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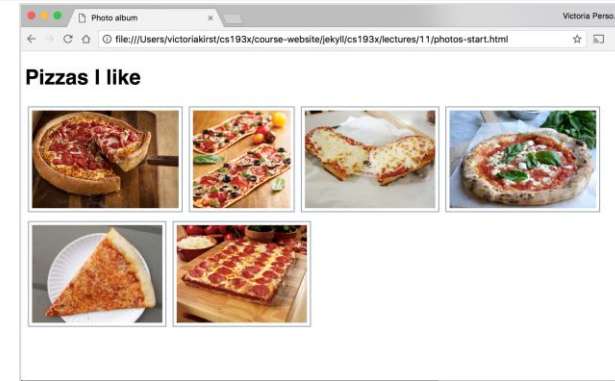
- API
- Loading data from files
 - Fetch API
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Tutorials: Playing Cards, Flash cards
Assignment: Dog type - Personality

WHERE IS THE DATA FROM?



Card boards



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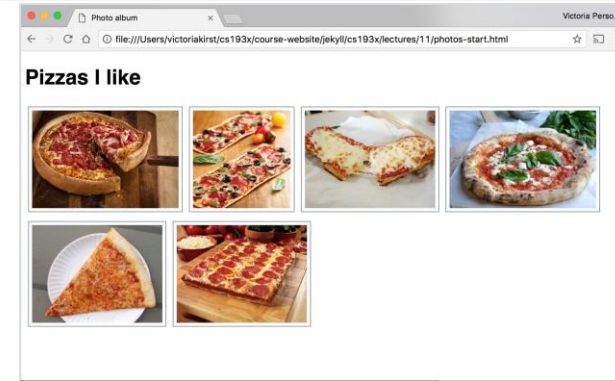
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data.js, ...



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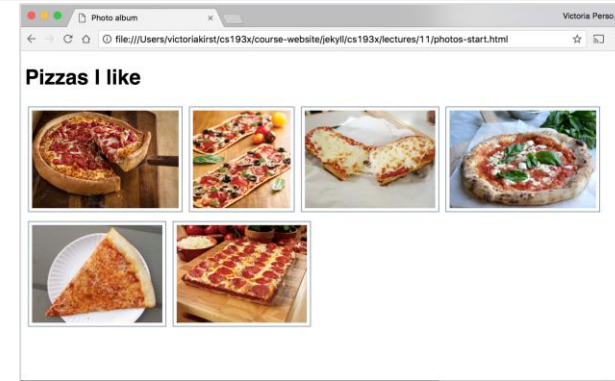
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Database, [3rd party] API

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Database*, [3rd party] API+

DYNAMIC

* Database = Files + Database Management System (DBMS)
+ Facebook API, Google API, Github API...

Loading data from files

Loading data from a file

What if you had a list of images in a text file that you wanted to load in your web page?

```
1 https://media1.giphy.com/media/xNT2CcLjhbI0U/200.gif
2 https://media2.giphy.com/media/3o7btM3VVVntssGReo/200.gif
3 https://media1.giphy.com/media/l3q2uxEzLIE8cWMq4/200.gif
4 https://media2.giphy.com/media/LDwL3ao61wfHa/200.gif
5 https://media1.giphy.com/media/3o7TKMt1VVNkHV2PaE/200.gif
6 https://media3.giphy.com/media/DNQFjMJbbsNmU/200.gif
7 https://media1.giphy.com/media/26FKTsKMKtUSomuNq/200.gif
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23 https://media4.giphy.com/media/Tv3m2GAA12Re8/200.gif
24 https://media2.giphy.com/media/9nujydsBLz2dq/200.gif
25 https://media3.giphy.com/media/AG39l0rHgkRLa/200.gif
```

Intuition: loadFromFile

If we wanted to have an API to load **external** files in JavaScript, it might look something like this:

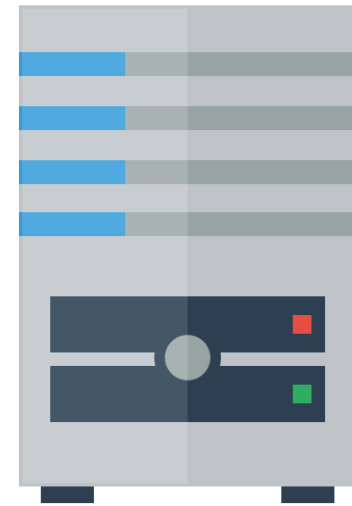
```
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const contents = loadFromFile('images.txt');
```

First: Servers again

Servers

Sometimes when you type a URL in your browser, the URL is a **path to a file** on the internet:

- Your browser connects to the host address and requests the given file over **HTTP**
- The web server software (e.g. Apache) grabs that file from the server's local file system, and sends back its contents to you



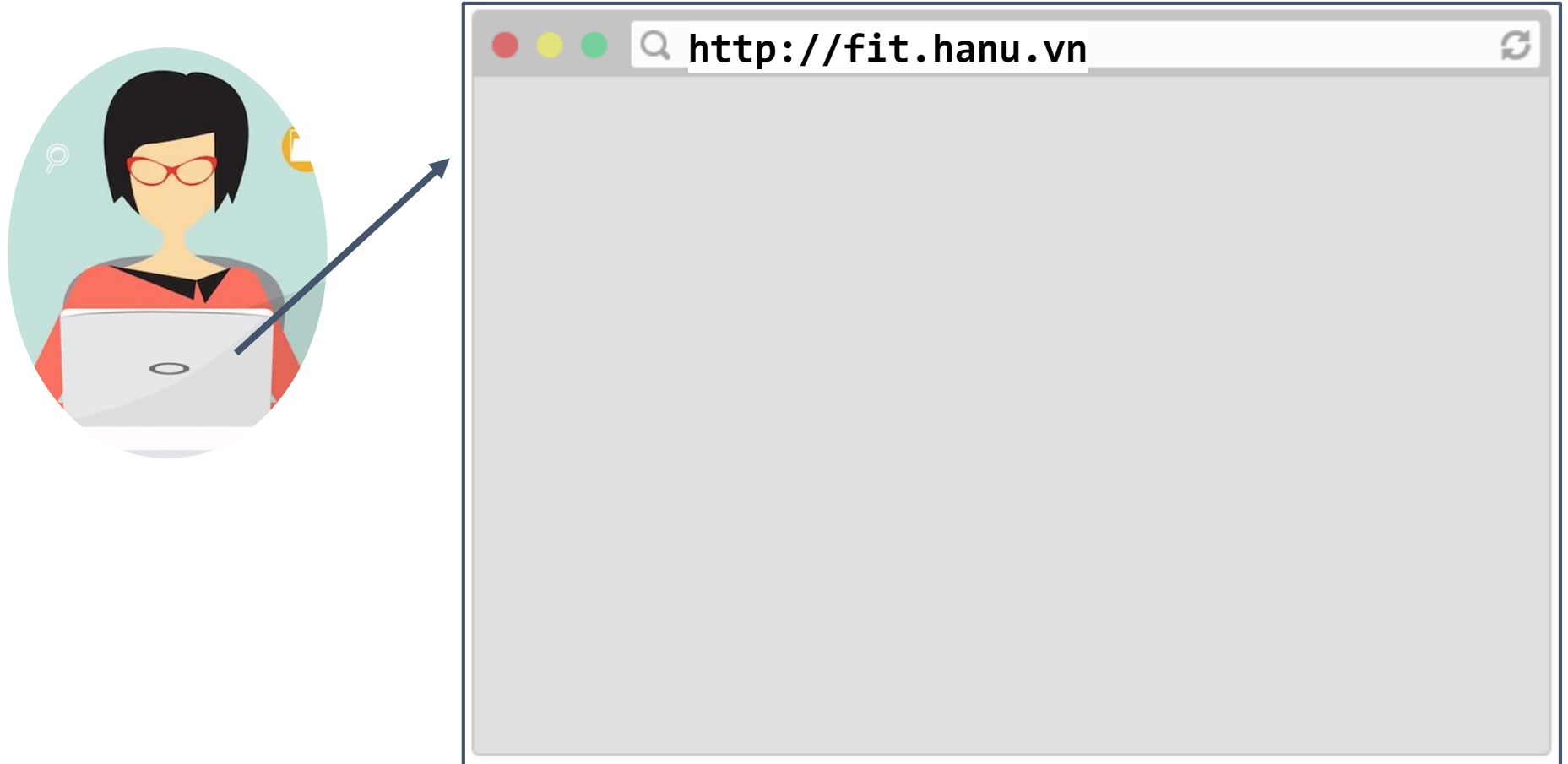
[HTTP](#): Hypertext Transfer Protocol, the protocol for sending files and messages through the web

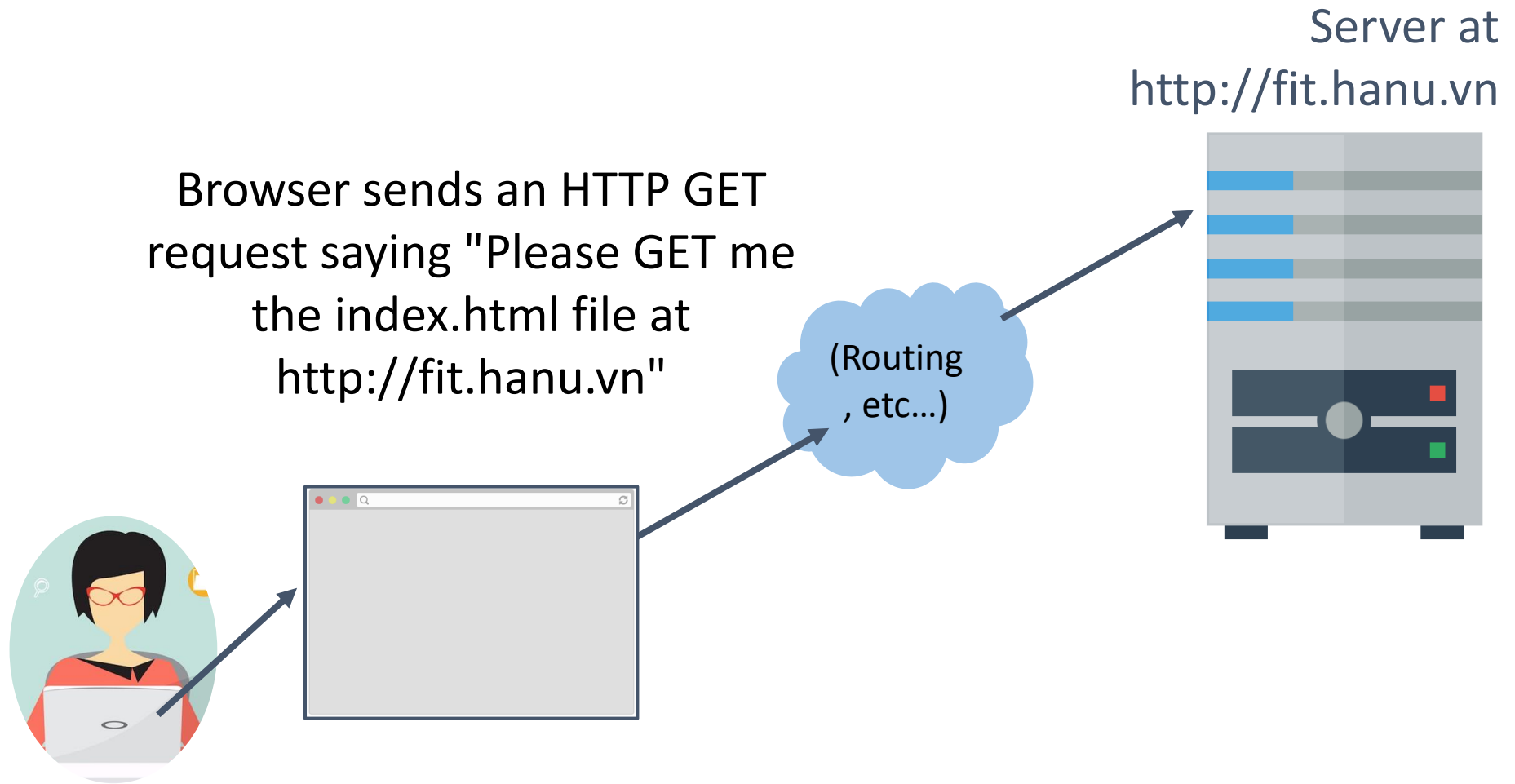
HTTP methods

HTTP Methods: the set of commands understood by a web server and sent from a browser

- **GET:** request/retrieve data
This is request sent by the browser automatically whenever you navigate to a URL!
- **POST:** send/submit data
- **PUT:** upload file
- **PATCH:** updates data
- **DELETE:** delete data
- [More HTTP methods](#)

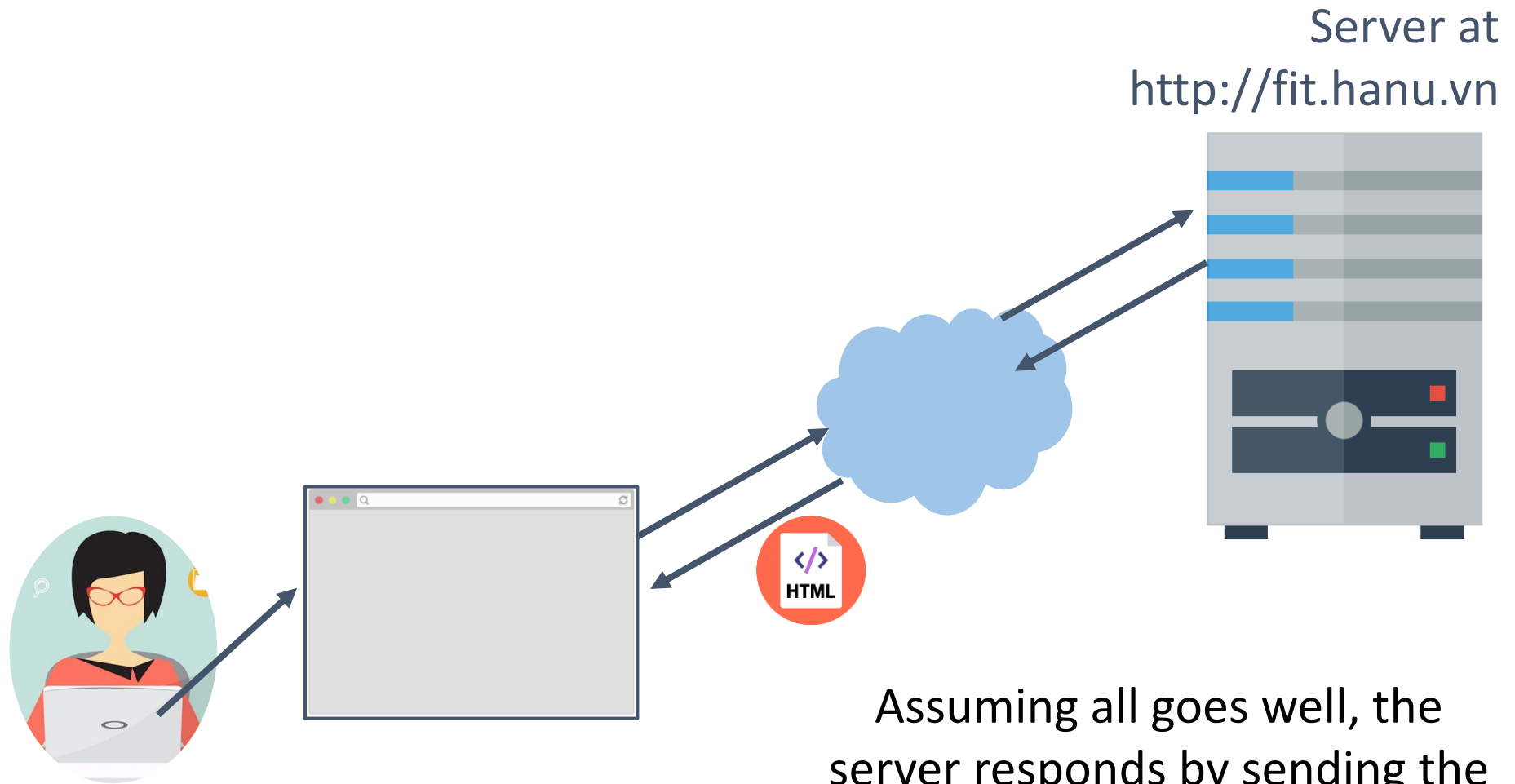
You type a URL in
the address bar and
hit "enter"





(Warning: Somewhat inaccurate,
massive hand-waving begins now.

See [this Quora answer](#) for slightly more detailed/accurate handwaving)

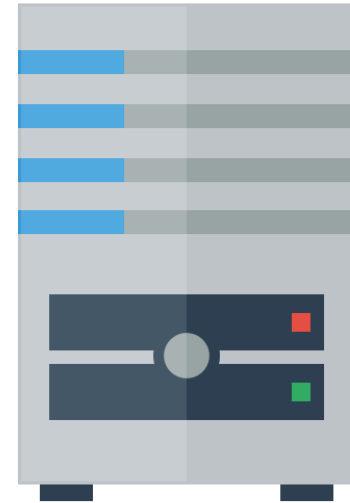


Assuming all goes well, the server responds by sending the HTML file through the internet back to the browser to display.

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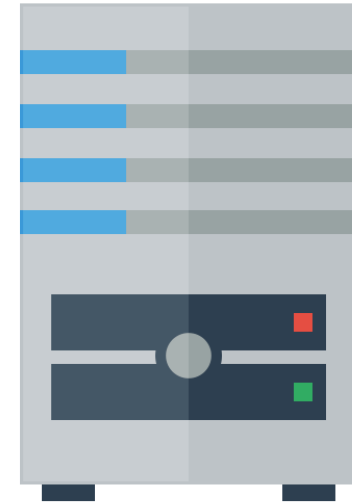
But that's not always the case.

Web Services

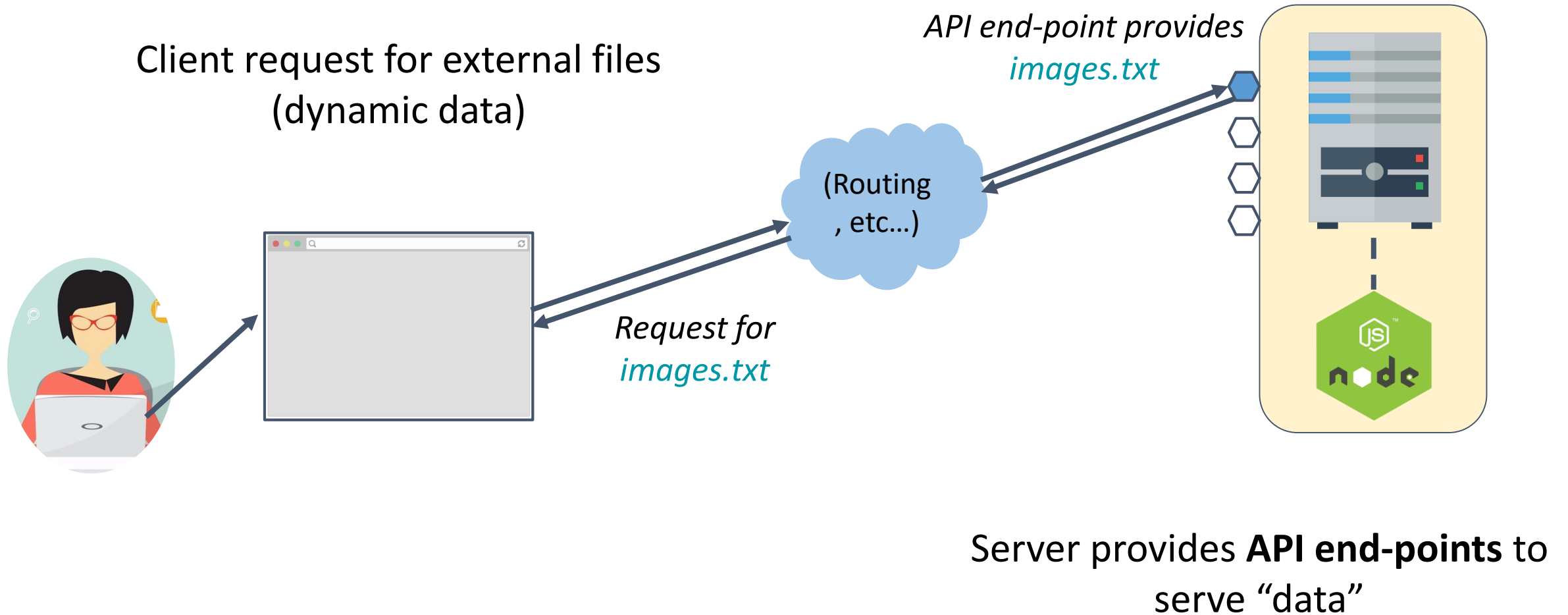
Other times when you type a URL into your browser, the URL represents **an API endpoint**, and not a path to a file.

That is:

- The web server does **not** grab a file from the local file system, and the URL is **not** specifying where a file is located.
- Rather, the URL represents a **parameterized request**, and the web server dynamically generates a response to that request.



Design artifacts



API endpoint example

Look at the URL for this [Google slide deck](#):

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- **presentation**: Tells the server that we are requesting a doc of type "presentation"
- **d/1Rim3-IXt6yN7yny_SBv7B5NMBiYbaQEiRMUD5s66uN8**: Tells the server to request a doc ("d") with the document id of "1Rim3-IXt6yN7yny_SBv7B5NMBiYbaQEiRMUD5s66uN8"

Example: Spotify

Spotify has a [REST API](#) that external developers (i.e. people who aren't Spotify employees) can query:

Our Web API endpoints give external applications access to Spotify catalog and user data.

Web API Base URL: `https://api.spotify.com`

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METHOD	ENDPOINT	USAGE	RETURNS
GET	<code>/v1/albums/{id}</code>	Get an album	album
GET	<code>/v1/albums?ids={ids}</code>	Get several albums	albums
GET	<code>/v1/albums/{id}/tracks</code>	Get an album's tracks	tracks*
GET	<code>/v1/artists/{id}</code>	Get an artist	artist
GET	<code>/v1/artists?ids={ids}</code>	Get several artists	artists
GET	<code>/v1/artists/{id}/albums</code>	Get an artist's albums	albums*

RESTful API

RESTful API: URL-based API that has these properties:

- Requests are sent as an **HTTP request**:
 - HTTP Methods: GET, PUT, POST, DELETE, etc
- Requests are sent to **base URL**, also known as an "**API Endpoint**"
- Requests are sent with a specified MIME/content type, such as HTML, CSS, JavaScript, plaintext, JSON, etc.

Node for servers

server.js ([GitHub](#)):

```
const http = require('http');

const server = http.createServer();

server.on('request', function(req, res) {
  res.statusCode = 200;
  res.setHeader('Content-Type', 'text/plain');
  res.end('Hello World\n');
});

server.on('listening', function() {
  console.log('Server running!');
});

server.listen(3000);
```


Node for servers

Include the HTTP NodeJS library

```
const http = require('http');
```

```
const server = http.createServer();
```

When the server gets a request, send back "Hello World" in plain text

```
server.on('request', function(req, res) {  
  res.statusCode = 200;  
  res.setHeader('Content-Type', 'text/plain');  
  res.end('Hello World\n');  
});
```

When the server is started, print a log message

```
server.on('listening', function() {  
  console.log('Server running!');  
});
```

Start listening for messages!

```
server.listen(3000);
```

Intuition: loadFromFile

```
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// This is not real a JavaScript function!  
const contents = loadFromFile('images.txt');
```

A few problems with this hypothetical fake API:

- We want to load the file **asynchronously**: the JavaScript should not block while we're loading the file
- There's no way to check the status of the request. What if the resource didn't exist? What if we're not allowed to access the resource?

Intuition: loadFromFile

An asynchronous version of this API might look like this:

```
// FAKE HYPOTHETICAL API.  
// This is not real a JavaScript function!  
function onSuccess(response) {  
    const body = response.text;  
    ...  
}  
loadFromFile('images.txt', onSuccess, onFail);
```

Where *onSuccess* and *onFail* are callback functions that should fire if the request succeeded or failed, respectively.

Fetch API

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The Fetch API is made up of one function, and its syntax is concise and easy to use:

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Note: [XMLHttpRequest](#) ("XHR") is the old API for loading resources from the browser. XHR still works, but is clunky and harder to use.

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 - **What the heck is a `Promise`?**

Promises:
Another conceptual odyssey

Promises and .then()

A Promise:

- An object used to manage **asynchronous** results
- Has a *then()* method that lets you attach functions to execute *onSuccess* or *onError*
- Allows you to build **chains** of asynchronous results.

Promises are easier to **use** than to **define**...

Simple example: getUserMedia

There is an API called `getUserMedia` that allows you get the media stream from your webcam.

There are two versions of `getUserMedia`:

- `navigator.getUserMedia` (**deprecated**)
 - Uses callbacks
- `navigator.mediaDevices.getUserMedia`
 - Returns a Promise

getUserMedia with callbacks

```
const video = document.querySelector('video');

function onCameraOpen(stream) {
  video.srcObject = stream;
}

function onError(error) {
  console.log(error);
}

navigator.getUserMedia({ video: true },
  onCameraOpen, onError);
```

[CodePen](#)

getUserMedia with Promise

```
const video = document.querySelector('video');

function onCameraOpen(stream) {
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}

function onError(error) {
  console.log(error);
}

navigator.mediaDevices.getUserMedia({ video: true })
  .then(onCameraOpen, onError);
```

[CodePen](#)

Hypothetical Fetch API

```
// FAKE HYPOTHETICAL API.  
// This is not how fetch is called!  
function onSuccess(response) {  
    ...  
}  
  
function onFail(response) {  
    ...  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt', onSuccess, onFail);
```

Real Fetch API

```
function onSuccess(response) {  
    ...  
}  
  
function onFail(response) {  
    ...  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess, onFail);
```

Promise syntax

Q: How does this syntax work?

```
fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess, onFail);
```

Promise syntax

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```
fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess, onFail);
```

The syntax above is the same as:

```
const promise = fetch('images.txt');  
promise.then(onSuccess, onFail);
```


Promise syntax

```
const promise = fetch('images.txt');  
promise.then(onSuccess, onFail);
```

The object fetch returns is of type [Promise](#).

A promise is in one of three states:

- **pending**: initial state, not fulfilled or rejected.
- **fulfilled**: the operation completed successfully.
- **rejected**: the operation failed.

You attach handlers to the promise via `.then()`

Promise syntax

```
const promise = fetch('images.txt');  
promise.then(onSuccess, onFail);
```

The object

A promise

- **pending**
- **fulfilled**
- **rejected**

You attach

(Right now we will just use Promises.)

Using Fetch

```
function onSuccess(response) {  
    console.log(response.status);  
}
```

```
fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess);
```

The success function for Fetch gets a response parameter:

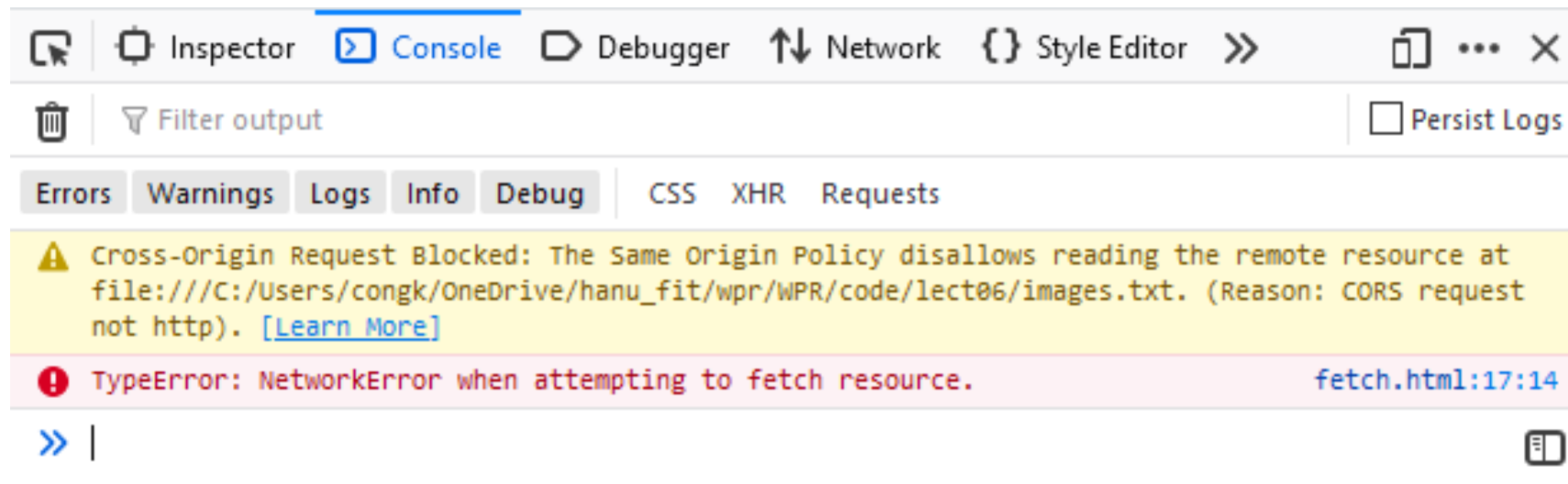
- **response.status**: Contains the status code for the request, e.g. 200 for HTTP success
 - [HTTP status codes](#)

Fetch attempt

```
function onSuccess(response) {  
    console.log(response.status);  
}  
  
function onError(error) {  
    console.log('Error: ' + error);  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt')  
    .then(onSuccess, onError);
```

Fetch error

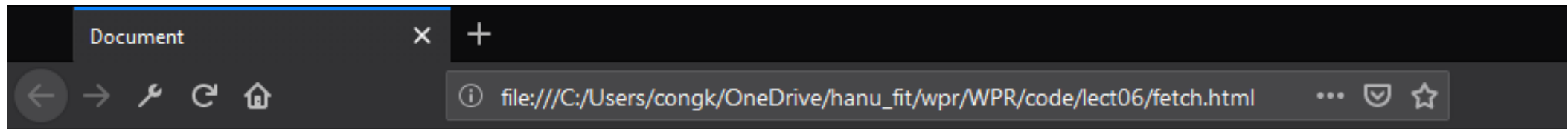
If we try to load this in the browser, we get the following JavaScript error:



Notice that our `onError` function was also called.

Local files

When we load a web page in the browser that is saved on our computer, it is served via `file://` protocol:



We are **not allowed** to load files in JavaScript from the `file://` protocol, which is why we got the error.

Serve over HTTP

We can run a program to serve our local files over HTTP:
[XAMPP](#)

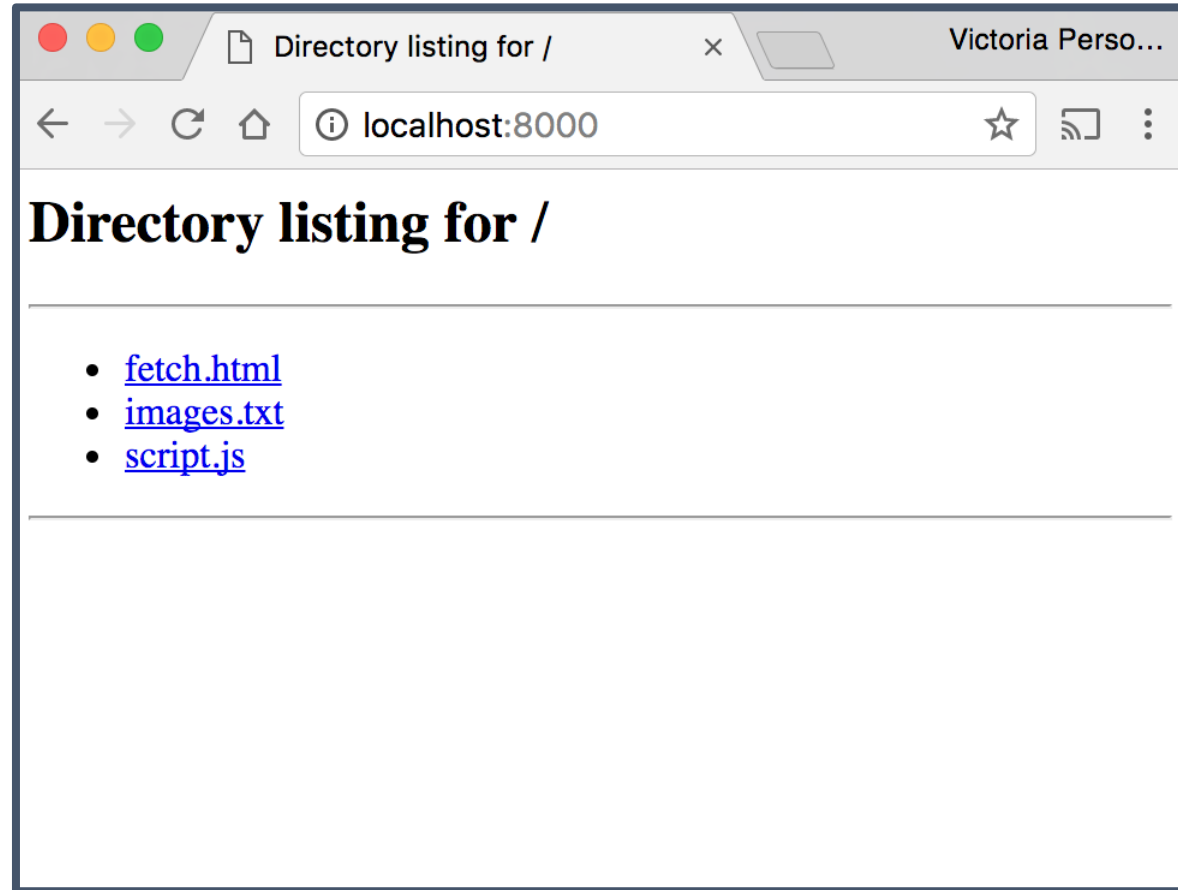
Put your html, txt files in folder */htdocs/fetch-demo/* of XAMPP

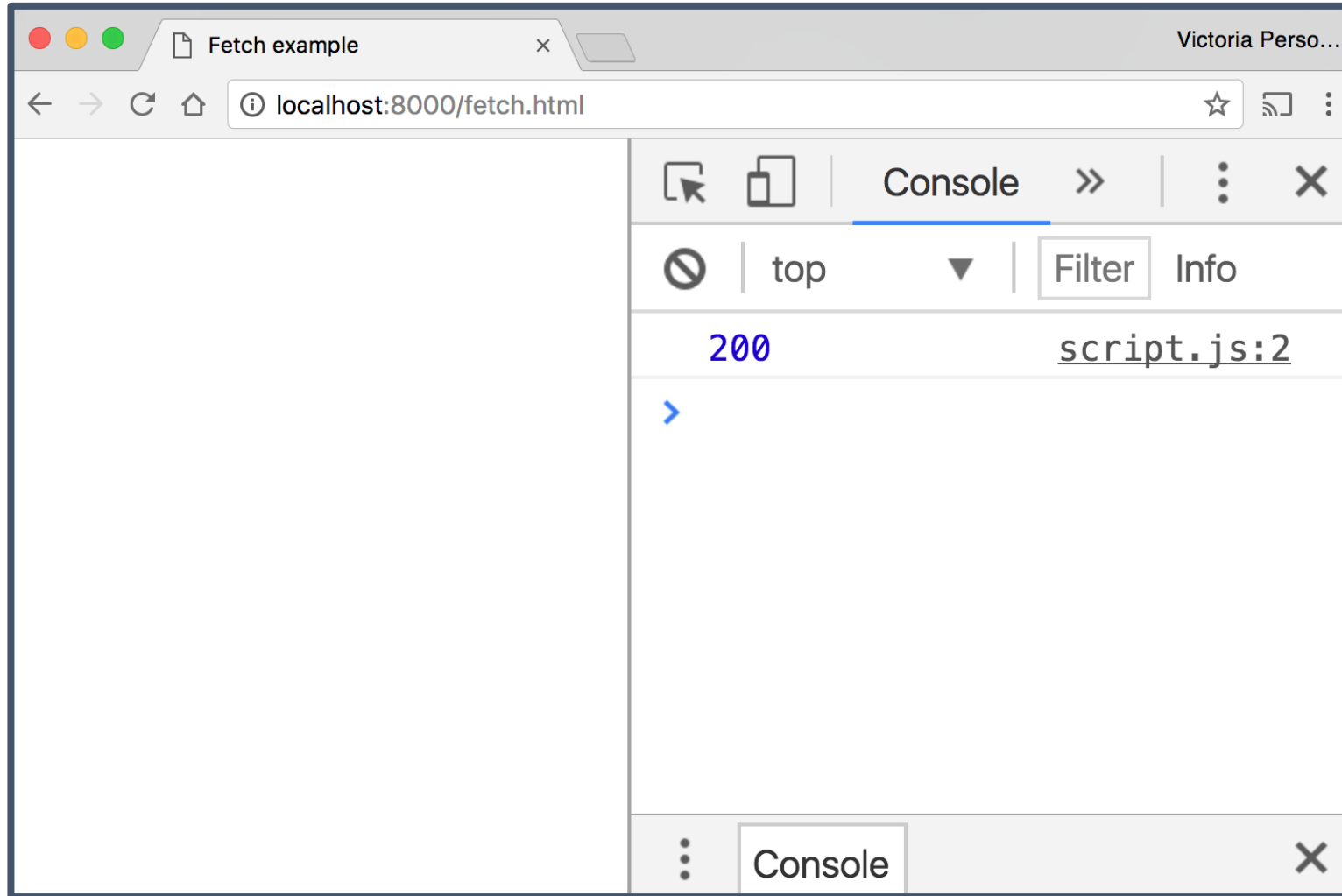
Run XAMPP & start Apache server

This now starts up a **server** that can load the files in the current directory over HTTP.

- We can access this server by navigating to:
<http://localhost:8000/fetch-demo/>

Run xampp Apache service at port 8000

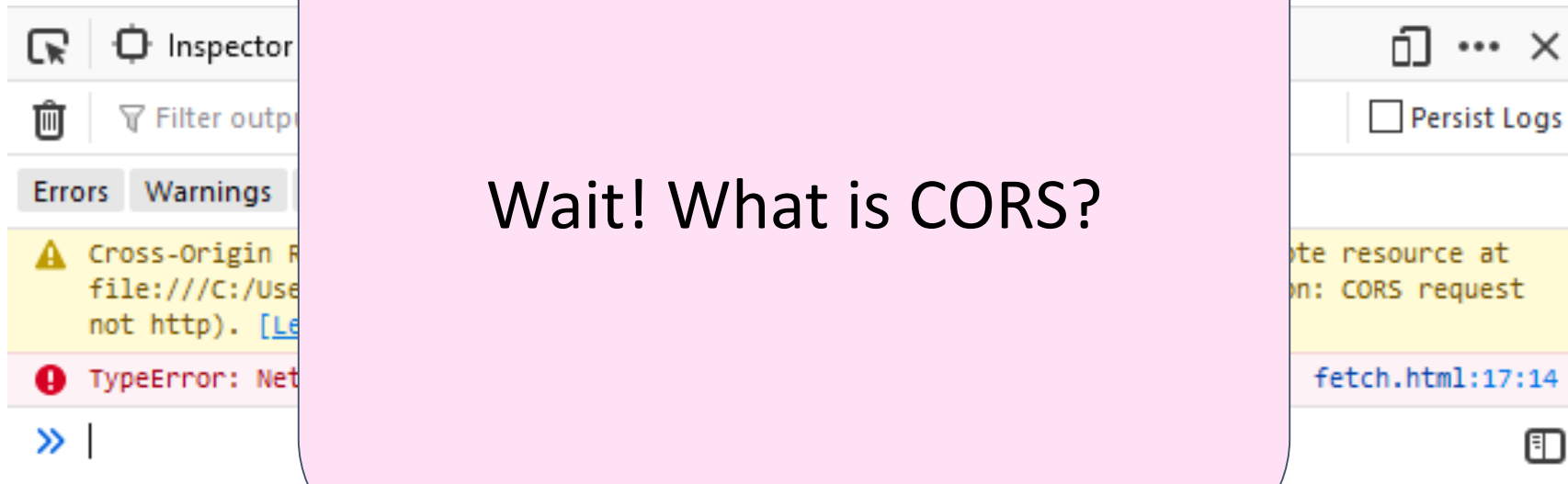




We got HTTP response 200, which is success! ([codes](#))

Fetch error

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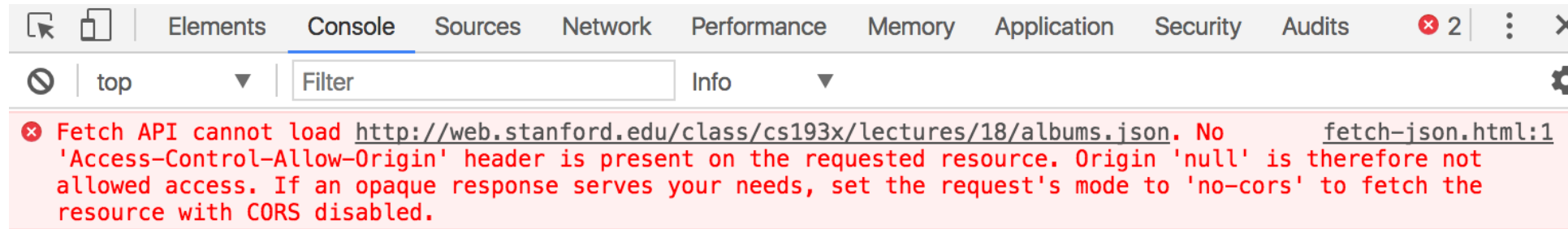
Fetch gotchas

CORS error

If you try to `fetch()` this JSON file:

<http://web.stanford.edu/class/cs193x/lectures/18/albums.json>

You get this error:



Q: Why do we get this error, when the JSON file is served over HTTP?

CORS

CORS: Cross-Origin Resource Sharing ([wiki](#))

- Browser policies for what resources a web page can load
- **Cross-origin:** between two different domains
 - If abc.com/users requests something from abc.com/search, it's still a **same-origin** request (not cross-origin) because it's the same domain
 - But if abc.com/foo requests something from xyz.com/foo, it's a **cross-origin** request.

CORS summarized

- You can make **same-origin** requests by default for any request type
- You can make **cross-origin** requests by default for:
 - Images loaded via
 - CSS files loaded via <link>
 - JavaScript files loaded via <script>
 - Etc
- You **cannot** make cross-origin requests by default for:
 - Resources loaded via fetch() or XHR

CORS configuration

However, a web server can be configured to override these default rules:

- If you want to allow other domains to make `fetch()` requests to your servers, you can configure your server to allow them ([e.g. on apache](#))
 - All 3rd party APIs do this, otherwise you couldn't access them
- If you don't want other domains to access certain resources such as images, you can disallow them

In this class

In WPR, we will either be:

- Making same-origin requests
- Making requests on APIs that have allowed cross-origin access

So you don't need to do anything with CORS for WPR.

Still, CORS is good to know about:

- Helps you understand error messages
- You may have to deal with this in the future (common scenario: file:// trying to access an HTTP resource: HTTP resource must allow CORS for this to be allowed)

How do we get the data from `fetch()`?

Using Fetch

```
function onSuccess(response) {  
    ..  
}  
fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess);
```

- `response.status`: Status code for the request
- `response.text()`:
 - **Asynchronously** reads the response stream
 - **Returns a Promise** that resolves with the string containing the response stream data.

text() Promise

Q: How do we change the following code to print out the response body?

```
function onSuccess(response) {  
    console.log(response.status);  
}  
  
function onError(error) {  
    console.log('Error: ' + error);  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt')  
    .then(onSuccess, onError);
```

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
    console.log(text);  
}
```

```
function onResponse(response) {  
    console.log(response.status);  
    response.text().then(onStreamProcessed);  
}
```

```
function onError(error) {  
    console.log('Error: ' + error);  
}
```

```
fetch('images.txt').then(onResponse, onError);
```

Chaining Promises

We want the following asynchronous actions to be completed in this order:

1. When the `fetch` completes, run `onResponse`
2. When `response.text()` completes, run `onStreamProcessed`

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) { ... }  
function onResponse(response) {  
  response.text().then(onStreamProcessed);  
}  
fetch('images.txt').then(onResponse, onError);
```

We can rewrite this:

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
    console.log(text);  
}  
  
function onResponse(response) {  
    response.text().then(onStreamProcessed);  
}  
  
function onError(error) {  
    console.log('Error: ' + error);  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt').then(onResponse, onError);
```

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function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
    console.log(text);  
}
```

```
function onResponse(response) {  
    return response.text();  
}
```

```
function onError(error) {  
    console.log('Error: ' + error);  
}
```

```
fetch('images.txt')  
    .then(onResponse, onError)  
    .then(onStreamProcessed);
```

Chaining Promises

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
  console.log(text);  
}  
  
function onResponse(response) {  
  return response.text();  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt')  
  .then(onResponse, onError)  
  .then(onStreamProcessed);
```


Chaining Promises

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
  console.log(text);  
}  
  
function onResponse(response) {  
  return response.text();  
}  
  
const responsePromise = fetch('images.txt')  
  .then(onResponse, onError)  
responsePromise.then(onStreamProcessed);
```

The Promise returned by `onResponse` is effectively* the Promise returned by `fetch`. (*Not actually what's happening, but that's how we'll think about it for right now.)

Chaining Promises

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {  
  console.log(text);  
}  
  
function onResponse(response) {  
  return response.text();  
}  
  
fetch('images.txt')  
  .then(onResponse, onError)  
  .then(onStreamProcessed);
```

**If we don't think
about it too hard, the
syntax is fairly
intuitive.**

We'll think about this more
deeply later!

Completed example

```
function onStreamProcessed(text) {
  const urls = text.split('\n');
  for (const url of urls) {
    const image = document.createElement('img');
    image.src = url;
    document.body.append(image);
  }
}
function onSuccess(response) {
  response.text().then(onStreamProcessed)
}
function onError(error) {
  console.log('Error: ' + error);
}

fetch('images.txt').then(onSuccess, onError);
```

JSON

JavaScript Object Notation

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 - **to serialize:** to turn an object into a string that can be deserialized
 - **to deserialize:** to turn a serialized string into an object

JSON.stringify()

We can use the `JSON.stringify()` function to serialize a JavaScript object:

```
const bear = {  
  name: 'Ice Bear',  
  hobbies: ['knitting', 'cooking', 'dancing']  
};
```

```
const serializedBear =  
JSON.stringify(bear);  
console.log(serializedBear);
```

[CodePen](#)

JSON.parse()

We can use the `JSON.parse()` function to deserialize a JavaScript object:

```
const bearString = '{"name":"Ice  
Bear","hobbies":["knitting","cooking","danc  
ing"]}';
```

```
const bear = JSON.parse(bearString);  
console.log(bear);
```

[CodePen](#)

Fetch API and JSON

The Fetch API also has built-in support for JSON:

```
function onJsonReady(json) {  
    console.log(json);  
}  
  
function onResponse(response) {  
    return response.json();  
}  
  
fetch('images.json')  
    .then(onResponse)  
    .then(onJsonReady);
```

Return
`response.json()`
instead of
`response.text()`
and Fetch will
essentially call
`JSON.parse()` on the
response string.

Why JSON?

Let's say we had a file that contained a list of albums.

Each album has:

- Title
- Year
- URL to album image

We want to display each album in chronological order.

Text file?

We could create a text file formatted consistently in some format that we make up ourselves, e.g.:

```
The Emancipation Of Mimi
2005
https://i.scdn.co/image/dca82bd9c1ccae90b09972027a408068f7a4d700

Daydream
1995
https://i.scdn.co/image/0638f0ddf70003cb94b43aa5e4004d85da94f99c

E=MC2
2008
https://i.scdn.co/image/bca35d49f6033324d2518656531c9a89135c0ea3

Mariah Carey
1990
https://i.scdn.co/image/82f12700dfa78fa877a8cdcccd725ad552c0a0652
```

Text file processing

We would have to write all this custom file processing code:

- Must convert numbers from strings
- If you ever add another attribute to the album, we'd have to change our array indices

```
function onTextReady(text) {  
  const lines = text.split('\n\n');  
  const albums = [];  
  for (let i = 0; i < lines.length; i++) {  
    const infoText = lines[i];  
    const infoStrings = infoText.split('\n');  
    const name = infoStrings[0];  
    const year = infoStrings[1];  
    const url = infoStrings[2];  
    albums.push({  
      name: name,  
      year: parseInt(year),  
      url: url  
    });  
  }  
  ...  
}
```

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[GitHub](#)

JSON file

It'd be much more convenient to store the file in JSON format:

```
{
  "albums": [
    {
      "name": "The Emancipation Of Mimi",
      "year": 2005,
      "url":
"https://i.scdn.co/image/dca82bd9c1ccae90b09972027a408068f7a4d700
"
    },
    {
      "name": "Daydream",
      "year": 1995,
      "url":
"https://i.scdn.co/image/0638f0ddf70003cb94b43aa5e4004d85da94f99c
"
    },
  ]
}
```

JSON processing

Since we're using JSON, we don't have to manually convert the response strings to a JavaScript object:

- JavaScript has built-in support to convert a JSON string into a JavaScript object.

```
function onJsonReady(json) {  
    const albums = json.albums;  
    ...  
}
```

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- `JSON.stringify(object)` returns a string representing *object* serialized in JSON format
- `JSON.parse(jsonString)` returns a JS object from the *jsonString* serialized in JSON format

JSON.stringify()

We can use the `JSON.stringify()` function to serialize a JavaScript object:

```
const bear = {  
  name: 'Ice Bear',  
  hobbies: ['knitting', 'cooking', 'dancing']  
};
```

```
const serializedBear = JSON.stringify(bear);  
console.log(serializedBear);
```

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JSON.parse()

We can use the `JSON.parse()` function to deserialize a JavaScript object:

```
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```

```
const bear = JSON.parse(bearString);  
console.log(bear);
```

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Why JSON?

JSON is a useful format for storing data that we can load into a JavaScript API via `fetch()`.

Let's say we had a list of Songs and Titles.

- If we stored it as a text file, we would have to know how we are separating song name vs title, etc
- If we stored it as a JSON file, we can just deserialize the object.

JSON

songs.json

```
1 {
2   "cranes": {
3     "fileName": "solange-cranes-kaytranada.mp3",
4     "artist": "Solange",
5     "title": "Cranes in the Sky [KAYTRANADA Remix]"
6   },
7   "timeless": {
8     "fileName": "james-blake-timeless.mp3",
9     "artist": "James Blake",
10    "title": "Timeless"
11  },
12  "knock": {
13    "fileName": "knockknock.mp4",
14    "artist": "Twice",
15    "title": "Knock Knock"
16  },
17  "deep": {
18    "fileName": "janet-jackson-go-deep.mp3",
19    "artist": "Janet Jackson",
20    "title": "Go Deep [Alesia Remix]"
21  },
22  "discretion": {
23    "fileName": "mitis-innocent-discretion.mp3",
24    "artist": "MitiS",
25    "title": "Innocent Discretion"
26  },
27  "spear": {
28    "fileName": "toby-fox-spear-of-justice.mp3",
29    "artist": "Toby Fox",
30    "title": "Spear of Justice"
31  }
32 }
```

Fetch API and JSON

The Fetch API also has built-in support for json:

```
function onStreamProcessed(json) {  
  console.log(json);  
}
```

```
function onResponse(response) {  
  return response.json();  
}
```

```
fetch('songs.json')  
  .then(onResponse, onError)  
  .then(onStreamProcessed);
```

Query parameters

You can pass parameters to HTTP GET requests by adding **query parameters** to the URL:

?type=album**&**q=beyonce

- Defined as key-value pairs
 - ***param=value***
- The first query parameter starts with a **?**
- Subsequent query parameters start with **&**

Reminder: HTML elements

Single-line text input:



In JavaScript, you can read and set the input text via `inputElement.value`

Some other input types:

- [Select](#)
- [Textarea](#)
- [Checkbox](#)

Form submit

Beyonce

Submit

Q: What if you want the form to submit after you click "enter"?

Form submit

1. Wrap your input elements in a `<form>`

```
<form>  
  <input type="text" id="artist-text" />  
  <input type="submit" />  
</form>
```

You should also use `<input type="submit">` instead of `<button>` for the reason on the next slide...

Form submit

2. Listen for the 'submit' event on the form element:

```
const form = document.querySelector('form');  
form.addEventListener('submit', this._onSubmit);
```

This is why you want to use `<input type="submit">` instead of `<button>` -- the 'submit' event will fire on click for but not `<button>`.

Form submit

3. Prevent the default action before handling the event through `event.preventDefault()`:

```
_onSubmit(event) {  
  event.preventDefault();  
  const textInput = document.querySelector('#artist-text');  
  const query = encodeURIComponent(textInput.value);  
  
  this.albumUrls = [];  
  fetch(SPOTIFY_PATH + query)  
    .then(this._onResponse)  
    .then(this._onJsonReady);  
}
```

The page will refresh on submit unless you explicitly prevent it.