

THE FUNCTIONAL WEB STACK

HTTP4S, DOOBIE & CIRCE

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LET'S BUILD A WEBSITE

- It's going to be CRUD (create/read/update/delete)
- How do we convert data to/from database structure?
- How do we convert data to/from JSON?
- Converting from one format to another is most of a developer's job!

CONVERTING TO/FROM JSON



```
case class MyClass(  
  s: String,  
  t: Instant,  
  i: Int)
```

```
Json.obj(  
  "s": Json.str,  
  "t": Json.number,  
  "i": Json.number)
```

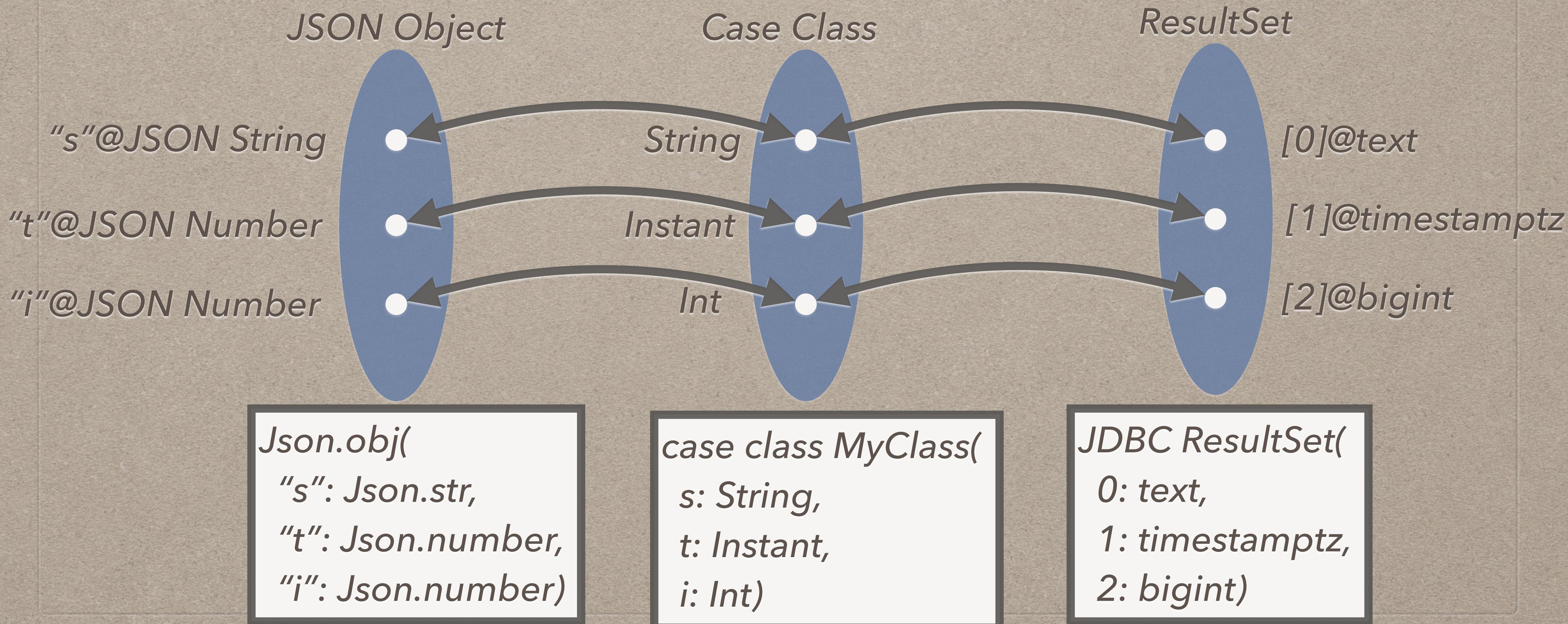
CONVERTING TO/FROM JDBC



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```
JDBC ResultSet(  
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  2: bigint)
```

JDBC AND JSON COMBINED



JSON CONVERSION WITH CIRCE

- Very fast, usable JSON library
- Automatic derivation of JSON codecs for case classes
- Integration available with http4s
- <http://circe.io>

JSON CONVERSION WITH CIRCE

A => Json

```
trait Encoder[A] {  
    def apply(a: A): Json  
}
```

java.time.Instant => Json

```
implicit val jsonEncoderInstant: Encoder[Instant] =  
    Encoder[Long].contramap(_.toEpochMilli)
```

JSON CONVERSION WITH CIRCE

Json => A

```
trait Decoder[A] {  
  def apply(c: HCursor): Decoder.Result[A]  
}
```

Json => java.time.Instant

```
implicit val jsonDecoderInstant: Decoder[Instant] =  
  Decoder[Long].map(Instant.ofEpochMilli)
```

CONVERTING CASE CLASSES WITH CIRCE

Manual

```
// for case class Person(id: Int, name: String)

object Person {
  implicit val decodePerson: Decoder[Person] =
    Decoder.forProduct2("id", "name")(Person.apply)

  implicit val encodePerson: Encoder[Person] =
    Encoder.forProduct2("id", "name")(p =>
      (p.id, p.name)
    )
}
```

Automatic

```
import io.circe.generic.auto._
```

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JDBC USING DOOBIE

- Doobie is a “pure functional JDBC layer for Scala”
- Complete representation of Java JDBC API
- <https://github.com/tpolecat/doobie>
- tpolecat.github.io/doobie-0.2.3/00-index.html (Documentation)

JDBC MAPPING WITH DOOBIE

```
sealed trait Meta[A] {
    /** Destination JDBC types to which values of type `A` can be written. */
    def jdbcTarget: NonEmptyList[JdbcType]

    /** Source JDBC types from which values of type `A` can be read. */
    def jdbcSource: NonEmptyList[JdbcType]

    /** Constructor for a `getXXX` operation for type `A` at a given index. */
    val get: Int => RS.ResultSetIO[A]

    /** Constructor for a `setXXX` operation for a given `A` at a given index. */
    val set: (Int, A) => PS.PreparedStatementIO[Unit]

    /** Constructor for an `updateXXX` operation for a given `A` at a given index. */
    val update: (Int, A) => RS.ResultSetIO[Unit]

    /** Constructor for a `setNull` operation for the primary JDBC type, at a given index. */
    val setNull: Int => PS.PreparedStatementIO[Unit]
}
```

JDBC MAPPING WITH DOOBIE

Reusing an existing Meta definition

```
implicit val metaInstant =  
  Meta[java.sql.Timestamp].nxmap(  
    _.toInstant,  
    (i: Instant) => new java.sql.Timestamp(i.toEpochMilli)  
  )
```

Meta definitions exist for:

Byte

Short

Int

Long

Float

Double

java.math.BigDecimal

Boolean

String

Array[Byte]

BigDecimal

java.sql.Time

java.sql.Timestamp

java.sql.Date

java.util.Date

CONVERTING CASE CLASSES WITH DOOBIE

Nothing extra needed!

QUERIES WITH DOOBIE

Given the table

<i>Column</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Table "public.people"</i>	<i>Modifiers</i>
<i>id</i>	<i>integer</i>		<i>not null default nextval('people_id_seq'::regclass)</i>
<i>name</i>	<i>text</i>		

Indexes:
"people_pkey" PRIMARY KEY, btree (id)

Define a query

```
sql"select id, name from people".query[Person]
```

Using prepared statements & variable interpolation

```
sql"select id, name from people where id = $id".query[Person]
```

DEFINE THE EXPECTED RESULT SIZE

- `myQuery.unique` – Expect a single row from the query
- `myQuery.option` – Expect 0-1 rows from the query, return an Option
- `myQuery.list` – Return the results as a List
- `myQuery.vector` – Return the results as a Vector
- `myQuery.process` – Return the results as a stream of data

RUNNING QUERIES WITH DOOBIE

Define a Transactor for your Database

```
val xa = DriverManagerTransactor[Task] (
  "org.postgresql.Driver", "jdbc:postgresql:demo", "demo", "")
```

Run your query using the Transactor

```
myQuery.list.transact(xa)
```

Your query runs in a transaction (rollback on uncaught exception)

UPDATES WITH DOOBIE

Call .update instead of .query (returns number of rows modified)

```
def updatePerson(id: Int, name: String): ConnectionIO[Int] =  
  sql"update people set name=$name where id=$id"  
    .update
```

.withUniqueGeneratedKeys provides data from updated row

```
def updatePerson(id: Int, name: String): ConnectionIO[Person] =  
  sql"update people set name=$name where id=$id"  
    .update  
    .withUniqueGeneratedKeys("id", "name")
```

.withGeneratedKeys provides a stream of data, when multiple rows are updated

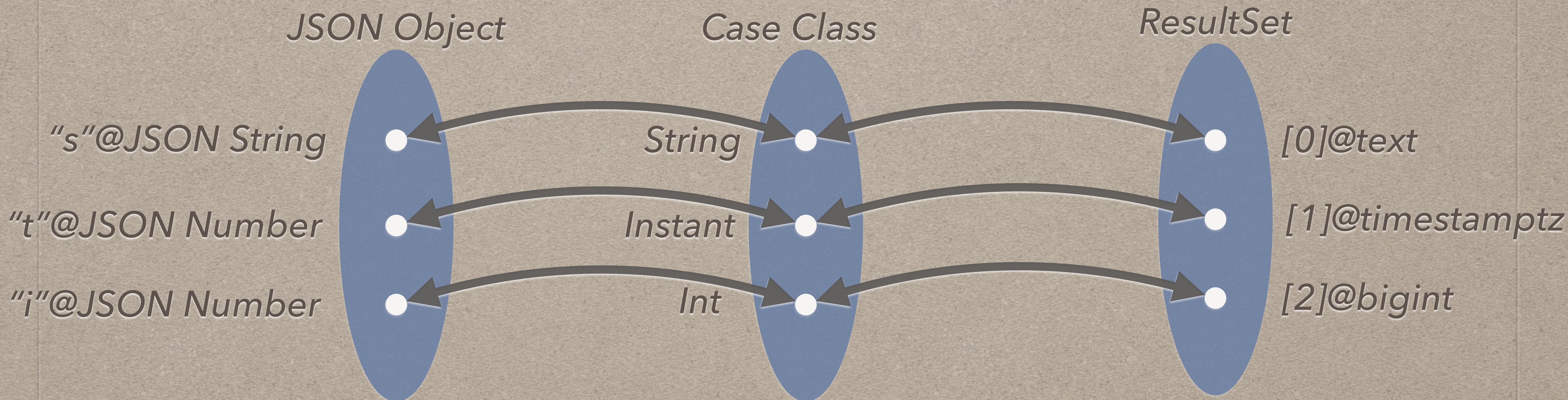
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HTTP4S

- http4s is a typeful, purely functional HTTP library for client and server applications written in Scala
- http4s.org/
- <https://github.com/http4s/http4s>
- <https://github.com/TechEmpower/FrameworkBenchmarks/tree/master/frameworks/Scala/http4s> (from TechEmpower benchmarks)
- www.lyranthe.org/http4s/ (some programming guides)

WRITING A WEB SERVICE WITH HTTP4S

```
type HttpService = Service[Request, Response]
```

represents

```
Request => Task[Response]
```

Three requirements:

- *Setup service*
- *Parse request*
- *Generate response*

PATTERN MATCHING ON THE REQUEST

Extract Method and Path from Request

```
<METHOD> -> <PATH>
```

For example

```
case GET -> path
```

Extract path components from Path

```
Root / "people" / id
```

PATTERN MATCHING ON THE REQUEST

Extract typed components with extractors

```
import java.util.UUID

object UUIDVar {
  def unapply(s: String): Option[UUID] = {
    try {
      UUID.fromString(s)
    } catch {
      case e: IllegalArgumentException =>
        None
    }
  }
}
```

Root / "people" / UUIDVar(uuid)

PARSING REQUEST BODY

Register Circe as JSON decoder

```
implicit def circeJsonDecoder[A](implicit decoder: Decoder[A]) =  
  org.http4s.circe.jsonOf[A]
```

Decode to a Person object

```
req.decode[Person] { person =>  
  ...  
}
```

CREATING RESPONSE

Output response code and String as body

```
Ok("Hello world")
```

Output response code and any type with an EntityEncoder

```
implicit def circeJsonEncoder[A](implicit encoder: Encoder[A]) =  
  org.http4s.circe.jsonEncoderOf[A]
```

```
Ok(Person(1, "Name"))
```

PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

```
case class Person(id: Int, firstName: String, familyName: String, registeredAt: Instant)
case class PersonForm(firstName: String, familyName: String)

object PersonDAO {
  implicit val metaInstant =
    Meta[java.sql.Timestamp].nxmap(
      _.toInstant,
      (i: Instant) => new java.sql.Timestamp(i.toEpochMilli)
    )

  val listPeople: ConnectionIO[List[Person]] =
    sql"select id, first_name, family_name, registered_at from people"
      .query[Person]
      .list

  def getPerson(id: Long): ConnectionIO[Option[Person]] =
    sql"select id, first_name, family_name, registered_at from people where id = $id"
      .query[Person]
      .option

  def updatePerson(id: Int, firstName: String, familyName: String): ConnectionIO[Person] =
    sql"update people set first_name=$firstName, family_name=$familyName where id=$id"
      .update
      .withUniqueGeneratedKeys("id", "first_name", "family_name", "registered_at")

  def insertPerson(firstName: String, familyName: String, registeredAt: Instant = Instant.now()): ConnectionIO[Person] =
    sql"insert into people (first_name, family_name, registered_at) values ($firstName, $familyName, $registeredAt)"
      .update
      .withUniqueGeneratedKeys("id", "first_name", "family_name", "registered_at")
}
```

PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

```
case class Person(id: Int, firstName: String, familyName: String, registeredAt: Instant)
case class PersonForm(firstName: String, familyName: String)

object DemoService {
    implicit def circeJsonDecoder[A](implicit decoder: Decoder[A]) =
        org.http4s.circe.jsonOf[A]

    implicit def circeJsonEncoder[A](implicit encoder: Encoder[A]) =
        org.http4s.circe.jsonEncoderOf[A]

    def service(xa: Transactor[Task]) = HttpService {
        case GET -> Root / "people" =>
            Ok(PersonDAO.listPeople.transact(xa))

        case GET -> Root / "people" / IntVar(id) =>
            for {
                person <- PersonDAO.getPerson(id).transact(xa)
                result <- person.fold(NotFound())(Ok.apply)
            } yield result

        case req @ PUT -> Root / "people" / IntVar(id) =>
            req.decode[PersonForm] { form =>
                Ok(PersonDAO.updatePerson(id, form.firstName, form.familyName).transact(xa))
            }

        case req @ POST -> Root / "people" =>
            req.decode[PersonForm] { form =>
                Ok(PersonDAO.insertPerson(form.firstName, form.familyName).transact(xa))
            }
    }
}
```

PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

```
object Main {
  def main(args: Array[String]): Unit = {
    val xa = DriverManagerTransactor[Task](
      "org.postgresql.Driver", "jdbc:postgresql:demo", "demo", "")
  }

  val server =
    BlazeBuilder
      .bindHttp(8080)
      .mountService(DemoService.service(xa))
      .run

  server.awaitShutdown()
}
```

ADDING HTML TEMPLATING WITH TWIRL

Add to project/plugins.sbt

```
addSbtPlugin("com.typesafe.sbt" % "sbt-twirl" % "1.1.1")
```

Place templates in src/main/twirl

PACKAGING WITH SBT-NATIVE-PACKAGER

Add to project/plugins.sbt

```
addSbtPlugin("com.typesafe.sbt" % "sbt-native-packager" % "1.1.0-RC1")
```

Enable AutoPlugin

```
enablePlugins(JavaServerAppPackaging)
```

STREAMING DATA WITH SCALAZ-STREAM

- Response can take a scalaz-stream Process
- Doobie can create a scalaz-stream Process from a Resultset
- Data sent incrementally using chunked Transfer-Encoding

```
val streamPeople: Process[ConnectionIO, Person] =  
  sql"select id, first_name, family_name, registered_at from people"  
    .query[Person]  
    .process
```

```
case GET -> Root / "stream" =>  
  Ok(PersonDAO.streamPeople.transact(xa).map(p => p.id + "\n"))
```

QUESTIONS?

<https://github.com/fiadliel/http4s-talk>

