

SCALA IN THE ENTERPRISE

Getting **FuNkEd Up** with the JVM

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Agenda

- Technical Focus
- Adoption of Scala
- Best Practice
- Magnet Compass

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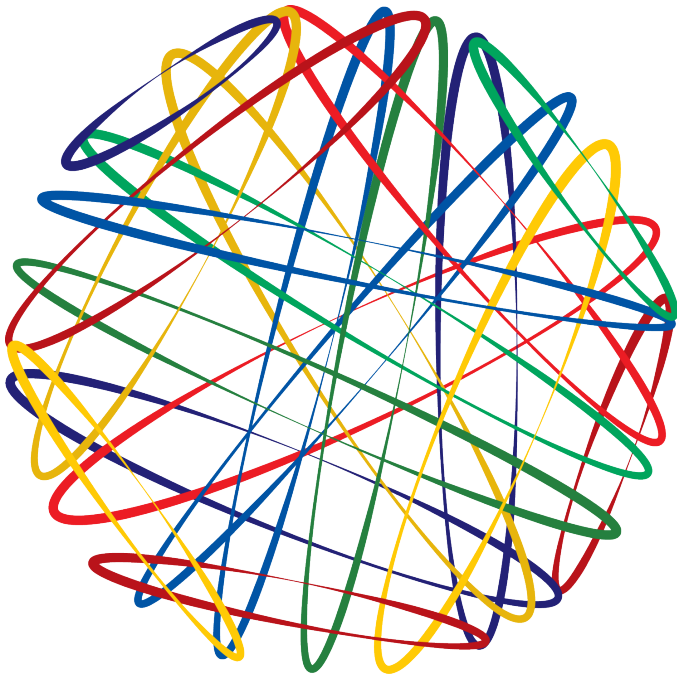


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- **Java Champion**
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- Digital / Finance / E-commerce
- Working on the JVM since 1998



ABOUT ME



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Scala: object-functional language





#1 Unlearn

“Learn a new language, people!”

Expand your horizons

Dianne Marsh

Netflix Director, Engineering Tools

<http://diannemarsh.com/>





SCALA TEST #1

```
import collection.mutable.Stack
import org.scalatest._
```

```
class StackSpec extends
  FlatSpec with Matchers {
  /* ... */
}
```



SCALA TEST #2

```
class StackSpec extends FlatSpec with Matchers {  
  "A Stack" should  
  "pop values in last-in-first-out order" in  
  {  
    val stack = new Stack[Int]  
    stack.push(1)  
    stack.push(2)  
    stack.pop() should be (2)  
    stack.pop() should be (1)  
  }  
  /* ... */  
}
```



SCALA TEST #3

```
class StackSpec extends FlatSpec with Matchers {  
  /* ... */  
  it should  
    "throw NoSuchElementException if an empty  
    stack is popped"  
  in {  
    val emptyStack = new Stack[Int]  
    a [NoSuchElementException]  
    should be thrownBy {  
      emptyStack.pop()  
    }  
  }  
}
```



HOW TO AVOID NULL POINTERS IN SCALA PROGRAMMING?

```
val greeting1: Option[String] =  
  Some("QCL15")
```

```
val greeting2: Option[String] = None
```



PATTERN MATCHING

```
def checker(p : Option[String]): String = {  
  p match {  
    case Some(v) => v  
    case _ => "Unexpected"  
  }  
}
```

```
checker(greeting1) // "Hello QCL15"  
checker(greeting2) // "Unexpected"
```



SCALA'S GENERIC IMMUTABLE LIST COLLECTION TYPE

```
val list: List[Int] = List(1,2,3,4)
list.foreach { x => println(x) }
// 1,2,3,4
```



SCALA'S OPTION BEHAVES LIKE COLLECTION TYPE #2

```
greeting1.foreach { x =>
  println(s"Work: ${x}" ) }
// Work: Hello QCL15
```

```
greeting2.foreach { x =>
  println(s"Work: ${x}" ) }
// *** nothing happens ***
```



#2 Unlearn More

“If you only ever learn one thing in Scala, learn the Collection classes”

Dick Wall

Former JavaPosse Podcaster

<http://scalawags.com/>





JUMP TO INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

```
class DigitalMicroService(  
  warehouseClient: warehouseClient,  
  applicationClient: ApplicationClient  
) extends Logging with PricingFactor {  
  
  def startApplication(productName: String,  
    params: Map[String, String]): Future[AppId] = {  
    applicationClient.startApplication(  
      productName, params)  
  }  
  
  // ...  
}
```



ASYNC SERVICE METHODS

```
class DigitalMicroService(  
  // ...  
  def submit(applicationId: String): Future[Boolean] = {  
    val future: Future[Boolean] = for {  
      result <- applicationClient.submit(applicationId)  
    } yield {  
      result  
    }  
    future recover {  
      case e: DuplicateSubmissionException =>  
        logger.info("Application already submitted: " + e);  
        true  
    }  
  }  
}
```



TESTING WITH SPECIFICATIONS #1

```
class ApplicationClientSpec extends
  Specification with Mocking
  with Futuristic with WsClient {

  val applicationClient =
    new ApplicationClient("/service", ws)

  "start application" should {
    "return the AppId" in {
      /* . . . */
    }
  }
}
```



TESTING WITH SPECIFICATIONS #2

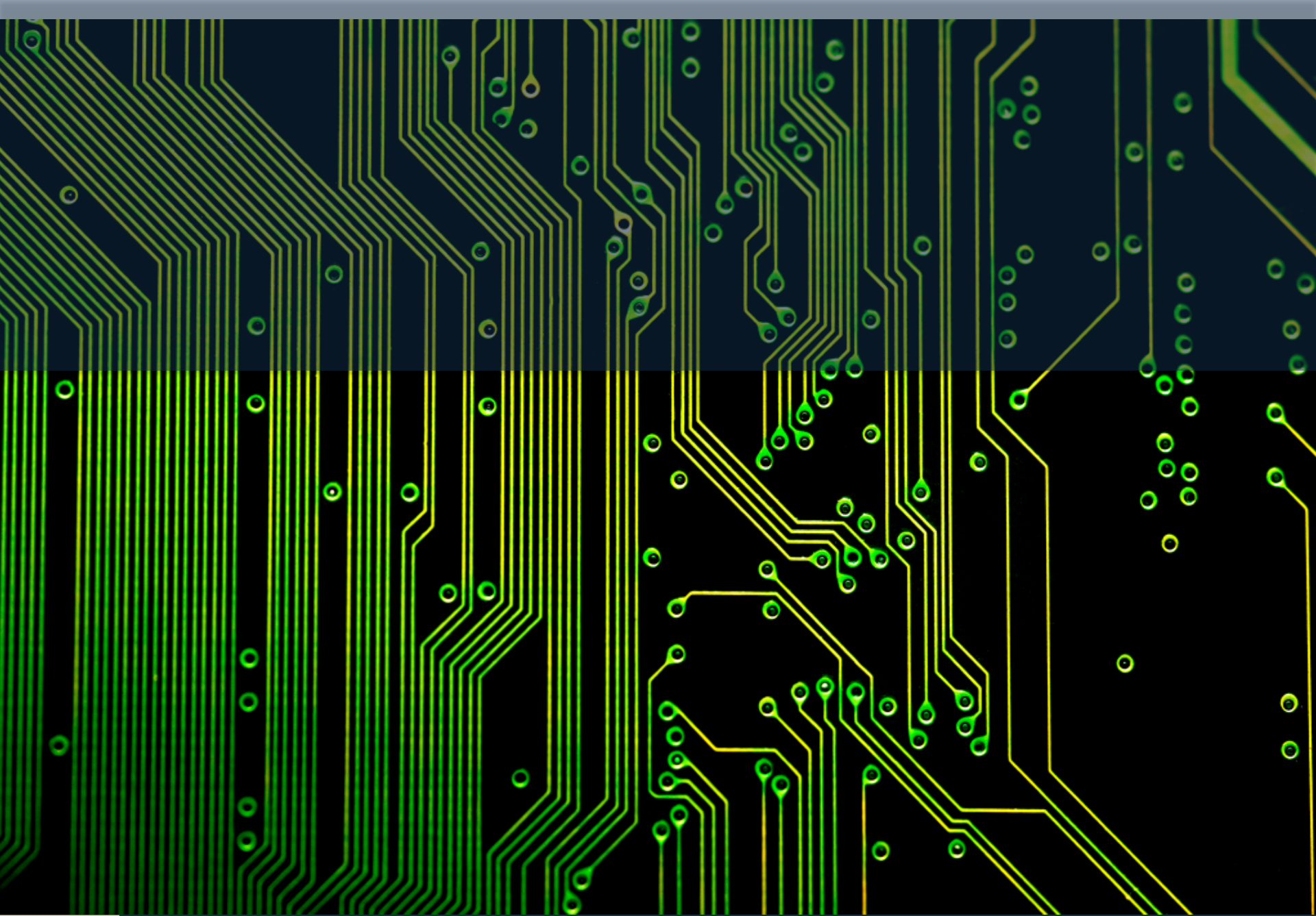
```
"start application" should {  
  "return the AppId" in {  
  
    val responseBodyContent =  
      """"{"id": "777"}""""  
    setUpGlobalResponse(  
      "/service/application", 200, responseBodyContent)  
    response.body returns responseBodyContent  
  
    /* . . . */  
  }  
}
```



TESTING WITH SPECIFICATIONS #2

```
"start application" should { /* ... */
    mockRequestHolder.post(
        Matchers.eq(
            """"{"productName":"digital-service","params":
{}""""
        ))(any[Writable[String]],
            any[ContentTypeOf[String]])
            returns Future.successful(response)
    val responseBody =
        await(applicationClient.startApplication(
            "digital-service", Map()))
    responseBody must_== AppId("777")
}
}
```





Digital Scala Adaptation

So a does a modern Digital Engineer
learn a new language?



Digital Scala Adaptation

The answer is Yes.

Perhaps learn several languages and DSLs. Puppet, SBT, Grunt etc





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#2 DailyWork2014 GOV.UK

- Develop Scala applications
- **Play Framework, RESTful Services, MongoDB**
- **Cucumber** testing: acceptance & functional
- **Collaborative design**, pairing and reviews
- SCRUM, Sometimes Kanban
- Physical storyboards, retros, planning
- Heavy dose of **UX** / User Centric
- **Government Digital Service**





#4 Scala Adoption

Highly competent & talented teams

Motivation is key

Developers drives the decision to learn Scala; already self-organising



#4 Scala Adoption

Somewhat confident and enthusiastic development talented teams

Delivery is key

Large responsibility for the end product; mixed Java and Scala



#4 Scala Adoption

Time sensitive teams

Time change is key

“We like everything you say about Scala, however we can’t do this now.”
Wait for the early adopters to finish.



#4 Scala Adoption

Lesser acquainted teams

Consequences, uncertainty and fear are keys

Overly concerned with risk : politics, society, technology and the unknown-unknowns.

“How does X [Scala] help the business going forward?”



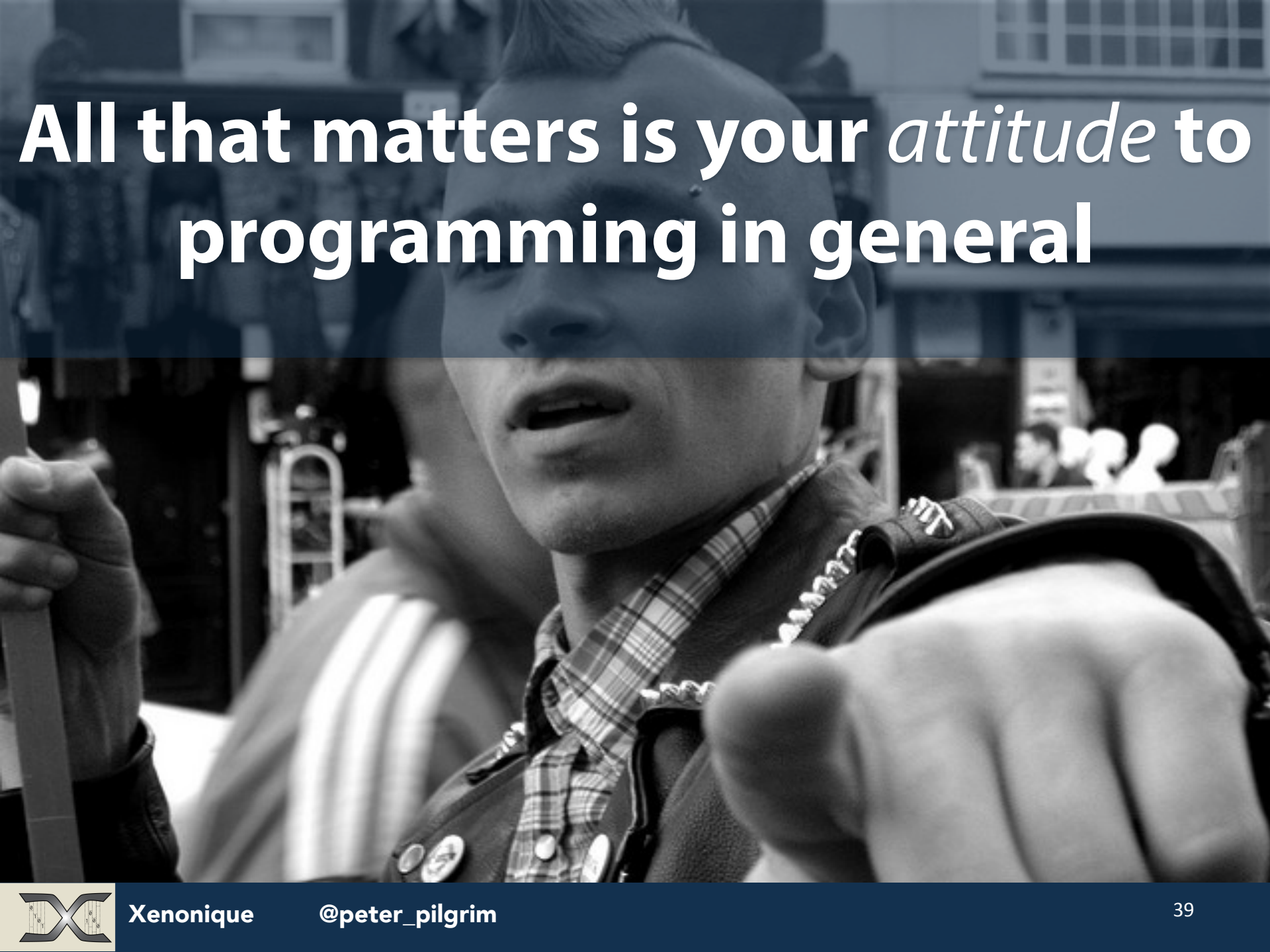


Functional Programming is here



Whether Scala or Java or something entirely alternative





**All that matters is your *attitude* to
programming in general**



Let's look at Java SE 8





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#5 Java SE 8

Very respectful to computer science

Lambdas ↔ Alonzo Church

λ - Calculus (1930)

Lambda expressions



#5 Java SE 8

Function Interfaces

Lambda expressions **Streams**

Default interface methods

Predicates, Filters, Suppliers, **Combiners**,
Collectors, Reducers, Utilities



#5 Java SE 8

The Great Closures Debate 2007

> **anonymous inner classes**
Parallel Streams; Fork Join;
CompletableFuture



#5 Java SE 8

The majority of application programming state of the art (before modularity comes along).

Filter. Map. Reduce. 2015

Processing data over Java
Collections and Streams



LAMBDA JAVA SE 8

```
Function<Double,Double> double= x -> x + x
```

```
Function<Double,Double> square = x -> x * x
```

```
Predicate<String> qconFilter =  
    (x: String) -> x.contains("qcon")
```



LAMBDA JAVA SE 8

```
// However there is no equivalent to Scala  
Function<Double,Double, Double> f1  
    = (x + 2) * (y - 3 )
```

```
// Instead you still define Java interface  
interface Multiple<T,U,R> {  
    R apply(T t, U u );  
}
```

```
Multiple<Double,Double,Double> f1  
    = (x + 2) * (y - 3 )
```



LAMBDA JAVA SE 8

```
Arrays.asList(  
    "Adventure", "Romance", "QCON London", "science")  
    .stream()  
    .map( s -> s.toLowerCase())  
    .filter(qconFilter)  
    .forEach( e -> System.out.println(e) )
```

```
List<String> list = Arrays.asList(  
    "Adventure", "Romance", "QCON London", "science")
```

```
list.stream() .map(String::toLowerCase)  
    .filter(qconFilter)  
    .forEach( System::out::println )
```



DESIGN PATTERN #1 REPLACE FACTORY INTERFACE WITH LAMBDA

```
class TradeFileRetriever {  
    Function<Void,JSch> factory =  
        () -> new JSch();  
  
    void setFactory(  
        Function<Void,JschSession> factory)  
        return this.factory = factory;  
    }  
    // jsch = this.factory.apply();  
}
```



LAMBDA FACTORY #2– MOCK OUT HARD HAT FRAMEWORKS

```
import com.jcraft.jsch.*
```

```
JSch mockJsch = mock(JSch.class)
```

```
Session mockSession = mockSession(Session.class)
```

```
TradeFileRetriever retriever =
```

```
    new TradeFileRetriever();
```

```
retriever.setFactory( () -> mockJsch )
```

```
when(mockJsch.getSession()).thenReturn(  
    mockSession )
```



LAMBDA FLATMAP – I JUST WANT TO PROCESS ONLY TRADE DETAILS

```
class TradeRecord {
    List<String,TradeDetail> tradeDetailMap
        = new TreeMap<>();
    // ...
}

List<TradeRecord> tradeRecords = retrieveSome();

tradeRecords.stream()
    .flatMap( t ->
        t.getTradeDetails().entrySet().stream()
    ).filter( s -> s.getKey().startsWith("ASIA") )
    .forEach( s ->
        System.out.printf("%s -> %s",
            s.getKey(), s.getValue() ));
```



LAMBDA FLATMAP – EMERGENCY REQUEST POSITIONS WITH HSBC

```
IntSummaryStatistics hsbcFundSummary =  
tradeRecords.stream()  
    .flatMap(  
        t -> t.getTradeDetails().entrySet().stream()  
    ).filter(  
        s -> s.getValue().getCurrency().equals("GBP"))  
    .filter(  
        s -> s.getValue().getCounterparty().equals("HSBC"))  
    .collect(  
        Collectors.summarizingInt(  
            s -> s.getValue().getQuantity()));
```







#6

Functional Patterns for Object Oriented People



PREFER FIRST-CLASS FUNCTIONS OVER FUNCTORS

```
// Java Classic
class Comparator<TradeDetail,TradeDetail> {
    public int compare(TradeDetail p1,
        TradeDetail p2) {
        return p1.getCurrency().compareTo(
            p2.getCurrency());
    }
}
```



PREFER FIRST-CLASS FUNCTIONS OVER FUNCTORS

```
// Scala
val currencyComparator =
  (p1:TradeDetail,p2:TradeDetail) =>
    p1.currency.compareTo(p2.currency)

trades.sortWith( currencyComparator )
```



PREFER INTERNAL ITERATORS OVER EXTERNAL ITERATORS

```
static int summation( List<Products> products) {  
    int sum = 0;  
    for (Product e: products) {  
        sum += e.getPrice();  
    }  
    return sum;  
}  
  
// Java
```



PREFER INTERNAL ITERATOR OVER EXTERNAL MEANS

```
// Scala: internal iteration
```

```
products.map( x => x.price ).sum
```

```
products.foldLeft(0) ( _.price + _.price )
```

```
// Soft (closure) white!
```

```
var sum = 0
```

```
products.foreach {  
    e => sum = sum + e.price }  
}
```



PREFER FUNCTIONS OVER THE COMMAND PATTERN

```
// Java
interface Command {
    void execute(Item item)
}

class Ingest implements Command { ... }
class Compress implements Command { ... }
class Enrich implements Command { ... }
```



PREFER FUNCTIONS OVER THE COMMAND PATTERN

```
// Scala
val ingest = (item: Item) => { ... }
val compress = (item: Item) => { ... }
val enrich = (item: Item) => { ... }

val items: List[Item] = ...
items.map { x =>
    ingest(x); compress(x); enrich(x); x }
```



PREFER FUNCTIONS OVER THE COMMAND PATTERN

```
// Scala : NB the order of composition!  
val evenBetter =  
    enrich compose compress compose ingest  
  
val items: List[Item] = ...  
items.map { x => evenBetter(x); x }
```



WHEREVER YOU CAN: FILTER, MAP AND REDUCE

```
val items: List[Item] = ...

val discountShoppingCartPrice =
  items
    .filter( item => item.price > 25.0)
    .map( item => item.nominal )
    .reduce(
      (total, price )
        => total + price * 0.90 )
```



FUNCTION BUILDERS

```
def discounter(percent: Double):  
  (Double) => Double = {  
    require( percent >= 0.0 &&  
             percent <= 100.0 )  
  
    (price: Double) =>  
      price - ( price * percent / 100.0 )  
  }
```



FUNCTION BUILDERS

```
val tenPercenter = discounter(10)
val twentyPercenter = discounter(20)

val finalCartPrice =
  if (customer.loyaltyPoints >= 3000 )
    gardenItemPrices map tenPercenter sum +
    foodItemsPrices map twentyPercenter sum
  else
    ( gardenItemPrices ::: foodItemPrices ) sum
```



REPLACE CONDITIONAL LOGIC WITH PARTIALLY APPLIED FUNCTIONS

```
abstract class Item { val nominal: Double }  
case class GardenItem(val nominal:Double)  
extends Item  
case class EnergyItem(val nominal:Double)  
extends Item
```

```
val gardenTaxCode: PartialFunction[Any, Int] =  
  { case i: GardenItem => i.nominal * 0.025 }
```

```
val energyTaxCode: PartialFunction[Any, Int] =  
  { case i: EnergyItem => i.nominal * 0.015 }
```



REPLACE CONDITIONAL LOGIC WITH PARTIALLY APPLIED FUNCTIONS

```
gardenTaxCode.isDefinedAt( GardenItem(100))  
gardenTaxCode.isDefinedAt( "What is this?")
```

```
val items = List(  
    GardenItem(12.34), EnergyItem(73.99))
```

```
val gardenTax = items collect gardenTaxCode
```



LEAN ON TO TAIL RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS

```
def summation(xs: List[Int]): Int = {  
  xs match {  
    case x :: tail => x + summation(tail)  
    case Nil => 0  
  }  
}
```



LEAN ON TO TAIL RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS

```
def summation(xs: List[Int]): Int = {  
  @tailrec  
  def sum0(xs: List[Int], acc: Int): Int = {  
    xs match {  
      case x :: tail => sum0(tail, acc + x)  
      case Nil => acc  
    }  
  }  
  
  sum0(xs, 0)  
}
```





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Let's Come Up For Air!





#7 Adventures?

Please extend your inspiration to

Recursive functions (Tail Rec)

Focused mutability

Futures and Promises

Control Flow

Domain Specific Languages





#Conclusion(1)

Scala in the Enterprise: *Done*

How far do you want to go (FP)?

Java SE 8 changes everything

Everyone is learning.



#Conclusion(2)

Avoid over reliance on type inference

Break code down

Less is more; Einstein's Simple

Spectrum of abilities, talent

Avoid silos if possible



#Conclusion(3)

Java has lots of frameworks, utilities

Scala has some great tools:

ScalaTest, IDE support

Developers work harder

Conciseness, readability, maintainability





#Conclusion(4)

The Future of Scala

Macros, Modularisation

Compiler performance, Push to FP

Integration with Java Lambdas

Who knows really when or next?

“Always a Left Field contender, there will be” Yodaspeak





#It Yours!

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with the JVM



Digital Java EE 7

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Thank You!

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Peace Pasta from Annie's, with peas, of course.

Give Peace A Chance

