

CST 366 - Internet Programming

Spring 2020 - Week 4.2

# **AJAX & JSON**

# Due Date

- Lab 4 due on Sunday 2/23 @ 11:59 PM PST
- Assignment 3 due on Sunday 03/08 @ 11:59PM PST

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- **Types of Values**
  - *Array* : An associative array of values.
  - *Boolean*: True or false.
  - *Number*: An integer.
  - *Object* : An associative array of key/value pairs.
  - *String* : Several plain text characters which usually form a word

# What is JSON ?

- Some JSON examples

```
"foo" : {  
  "bar" : "Hello",  
  "baz" : [ "quuz", "norf" ]  
}
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# View JSON Data

- The JSON data returned to every page and block can be viewed and accessed via a URL or template formatter.
- Let's try this:  
<http://base-template.squarespace.com/blog/?format=json-pretty>

# AJAX & JSON

- Demo 6\_AJAX\_2



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Todo list

Completed

☒ True ☐ False

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- Build a web-interface to query a list todos from <https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/todos>
  - Depend on the user choice, display the corresponding queried results
- You can use the demo files as a starter code

Todo list

Completed ☒ True ☐ False

Query Todos

Completed Todos : true

et porro tempora  
quo adipisci enim quam ut ab  
illo est ratione doloreque quia maiores aut  
vero rerum temporibus dolor  
ipsa repellendus fugit nisi  
repellendus sunt dolores architecto voluptatum  
ab voluptatum amet voluptas  
accusamus eos facilis sint et aut voluptatem  
quo laboriosam deleniti aut qui  
molestiae ipsa aut voluptatibus pariatur dolor nihil  
ullam nobis libero sapiente ad optio sint  
distinctio vitae autem nihil ut molestias quo  
voluptas quo tenetur perspiciatis explicabo natus  
aliquam aut quasi  
veritatis pariatur delectus

Todo list

Completed ☐ True ☒ False

Query Todos

Completed Todos : false

delectus aut autem  
quis ut nam facilis et officia qui  
fugiat veniam minus  
laboriosam mollitia et enim quasi adipisci quia provident illum  
qui ullam ratione quibusdam voluptatem quia omnis  
illo expedita consequatur quia in  
molestiae perspiciatis ipsa  
et doloreque nulla  
dolorum est consequatur ea mollitia in culpa  
suscipit repellat esse quibusdam voluptatem incidunt  
et itaque necessitatibus maxime molestiae qui quas velit  
adipisci non ad dicta qui amet quaerat doloribus ea  
nesciunt totam sit blanditiis sit  
laborum aut in quam  
repudiandae totam in est sint facere fuga  
earum doloribus ea doloreque quis  
sint sit aut vero  
porro aut necessitatibus eaque distinctio  
sunt cum tempora