# C++ Club UK

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#### 2019-10 Pre-Belfast Mailing

```
http://www.open-
std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg21/docs/papers/2019/#mailing2019-10
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 http://www.openstd.org/jtc1/sc22/wg21/docs/papers/2019/p1894r0.pdf

https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/dhm138/wg21\_the\_2 01910\_mailing\_is\_now\_available/

- Oh boy (RX) and doubling down
- Oh boy (Graphics)

#### wg21.link cheatsheet

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wg21.link - WG21 redirect service.
Usage:
    wg21.link/nXXXX
    wg21.link/pXXXX
    wg21.link/pXXXXrX
        Get paper.
    wg21.link/standard
        Get working draft.
    wg21.link/cwgXXX
    wg21.link/ewgXXX
    wg21.link/lwgXXX
    wg21.link/lewgXXX
    wq21.link/fsXXX
    wg21.link/editXXX
        Get issue.
    wg21.link/index.json
    wg21.link/index.ndison
    wg21.link/index.txt
    wg21.link/specref.json
        Get everything.
    wg21.link/
        Get usage.
    wg21.link/<something else>
        Get 404.
Sources:
  - http://www.open-std.org/itc1/sc22/wg21/docs/papers/{2002..2018}/,
  - http://www.open-std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg21/docs/cwg {active,defects,closed}.html,
  - http://cplusplus.github.io/EWG/ewg-{active.complete.closed}.html,
  - http://cplusplus.github.io/LWG/lwg-{active, defects, closed}.html,
  - http://issues.isocpp.org/,
  - https://github.com/cplusplus/draft/tree/master/papers.
  - https://github.com/cplusplus/draft issues and pull-requests,
  - the private wiki of the C++ committee, and
  - a few manual additions.
```

#### MSVC versions are crazy

```
MSC
      1.0
            MSC VER == 100
MSC
      2.0
            MSC VER == 200
MSC
     3.0
            MSC VER == 300
            MSC VER == 400
MSC
   4.0
            MSC_VER == 500
     5.0
MSC
            MSC VER == 600
MSC 6.0
MSC
   7.0
            MSC VER == 700
MSVC++ 1.0
            MSC VER == 800
            MSC_VER == 900
MSVC++ 2.0
            MSC VER == 1000 (Developer Studio 4.0)
MSVC++ 4.0
MSVC++ 4.2
            MSC VER == 1020 (Developer Studio 4.2)
MSVC++ 5.0
            MSC VER == 1100 (Visual Studio 97 version 5.0)
MSVC++ 6.0
            MSC VER == 1200 (Visual Studio 6.0 version 6.0)
            MSC VER == 1300 (Visual Studio .NET 2002 version 7.0)
MSVC++ 7.0
MSVC++ 7.1 _MSC_VER == 1310 (Visual Studio .NET 2003 version 7.1)
MSVC++ 8.0 MSC VER == 1400 (Visual Studio 2005 version 8.0)
MSVC++ 9.0 MSC VER == 1500 (Visual Studio 2008 version 9.0)
MSVC++ 10.0 MSC VER == 1600 (Visual Studio 2010 version 10.0)
MSVC++ 11.0 _MSC_VER == 1700 (Visual Studio 2012 version 11.0)
MSVC++ 12.0 MSC VER == 1800 (Visual Studio 2013 version 12.0)
MSVC++ 14.0 MSC VER == 1900 (Visual Studio 2015 version 14.0)
MSVC++ 14.1 MSC VER == 1910 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.0)
MSVC++ 14.11 MSC VER == 1911 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.3)
MSVC++ 14.12 MSC VER == 1912 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.5)
MSVC++ 14.13 MSC VER == 1913 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.6)
MSVC++ 14.14 MSC VER == 1914 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.7)
MSVC++ 14.15 MSC VER == 1915 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.8)
MSVC++ 14.16 MSC VER == 1916 (Visual Studio 2017 version 15.9)
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#### **Pitchfork**

A de-facto standard C++ project layout, by Colby Pike <vectorofbool@gmail.com>

- Reddit post 1
- Reddit post 2
- Pitchfork GitHub repo
- Pre-paper
- Bloomberg BDE physical code organization

## Address Sanitizer is coming to MSVC

```
https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/d6k7mt/address_sanitizer_is_coming_to_msvc/
```

Closing the gap: cross-language LTO between Rust and  $\mathrm{C/C++}$ 

http://blog.llvm.org/2019/09/closing-gap-cross-language-lto-between.html

Reddit descended into an irrelevant but heated discussion on the term "C/C++".

# What's the difference between "STL" and "C++ Standard Library"?

```
https://stackoverflow.com/questions/5205491/whats-the-difference-between-stl-and-c-standard-library
```

https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/c90sxa/whats\_the\_difference\_between\_stl\_and\_c\_standard/

STL is a maintainer of MSVC's implementation of the C++ Standard Library.

# Scapix language bridge

```
https://www.scapix.com/introduction/
https://github.com/scapix-com/scapix
https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/cjvc1u/automatic_c_b
indings_for_various_languages/
https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/ckf44x/scapix_java_l
ink_modern_c17_jni_wrapper_library/
```

#### Coro Examples, by Arthur O'Dwyer

```
https://quuxplusone.github.io/blog/2019/07/03/announcing-coro-examples/
```

https://github.com/Quuxplusone/coro

#### **CURL** wrappers

#### Swish

- https://github.com/lamarrr/swish
- https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/c8q0wh/a\_moder n\_c\_17\_http\_client\_library\_for\_humans/

#### CPR

- https://github.com/whoshuu/cpr
- https://whoshuu.github.io/cpr/

#### Span Lite

#### https://github.com/martinmoene/span-lite

A C++20-like span for C++98, C++11 and later in a single-file header-only library.

#### mdspan

- Implementation https://github.com/kokkos/mdspan (BSD 3-Clause)
  - Intro https://github.com/kokkos/mdspan/wiki/A-Gentle-Introduction-to-mdspan
  - r/cpp https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/cl127i/mds pan\_productionquality\_reference\_implementation/
- Kokkos https://github.com/kokkos/kokkos
- Multi-dimensional strided array views in Magnum https://blog.magnum.graphics/backstage/multidimensiona l-strided-array-views/
- P0009R9 mdspan: A Non-Owning Multidimensional Array Reference http://wg21.link/p0009r9
- CppCast with Bryce Adelstein Lelbach https://cppcast.com/bryce-lelbach-mdspan/

#### Enums, warnings, and default

1 -Wswitch-enum

```
https://brevzin.github.io/c++/2019/08/01/enums-default/
https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/cubah9/enum_switc
h_warnings/
GCC & Clang:
```

## Machine Learning with C++

#### Reddit

- PyTorch https://pytorch.org/features -- has a pure C++ front end https://pytorch.org/cppdocs/
- TensorFlow for C++ https://www.tensorflow.org/api\_docs/cc
- Shogun https://www.shogun.ml/

The sad history of Unicode printf-style format specifiers in Visual C++

https://devblogs.microsoft.com/oldnewthing/20190830-00/?p=102823

Reddit

# **Introducing Magnum Python Bindings**

https://blog.magnum.graphics/announcements/introducingpython-bindings/

https://github.com/pybind/pybind11

## Are there any memory safety libraries for C++?

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https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/d0hguz/are_there_any
_memory_safety_libraries_for_c/
https://github.com/duneroadrunner/SaferCPlusPlus/
https://github.com/deplinenoise/ig-memtrace
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MemTrace is a memory debugging tool developed internally at Insomniac Games.

https://github.com/ivmai/bdwgc

The Boehm-Demers-Weiser conservative C/C++
Garbage Collector (libgc, bdwgc, boehm-gc) https:
//www.hboehm.info/gc/

# AnyDuck: A Value Type Erased Type

```
Steve Downey: https://www.sdowney.org/2019/07/anyduck-a-value-type-erased-type/
```

Template meta-programming: Some testing and debugging tricks

https://cukic.co/2019/02/19/tmp-testing-and-debugging-templates/

## using vs. typedef

https://www.nextptr.com/tutorial/ta1193988140/how-cplusplus-using-or-aliasdeclaration-is-better-than-typedef

# Berkeley Container Library (BCL)

https://github.com/berkeley-container-library/bcl

#### C++ Interview Questions

https://www.reddit.com/r/cpp/comments/d9xnce/c\_interview\_q uestions/

#### Quote

Sturgeon's Law:

90% of everything is crap.