

# Java Thread Applications

# Exercise

- What is the output of the code on the next slide?
- Is there any deadlock?
  - If so, where is it?

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public class Deadlock {
    static class Friend {
        private final String name;
        public Friend(String name) {
            this.name = name;
        }
        public String getName() {
            return name;
        }

        public synchronized void bow(Friend bower) {
            System.out.format(
                "%s: %s has bowed to me!%n",
                name, bower.getName());
            bower.bowBack(this);
        }

        public synchronized void bowBack(Friend bower) {
            System.out.format(
                "%s: %s has bowed back to me!%n",
                this.name, bower.getName());
        }
    } // class Friend

    // main method next column
}

```

```

public static void main(String[] args) {
    final Friend alphonse = new Friend("Alphonse");
    final Friend gaston = new Friend("Gaston");

    Runnable r1 = new Runnable() {
        public void run() {
            alphonse.bow(gaston);
        }
    };
    new Thread(r1).start();

    Runnable r2 = new Runnable() {
        public void run() {
            gaston.bow(alphonse);
        }
    };
    new Thread(r2).start();
}

```

# Definitions

- Starvation - a condition where a thread is unable to obtain regular access to a shared resource. The thread is blocked and unable to make progress.
- Livelock - a condition where a thread is not blocked but is not making progress. Sometimes occurs when two threads are busy responding to the other thread.

```

/**
 * A Fork object. A fork can alternate between two states: being picked up
 * and being put down. If it is currently picked up, it must be put down
 * before it can be picked up again. Similarly, if a fork is put down, it
 * must be picked up before it can be put down again.
 *
 * @author david
 */
public class Fork {
    /** id for this fork */
    private int id;

    /** flag to indicate if this fork can be picked up */
    private boolean availableFlag = true;

    /** part of an exception message */
    private static final String pickUpMsg = " is not available";

    /** part of an exception message */
    private static final String putDownMsg = " is not being held";

    /**
     * Creates a Fork with a specified id.
     *
     * @param id the specified id
     */
    public Fork(int id) {
        this.id = id;
    }
}

```

# Fork.java

```

/**
 * Tests whether this Fork is available.
 *
 * @return true if this Fork is available
 */
public boolean isAvailable() {
    return availableFlag;
}

/**
 * Picks up this Fork.
 *
 * @throws IllegalStateException if the Fork is not available
 */
public void pickUp() {
    if (!availableFlag) {
        throw new IllegalStateException(toString() + pickUpMsg);
    }
    availableFlag = false;
}

/**
 * Puts down (releases) this Fork.
 *
 * @throws IllegalStateException if the Fork is available
 */
public void putDown() {
    if (availableFlag) {
        throw new IllegalStateException(toString() + putDownMsg);
    }
    availableFlag = true;
}
}

```

# Main.java

```
Fork[] forks = new Fork[5];
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    forks[i] = new Fork(i);
}
```

```
Object waiter = new Object();
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```
Philosopher[] phil = new Philosopher[5];
phil[0] = new Philosopher(names[0], waiter, forks[0], forks[4]);
for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
    phil[i] = new Philosopher(names[i], waiter, forks[i], forks[i-1]);
}
```

```
Thread[] th = new Thread[5];
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    th[i] = new Thread(phil[i]);
    System.out.println("Philosopher Id: " + phil[i].getId());
}
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    th[i].start();
}
```

```
try {
    Thread.sleep(sleepTime);

    for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
        phil[i].setStopping(true);
        th[i].join();
    }
} catch (InterruptedException ie) {
    ie.printStackTrace();
}
```

# Philosopher.java

```
@Override  
public void run() {  
    long startTotalTime = System.nanoTime();  
    boolean haveForks = false;  
    while (!isStopping()) {  
        // think  
  
        // try to get forks  
  
        // eat?  
    }  
    estTotalTime = System.nanoTime() - startTotalTime;  
}
```

# // think

```
thoughts++;  
long thinkTime = (long)(random.nextFloat() * 10.0);  
try {  
    Thread.sleep(thinkTime);  
} catch (InterruptedException e) {  
    e.printStackTrace();  
}
```



# // try to get forks

```
long startMutexTime = System.nanoTime();
synchronized(waiter) {
    if (leftFork.isAvailable() && rightFork.isAvailable()) {
        try {
            leftFork.pickUp();
            rightFork.pickUp();
            haveForks = true;
        } catch (IllegalStateException e) {
            String msg = id + " in illegal state. "
                + e.getMessage();
            System.out.println(msg);
            setStopping(true);
        }
    }
}
estMutexTime += System.nanoTime() - startMutexTime;
```

# // eat?

```
if (haveForks) {  
    meals++;  
    long eatTime = (long)(random.nextFloat() * 10.0);  
    try {  
        Thread.sleep(eatTime);  
    } catch (InterruptedException e) {  
        e.printStackTrace();  
    }  
    try {  
        leftFork.putDown();  
        rightFork.putDown();  
        haveForks = false;  
    } catch (IllegalStateException e) {  
        String msg = id + " in illegal state. "  
            + e.getMessage();  
        System.out.println(msg);  
        setStopping(true);  
    }  
}
```

# Output

```
 Davids-Air:cs364-2019 david$ java -cp build hw2.Main 2000
Welcome to the diner
Philosopher Id: Plato
Philosopher Id: Socrates
Philosopher Id: Kant
Philosopher Id: Confucius
Philosopher Id: Hadot

The diner is closed.
Philosopher: Plato
    Thoughts: 291, Meals: 115
    Waiter time (ns): 5475235
    Total time (ns): 2007766370
    Ratio -- Waiter time / Total time: 0.0027
Philosopher: Socrates
    Thoughts: 270, Meals: 109
    Waiter time (ns): 2552904
    Total time (ns): 2015244809
    Ratio -- Waiter time / Total time: 0.0013
Philosopher: Kant
    Thoughts: 298, Meals: 104
    Waiter time (ns): 2362471
    Total time (ns): 2016886502
    Ratio -- Waiter time / Total time: 0.0012
Philosopher: Confucius
    Thoughts: 284, Meals: 120
    Waiter time (ns): 2488524
    Total time (ns): 2019194521
    Ratio -- Waiter time / Total time: 0.0012
Philosopher: Hadot
    Thoughts: 298, Meals: 106
    Waiter time (ns): 2744126
    Total time (ns): 2023215074
    Ratio -- Waiter time / Total time: 0.0014
Davids-Air:cs364-2019 david$
```