

CSC3220 Lab Tutorial Topics – Timer, Web API (Image), Web API (Json)

Timer

1. QTimer references
 - a. Tutorial video
 - i. Tutorial 8-1 Qt Timer <https://youtu.be/ZuAx2eteblA>
 - b. QTimer class reference
 - i. <https://doc.qt.io/qt-5/qtimer.html#details>
 - c. Code usage example
 - i. <https://doc.qt.io/qt-5/qtwidgets-widgets-digitalclock-example.html>
 - ii. Warning: It's using class inheritance, so **may not make the best match** to our Qt widget applications. Supports for this code will be provided to the limited extent.
 - iii. Just for reference.
2. Web API – Image downloading
 - a. Tutorial video
 - i. Tutorial 8-2 Qt ImageDownload <https://youtu.be/n4wt1-nB5Y8>
 - ii. Tutorial 8-3 Map API Set up https://youtu.be/BRrdHnD_y30
 - b. Sample Image (SPU)
 - i. <https://spu.edu/depts/uc/VIS/images/Screen/JPEG/logo-spu-legacy-maroon.jpg>
 - c. How to get bing map api key:
 - i. <https://www.bingmapsportal.com/>
 - ii. Sign up, then go to 'My Account' – 'My Keys' and create a new key.
 - iii. (watch tutorial for more details)
 - d. Bing Map URL generator:
 - i. <https://staticmapmaker.com/bing/>
 - e. Bing Static Map document:
 - i. <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/bingmaps/rest-services/imagery/get-a-static-map>
 - f. Code samples:
 - i. https://wiki.qt.io/Download_Data_from_URL
 - ii. Use a little bit **different scheme** from the tutorial, so I recommend for you to follow the tutorial codes. Supports for this code will be provided to the limited extent.
 - g. Class references:
 - i. <https://doc.qt.io/qt-5/qpixmap.html>
3. Web API – Weather API
 - a. Tutorial video
 - i. Tutorial 8-4 Weather API Set up <https://youtu.be/-d4llohHTKU>
 - ii. Tutorial 8-5 Qt Weather API Implementation <https://youtu.be/teZqJonZxrE>
 - b. OpenWeatherMap
 - i. <https://openweathermap.org/api>
 - ii. https://home.openweathermap.org/api_keys
 - iii. <https://samples.openweathermap.org/data/2.5/weather?zip=94040,us&appid=b6907d289e10d714a6e88b30761fae22> (sample address)
 - iv. https://api.openweathermap.org/data/2.5/weather?zip=98119,us&units=imperial&appid=your_own_app_id
 - c. Class references:
 - i. <https://doc.qt.io/qt-5/qjsonobject.html>