The qwik workshop

Another front-end framework?

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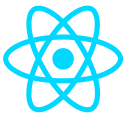
The selling points

- Delaying execution

  > "At its simplest, a Qwik application only needs about 1KB of JavaScript to become interactive."

- Resumability

  > "...as a result, the framework's data structures need to be rebuilt in the browser, duplicating the work that was done on the server.""

- Familiar dx

  > Rendering with Jsx

- https://qwik.builder.io

- QwikCity, PartyTown

Time to get your hands dirty

- We'll be building a small app for listing the past Knowit JS guild meetings
- The app has already been built using Next.js
- Your job: transfer that app to Qwik
- https://qwik.builder.io/docs/
- https://github.com/cybercom-finland/code-forward-23
- https://rb.gy/a0i22
- Stackblitz sandbox: https://rb.gy/1aicr
- Clone the repo `git clone git@github.com:cybercom-finland/code-forward-23.git`
- Go to `./qwik/next/` and run `npm install && npm run build && npm start`

Step 1: Skaffold Qwik and load data

```
# Go to ./qwik

npm create qwik@latest
# use e.g. qwik-yourname as the project name and  select "Emp
# Install these additional depencies,
npm install moment chartjs chartjs-adapter-moment \
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# Alternatively: use ./qwik/qwik-empty
```

```tsx
export const useGuildList = routeLoader$(async () ⇒ {
  const data = // await  fetch etcd
  return data;
});

export default component$(() ⇒ {
  const guildListSignal = useGuildList();
  // guildListSignal.value
  return <div></div>
}
```

- Edit routes/src/index.tsx so that it displays the guild list found at `./qwik/common/guildlist.json` as a json string

- Treat the loading of guildlist.json as server-side data fetching in the Next.js version

- Boilerplate can be copied from `./qwik/samples/index.tsx` --> `./qwik/qwik-yourname/src/routes/index.tsx`

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Step 2: Port GuildList and GuildItem to qwik

- `next/src/components/GuildList.tsx` --> `qwik/qwik-juho/src/components/GuildList.tsx`
- `next/src/components/GuildItem.tsx` --> `qwik/qwik-juho/src/components/GuildItem.tsx`
- `next/src/app/globals.css` --> `qwik/qwik-juho/src/global.css`
- Render GuildList with the prefetched data in `routes/index.tsx`
- `component$`
- `onClick$`
- `class`
- `GuildItem` needs some trimming at this point, we'll add the missing logic later:
  - comment out `useStates` and `useEffects`
  - make onClick-handlers just return null
  - hard-code `showStats` to `false`

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```tsx
// ./src/routes/index.tsx

<main><GuildList guilds={guildListSignal.value}/></main>
```

```tsx
// next/components/GuildList
export const GuildList: FC<Props> = (props) ⇒ {
  if (!Array.isArray(props.guilds)) return;
  return (
    <ul>
      {props.guilds.map((repo) ⇒  <li key={repo.id} />)}
    </ul>
  );
};
```

```tsx
// ./qwik/components/GuildList
export default component$<Props>((props) ⇒ {
  if (!Array.isArray(props.guilds)) return null;
  return (
    <ul>
      {props.guilds.map((repo) ⇒  <li key={repo.id} />)}
    </ul>
  );
});
```

Step 3: Port SideBar and add the interactions

- `` `next/src/components/SideBar.tsx` `` --> `` `qwik/qwik-juho/src/components/SideBar.tsx` ``

- Render `` `SideBar` `` besides GuildList at `` `routes/index.tsx` ``

- Convert the `` `useContext` `` + `` `useReducer` `` combo to a context + store combo

  - start by just:

    ```
    //const state = useContext(MainContext);
    //const dispatch = useContext(MainDispatchContext);
    const state = { favouriteGuild: undefined, showAllStats: false };
    ```

- Use Qwik's version of context combined with *a store* to set the logic inside side bar and guildItem (we'll do this together soon, but feel free to advance by yourself)

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Let's deal with that store thing together…

- Create a context in `routes/index.tsx`

```
export const CTX = createContextId<AppState>("some.id");
```

- Create a store

```
const appData = useStore({
    favouriteGuild: "",
    showAllStats: false
})
```

- Set the created store as the value of the created context

```
useContextProvider(CTX, appData);
```

Inside `./components/SideBar.tsx`

- use the context

```
const state = useContext(CTX);
```

- Change the state:

```
<button
  onClick$={() ⇒ {
    state.showAllStats = !state.showAllStats;
  }}
>
```

- Your job: adjust the logic for setting a favourite guild inside `./src/components/GuildListItem.tsx`

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Step 4: Add stats to GuildItem and finalize

- Use the sample: `./qwik/samples/RepoStats.tsx` --> `./qwik-yourname/src/components/RepoStats.tsx`

- In GuildItem: Add logic for showing and hiding based on either local or global state

```
const showStats = useSignal(false);
useTask$(({ track }) ⇒ {
  track(() ⇒ state.showAllStats);
  showStats.value = state.showAllStats;
});
```

- ...and render the RepoStats component

```
<div>
  {showStats.value ? <RepoStats name={repo.name} /> : <p>Stats hidden</p>}
</div>
```

Testing and comparing

- Stop the `npm run dev` of your quick app

- Start again by running `npm run preview`

- Open your network tab, disable cache and set throttling to slow 3g

Dig in deeper

- https://qwik.builder.io/docs/concepts/think-qwik/

- https://qwik.builder.io/media/#podcasts

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