TP09

Exceptions

Remarks:

- ✓ All classes need to have validations
- ✓ All validation errors are in form of Exceptions
 (example: "Invalid date of birth" → BirthDateException
 where BirthDateException is your custom exception class)

Exceptions

When executing Java code, different errors can occur:

- Coding errors made by the programmer,
- Errors due to wrong input, or
- Other unforeseeable things.

When an error occurs, Java will normally stop and generate an error message. The technical term for this is: Java will throw an exception (or throw an error).

Example:

```
public class MyClass {
    public static void main(String[ ] args) {
        int[] myNumbers = {1, 2, 3};
        System.out.println(myNumbers[10]); // error!
    }
}
```

To handle exception we use try...catch syntax:

```
public class MyClass {
    public static void main(String[ ] args) {
        try {
            int[] myNumbers = {1, 2, 3};
            System.out.println(myNumbers[10]);
        } catch (Exception e) {
            System.out.println("Something went wrong.");
        }
    }
}
```

The finally statement lets you execute code, after try...catch, regardless of the result.

For example:

```
public class MyClass {
  public static void main(String[ ] args) {
    try {
      int[] myNumbers = {1, 2, 3};
      System.out.println(myNumbers[10]);
    } catch (Exception e) {
      System.out.println("Something went wrong.");
    } finally {
      System.out.println("The 'try catch' is finished.");
    }
}
```

To generate exception, we use keyword throw:

```
public class MyClass {
    static void checkAge(int age) {
        if (age < 18) {
            throw new ArithmeticException("Access denied - You must be at
least 18 years old.");
        }
        else {
            System.out.println("Access granted - You are old enough!");
        }
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        checkAge(15); // Set age to 15 (which is below 18...)
    }
}</pre>
```

TP09.1. Student class

Implement the "**Student**" class. It's necessary to save in the attributes the following data: *name*, *date of birth*, *telephone number*, *city*, *country*, *the group* (A, B, ...). Do the following tasks:

- 1. Implement the methods for a data input (read from keyboard and fill in the fields), for a data output,
- 2. implement the accessors (ex: getName() is accessor of name field) to access the separate attributes,
- 3. Implement the mutators (ex: setName(String name) is mutators of name field).

TP09.2. Point class

Implement the "**Point3D**" class. One should store the coordinates x, y, z in the attributes. Implement methods for a data input, for a data output, implement the accessors and mutators.

TP09.3. Book class

Create a Java class represents **Book** information in GIC library. Class contains all needed information for librarian and students to:

- 1. Search (by title, description, category (math, Java, etc.), isbn, author(s), published date...)
- 2. Check availability for borrow
- 3. Check number of books in inventory
- 4. Decrease and increase number or books in inventory
- 5. Borrow (some books can be borrowed, some cannot)

The class Book need methods:

- 1. Data input (user input from keyboard to create new book)
- 2. Display book information

Note: This class should prevent all type of errors of input by user.

TP09.4. Book Category class

Using previously created class **Book** as references and reuse it. Create new class name **Category** represents category of the book. The category class should have:

- 1. Name, Description, ArrayList of Books
- 2. Data input to create new category
- 3. Data input to add/remove book(s) in the category
- 4. Method to list all books
- 5. Find books in this category (by ISBN or Title)
- 6. Count books in this category

TP09.5. Library class

Using previously created classes above as references and reuse them. Create new class name **Library** represents GIC library. This class should be able to:

- 1. List all categories
- 2. List books by categories
- 3. List books by year
- 4. List available books
- 5. Add new books
- 6. Decrease book by isbn
- 7. Remove book by isbn
- 8. Add new copies of book
- 9. Mark book not available to borrow
- 10. Let student borrow the book, max 5 books, max 1 week (if the student not yet return the previous borrowed books, he/she can't borrow more)
- 11. List students that borrowed the books
- 12. Let student to return book