## TP 02 - B

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#### **Second Part**

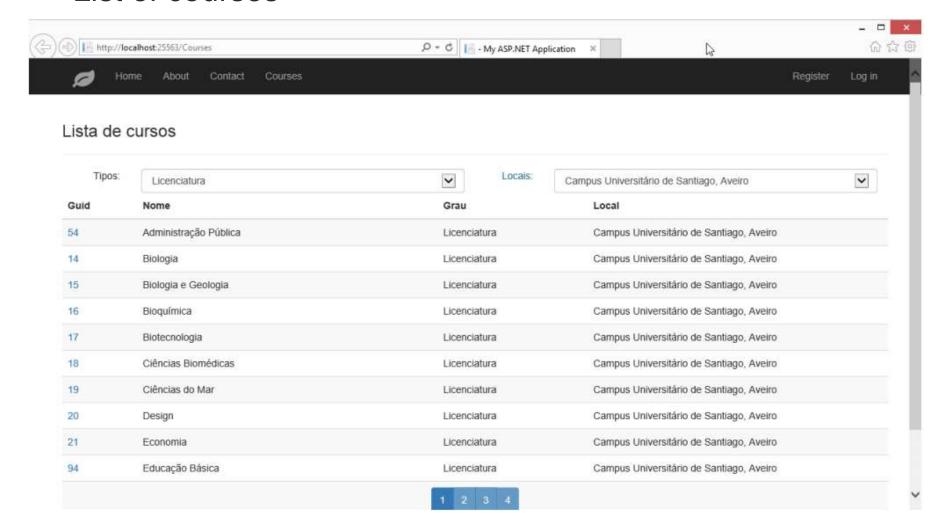
- Displaying XML Data using ASP Controls
- XPATH
- XSLT

#### Task (a)

- Create a new Web Forms project in Visual Studio
- Using the "courses.xml" file used before, develop the following functionalities:
  - Show the list of courses
    - Develop the XSLT document to transform XML as needed
  - Filter the courses
    - Their degree (grau)
    - Their location (local)

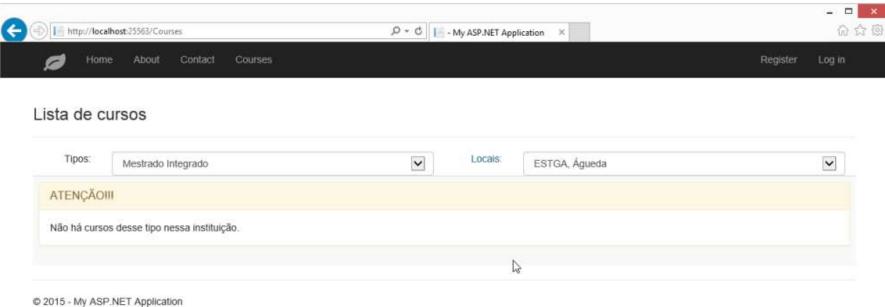
### Task (b)

#### List of courses



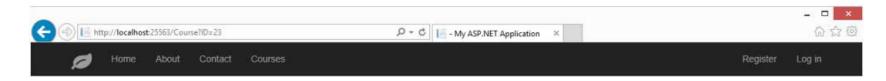
# Task (c)

- Filtered courses
  - Example: empty set



### Task (d)

#### Course details



#### Informação do curso



#### Suggestions

- To develop all these functionalities, you may need:
  - XPATH for nodes selection
  - XSLT for transformation
  - asp:XmlDataSource
  - asp:GridView or asp:Repeator controls to show the courses list
  - asp:DropDownList control to help to filter the courses list

#### Important Tips (a)

- ASP.NET components only deal with attributes (not elements)
- File "courses.xml" only has elements, so it's needed to convert elements to attributes
- Example of XSLT document:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<xsl:stylesheet version="1.0" xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform">
  <xsl:template match="cursos">
    (cursos)
      <xsl:for-each select="curso">
        <xsl:sort select="nome"/>
        (curso)
          <xsl:attribute name="guid">
            <xsl:value-of select="guid"/>
          </xsl:attribute>
(...)
        </curso>
      </xsl:for-each>
    </cursos>
  </xsl:template>
</xsl:stylesheet>
```

#### Important Tips (b)

How to filter repeated values in XML with XPATH

```
<asp:XmlDataSource ID="XmlDataSource2" runat="server" DataFile="~/App_Data/cursos.xml"
    TransformFile="~/TiposDeCursos.xsl"
    XPath="listaDeGraus/grau[not(@nome=preceding:: grau/@nome)]"
    EnableCaching="false">
    </asp:XmlDataSource>
```