, ITEM_2, ITEM_3, ...]`
  - Starts and ends with square brackets: `[ ... ]`
  - Elements in the list are divided by commas “,”
- Lists can be heterogenous sequence
  - Strings, ints, lists, anything

```
[1, 2, 3]
["hello", "world"]
["count", "off", 1, 2, 3.0, "done"]
```

# Python Sequences

- Types String and List are both sequences
- A sequence in Python has
  - Length - `len(...)`
  - Membership – `in`
  - Indexing and slicing – `[n]`, `[n:m]`
- Difference:
  - String is immutable – cannot change
  - List is mutable – can change

## `len(...)` for Python Sequences

- Length – the number of elements in a sequence
- `len(...)` – returns the length of a sequence
- `s="hello world"    l=["hello", "world"]`
  - What is `len(s)`?
  - What is `len(l)`?

## `in` for Python Sequences

- `in` checks for membership in the sequence
  - True/False – if `element in seq`
- `s="hello world"    lst=["hello", "world"]`
  - What is an element for the string `s`? List `lst`?
  - What is ‘h’ in `s`?
  - What is ‘h’ in `lst`?
  - “hello” in `lst`?

# Indexing Python Sequences

- `s="hello world" l=["hello", "world"]`
- Indexing provides access to individual elements
  - Compare `s[0]` and `l[0]`
    - Start with 0 offset, what is last valid positive index?
  - Compare `s[-1]` and `l[-1]`
    - What is negative index of second to last element?
    - Index `-n` is the same as index `len(seq) - n`

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
H	E	L	L	O		W	O	R	L	D
-11	-10	-9	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1

# Slicing Python Sequences

- `s="hello world"`
- `lst=["my", "big", "beautiful", "world"]`
- Slicing provides sub-sequence (string or list)
  - `seq[n:m]` – all elements `i`, s.t. `n <= i < m`
  - Compare `s[0:2]` and `lst[0:2]`
    - `s[0:2]` is
    - `lst[0:2]` is
  - What is length of subsequence? `len(lst[1:3])`
    - `lst[1:3]` is
    - `len(lst[1:3])` is

# Slicing Python Sequences (more)

- `s = "hello world"`
- `lst=["my", "big", "beautiful", "world"]`
- Slicing provides sub-sequence (string or list)
  - Compare `s[4:-1]` and `lst[2:-1]`
    - `s[4:-1]` is
    - `lst[2:-1]` is
  - Is last index part of subsequence?
- Omit last value. Compare `s[2:]` , `s[:3]`
  - `s[2:]` is
  - `s[:3]` is

# WOTO-3 Sequence Length Indexing

<http://bit.ly/101s22-0120-3>

- In your groups:
  - Come to a consensus