Arguments over Arguments

you already know this...

@adishavit :: #corecpp2019



```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    std::cout << cmdl[0];</pre>
```

>> myapp -v

C:\corecpp2019\myapp.exe

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    std::cout << cmdl[1];</pre>
```

>> myapp Bach --verbose

Bach

>> myapp --verbose Bach

Bach

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    for (auto arg : cmdl)
        std::cout << arg << ' ';
>> myapp Bach Mozart Chopin
Bach Mozart Chopin
>> myapp 3 2 1 0 -1 -two
3 2 1 0 -1
```



```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    int val = -1;
    cmdl(1) >> val;
    std::cout << val;</pre>
```

>> myapp 42

42



```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    int val = -1;
    cmdl(42, 2019) >> val;
    std::cout << val;</pre>
```

>> myapp 42

2019

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"

int main(int, char* argv[])
{
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);

    if (cmdl["-v"])
        std::cout << "Verbose, I am.\n";
}</pre>
```

>> myapp -v

Verbose, I am.

>> myapp --v

Verbose, I am.

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"

int main(int, char* argv[])
{
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);

    if (cmdl[{ "-v", "--verbose" }])
```

std::cout << "Verbose, I am.\n";</pre>

```
>> myapp -v
```

Verbose, I am.

>> myapp --verbose

Verbose, I am.



```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    int answer = -1;
    cmdl("--answer") >> answer;
    std::cout << answer;</pre>
```

>> myapp --answer=42

42

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
using namespace argh;
int main(int, char* argv[])
    parser cmdl(argv, PREFER_PARAM_FOR_UNREG_OPTION);
    int answer = -1;
    cmdl("--answer", 2019) >> answer;
    std::cout << answer;</pre>
>> myapp --answer 42
42
>> myapp --question 42
2019
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "argh.h"
int main(int, char* argv[])
    argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    float t;
    if (cmdl({ "-t", "--threshold"}) >> t)
        cout << t;
    else
        cout << cmdl("t").str() << " !!!";</pre>
>> myapp -t=2019
2019
>> myapp -threshold=CoreCpp2019
CoreCpp2019 !!!
```



github.com/adishavit/argh

- Header only
- C++11
- BSD
- No non-std deps
- No exception usage
- CMake+Buck builds



* No automatic usage generation – bonus slide...



```
magic...
int main(int argc, char**)
   Foo::usage();
   return EXIT_SUCCESS;
   foo<1>();
   if (argc < 12)
      foo<2>();
   else
      foo<3>();
```

>> myapp

1 2 3

wandbox.org/permlink/29qV9



```
// C++20 magic...
int main(int argc, char**)
   argh::parser cmdl(argv);
    if (cmdl<"Print usage">["--help"])
        std::cout << cmdl.usage();</pre>
    if (cmdl<"Verbose output">[{"v", "verbose"]))
        std::cout << "Verbose, I am.\n";</pre>
```

>> myapp --help

--help Print usage
-v, --verbose Verbose output