how to make computers talk?

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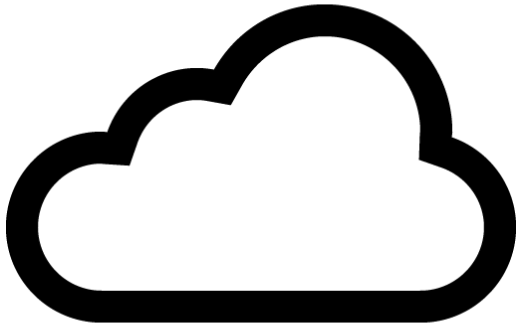
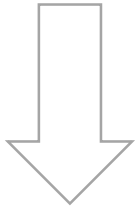
nowadays

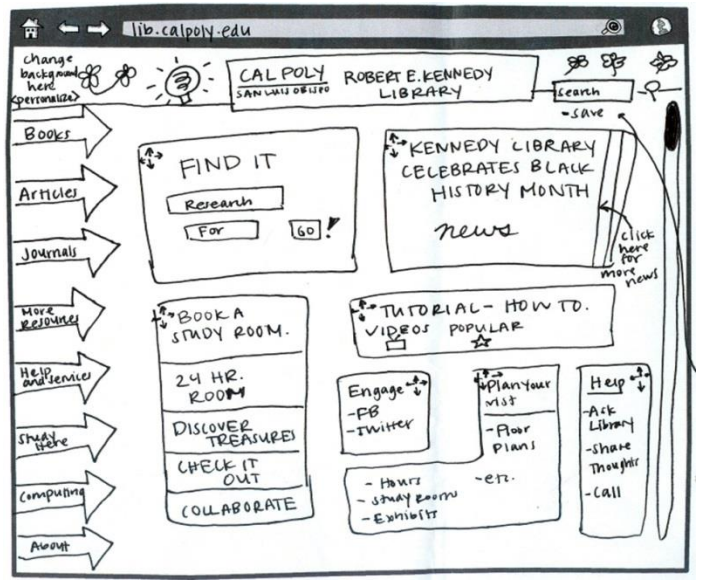


windows communication foundation



communication between processes

Address
Binding
Contract



Address

http://localhost:51134/Service.svc

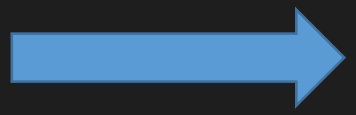
Binding

Contract

Service Contract

```
public interface IService1
{

    string GetData(int value);
}
```

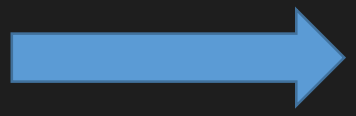


```
[ServiceContract]
public interface IService1
{
    [OperationContract]
    string GetData(int value);
}
```

Data Contract

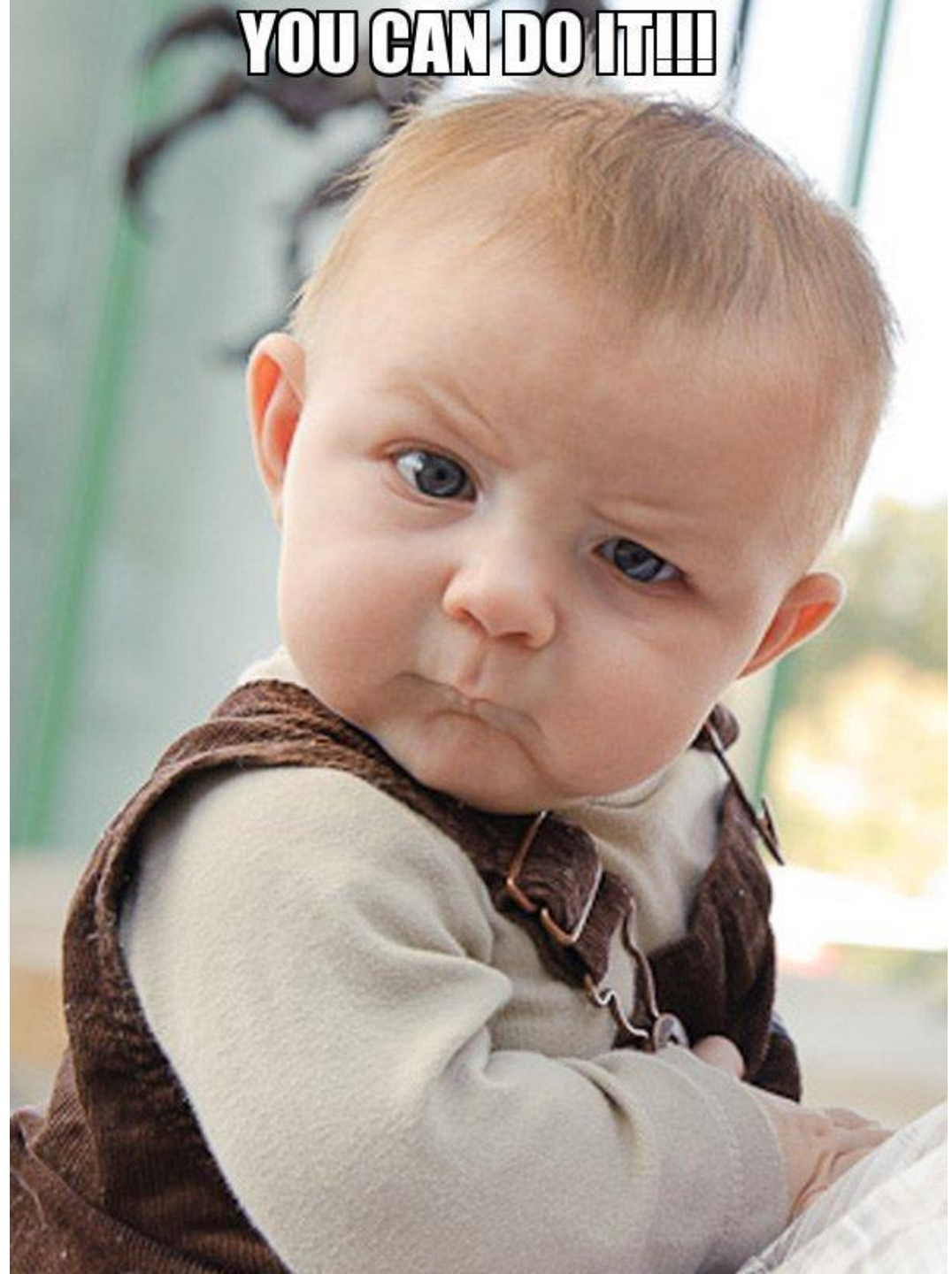
```
public class CompositeType
{
    bool boolValue = true;


    public bool BoolValue
    {
        get { return boolValue; }
        set { boolValue = value; }
    }
}
```



```
[DataContract]
public class CompositeType
{
    bool boolValue = true;

    [DataMember]
    public bool BoolValue
    {
        get { return boolValue; }
        set { boolValue = value; }
    }
}
```

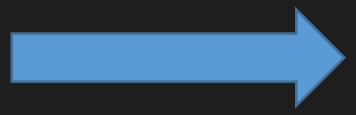

YOU CAN DO IT!!!

message patterns

one way
request-response
duplex (AKA asynchronous)

one way

```
[ServiceContract]
public interface IService1
{
    [OperationContract]
    void GetData(int value);
}
```



```
[ServiceContract]
public interface IService1
{
    [OperationContract(IsOneWay=true)]
    void GetData(int value);
}
```

request-response

```
[ServiceContract]
public interface IService1
{
    [OperationContract]
    string GetData(int value);
}
```

duplex channel

```
[ServiceContract(CallbackContract=typeof(IServiceCallback))]
public interface IService1
{
    [OperationContract(IsOneWay=true)]
    void GetData(int value);
}
```

! special bindings for duplex channel

under <system.serviceModel> section of Web.config file

```
<services>
  <service name="WcfService1.Service1">
    <endpoint binding="wsDualHttpBinding" contract="WcfService1.IService1"/>
  </service>
</services>
```

serialization

```
[DataContract]
public class CompositeType
{
    bool boolValue = true;

    [DataMember]
    public bool BoolValue
    {
        get { return boolValue; }
        set { boolValue = value; }
    }
}
```


```
101010100101010000010
010101010101001010101
010101010101010010101
000000011111110000000
111010101010001000110
010101010101010010101
000000011111110000000
111010101010001000110
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```
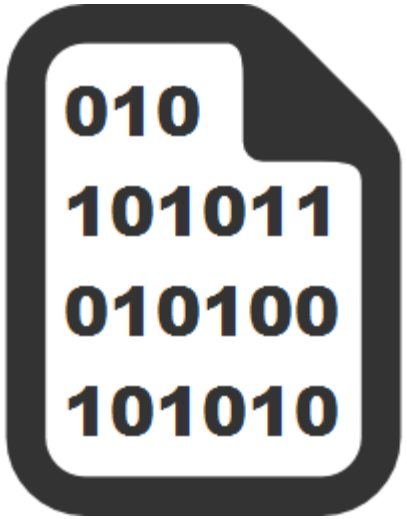
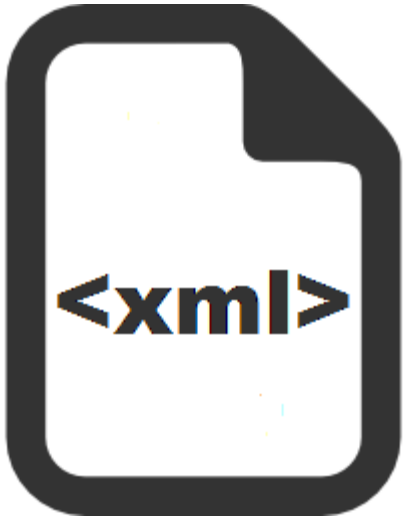
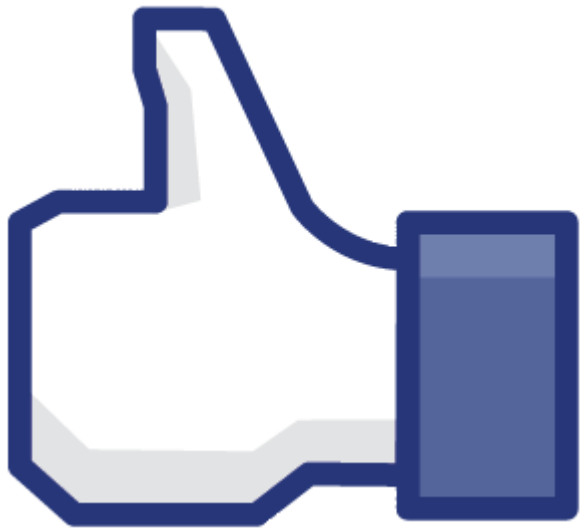

serialization types





unified development model
SOAP serialization – interplatform objects exchange



performance (e.g. real-time games)
concurrency – special care required
critical sections – easy to overlook
dead locks

exercise

1. Launch Visual Studio
2. File / New / New Project / WCF Service Application
3. Run it
    1. Investigate WSDL file
    2. How the information is transformed?
    3. How is this data used? (*brain storm*)
4. Add method to the contract SayHello(string inputName)
    1. Method should return text „Hello {inputName}”.
5. Execute service and connect with WCF Test Client
6. Check if service works correctly

q&a

system-provided bindings

http://tinyurl.com/pwncws2

Binding	Configuration Element	Description
BasicHttpBinding	<basicHttpBinding>	A binding that is suitable for communicating with WS-Basic Profile conformant Web services, for example, ASP.NET Web services (ASMX)-based services. This binding uses HTTP as the transport and text/XML as the default message encoding.
WSHttpBinding	<wsHttpBinding>	A secure and interoperable binding that is suitable for non-duplex service contracts.
WSDualHttpBinding	<wsDualHttpBinding>	A secure and interoperable binding that is suitable for duplex service contracts or communication through SOAP intermediaries.