Computer Science 3053

Human-Computer Interaction Assignment 2

Using Java Swing, develop a desktop application for viewing images, similar to Windows Photo Viewer (see screenshot below). Your application must:

- 1. (1 point) Allow a user to input/select/choose a folder (directory) containing image files that she/he wants to view.
- 2. (2 point) Show the user one image at a time (you may show smaller previews of the next/previous or other images).
- 3. (5 points) Provide the user with at least five (5) ways to change the currently viewed image to the next image within the selected folder. (For example, a button, a menubar item, keyboard shortcuts, etc.) Changing to the previous image vs. next image with the same kind of control (e.g. a button) does not count as two methods of changing the image.
- 4. (1 point) Behave reasonably when the user resizes the application window (e.g. automatically resizing the image).
- 5. (1 point) Behave reasonably when the image is larger (resolution) than the displayable area of the window/desktop (e.g. resizing, being pan-able)

You do **not** need to support any image formats that are not supported by Java Swing innately. You do **not** need to provide any image editing capabilities (including deleting image files).

You must complete the assignment by Thursday, February 4 at 12:00 PM (noon) and submit the source code (not compiled class files, nor a JAR) on D2L in the appropriate DropBox.

Additionally, you must arrange to come to office hours (or setup an appointment at another time) in order to demonstrate your program [on your own laptop] and answer a few brief questions.

Some extra credit can be granted for creative extensions to the basic requirements listed above.

