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Title: DragonSMS 2 - Cleaning the Mess

Document: Design Pattern Documentation

1. Strategy	
Type	Behavioral
Intent	Enable algorithm behavior to be selected during runtime
Implementing classes	
<code>dragonsms.IOStream</code>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Simple class that contains a selectable <code>InputStream</code> and <code>OutputStream</code>• Used by <code>DragonServer</code> for indefinitely passing messages between two streams• You can change either using <code>setIn()</code> / <code>setOut()</code>	
2. Memento	
Type	Behavioral
Intent	Provides ability to restore state of objects
Implementing classes	
<code>dragonsms.session.SessionManager</code>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class that manages opening, closing, and saving of user sessions• Allows saving of user's room and game state using <code>startNewSession()</code> and <code>restoreSession()</code> methods• Connects with hibernate database through the <code>SessionDao</code> and <code>SessionRepository</code> classes	
3. Prototype + Factory	
Type	Creational
Intent	Handles creation of new objects via cloning a prototype
Implementing classes	
<code>com.elegantsms.util.TypeConverterFactory</code>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creates common <code>TypeConverter</code> classes by cloning previously created prototypes• E.g. <code>TypeConverter<Integer></code> is created from <code>TypeConverterFactory.createConverter(Integer.class)</code>• The default <code>TypeConverterMap</code> is also created by cloning a copy of the collection• Used so that I won't need to create the anonymous objects in the factory method itself, just recycle the previous classes	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Builder	
Type	Creational
Intent	Polymorphically builds an object step-by-step to avoid telescoping constructor anti-pattern

Implementing classes

`com.elegantsms.framework.DispatchMethod -> StringBuilder`

- Uses `StringBuilder` to convert the `SmsQuery` pattern to a usable Regular Expression
- So that it's more efficient to create the `String` instead of concatenating everything

5. Singleton

Type	Creational
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Intent	Restricts instantiation of a class to one object
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Implementing classes

`dragonsms.session.SessionDao`

- Package-private singleton class that is accessible by all `SessionManager`
- Provides a single reference to the `Session` database table through hibernate
- Only one reference is needed even if there are multiple `SessionManagers` accessing the same hibernate instance

6. Decorator

Type	Structural
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Intent	Allows behavior to be added to an individual object dynamically
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Implementing classes

`com.elegantsms.framework.SmsApplication`

- Allows dynamic addition of new `SmsModules` and `TypeConverters` without altering its structure
- One can simply call `addModule()` and `addTypeConverter()` methods for the application, for instance when one wants to use custom classes

`com.elegantsms.framework.SmsModule`

- Fields can be decorated with `@SmsInjection` so that one can add objects to a module through the `SmsApplication` owning the module

`com.elegantsms.framework.SmsQuery`

- Can be decorated with `@CaseSensitive`, `@DispatchPriority`, `@RegexDebug`, and `@ArrayDelim`