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Java EE 8

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Program Agenda

Overview of Java EE 8

- 1 ➤ How did we decide on content and goals of Java EE 8 ?
- 2 ➤ What are we planning?
- 3 ➤ How can you get involved?

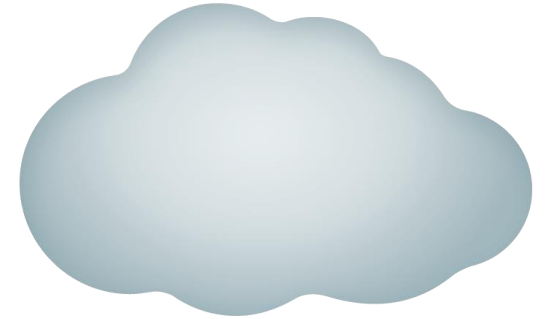
Industry Trends We're Seeing



Cloud



HTTP/2



User Experience

Mobile

Reactive Programming

SECURITY



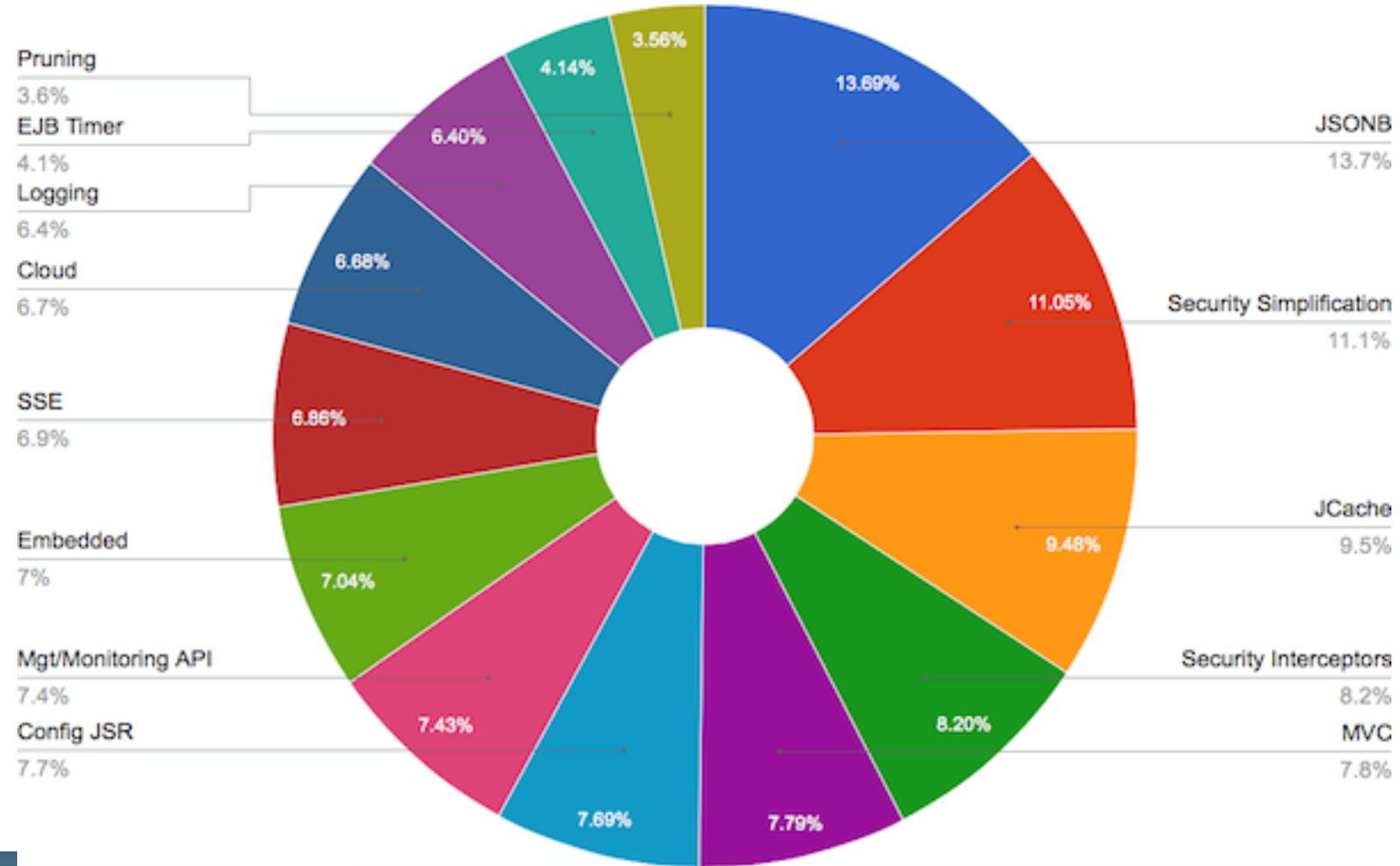
Feedback from the Community

- Many sources of input
 - Users lists of java.net projects
 - JIRAs
 - JavaOne 2013 Java EE BOF and Java EE EG meeting
 - Outreach by evangelists
- Consolidated into Community Survey

Java EE 8 Community Survey

- 3 parts over 3½ months
 - 47 questions
 - 15 fill-ins
 - 1000's of comments
- 4500+ respondents
- Prioritization of most-popular features
- https://java.net/projects/javaee-spec/downloads/download/JavaEE8_Community_Survey_Results.pdf

Community-Prioritized Features



Java EE 8 Themes

- HTML5 / Web Tier Enhancements
- Ease of Development / CDI alignment
- Infrastructure for running in the Cloud

HTML5 Support / Web Tier Enhancements

- JSON Binding
- JSON Processing enhancements
- Server-sent events
- Action-based MVC
- HTTP/2 support

JSON-B 1.0

Java API for JSON Binding

- API to marshal/unmarshal Java objects to/from JSON
 - Similar to JAXB runtime API in XML world
- Default mapping of classes to JSON
 - Annotations to customize the default mappings
 - JsonProperty, JsonTransient, JsonNillable, JsonValue, ...
- Draw from best practices of existing JSON binding implementations
 - MOXy, Jackson, GSON, Genson, Xstream, ...
 - Allow switch of JSON binding providers

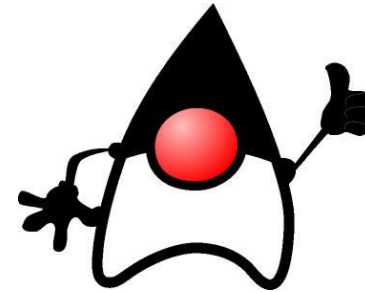
JSON-B

```
@Entity public class Person {  
    @Id String name;  
    String gender;  
    @ElementCollection Map<String,String> phones;  
    ... // getters and setters  
}
```

```
Person duke = new Person();  
duke.setName("Duke");  
duke.setGender("M");  
phones = new HashMap<String,String>();  
phones.put("home", "650-123-4567");  
phones.put("mobile", "650-234-5678");  
duke.setPhones(phones);
```

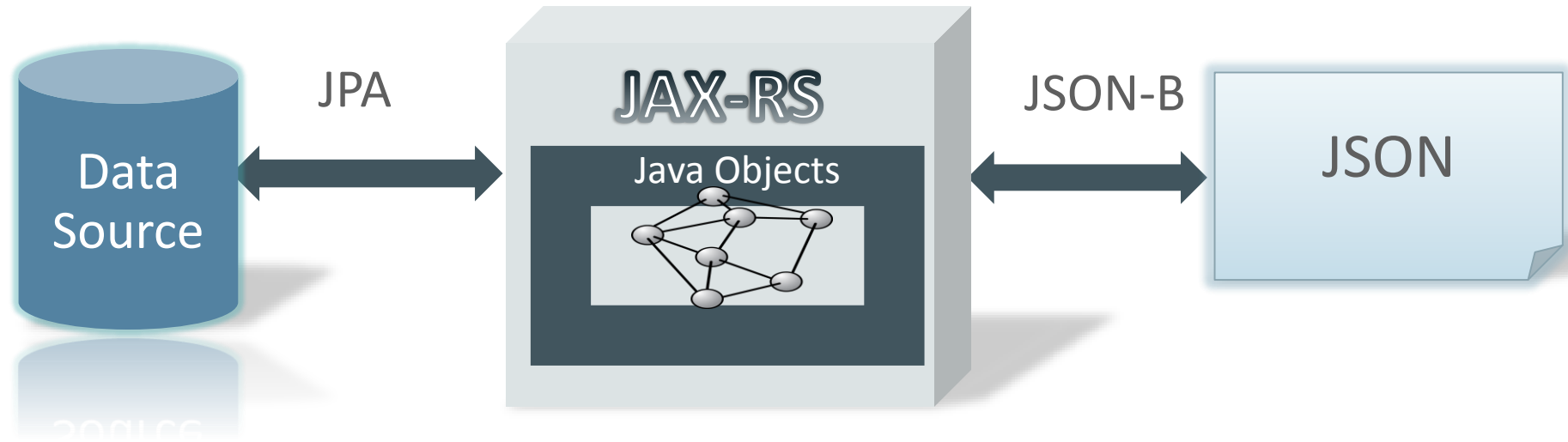
```
Marshaller marshaller = new JsonContext().createMarshaller().setPrettyPrinting(true);  
marshaller.marshal(duke, System.out);
```

```
{  
    "name": "Duke",  
    "gender": "M",  
    "phones": {  
        "home": "650-123-4567",  
        "mobile": "650-234-5678"  
    }  
}
```



JSON-B

- All the way from client to database
 - JSON-B will provide JAX-RS a standard way to support “application/json” media type



JSON-P 1.1

Java API for JSON Processing

- Keep JSON-P spec up-to-date
- Track new standards
- Add editing operations to JsonObject and JsonArray
- Helper classes and methods to better utilize SE 8's stream operations

JSON-P

Tracking new standards

- JSON-Pointer – IETF RFC 6901
 - String syntax for referencing a value
"/0/phones/mobile"

JSON-P

```
JSONArray contacts = Json.createArrayBuilder()  
    .add(Json.createObjectBuilder()  
        .add("name", "Duke")  
        .add("gender", "M")  
        .add("phones", Json.createObjectBuilder()  
            .add("home", "650-123-4567")  
            .add("mobile", "650-234-5678")))  
    .add(Json.createObjectBuilder()  
        .add("name", "Jane")  
        .add("gender", "F")  
        .add("phones", Json.createObjectBuilder()  
            .add("mobile", "707-555-9999")))  
    .build();  
  
[  
  {  
    "name": "Duke",  
    "gender": "M",  
    "phones": {  
      "home": "650-123-4567",  
      "mobile": "650-234-5678"}},  
  {  
    "name": "Jane",  
    "gender": "F",  
    "phones": {  
      "mobile": "707-555-9999"}  
  }  
]
```

JSON-P

```
JSONArray contacts = ...;  
JsonPointer p =  
    Json.createPointer("/0/phones/mobile");  
JsonValue v = p.getValue(contacts);
```

```
[  
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    "gender": "M",  
    "phones": {  
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      "mobile": "650-234-5678"}},  
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    "name": "Jane",  
    "gender": "F",  
    "phones": {  
      "mobile": "707-555-9999"}  
  }  
]
```



JSON-P

Tracking new standards

- JSON-Patch – IETF RFC 6902
 - Patch is a JSON document
 - Array of objects / operations for modifying a JSON document
 - add, replace, remove, move, copy, test
 - Must have "op" field and "path" field
- ```
[
 {"op": "replace", "path":"/0/phones/mobile", "value":"650-111-2222"},
 {"op": "remove", "path":"/1"}
]
```

# JSON-P

```
[
 {
 "op": "replace",
 "path": "/0/phones/mobile",
 "value": "650-111-2222"},
 {
 "op": "remove",
 "path": "/1"}
]
```

```
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# JSON-P

## JSON Patch

- Issue: JsonObject and JsonArray are immutable
- Need editing capability to implement JSON patch
- Possible approach: use builder pattern
  - Builder creates mutable object for temporary editing
  - Convert to immutable object when done

# JSON-P

## JSON Query using Lambda Operations

```
JsonArray contacts = ...;
List<String> femaleNames =
 contacts.getValuesAs(JsonObject.class).stream()
 .filter(x->"F".equals(x.getString("gender")))
 .map(x->(x.getString("name"))
 .collect(Collectors.toList());
```



# JSON-P

## JSON query collecting results in JsonArray

```
JSONArray contacts = ...;
JSONArray femaleNames =
 contacts.getValuesAs(JsonObject.class).stream()
 .filter(x->"F".equals(x.getString("gender")))
 .map(x->(x.getString("name"))
 .collect(JsonCollectors.toJsonArray());
```

# Server-sent Events

- Part of HTML5 standardization
- Server-to-client streaming of text data
- Mime type is text/event-stream
- Long-lived HTTP connection
  - Client establishes connection
  - Server pushes update notifications to client
  - Commonly used for one-way transmission for period updates or updates due to events

# Server-sent Events

- We evaluated several possibilities: Servlet; WebSocket; JAX-RS; standalone
  - And we polled the experts
- JAX-RS deemed most natural fit
  - Streaming HTTP resources already supported
  - Small extension
    - Server API: new media type; EventOutput
    - Client API: new handler for server side events
  - Convenience of mixing with other HTTP operations; new media type
  - Jersey (JAX-RS RI) already supports SSE

# Server-sent events

## JAX-RS resource class

```
@Path("tickers")
public class StockTicker {
 @Get @Produces("text/event-stream")
 public EventOutput getQuotes() {
 EventOutput eo = new EventOutput();
 new StockThread(eo).start()
 return eo;
 }
}
```

# Server-sent events

## JAX-RS StockThread class

```
class StockThread extends Thread {
 private EventOutput eo;
 private AtomicBoolean ab =
 new AtomicBoolean(true);

 public StockThread(EventOutput eo) {
 this.eo = eo;
 }
 public void terminate() {
 ab.set(false);
 }
}
```

```
@Override
public void run() {
 while (ab.get()) {
 try {
 // ...
 eo.send(new StockQuote("..."));
 // ...
 } catch (IOException e) {
 // ...
 }
 }
}
```

# Server-sent events

## JAX-RS Client

```
WebTarget target = client.target("http://example.com/tickers");
EventSource eventSource = new EventSource(target) {
 @Override
 public void onEvent(InboundEvent inboundEvent) {
 StockQuote sq = inboundEvent.readData(StockQuote.class);
 // ...
 }
};
eventSource.open();
```

# Model View Controller (MVC)

## 2 Main Styles

- Component-based MVC
  - Style made popular by component frameworks
  - Controller provided by the framework
  - JSF, Wicket, Tapestry...
- Action-based MVC
  - Controllers defined by the application
  - Struts 2, Spring MVC...

# MVC 1.0

- Action-based model-view-controller architecture
- Glues together key Java EE technologies:
  - Model
    - CDI, Bean Validation, JPA
  - View
    - Facelets, JSP
  - Controller
    - JAX-RS resource methods



# MVC

## JAX-RS controller

```
@Path("hello")
public class HelloController {
 @Inject
 private Greeting greeting;

 @GET
 @Controller
 public String hello() {
 greeting.setMessage("Hello there!");
 return "hello.jsp";
 }
}
```

# MVC

## Model

```
@Named("greeting")
@RequestScoped
public class Greeting{
 private String message;

 public String getMessage() { return message; }

 public void setMessage(String message) {
 this.message = message;
 }
}
```

# MVC

## JAX-RS controller

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@Path("hello")
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 }
}
```

# MVC

## View

```
<%@ page contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8" language="java" %>
<html>
<head>
 <title>Hello</title>
</head>
<body>
<h1>${greeting.message}</h1>
</body>
</html>
```

# HTTP/2

## Address the Limitations of HTTP 1.x

HTTP/2 standard now formally approved by IETF

- Reduce latency
- Address the HOL blocking problem
- Support parallelism (without requiring multiple connections)
- Retain semantics of HTTP 1.1
- Define interaction with HTTP 1.x

# HTTP/2

- Request/Response multiplexing over single connection
  - Fully bidirectional
  - Multiple streams
- Stream Prioritization
- Server Push
- Binary Framing
- Header Compression
- Upgrade from HTTP 1.1



# Servlet 4.0

## HTTP/2 Features in Servlet API

- Request/response multiplexing
  - Servlet Request as HTTP/2 message
- Stream prioritization
  - Add stream priority to `HttpServletRequest`
- Server push
- Binary framing
  - Hidden from API
- Upgrade from HTTP 1.1

# Ease of Development / CDI Alignment

- Security interceptors
- Simplified messaging through CDI-based “MDBs”
- JAX-RS injection alignment
- WebSocket scopes
- Pruning of EJB 2.x client view and IIOP interoperability



# Java EE Security 1.0

## Authorization via CDI Interceptors

```
@IsAuthorized("hasRoles('Manager') && schedule.officeHrs")
void transferFunds()
```

```
@IsAuthorized("hasRoles('Manager') && hasAttribute('directReports', employee.id)")
double getSalary(long employeeId);
```

```
@IsAuthorized(ruleSourceName="java:app/payrollAuthRules", rule="report")
void displayReport();
```

# JMS 2.1

## **New API to receive messages asynchronously**

- Alternative to EJB message-driven beans
- Simpler JMS-specific annotations
- Usable by any CDI bean
- No need for MessageListener implementation

# JMS MDBs Today

## EJB 3.2, JMS 2.0

```
@MessageDriven(activationConfig = {
 @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName="connectionFactoryLookup", propertyValue="jms/myCF"),
 @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName="destinationLookup", propertyValue="jms/myQueue"),
 @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName="destinationType", propertyValue="javax.jms.queue")})
```

```
public class MyMDB implements MessageListener {
 public void onMessage(Message message) {
 // extract message body
 String body = message.getBody(String.class);
 // process message body
 }
}
```

# Any Java EE bean as a listener

## JMS 2.1

`@RequestScoped`

```
public class MyListenerBean {
 @JMSListener(destinationLookup="jms/myQueue")
 @Transactional
 public void myCallback(Message message) {
 ...
 }
}
```

# Pruning

## EJB 2.x Client View

```
public interface PayrollHome
 extends javax.ejb.EJBLocalHome {
 public Payroll create()
 throws CreateException;
 ...
}

public interface Payroll
 extends javax.ejb.EJBLocalObject {
 public double getSalary(int empId);
 ...
}
```

```
public interface Payroll {
 public double getSalary(int EmpId);
 ...
}
```

# Modernize the Infrastructure

## For On-Premise and for in the Cloud

- Java EE Management 2.0
  - REST-based APIs for Management and Deployment
- Java EE Security 1.0
  - Authorization
  - Password Aliasing
  - User Management
  - Role Mapping
  - Authentication
  - REST Authentication



# Java EE Management 2.0

- Update to JSR 77 (J2EE Management)
- REST-based interfaces to augment (or replace) current Management EJB APIs
  - Currently used OBJECT\_NAME to become URL
  - Define CRUD operations over individual managed objects
  - Server-sent events used for event support
- Simple deployment interfaces also to be considered as part of management API

# Java EE Security 1.0

## Candidate Areas to Enhance Portability, Flexibility, Ease-of-Use

- Password Aliasing
- User Management
- Role Mapping
- Authentication
- REST Authentication
- Authorization



# Java EE Security 1.0

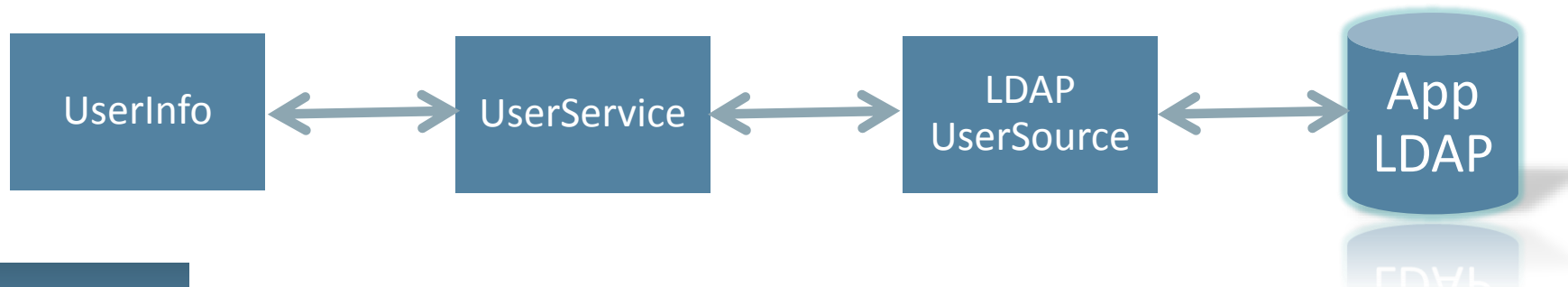
## Password Aliasing

- Standardized syntax for password aliases
  - Avoids storing passwords in clear text in code, deployment descriptors, files
- ```
@DataSourceDefinition(  
    name="java:app/MyDataSource",  
    className="com.example.MyDataSource",  
    ...  
    user="duke",  
    password="${ALIAS=dukePassword}")
```
- Standardized secure credentials archive for bundling alias and password with app
 - Used by platform as credential store for resolving alias

Java EE Security 1.0

User Management

- Allow application to manage its own users and groups
 - Without need to access server configuration
- Users stored in application-specified repository (e.g., LDAP)
- User service manipulates users from user source



Java EE Security 1.0

User Management

- UserSourceDefinition
- UserService
 - Create/delete users, create/delete groups, add user to group, load UserInfo by user name; etc...
- UserInfo
 - get user name, password, get user's roles, get user's attributes, ...

Java EE Security 1.0

User Management

```
@LdapUserSourceDefinition(  
    name="java:app/ldapUserSource",  
    ldapUrl="ldap://someURL",  
    ldapUser="Eldap",  
    ldapPassword="${ALIAS=LdapPW}",  
    ...  
)  
public class MyAuthenticator {  
    @Resource(lookup="java:app/ldapUserSource")  
    private UserService userService;  
    private boolean isAccountEnabled(String username) {  
        return userService.loadUserByUsername(username).isEnabled();  
    }  
    ...  
}
```

Java EE Security 1.0

Role Mapping

- Standardize role service
 - Role mappings can be stored in app-specified repository (e.g., LDAP)
 - Application can assign roles to users and groups, based on application-specific model
 - Without need to access server configuration



Java EE Security 1.0

Role Mapping

- RoleMapperDefinition
 - DataSource, Ldap, Memory/File, Custom, predefined
- RoleService
 - grant/revoke roles for user/group, get roles for user/group, ...

```
@Resource(lookup="java:app/devRoleMapper")
RoleService roleService;

List<String> getRoles(String username) {
    return roleService.getRolesForUser(username);
}
```

Java EE 8 JSRs

- Java EE 8 Platform (JSR 366)
- CDI 2.0 (JSR 365)
- JSON Binding 1.0 (JSR 367)
- JMS 2.1 (JSR 368)
- Java Servlet 4.0 (JSR 369)
- JAX-RS 2.1 (JSR 370)
- MVC 1.0 (JSR 371)
- JSF 2.3 (JSR 372)
- Java EE Management 2.0 (JSR 373)
- JSON-P 1.1 (JSR 374)
- Java EE Security 1.0 (JSR 375)
- ... and more to follow ...

Expected MRs and small JSRs

- EL
- Concurrency Utilities
- Connector Architecture
- WebSocket
- Interceptors
- JPA
- EJB
- JTA
- JCache
- Bean Validation
- Batch
- JavaMail
- ... and more to follow ...

Transparency

Commitment to JCP transparent processes

- Our Java EE 8 JSRs run in the open on java.net
 - <http://javaee-spec.java.net>
 - One project per JSR – jax-rs-spec, mvc-spec, servlet-spec,...
- Publically viewable Expert Group mail archive
 - Users observer lists gets all copies
- Publicly accessible download area
- Publicly accessible issue tracker / JIRA
- ...

How to Get Involved

- Adopt a JSR
 - <http://glassfish.org/adoptajsr>
- Join an Expert Group project
 - <http://javaee-spec.java.net>
 - <https://java.net/projects/javaee-spec/pages/Specifications>
- The Aquarium
 - <http://blogs.oracle.com/theaquarium>
- Java EE 8 Reference Implementation
 - <http://glassfish.org>



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