# **CMPS 2143 Object-Oriented Programming**

**Programming Assignment 1 50 points** 

DUE: Wednesday, Sept 13, 2017 @ 1pm

**Purpose:** To implement a dynamic array-based stack and use it to solve a problem; to

implement interactive I/O and file output. Program can be done in Java or C++.

**Problem:** Palindromes - Write a program that uses a stack to determine whether a string

entered at the keyboard has balanced parentheses. A string of characters has balanced parentheses if each right parenthesis occurring in the string can be

matched with a preceding left parenthesis.

Input: All input is from the keyboard and is of type string. Run your program on the following sample input. Also, make up your own data for a second run.

Sample input for one run (not including the prompts):

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()
(()
(())
(I think(therefore I am))
(()()()()
(((()))
(((())))
((as((b)c)))
((()(())))
```

Output: All output goes to both the screen and to a file. Format your output. As usual, you may be creative with your output design.

## C++ vs Java Requirements:

C++

- Must have .h, .cpp files
- Must have output file and display
- Read character by character from input file

#### Java

- No interface file required
- Only output to display
- Read whole string From keyboard

### C++ Hints:

- 1. Read infile.get (ch); to get one character from a line
- 2. Use + to concat a string with char or string, e.g. line = line + ch;
- **3.** Re-initialize line=""; the empty string before the while not '\n' loop

#### Java Hints:

- 1) Use ch = s.charAt (i) to get a character from a string
- 2) Use + to concat a string with other types (built-in types will convert to string
- 3) Use s.length() to get the number of characters in a string

**Turn in**: - source code listings (class (1-2), main)

- 2 input files
- 2 output screens and/or files for two runs of the program
- complete project folder on some storage media
- in a 9x12 envelope