

**Stop Making  
Excuses and  
Start Testing  
Your  
JavaScript!**



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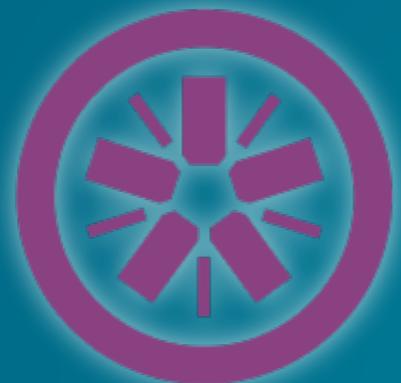
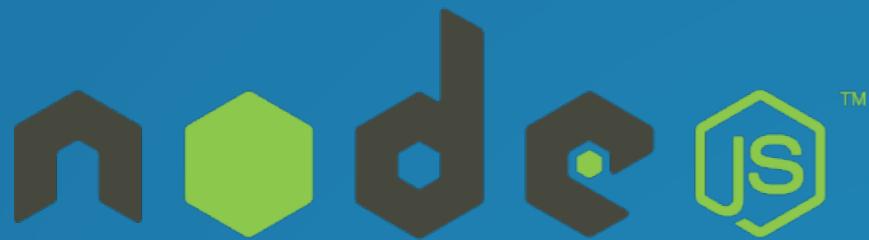


# Today's Agenda

- Adding Testing to Your Project
- Solving Common Testing Issues
- Writing Testable JavaScript
- Automating Testing

# Adding Testing To Your Project

# Step 1: Pick Your Environment



Jasmine

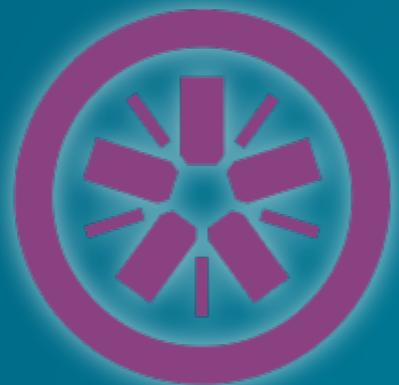


Jest



Tape

# Browser



Jasmine



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# Step 2: Pick Your Dialect

# expect

```
describe( 'adder', function() {
  it( 'should return zero when no args...', function() {
    expect( adder() ).toEqual( 0 );
  } );
} );
```



# should

```
describe( 'adder', function() {
  it( 'should return zero when no args...', function() {
    adder().should.equal( 0 );
  } );
} );
```



# assert

```
//qunit
test( 'adder' , function() {
  ok( adder() === 0 , 'should return 0' );
} ) ;

//chai
describe( 'adder' , function() {
  assert.equal( adder() , 0 , 'should return 0' );
} ) ;
```



# Step 3: Setup





```
$> npm install -g mocha  
$> npm install mocha --save-dev  
$> npm install chai --save-dev
```



## adder.js

```
module.exports = var adder = function(){
    var args = Array.prototype.slice.call( arguments );

    return args.reduce( function( previous, curr ){
        if( !isNaN( Number( curr ) ) ){
            return previous + curr;
        }
        else{
            return curr;
        }
    }, 0 );
};
```



## adderSpec.js

```
var expect = require('chai').expect;
var adder = require('../src/adder');

describe('adder', function() {
  it('should add an array of numbers',
    function() {
      expect(adder(1,2,3)).to.equal(6);
    });
});
```



## adderSpec.js

```
...
describe( 'adder', function() {
  it( 'should return zero if no args are passed in', function() {
    expect( adder( ) ).to.equal(0);
  } );
}
...
...
```



## adderSpec.js

```
...
  it( 'should skip non numbers', function() {
    expect( adder( 1, 2, 'a' ) ).to.equal( 3 );
  } );
...
...
```



```
$> mocha tests/spec
```

Name of your spec directory



...

2 passing (6ms)  
1 failing

1) adder should skip non numbers:

**AssertionError: expected 'a3' to equal 3**

```
at Context.<anonymous> (/Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/spec/adderSpec.js:14:39)
  at callFn (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runnable.js:223:21)
  at Test.Runnable.run (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runnable.js:216:7)
  at Runner.runTest (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:374:10)
  at /usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:452:12
  at next (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:299:14)
  at /usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:309:7
  at next (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:247:23)
  at Immediate._onImmediate (/usr/local/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/runner.js:276:5)
  at processImmediate [as _immediateCallback] (timers.js:374:17)
```

# Browser

# Browser

## SpecRunner.html

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>Jasmine Spec Runner v2.0.0</title>
  <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="lib/jasmine-2.0.0/
jasmine.css">

  <script type="text/javascript" src="lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js"></
script>
  <script type="text/javascript" src="lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine-
html.js"></script>
  <script type="text/javascript" src="lib/jasmine-2.0.0/boot.js"></
script>
  <!-- include source files here... -->
  <script type="text/javascript" src="../src/adder.js"></script>
  <!-- include spec files here... -->
  <script type="text/javascript" src="spec/adderSpec-jasmine.js"></
script>
</head>
<body>
</body>
</html>
```

The diagram illustrates the structure of the SpecRunner.html file. A red box highlights the two script tags that load source and spec files. A red arrow points from this box to a callout box containing 'Source Files' and 'Spec Files', indicating the types of files included by these scripts.

# Browser

```
Jasmine 2.0.0                                         finished in 0.002s
● ● ✘

3 specs, 1 failure                                     raise exceptions □

Spec List | Failures

adder should skip non numbers

Expected 'a3' to equal 3.

stack@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:1293:11
buildExpectationResult@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:1270:1
Env/expectationResultFactory@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:4
Spec.prototype.addExpectationResult@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmi
addExpectationResult@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:442:9
Expectation.prototype.wrapCompare/<@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmi
@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/spec/adderSpec-jasmine.js:11:9
attemptSync@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:1510:9
QueueRunner.prototype.run@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:1498
QueueRunner.prototype.execute@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:
Env/queueRunnerFactory@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:518:7
Spec.prototype.execute@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:309:1
runChildMacros@file:///Users/ranklam/source/talks/html5devconf/2014/samples/tests/lib/jasmine-2.0.0/jasmine.js:1708:21
```

# Solving Common Testing Issues

I Have Methods that Call Other  
Methods.

# Spies/Stubs/Mocks



# Spies

```
User.prototype.addUser = function() {  
    if( validateUser() ) {  
        saveUser() ;  
    }  
    else{  
        addError( 'user not valid' ) ;  
    }  
} ;
```

# Spies

```
it('should save a valid user', function() {
  var user = new User('Ryan', 'Anklam');
  spyOn(User, 'validate').and.returnValue(true);
  spyOn(User, 'save');

  user.add();

  expect(user.validate).toHaveBeenCalled();
  expect(user.save).toHaveBeenCalled();
}) ;
```

# Spies

```
it('should error for an invalid user', function() {
  var user = new User('Ryan', 'Anklam');
  spyOn(User, 'validate').andReturn( false );
  spyOn(User, 'addError');

  user.add();

  expect(user.validate) . toHaveBeenCalled();
  expect(user.addError) . toHaveBeenCalled();
}) ;
```

# Spies That Return Data

```
User.prototype.listUsers = function() {
    var users = this.getUsers();
    users.forEach( function( user ) {
        this.addUserToList( user );
    } );
}
```

# Spies That Return Data

```
it('should get a list of users and add them',  
function() {  
    spyOn(User, 'getUsers').and.returnValue(  
        [  
            {  
                firstName : 'Ryan',  
                lastName  : 'Anklam'  
            }  
        ]  
    );  
    spyOn(User, 'addUserToList');  
    user.listUsers();  
  
    expect(user.getUsers).toHaveBeenCalled();  
    expect(user.addUserToList).toHaveBeenCalled();  
});
```

# Promises

# Returns A Promise

```
getStringValue: function( req, bundle, key, context ){
  var i18n          = require("./index"),
    bundlePromise = this.getBundle( req, bundle ),
    deferred      = q.defer();

bundlePromise.then(
  function( bundle ){
    deferred.resolve(
      bundle.get( i18n.get(key,context) ) );
  },
  function( err ){
    deferred.reject( err );
  }
);

return deferred.promise;
}
```

# chai-as-promised FTW!

```
describe( 'getStringValue function', function() {

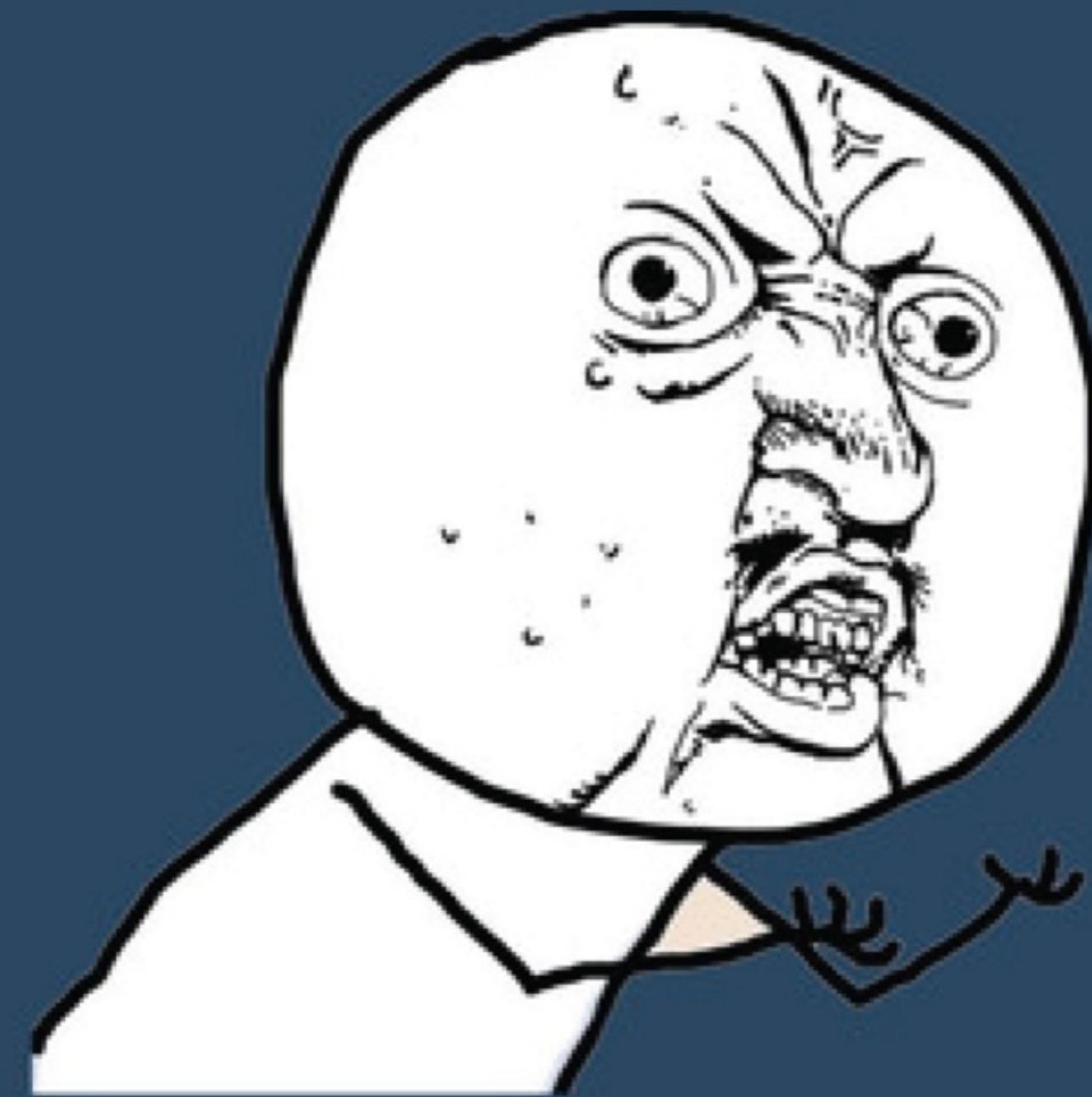
  it('should return a string when it finds a key',
    function ( ) {
      return expect( utils.getStringValue( 'foo.bar.baz' ) )
        .to.eventually.equal( 'Foo bar baz' ] );
    } ) ;

  it('should return the key when no key is found',
    function () {
      return expect( utils.getStringValue( 'does.not.exist' ) )
        .to.eventually.equal( 'does.not.exist' );
    } ) ;
} ) ;
```

I Need To Test the DOM

Do you REALLY need to?

# Y U NO



# SPY ON THE DOM

# Spy On The DOM

```
function addItems( $el, items ) {  
  items.forEach( function( item ) {  
    $el.append( item );  
  } );  
}
```

# Spy On The DOM

```
it( 'should add items', function() {
  var $el = $( '<ul/>' ),
    items = [
      { name : 'test' }
    ];
  spyOn( jQuery.fn, 'append' );

  addItems( $el, items );

  expect( jQuery.fn.append )
    .toHaveBeenCalledWith();
}) ;
```

# Jasmine jQuery

<https://github.com/velesin/jasmine-jquery>

Create Fixtures as .html files

Load fixtures into a test

Make assertions

# Jasmine jQuery

```
beforeEach( function() {
  //reset the fixture before each test
  loadFixtures('myfixture.html');
} );

it( 'should convert a select to a ul', function() {
  $( '.select' ).dropdown();

  expect( '.select-list' ).toExist();
} );
```

# qUnit

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <head>
    <meta charset="utf-8">
    <title>QUnit Example</title>
    <link rel="stylesheet" href="qunit.css">
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id="qunit"></div>
    <div id="qunit-fixture"></div>
    <script src="qunit.js"></script>
    <script src="tests.js"></script>
  </body>
</html>
```

Gets reset after  
every test

# I Have to Test Async Code

# Async Test

```
function readConfig( callback ) {  
  fs.readFile( config.fileLocation, callback );  
}
```

# Async Test

```
it( 'should read the config file' ,  
  function( done ) {  
    var callback = function( readystate ) {  
      expect( readystate )  
        .to.equal( 'config ready' );  
      done();  
    }  
    readConfig( callback );  
  } );
```



# Async Test

```
asyncTest( 'should read the config file' ,  
function( ) {  
    var callback = function( readystate ) {  
        ok( readystate === 'config ready' ) ;  
        start() ;  
    }  
    readConfig( callback ) ;  
} ) ;
```



# Writing Testable JavaScript

# Not Testable JavaScript

```
$ (function() {
    var $list = $( '.todo-list' );
    $input = $( '.new-todo' );
    todos = $.ajax( ... );
    todos.forEach( function( item, index ) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.title + '</li>' );
    } );
    $input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
        if( e.which === 13 ) {
            $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
                $(this).val() + '</li>' );
            $(this).val( '' );
        }
    } );
})
```

Can't configure

Locked in callback

Magic Data

One Anonymous Function

repeated Code

Anonymous Function

# Refactoring

Can't configure

```
$ (function() {
    var $list = $( '.todo-list' ),
        $input = $( '.new-todo' ),
        todos = $.ajax(...);

    todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
'</li>');
    } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
    if( e.which === 13 ) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
$(this).val() + '</li>');
        $(this).val( '' );
    }
} );
```

# Make It A Constructor

```
var Todos = function( $list, $input ) {  
  this.$list = $list;  
  this.$input = $input;  
};
```

# A Little Setup & First Test

```
describe( 'todos' , function() {  
    var todos;  
  
    beforeEach( function() {  
        todos = new Todos( $( '<ul/>' ) ,  
            $( '<input type="text" value="foobar" />' )  
        ) ;  
    } ) ;  
} ) ;
```

```
it('should create an instance' , function() {  
    expect( typeof todos ).toEqual( 'object' ) ;  
} ) ;
```

# Not Testable JavaScript

```
$ (function() {
    var $list = $( '.todo-list' ),
        $input = $( '.new-todo' ),
        todos = $.ajax(...);

    todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
'</li>');
    } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
    if( e.which === 13 ) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
$(this).val() + '</li>');
        $(this).val( '' );
    }
} );
```

Magic Data



# getData

```
Todos.prototype.getData = function( success, error ){
  $.ajax({
    ...
    success : success,
    error   : error
    ...
  });
}
```

# Test getData

```
it('should have a getData fn that returns an array',
  function( done ){
    var callback = function( items ){
      expect(items instanceof Array ).toBeTruthy();
      done();
    };
    todos.getData( callback );
  });
});
```

**\*\*Note: more tests would be to properly test this!\*\***

# Refactoring

```
$ (function() {
  var $list = $( '.todo-list' )
  $input = $( '.new-todo' )
  todos = $.ajax(...);

  todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
  '</li>');
  } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
  if( e.which === 13 ) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
      $(this).val() + '</li>');
    $(this).val( '' );
  }
} );
```

An arrow points from the word "Anonymous Function" to the word "function" in the first argument of the "todos.forEach" call.

# Refactoring

```
$ (function() {
  var $list = $( '.todo-list' )
  $input = $( '.new-todo' )
  todos = $.ajax( ... );
  todos.forEach( function( item, index ) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
  '</li>');
  } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
  if( e.which === 13 ) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
      $(this).val() + '</li>');
    $(this).val( '' );
  }
} );
```

One and done

# Refactoring

```
$ (function() {
  var $list = $( '.todo-list' ),
    $input = $( '.new-todo' ),
    todos = $.ajax(...);

  todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
  '</li>');
  } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
  if( e.which === 13 ) {
    $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
      $(this).val() + '</li>');
    $(this).val( '' );
  }
} );
```

Repeated Code

# addItem

```
Todos.prototype.addItem = function( name ){
  this.$list.append(
    '<li class="todo-item">' + name + '</li>'
  );
};
```

# Test addItem

```
it('should have a addItem function', function(){
  expect( typeof todos.addItem ).toEqual( 'function' );
});

it('should try to add an item to the DOM', function(){
  spyOn( jQuery.fn, 'append' );

  todos.addItem( 'Learn JS Testing' );

  expect( jQuery.fn.append )
    .toHaveBeenCalledWith(
      '<li class="todo-item">Learn JS Testing</li>'
    );
});
```

# addItems

```
Todos.prototype.addItems = function( items ){
  items.forEach( function( item, index){
    this.addItem( item.name );
  }, this );
};
```

# Test addItems

```
it('should have a addItems function', function(){
  spyOn( todos, 'addItem' );

  todos.addItems( [{name:'foo'}, {name:'bar'}, {name:'baz'}] ) ;

  expect( todos.addItem ).toHaveBeenCalledWith( 'foo' );
  expect( todos.addItem ).toHaveBeenCalledWith( 'bar' );
  expect( todos.addItem ).toHaveBeenCalledWith( 'baz' );
});
```

# Not Testable JavaScript

```
$ (function() {
    var $list = $( '.todo-list' ),
        $input = $( '.new-todo' ),
        todos = $.ajax(...);

    todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
'</li>');
    } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
    if( e.which === 13 ) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
$(this).val() + '</li>');
        $(this).val( '' );
    }
} );
```

A red box highlights the first two lines of the code. A red arrow points from this box to a callout box containing the text "Anonymous Function".

# handleKeyPress

```
Todos.prototype.handleKeypress = function( e ){
  if( e.which === 13 ){
    this.addItem( this.$input.val() );
    this.$input.val( '' );
  }
};
```

# Test handleKeypress

```
it('should have a handleKeypress function', function(){
  expect( typeof todos.handleKeypress )
    .toEqual( 'function' );
});

it('should handle a keypress', function(){
  spyOn( todos, 'addItem' );

  todos.handleKeypress( { which: 13 } );

  expect( todos.addItem )
    .toHaveBeenCalledWith( 'foobar' );
});
```

# Refactoring

Locked in callback

```
$ (function() {
    var $list = $( '.todo-list' ),
        $input = $( '.new-todo' ),
        todos = $.ajax(...);

    todos.forEach( function( item, index) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' + item.name +
'</li>');
    } );
}

$input.on( 'keyup', function( e ) {
    if( e.which === 13 ) {
        $list.append( '<li class="todo-item">' +
$(this).val() + '</li>');
        $(this).val( '' );
    }
} );
```

# Init function

```
Todos.prototype.init = function(){
  this.$input.on( 'keyup',
    $.proxy( this.handleKeypress, this ) );

  this.getData( this.addItems );
};
```

# Test Init

```
it('should have an init method', function(){
  expect( typeof todos.init ).toEqual( 'function' );
});

it('should setup a handler and additems', function(){
  spyOn( jQuery.fn, 'on' );
  spyOn( todos, 'getData' );

  todos.init();

  expect( jQuery.fn.on ).toHaveBeenCalledWith();
  expect( todos.getData )
    .toHaveBeenCalledWith( todos.addItems );
} );
```

# A Few More Tips

- Write **maintainable** tests
- Avoid Singletons
- Use named functions instead of anonymous callbacks
- Keep your functions small

# Automating Testing

The key to successful testing is  
making writing and running tests  
easy.

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# Using NPM

## Package.json

```
{  
...  
  "scripts": {  
    "test": "mocha tests/spec"  
  },  
...  
}
```

# Running Build Tests

```
$> npm test
```

# Using Your Build Tool

```
npm install -g grunt-cli
```

```
npm install grunt
```

```
npm install grunt-contrib-jasmine
```

# gruntfile.js

```
module.exports = function(grunt) {
  grunt.initConfig({
    jasmine : {
      tests: {
        src: ['jquery.js','todos-better.js'],
        options: { specs: 'tests/spec/todoSpec.js' }
      }
    },
    watch: {
      tests: {
        files: ['**/*.js'],
        tasks: ['jasmine'],
      }
    }
  });
  grunt.loadNpmTasks('grunt-contrib-jasmine', 'watch');
};
```

# Running Build Tests

```
$> grunt jasmine
```

# Testem

```
npm install -g testem
```

# testem.json

```
{  
  "src_files" : [  
    "jquery.js",  
    "todos-better.js",  
    "tests/spec/todoSpec.js"  
  ],  
  "launch_in_dev" : [ "PhantomJS", "chrome", "firefox" ],  
  "framework" : "jasmine2"  
}
```

# Testem

```
$> testem
```

# Questions?

# Thank You

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