

9. Design a C program to simulate the concept of Dining-Philosophers problem

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1  #include<stdio.h>
2  #include<stdlib.h>
3  #include<pthread.h>
4  #include<semaphore.h>
5  #include<unistd.h>
6
7  sem_t room;
8  sem_t chopstick[5];
9
10 void * philosopher(void *);
11 void eat(int);
12 int main()
13 {
14     int i,a[5];
15     pthread_t tid[5];
16
17     sem_init(&room,0,4);
18
19     for(i=0;i<5;i++)
20         sem_init(&chopstick[i],0,1);
21
22     for(i=0;i<5;i++){
23         a[i]=i;
24         pthread_create(&tid[i],NULL,philosopher,(void *)&a[i]);
25     }
26     for(i=0;i<5;i++)
27         pthread_join(tid[i],NULL);
28 }
29
30 void * philosopher(void * num)
31 {
32     int phil=*(int *)num;
33
34     sem_wait(&room);
35     printf("\nPhilosopher %d has entered room",phil);
36     sem_wait(&chopstick[phil]);
37     sem_wait(&chopstick[(phil+1)%5]);
38
39     eat(phil);
40     sleep(2);
41     printf("\nPhilosopher %d has finished eating",phil);
42
43     sem_post(&chopstick[(phil+1)%5]);
44     sem_post(&chopstick[phil]);
45     sem_post(&room);
46 }
47 void eat(int phil)
48 {
49     printf("\nPhilosopher %d is eating",phil);
50 }
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Output:

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Philosopher 1 has entered room
Philosopher 1 is eating
Philosopher 0 has entered room
Philosopher 3 has entered room
Philosopher 3 is eating
Philosopher 2 has entered room
Philosopher 3 has finished eating
Philosopher 1 has finished eating
Philosopher 0 is eating
Philosopher 2 is eating
Philosopher 4 has entered room
Philosopher 2 has finished eating
Philosopher 0 has finished eating
Philosopher 4 is eating
Philosopher 4 has finished eating
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