MAKING IT GENERIC

JON-TAIT BEASON

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GLOWFORGE

GENERICS: ABSTRACTION & SPECIALIZATION

ABSTRACTING AWAY PROGRAM DIFFERENCES TO GET A SINGLE UNIFIED GENERIC PROGRAM

GENERICS: FLEXIBILITY

```
struct Resource<Attribute> {
   let attribute: Attribute

///
}
```

GENERICS: TYPES

- > VALUE
- > FUNCTION
 - > TYPE

GENERICS BY VALUE

HOPEFULLY WE ARE ALL DOING THIS WELL



GENERICS BY VALUE: ASCII ART

```
*
**
***
***
****
func drawAsciiArt() {
    print("*")
    print("**")
    print("***")
    print("****")
    print("*****")
```

GENERICS BY VALUE: ASCII ART

```
func drawAsciiTriangle(height: Int, ascii: Character) {
    for row in 1...height {
        var line = ""
        for _ in 1...row {
            line.append(ascii)
        print(line)
```

GENERICS BY VALUE: ASCII ART

drawAsciiTriangle(height: 7, ascii: "60")

- (13°)
- (30 (30

GENERICS BY FUNCTION WHOO

GENERICS BY FUNCTION

```
func makeLowerCase(list: [String]) -> [String] {
    var lowerCaseList: [String] = []
    for string in list {
        lowerCaseList.append(string.lowercased())
    return lowerCaseList
let lowercased = makeLowerCase(list: ["ONE", "LOVE", "mi", "bredda"])
// ["one", "love", "mi", "bredda"]
```

GENERICS BY FUNCTION

```
func evenOdd(list: [Int]) -> [Bool] {
    var evenOddBools: [Bool] = []
    for number in list {
        evenOddBools.append(number % 2 == 0)
    return evenOddBools
let evenOddList = evenOdd(list: Array(1...5))
// [false, true, false, true, false]
```

GENERICS BY FUNCTION: MAP

TRAVERSING A LIST APPLYING A TRANSFORM FUNCTION

```
// make lower case
lowercased()

// even odd
number % 2 == 0
```

GENERICS BY FUNCTION: MAP

```
extension Array {
    func map<T>(_ transform: (Element) -> T) -> [T] {
        var result: [T] = []
        for x in self {
            result.append(transform(x))
        return result
```

MAP: FLEXIBLE AND SAFE

```
let lowercased = ["ONE", "LOVE", "mi", "bredda"].map { $0.lowercased() }
// ["one", "love", "mi", "bredda"]

let evenOddList = Array(1...5).map { $0 % 2 == 0 }
// [false, true, false, true, false]
```

GENERICS BY TYPE: STACK CONTROLLING TYPE EXPANSION

GENERICS BY TYPE: STACK

```
list // Can be an array
push(value: Int) // Adds an element to the list
pop() -> Int? // Removes the last element from the list.
```

GENERICS BY TYPE: EMOJI STACK

```
class Stack {
    private var list: [Character] = []
    func push(value: Character) {
        list.append(value)
    func pop() -> Character? {
        return list.popLast()
let emojiStack = Stack()
emojiStack.push(value: """)
```

GENERICS BY TYPE: INT STACK?

```
let intStack = Stack()
intStack.push("23")
```

// Cannot convert value of type Int to expected argument type Character

GENERICS BY TYPE: INT STACK

```
class IntStack {
    private var list: [Int] = []
    func push(value: Int) {
        list.append(value)
    func pop() -> Int? {
        return list.popLast()
let intStack = IntStack()
intStack.push(value: 23)
```

GENERICS BY TYPE

```
class Stack<Element> {
    private var list: [Element] = []
    func push(value: Element) {
        list.append(value)
    func pop() -> Element? {
        return list.popLast()
```

GENERICS BY TYPE

```
let intStack = Stack<Int>()
intStack.push(value: 23)

let emojiStack = Stack<Character>()
emojiStack.push(value: "***)

// No shade from the compiler
```

JAVASCRIPT OBJECT NOTATION: JSON

PARSING HETEROGENEOUS DATA

JSON

```
"firstName": "Jah Zie",
"lastName": "Tini",
"age": 35,
"address": {
    "streetAddress": "247 My Bag",
    "city": "Seattle",
    "state": "WA",
    "postalCode": "98104"
```

JSON & GENERICS

```
struct Person: Codable {
    let firstName: String
    let lastName: String
    let age: Int
    let address: Address
let decoder = JSONDecoder()
let jaz = decoder.decode(Person.self, from: jsonData)
```

GENERICS: JSON API

```
"meta": {
    "type": "identifier",
    "id": "0b6a12ec-343d-4830-b029-4ed648e4c5d7",
    "resource_type": "print"
"data": {
    "type": "print",
    "id": "1c871eec-44e7-4123-b14e-3e51646f6d5c"
```

JSON AT GLOWFORGE

```
struct Printer: Codable {
   let id: String
struct PrintActivity: Codable {
   let timeRemaining: Double
```

META

```
enum ResourceType: String, Codable {
    case printActivity
    case printer
struct Meta: Codable {
    let type: MetaType
    let id: String
    let resourceType: ResourceType
```

DATA: RESOURCE PACKET

```
struct ResourcePacket<Resource: Codable>: Codable {
    let type: ResourceType
    let id: String
    func incomingRequest() -> APIRequest<Resource> {
        return APIRequest(id: id, type: type)
```

API REQUEST

```
struct APIRequest<Resource: Codable> {
    let id: String
    let type: ResourceType
    var url: String {
        var dns = "www.glowforge.com"
        switch type {
        case .printActivity:
            dns += "/prints/\(id)"
        case .machine:
            dns += "/printers/\(id)"
        return dns
```

RESOURCE IDENTIFIER

```
struct ResourceIdentifier<Resource: Codable> {
    let meta: Meta
    let data: ResourcePacket<Resource>
    var request: APIRequest<Resource> {
        return data.incomingRequest()
```

NETWORK CALL

```
class API {
    func perform<Resource>(_ request: APIRequest<Resource>, completion: @escaping(Resource) -> Void) {
        ///...
        if let resource = try? decoder.decode(Resource.self, from: data) {
            completion(resource)
        }
    }
}
```

OBJECT MANAGER

SOCKET MESSAGE RECEIVED

```
func socketMessageReceived(meta: Meta, data: Data) throws {
    let decoder = JSONDecoder()
    switch meta.resourceType {
    case .printer:
        let packet = try decoder.decode(ResourcePacket<Printer>.self, from: data)
        let identifier = ResourceIdentifier(meta: meta, data: packet)
        printerManager.updateReceived(identifier: identifier) {    printer in
            /// Use printer here
    case .printActivity:
        /// Handle print activity here
```

TAKE AWAY

HIGHLY REUSABLE COMPONENTS MUST BE BUILT WITH A MINIMUM SET OF REQUIREMENTS

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