## Lab1

Download the Lab1 started solution from GCULEarn.

Create two classes. Right click your project (Labs) then click add and select new item then select C++ class. Call one Display and the other MainGame. The header files are as follows...

```
#pragma once
#include <SDL/SDL.h>
#include <GL\glew.h>
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
class Display
public:
       Display();
       ~Display();
       void initDisplay();
       void swapBuffer();
private:
       void returnError(std::string errorString);
       SDL_Window* _window; //holds pointer to out window
       int _screenWidth;
       int _screenHeight;
};
#pragma once
#include <SDL\SDL.h>
#include <GL/glew.h>
#include "Display.h"
enum class GameState{PLAY, EXIT};
class MainGame
public:
       MainGame();
       ~MainGame();
       void run();
private:
       void initSystems();
       void processInput();
       void gameLoop();
       void drawGame();
       Display _gameDisplay;
       GameState _gameState;
};
```

Now open up the main, inside the main we simply want to create a new main game and call its run function...

```
#include <iostream>
#include "MainGame.h"
int main(int argc, char** argv) //arguments used to call SDL main
       MainGame mainGame;
       mainGame.run();
       return 0;
}
Now open up Display.cpp and paste the following...
#include "Display.h"
Display::Display()
}
Display::~Display()
{
}
void Display::returnError(std::string errorString)
}
void Display::swapBuffer()
void Display::initDisplay()
}
TODO
```

## constructer:

- set our window to equal a nullpointer for debugging reasons (= nullptr;)
- set the screen width to = 1024
- set the screen height to = 768

### returnError:

- write a simple method that:
  - o takes in a string as an argument and prints it to the screen
  - o asks the user to "press any key to quit..."
  - o takes in a key stroke

o quits SDL (SDL\_Quit();) after the key has been pressed

# swapBuffer:

• swap the buffer of our window (SDL\_GL\_SwapWindow())

# initDisplay:

- initialise SDL (SDL\_Init())
- set up the double buffer (SDL\_GL\_SetAttribute())
- create our window (SDL\_CreateWindow()) using the following arguments "Game Window",
   SDL\_WINDOWPOS\_CENTERED,
   \_screenWidth,
   \_screenHeight, SDL\_WINDOW\_OPENGL
- Create an SDL\_GLContext using SDL\_GL\_CreateContext, pass the pointer to our window as an argument.
- Initalise GLEW
  - o GLenum error = glewInit();
- Check everything initialised, if not use our returnError method to return an error
  - if (\_window == nullptr) call returnError and create a suitable message
  - if (glContext == nullptr) call returnError and create a suitable message
  - if (error != GLEW\_OK) call returnError and create a suitable message
- Set background colour
  - glClearColor(0.0f, 1.0f, 1.0f, 1.0f);

Now open up MainGame.cpp and paste the following...

```
#include "MainGame.h"
#include <iostream>
#include <string>

MainGame::MainGame()
{
}

MainGame::~MainGame()
{
}

void MainGame::run()
{
}

void MainGame::initSystems()
{
}

void MainGame::gameLoop()
{
}

void MainGame::processInput()
{
}
```

```
// old code for testing only
glEnableClientState(GL_COLOR_ARRAY);
glBegin(GL_TRIANGLES);
glColor3f(1.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);
glVertex2f(0, 0);
glVertex2f(0, 500);
glVertex2f(500, 500);
glEnd();

// SWAP BUFFER HERE
}
```

## **TODO**

#### constructer:

- set the gamestate to GameState::PLAY
- create new display, remember to make it a pointer Display\*

### run:

- initialise systems
- run the game loop

# initSystems:

• initialise the game display

# gameLoop:

- while (\_gameState != GameState::EXIT)
  - o process inputs
  - o draw the game

# processInput:

- Create an SDL event
- Get and process the events while(SDL\_PollEvent(&evnt))
- Write a switch statement with a single case switch (evnt.type)
  - case SDL\_QUIT then GameState::EXIT;

#### drawGame:

- set the clear-depth to 1.0 glClearDepth()
- call glclear using the follow arguments GL\_COLOR\_BUFFER\_BIT | GL\_DEPTH\_BUFFER\_BIT
- swap the buffers

Your program should now draw a crude triangle to the screen.