# **Bootstrap**



### Remember a MERN stack?

- MongoDB as the database
- Express as the web framework
- AngularIS as the frontend framework,
- ReactJS as the frontend framework
- Node.js as the server platform

### **Review JQuery?**

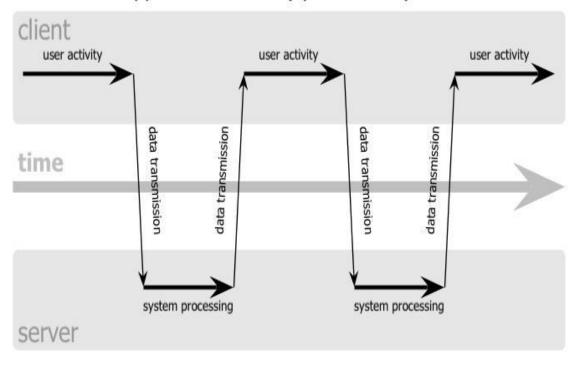
- JQuery is a "write less, do more", JavaScript library
- Purpose of JQuery is to make it much easier to use JavaScript
- Many common tasks in JavaScript are made into functions in JQuery
- Syntax contains selecting HTML elements and performing some action on them
  - \$(selector).action()
    - \$ sign to define access to JQuery
    - selector to query or find HTML elements
    - action() jQuery action to be performed
- E.g.: \$("button").click();

#### **Review AJAX?**

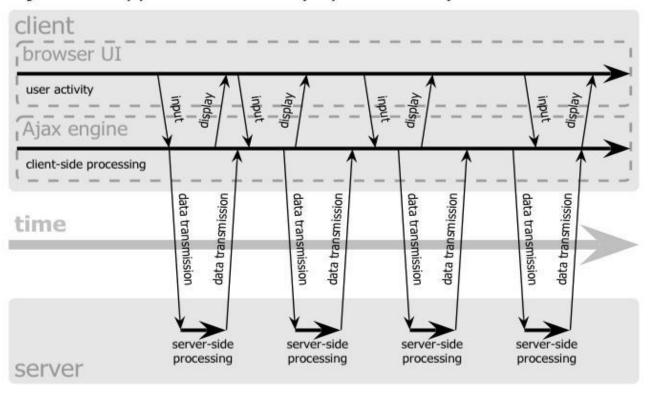
- AJAX Asynchronous JavaScript and XML
- Main purpose is to exchange data with a server and updating the web page without reloading the whole page
- Allows web pages to update asynchronously by exchanging data with server in the background
- This enables parts of the page to update without a complete page reload
- AJAX uses different technologies for implementation
  - XMLHttpRequest object to exchange data asynchronously
  - JavaScript to interact with the information
  - CSS to style the data
  - XML used as the format for data transfer

# Classic Model vs Ajax Model

classic web application model (synchronous)



Ajax web application model (asynchronous)



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### **Twitter Bootstrap**

- Popular HTML, CSS and JavaScript framework for developing responsive applications
- Free framework designed to make web application faster and easier
- Includes HTML, CSS based templates for typography, forms, buttons, tables, navigation, images
- Enables application to be more responsive
- Responsive design makes web applications automatically adjust to different devices, resolutions and screens

http://www.w3schools.com/bootstrap/default.asp

## Why use Twitter Bootstrap?

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### Why use Twitter Bootstrap?

- Easy to use:
  - Uses HTML, CSS and JavaScript
  - Anybody with basic knowledge of HTML, CSS can develop Bootstrap applications
- Responsive features:
  - Responsive CSS adjust automatically to phones, tablets, desktops
- Mobile first approach:
  - Mobile first styles part of core bootstrap framework
- Browser compatibility:
  - Compatible with all major browsers Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer, Safari

#### **How to use Twitter Bootstrap?**

- Download Bootstrap:
  - Download and host yourself
  - Get bootstrap from <u>getbootstrap.com</u>
- Install Bootstrap from CDN:
  - Include bootstrap from CDN(Content Delivery Network)

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<!-- Latest compiled and minified CSS -->
<link rel="stylesheet"href="http://maxcdn.bootstrapcdn.com/bootstrap/3.3.5/css/bootstrap.min.css">

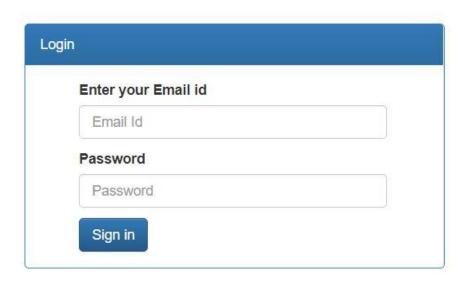
<!-- jQuery library -->
<script src="https://ajax.googleapis.com/ajax/libs/jquery/1.11.3/jquery.min.js"></script>

<!-- Latest compiled JavaScript -->
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### **Example 1**

• Use bootstrap to design the sign-in application

## **Example 1 – User Interface**



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