

## Lab 1 – Input / Output

### Goals

- Familiarity with output print statements
- Familiarity with getting user input
- Familiarity with variables
- Understand how to store different types of data in variables

### Setup

- Create a new PyCharm file in your desired directory
- When you name the code, use the following naming convention  
**ITP115\_l#\_lastname\_firstname**  
(replace # with this lab number)
- Your new file must begin with comments in the following format (replace the name and email with your actual information):  

```
# Name  
# ITP 115, Spring 2016  
# Lab L^ (replace ^ with this lab number)  
# USC email
```

### Requirements

Your program must perform the following:

- Print a box (see output)
- Print and format the quote below using a single ONE print statement
- Ask the user day of the week, store in a variable, then print out a message

## Sample Output

```
—  
|  |  
|  |  
|__|
```

You don't frighten us, English pig-dogs!

Go and boil your bottoms, sons of a silly person!

-“Monty Python and the Holy Grail”

What month are we in: **May**

What is today's date: **Wednesday**

What day of the month is today: **4**

Today is Wednesday May 4 and Tomorrow will be May 5

*\*Note: You are not expected to make this work for all dates. However, when does your approach break? How might you think we could fix this in the future?*

## Deliverables and Submission Instructions

- A compressed folder (zip file) containing you Python code. This can be done by:
  - a. Windows (you must find the folder on your computer—this can't be done within PyCharm):
    - i. Select your lab file
    - ii. Right click
    - iii. Send to ->
    - iv. Compressed (zipped) folder
    - v. Rename this folder with the following name:

**ITP115\_1#\_lastname\_firstname**

(replace # with this assignment number)

- vi. Submit this zipped folder through Blackboard
- b. OSX (*you must find the folder on your computer—this can't be done within PyCharm*):
  - i. Select your lab file
  - ii. Right click
  - iii. Compress 1 item
  - iv. Rename this folder with the following name:  
**ITP115\_1#\_lastname\_firstname**  
(*replace # with this assignment number*)
  - v. Submit this zipped folder through Blackboard