

# CSC435: Web Programming

## Lecture 12: JavaScript: Objects

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# Future lecture plan

Lectures	Content	homework
Feb 26 (today)	Unobtrusive JS OOP in JavaScript Functions	Homework 3 Due Thursday
March 1 (Friday)	OOP, Form validation.	
March 5 (Tuesday)	DOM, Events and Timers	
March 8 ( Friday)	More JS, Mid-term review	
March 12-17	Spring break	Homework 4 (UI control is out
March 19	Mid-term exam	In-class exam (HTML, CSS, JS)
March 22	Ajax, Fetch, Json	Homework 4 is due
March 27	jQuery	

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# Activity Outline

- JavaScript Forms and events.
  - JavaScript Objects
  - OOP Exercises.
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- Friday: Quiz 2 (in-class requires turn in on blackboard). 15 mins.

# Take-home reading

Introduction to JavaScript (must read). Many readings are required!!

JavaScript and Browser, DOM:

[http://eloquentjavascript.net/13\\_browser.html](http://eloquentjavascript.net/13_browser.html)

[http://eloquentjavascript.net/14\\_dom.html](http://eloquentjavascript.net/14_dom.html)

DOC model:

[https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/API/Document\\_Object\\_Model/Introduction](https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/API/Document_Object_Model/Introduction)

Objects and arrays:

[http://eloquentjavascript.net/04\\_data.html](http://eloquentjavascript.net/04_data.html)

# JS skeleton

```
<!-- in the <head> block -->  
<script src="path/to/javascript/file.js"  
type="text/javascript"></script>
```

HTML

```
(function() {  
  
    // set-up code that doesn't involve the DOM  
    // (e.g. setting up initial values, arrays, etc.)  
  
    window.onload = function() {  
        // phew! your code goes here  
    };  
  
    //function definitions go here  
  
})();
```

JS



# Homework 3: JS

```
window.onload = function() {  
  document.getElementById("compute").onclick = computeGrade;  
  document.getElementById("clear").onclick = clearClick;  
};
```

```
function computeGrade() {  
  var earned = 0;  
  var earnedInputs = document.querySelectorAll(".earned");  
  alert(earnedInputs[0].value);  
  
}  
  
}
```





# Homework 3: getDocumentById?

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
```

```
<html>
```

```
<body>
```

```
Name: <input type="text" id="myText" value="Mickey">
```

```
<p>Click the button to change the value of the text field.</p>
```

```
<button onclick="myFunction()">Try it</button>
```

```
</body>
```

```
</html>
```

```
<script>
```

```
function myFunction() {
```

```
    document.getElementById("myText").value = "Johnny Bravo";
```

```
}
```

```
</script>
```

# Modifying DOM Elements (Example

```
<a id="fb-link" href=http://www.facebook.com> Facebook </a>  
HTML
```

Before the JavaScript runs, we'd see:

Facebook

And after we run this JavaScript:

```
let link = document.getElementById("fb-link");  
link.innerHTML = "MySpace is back in a really big way.";
```

We 'd see

My space is back in big way.

# JavaScript “strict” mode

```
“use strict”;
```

```
..... Your code .....
```

- Writing "use strict"; at the very top of your JS file turns on strict syntax checking:
- Shows an error if you try to assign to an undeclared variable
- Stops you from overwriting key JS system libraries
- Forbids some unsafe or error-prone language features
- You should *always* turn on strict mode for your code in this class!

# Checkboxes:<input>

*yes/no choices that can be checked and unchecked (inline)*

```
<input type="checkbox" name="lettuce" /> Lettuce  
<input type="checkbox" name="tomato" checked="checked" />  
Tomato  
<input type="checkbox" name="pickles" checked="checked" />  
Pickles  HTML
```

☐ Lettuce ☒ Tomato ☒ Pickles

- none, 1, or many checkboxes can be checked at same time
- when sent to server, any checked boxes will be sent with value on:
  - <http://webster.cs.washington.edu/params.php?tomato=on&pickles=on>
- use checked="checked" attribute in HTML to initially check the box

# document.querySelectorAll

```
var inputs =  
document.querySelectorAll("input[type='checkbox']")  
);  
for(var i = 0; i < inputs.length; i++) {  
    inputs[i].checked = true;  
}
```

```
var checked =  
document.querySelectorAll("#checks  
input[type='checkbox']:checked");  
for (var i = 0; i < checked.length; i++) {  
    str+=checked[i].value + " ";  
}
```

# document.querySelectorAll

```
elementList = document.querySelectorAll(selectors) ;
```

```
<p class="example">A paragraph with class="example"</p>  
HTML
```

```
// Get all <p> elements in the document  
var x = document.querySelectorAll("p");  
// Set the background color of the first <p> element  
x[0].style.backgroundColor = "red";  
JS
```

Return value: a list of the elements within the document (using depth-first pre-order traversal of the document's nodes) that match the specified group of selectors. The object returned is a [NodeList](#).

# document.querySelectorAll

```
elementList = document.querySelectorAll(selectors) ;
```

```
<h2 class="example">A heading with class="example"</h2>  
<p class="example">A paragraph with class="example".</p>  
<p class="example">Another paragraph with class="example".</p>
```

 HTML

```
var x = document.querySelectorAll("p.example");  
x[0].style.backgroundColor = "red";
```

 JS

Return value: a list of the elements within the document (using depth-first pre-order traversal of the document's nodes) that match the specified group of selectors. The object returned is a [NodeList](#).

# document.querySelector

```
elementList = document.querySelector(selectors) ;
```

```
<h2 class="example">A heading with class="example"</h2>  
<p class="example">A paragraph with class="example".</p>  
<p class="example">Another paragraph with class="example".</p>
```

 HTML

```
var el = document.querySelector(".example");           el.  
.style.backgroundColor = "red";  
//In this example, the first element in the document with the class "example" is  
returned:
```

Return value: A Element object representing the first element in the document that matches the specified set of CSS selectors.



# Unobtrusive styling

```
function okayClick() {  
  this.style.color = "red";    // <-- bad style  
  this.className = "highlighted"; // <-- better style  
}
```

JS

```
.highlighted{color:red;}
```

CSS

- Well-written JavaScript code should contain as little CSS as possible
- Use JS to set CSS classes/IDs on elements
- Define the styles of those classes/IDs in your CSS file
- We will discuss this in another class

# Radio buttons: <input>

*sets of mutually exclusive choices (inline)*

```
<input type="radio" name="cc" value="visa" checked="checked" />
Visa
<input type="radio" name="cc" value="mastercard" /> MasterCard
<input type="radio" name="cc" value="amex" /> American Express
```

HTML

☒ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express

output

- grouped by name attribute (only one can be checked at a time)
- must specify a value for each one or else it will be sent as value on

Set the "Visa" to be checked

```
document.getElementById("visa").checked = true;
```

```
document.querySelector("input[name=cc]:checked").value
```

## Text Labels: <label>

```
<label>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="visa" checked="checked"> Visa
</label>
<label>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="mastercard"> MasterCard
</label>
<label>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="amex"> American Express
</label>
```

HTML

☒ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express

output

- Associates nearby text with control, so you can click text to activate control
- Can be used with check boxes or radio buttons.
- Label element can be targeted by CSS rule.

# Grouping input: <fieldset> <legend>

*group of input fields with optional caption*

```
<fieldset>
<legend> Credit Cards: </legend>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="visa" checked="checked"> Visa
</label>
<label>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="mastercard"> MasterCard
</label>
<label>
  <input type="radio" name="cc" value="amex"> American Express
</fieldset>
```

HTML

Credit cards:

☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express

Fieldset group related input fields, adds a border; legend supplies a caption.

# Style Form Elements

```
input {  
  border: 2px solid #999;  
}  
input:checked {  
  border: 6px solid black;}
```

CSS

**Please select your preferred contact method:**

☒ Email   ☐ Phone   ☐ Mail

**Submit**

## Drop-down list: <select>, <option> *menus of choices that collapse and expand (inline)*

```
<select name="favorite-character">  
  <option>Rob</option>  
  <option>John</option>  
  <option selected="selected">Ayra</option>  
  <option>Sansa</option>  
</select>
```



- Option element represents each choice
- Select optional attributes: disabled, multiple, size
- Optional selected attribute sets which one is initially chosen

# The innerHTML property

```
<button onclick="addText();" >Click me!</button>  
<span id="output">Hello </span>
```

HTML

```
function addText() {  
    var span = document.getElementById("output");  
    span.innerHTML += " bro";  
}
```

JS

Click me! Hello

output

- can change the text inside most elements by setting the `innerHTML` property

# simple computations Lecture 11 Exercise folder

- Write a dropdown menu use
- `<input class="numberInput" type="text">`
- `<select id = 'input1t">`  
    `<option value ="square">square`  
    `<option value ="cube">cube`  
    `<option value ="factorial">factorial`  
    `</select>`  
  
    Use `<input id ="input1">` to ask users to input a number.

```
function pageLoad() {  
    let input =  
    document.querySelector('.numberInput');  
    let para = document.querySelector('p');  
    input.onchange = outputNumber;  
}  
function outputNumber(){  
    //Your code goes here  
}
```

- To allow users to compute various functions of the number entered in the input area such as square, cube, or factorial.
- Display the results in the browser when they select the method.
- Hint: `let input = document.querySelector('.numberInput')`  
    `let output = document.getElementById('output')`



# JavaScript Properties and methods

Properties:  
example

`array.length`

`myString.length`


`Math.max`

Methods: example

`array.push()`

`string.toUpperCase()`

# JavaScript objects

Object	Properties	Methods
	<code>car.name = Fiat</code>  <code>car.model = 500</code>  <code>car.weight = 850kg</code>  <code>car.color = white</code>	<code>car.start()</code>  <code>car.drive()</code>  <code>car.brake()</code>  <code>car.stop()</code>

```
var car {  
  name: "Fiat",  
  model: "500",  
  color: "white",  
  Weight: "850kg"};
```

```
// retrieval  
car.name // "Fiat"  
  
car[name] // "Fiat"
```

# Object: construction and retrieval

- An object is a container of properties, where a property has a name and a value.*

## Construction

```
Var flight {  
  airline: "Oceanic",  
  Number: 815,  
  Departure: {  
    IATA: "SYD",  
    time: "2004-09-22 14:55",  
    city: "Sidney"  
  };  
  Arrival: {  
    IATA: "LAX",  
    time: "2004-09-23 10:42",  
    city: "Los Angeles"  
  }  
};
```

## Retrieval

```
flight.departure.IATAL // "SYD"  
  
flight[airline] // "Oceanic"  
  
// use || to fill in default  
value  
  
Var status = flight.status ||  
"unknown";  
  
flight.equipement //undefined  
  
flight.equipment.model //throw  
"TypeError"
```

# Object: update

- A value in an object can be updated by assignment. If the property name already exist in the object, the property value is replaced:*

Construction

```
Var flight {  
  airline: "Oceanic",  
  Number: 815,  
  Departure:{  
    IATA: "SYD",  
    time: "2004-09-22 14:55",  
    city: "Sidney"  
  };  
  Arrival: {  
    IATA: "LAX",  
    time: "2004-09-23 10:42",  
    city: "Los Angeles"  
  }  
};
```

update

```
flight['airline'] = 'wow'  
// if the object doesn't have  
the property name, the object  
is augmented:  
  
flight.equipment = {  
  model: 'Boeing 777'  
};  
  
flight.status = 'overdue'
```

# Object: reference

```
var Stooge = {  
  "first-name": "Jeremy",  
  "second-name": "Howard"  
}  
var x = Stooge;  
x.nickname = 'Curly';  
var nick = Stooge.nickname;  
  
//nick is 'Curly' because x and stooge  
are references to the same object
```

# Object: function construct with “this”

```
function person(firstname,lastname,age,eyecolor)
{
    this.firstname=firstname;
    this.lastname=lastname;
    this.age=age;
    this.eyecolor=eyecolor;
}
```

```
// new instance
```

```
myFather=new person("John","Doe",50,"blue");
```

<https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/this>

# Object: adding method

```
myFather.name = function () {  
    return this.firstName + " " + this.lastName;  
};
```

# Object: quiz

Which of the following is a valid way to create a direct instance of an object?

- a. `myObject.create ();`
- b. `myObject = new Object;`
- c. `myObject = new Object();`



# Object: quiz

- What is the the output of the following code after “alert”?

```
function person (firstname, lastname, age, eyecolor)
{
  this.firstname=firstname;
  this.lastname=lastname;
  this.age=age;
  this.eyecolor=eyecolor;
}
```

```
myFather = new person("John", "Doe", 50, "blue");
var x =myFather;
x.job = "Teacher";
var profession = myFather.job;
alert(profession);
document.writeln("father's firstname is ",
  myFather.firstname, "<br>");
```

# Using “reference”

- Add code to the code in the last slide and print:
- `my father 's nickname is Johnny`  
`using document.writeln`

# Demo: show info

In a JavaScript, create an object.

Create a property called “info” and assign a string.

Write a function (object method) myFunct() that alert the “info” value of the .info property to the browser.

you can say: “I am a new shinny object”

Create a instance of the method of the object by calling myFunct()

Create a button uses onClick to evoke the method. How do you display the “info” to the browser?

# Enumeration of object

```
for (var key in object ) {  
    print(object[key]);  
}
```

```
var obj = {first: "prop1", second:  
    "propr2", 3: "proper3"}
```

```
for (var key in obj) {  
    s += key + ":" + obj[key] + " ";  
}  
document.write(s);
```

# Object: exercise 1

- Write a JavaScript program to list the property of the following sample object:
- ```
var student = {  
  Name: "Jenny Klein"  
  Class: " Senior"  
  AUID: " 31635"  
  Hobby: "writing code"  
};
```

Sample output: name, Class, AU ID, Hobby

Hint: write a function to output the list of property. E.G. you can use `string.push()` to append to an empty array and then print out the array.

# Object: exercise 2

- Write a JavaScript program to display the reading status (i.e. display book name, author name, and reading status) of the following books.

```
var library = [  
  {  
    title: 'Bill Gates',  
    author: 'The Road Ahead',  
    readingStatus: true  
  },  
  {  
    title: 'Steve Jobs',  
    author: 'Walter Isaacson',  
    readingStatus: true  
  },  
  {  
    title: 'Mockingjay: The Final Book of The Hunger Games',  
    author: 'Suzanne Collins',  
    readingStatus: false  
  }  
];
```

# Exercise: input number

- Create a simple UI input field
- Ask the user to input numbers between 1-10
- If the input number is not within the range,
- Tell them the input is not valid.
- If the input number is within the range,
- Tell them the input is valid.

# Exercise: input number

- Create HTML element with ID:

```
<p>Please input a number between 1 and 10:</p>  
<input id="numb">  
<button type="button"  
  onclick="myFunction(">Submit</button>  
<p id="demo"></p>
```

- In JavaScript, create a function to validate the number:
  - a ) Get the element of the input field by id.

```
var numb = document.getElementById("num").value
```

- b) see if the number is a number `isNaN()` and whether it is between 1 and 10.
  - c) report the results to the browser using  
`document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = text;`