Code Challenge



First-in, First out Animal Shelter.

Specifications

- Read all of these instructions carefully. Name things exactly as described.
- Do all your work in a public repository called <u>data-structures-and-algorithms</u>, with a well-formatted, detailed top-level README.md.
- Create a new branch in your repo called **fifo_animal_shelter** |.
- Your top-level readme should contain a "Table of Contents" navigation to all of your challenges and implementations so far. (Don't forget to update it!)
- This assignment should be completed within the <u>challenges</u> subdirectory of the repository.
- On your branch, create...
 - C#: a new .NET Core console project named FIFOAnimalShelter .
 Within your Program.cs create a new static method outside of Main() following the naming conventions below. Call your newly created method in Main() once complete.
 - JavaScript: a folder named <u>fifoAnimalShelter</u> which contains a file called <u>fifo-animal-shelter.js</u>
 - Python: a folder named <u>fifo_animal_shelter</u> which contains a file called <u>fifo_animal_shelter.py</u>
 - Java: a folder named <u>fifoAnimalShelter</u> which contains a file called <u>AnimalShelter.java</u>
- Include any language-specific configuration files required for this challenge to become an individual component, module, library, etc.
 - NOTE: You can find an example of this configuration for your course in your class lecture repository.

Feature Tasks

- Create a class called AnimalShelter which holds only dogs and cats. The shelter operates using a *first-in*, *first-out* approach.
- Implement the following methods:
 - <u>enqueue(animal)</u>: adds <u>animal</u> to the shelter. <u>animal</u> can be either a dog or a cat object.
 - <u>dequeue(pref)</u>: returns either a dog or a cat. If <u>pref</u> is not <u>"dog"</u> or "cat" | then return null.

Stretch Goal

If a cat or dog isn't preferred, return whichever animal has been waiting in the shelter the longest.

Requirements

Ensure your complete solution follows the standard requirements.

- 1. Write unit tests
- 2. Follow the template for a well-formatted README
- 3. Submit the assignment following these instructions

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