

***Openmul HOWTO –
Add a new application to build system***

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1 Create a new application directory and files

```
$ cd openmul/applications
$ mkdir myapp
$ cp -f hello/hello.c myapp/myapp.c
$ cp -f hello/hello.h myapp/myapp.h
$ cp -f hello/Makefile.am myapp/
$ cd myapp
```

2 Edit application's Makefile.am

```
ACLOCAL_AMFLAGS = -I m4 ${ACLOCAL_FLAGS}

pkgconfigdir=$(libdir)/pkgconfig
bin_PROGRAMS = mulmyapp

LIB_GLIB = @LIB_GLIB@
LIB_EVENT = @LIB_EVENT@
GLIB_INCLUDE = @GLIB_INCLUDE@
LIBEVENT_INCLUDE = @LIBEVENT_INCLUDE@

INCLUDES = -I. -I$(top_srcdir)/mul -I$(top_srcdir)/common/ \
    -I$(top_srcdir)/services/loadable/topo_routing/ \
    -I$(top_srcdir)/common-libs/3rd-party/derived-lib/include/ \
    -I$(top_srcdir)/common-libs/3rd-party/quagga-lib/include/ \
    -I$(top_srcdir)/common-libs/mul-lib/include/

DEFS = @DEFS@ -DSYSCONFDIR=\"${sysconfdir}/\"

mulhello_SOURCES = myapp.c $(top_srcdir)/common/mul_app_main.c

LD_FLAGS= @LDFLAGS@

if !HAVE_EXT_GLIB
LD_FLAGS += -Wl,-rpath=$(LIB_GLIB) -L$(LIB_GLIB)
INCLUDES += -I$(GLIB_INCLUDE) -I$(GLIB_INCLUDE)/../
endif
if !HAVE_EXT_LIBEVENT
LD_FLAGS += -Wl,-rpath=$(LIB_EVENT) -L$(LIB_EVENT)
INCLUDES += -I$(LIBEVENT_INCLUDE)
endif

mulhello_LDADD = \
    $(top_srcdir)/common-libs/mul-lib/.libs/libmulutil.a \
    $(top_srcdir)/services/loadable/topo_routing/.libs/libmultir.a -lrt \
    -lcrypto -lssl -lglib-2.0

mulhello_LDFLAGS = $(LD_FLAGS) -lpthread -levent -lcrypt

noinst_HEADERS = myapp.h
~
```

3 Replace all “HELLO_APP_NAME” to your app name in myapp.c

Example:

```
219 mul_register_app_cb(NULL,      /* Application specific arg */
220     MY_APP_NAME, /* Application Name */
221     C_APP_ALL_SW, /* Send any switch's notification */
222     C_APP_ALL_EVENTS, /* Send all event notification per switch */
223     0, /* If any specific dpid filtering is requested */
224     NULL, /* List of specific dpids for filtering events */
225     &hello_app_cbs); /* Event notifier call-backs */
226
227 return;
228 }
```

All other occurrences of the name “HELLO_APP_NAME” in the application also needs to change.

4 Add a macro to define your app name

Edit/ modify the file : <openmul>/common-lib/mul-lib/include/mul_app_interface.h

```
34 /* Registered application names */
35 #define HELLO_APP_NAME "mul-hello"
36 #define MY_APP_NAME "mul-myapp"
37 #define FAB_APP_NAME "mul-fabric"
38 #define CLI_APP_NAME "mul-cli"
39 #define L2SW_APP_NAME "mul-l2sw"
40 #define TR_APP_NAME "mul-tr"
41 #define MAKDI_APP_NAME "mul-makdi"
42 #define FEMTO_APP_NAME "mul-femto"
43 #define PRISM_APP_NAME "prism"
44 #define CONX_APP_NAME "ConX"
45 #define DRONE_APP_NAME "Drone"
46 #define MUL_MAX_SERVICE_NUM 10
```

5 Edit <openmul>/Makefile.am file and add your application

```
SUBDIRS = \
  docs \
  common-lib/mul-lib/ \
  common-lib/util-linux/libuuid \
  common-lib/3rd-party/quagga-lib \
  mul \
  services/loadable/topo_routing \
```

```

services/loadable/conx \
application/hello \
application/myapp \
application/l2switch \
application/makdi \
application/fabric \
application/cli \
application/prism/agent/ \
application/prism/app/ \
application/nbapi/c-swig\
application/drone

```

```

DIST_SUBDIRS = \
  docs \
  common-libs/mul-lib/ \
  common-libs/3rd-party/quagga-lib \
  common-libs/util-linux/libuuid \
  mul \
  services/loadable/topo_routing/ \
  services/loadable/conx/ \
  application/hello \
  application/l2switch \
  application/myapp \
  application/makdi \
  application/fabric \
  application/cli \
  application/prism/agent/ \
  application/prism/app/ \
  application/nbapi/c-swig\
  application/drone

```

```
EXTRA_DIST = aclocal.m4
```

```
ACLOCAL_AMFLAGS = -I m4
```

6 Register your application in GNU automake system. Edit openmul/configure.ac

```

174 AC_CONFIG_FILES([Makefile mul/Makefile application/l2switch/Makefile \
175   application/hello/Makefile docs/Makefile \
176   application/myapp/Makefile \
177   application/drone/Makefile \
178   application/makdi/Makefile application/fabric/Makefile \
179   application/cli/Makefile application/prism/agent/Makefile \
180   application/prism/app/Makefile application/nbapi/c-swig/Makefile \
181   services/loadable/topo_routing/Makefile \
182   services/loadable/conx/Makefile \
183   common-libs/3rd-party/quagga-lib/Makefile \
184   common-libs/mul-lib/Makefile \
185   common-libs/util-linux/libuuid/Makefile])

```

7 Reconfigure and rebuild

```
$ cd <openmul>  
$ ./autogen.sh  
$ CFLAGS=`pkg-config --cflags glib-2.0` ./configure --with-vty=yes  
$ make
```