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Reading 2: 'this' in JavaScript

Mandatory Readings

Before the class of April 5, you are requested to consult and understand the following materials about the 'this' keyword in JavaScript. They are taken from the "You Don't Know JS (yet)" online book.

- 1. 'this' or That?: https://github.com/getify/You-Dont-Know-JS/blob/1st-ed/this%20%26%20object%20prototypes/ch1.md
- 2. 'this' All Makes Sense Now!: https://github.com/getify/You-Dont-Know-JS/blob/1st-ed/this%20%26%20object%20prototypes/ch2.md

Optional Readings

A summary of the previous links is reported in the course slide about 'this': https://polito-wa1-aw1-2022.github.io/materials/slides/1-05-javascript-this.pdf.

Alternative documents that explain the same topic may be found at:

- https://dmitripavlutin.com/gentle-explanation-of-this-in-javascript/
- https://www.javascripttutorial.net/javascript-this/