



**UI Engineering Studio. Day 5** 

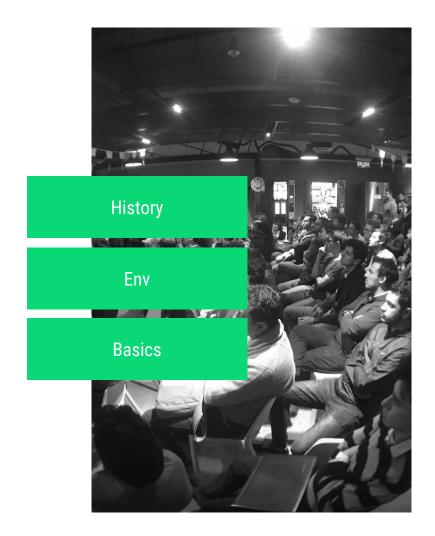




#### **Javascript**

JavaScript (JS) is a lightweight, interpreted or JIT compiled programming language with **first-class functions**. Most well-known as the scripting language for Web pages

-MDN



# UI Boot Camp: JS **History**

- Brendan Eich
- 1995
- Mocha
- Netscape

Nothing related to java, it was popular and they've used it.



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## **History**

ECMA 1,2,3 -> 1999 ( Make it consistent with the existing implementation )

ECMA 4 - > 2000

ECMA 5 -> 2009 First post harmony release. (json, object, strict)

ECMA 6 -> 2015

Year based release.

## **ECMAScript**

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### Env

#### **Ecma**

ActionScript Jscript

#### **Javascript**

Browser. Node ApacheCouch DB



## Coercion

**Type coercion** is the process of converting value from one type to another (such as string to number, object to boolean, and so on). Any type, be it primitive or an object, is a valid subject for type coercion.

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"number" 
$$+ 15 + 3$$

## Scope and context

Every function invocation has both a scope and a context associated with it. Fundamentally, scope is function-based while context is object-based. In other words, scope pertains to the variable access of a function when it is invoked and is unique to each invocation. Context is always the value of the *this* keyword which is a reference to the object that "owns" the currently executing code.

- Ryan Morr

```
function exampleFunction() {
    var x = "declared inside scope";
    this.x= "context of the function";
    console.log(x);

    console.log(this.x);
}
```

## Hoisting

Hoisting is JavaScript's default behavior of "moving" all declarations to the top of the current scope.

```
num = 6;
console.log(num); // returns ?
var num;
```

## **Equal**

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## **Homework: Calculator**



