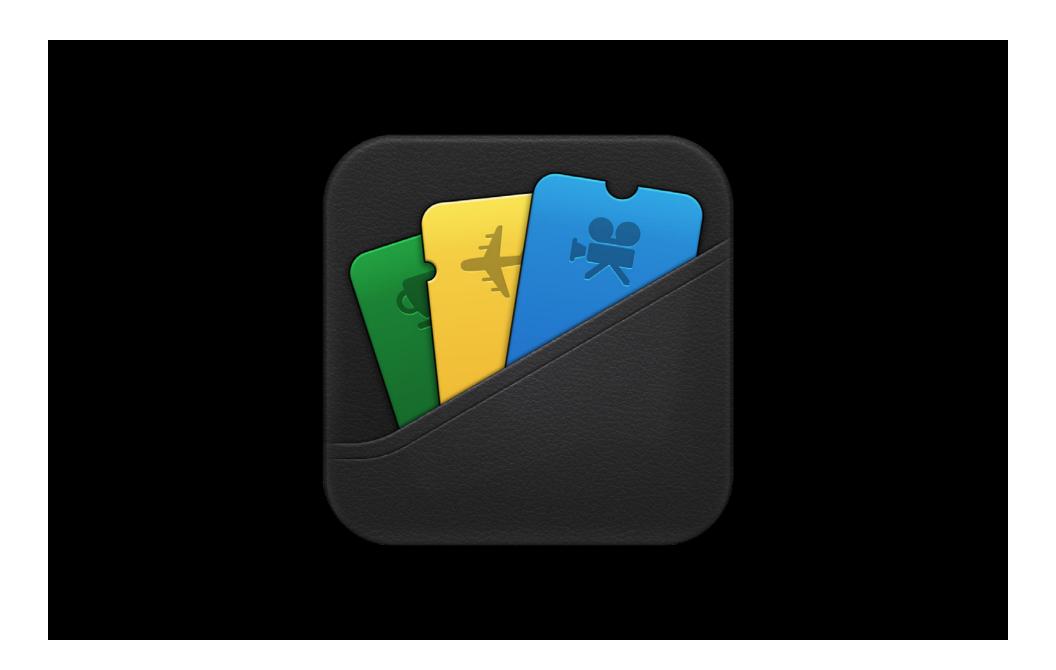
# Introducing Passbook Part 1

Session 301

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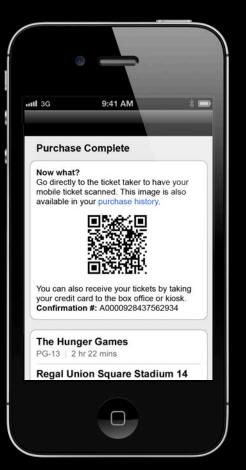
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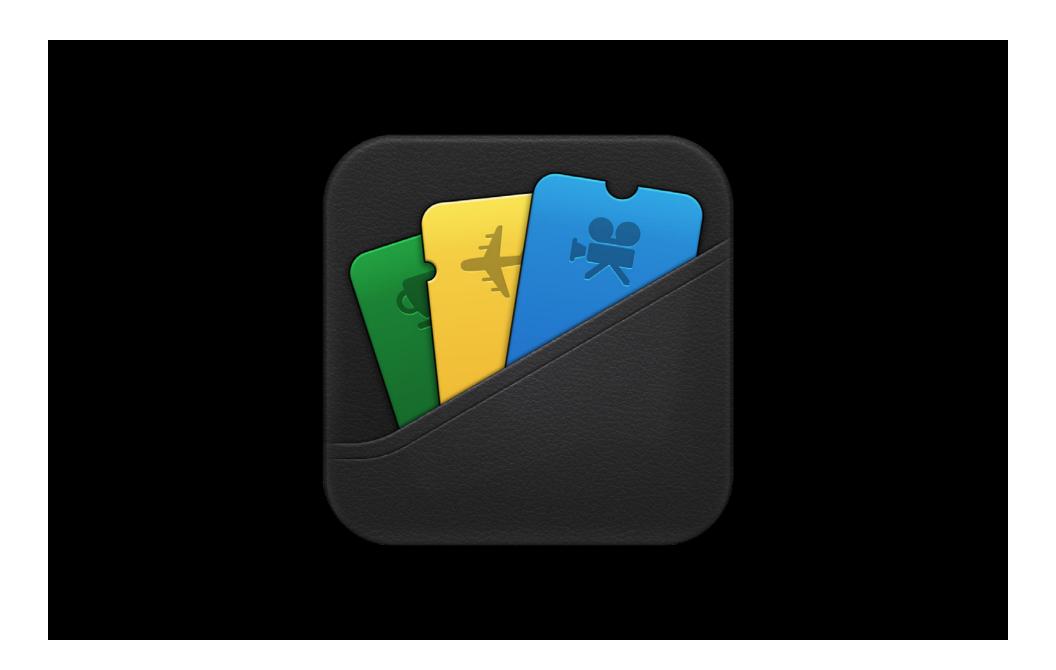




Show the back too. Talk about settings and things







## What You Will Learn

- How to create passes
- How to get a pass into Passbook
- Design tips for making great passes

## Part 2

## Session 309

- How to update passes using push
- PassKit

# Making a Pass

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- Team Identifier
  - 10 character string found on the developer portal
  - Used in entitling apps to access passes through PassKit

"teamIdentifier": "DK9N2M2GK6"

- Pass Type Identifier
  - Defines a class or category of passes
  - Registered on the developer portal
  - Used for grouping

```
"passTypeIdentifier" : "pass.com.mycompany.storecard"
```

- Serial Number
  - Unique for every pass
  - Chosen by you and opaque to Passbook
  - Combined with Pass Type Identifier to determine global uniqueness

"serialNumber": "B5BD0271-B90B-400D-8344-36A789714CC8"

## Pass Identifiers Example

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pass.com.skyport.bp

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## Example



pass.com.skyport.bp
 0001



pass.com.skyport.bp
 0002



pass.com.skyport.bp
 0003

## Example



pass.com.skyport.bp

## Example



pass.com.skyport.bp



pass.com.skyport.member

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```
"coupon" : {
  headerFields : ...
  primaryFields : ...
  secondaryFields : ...
  auxilliaryFields : ...
  backFields : ...
}
```



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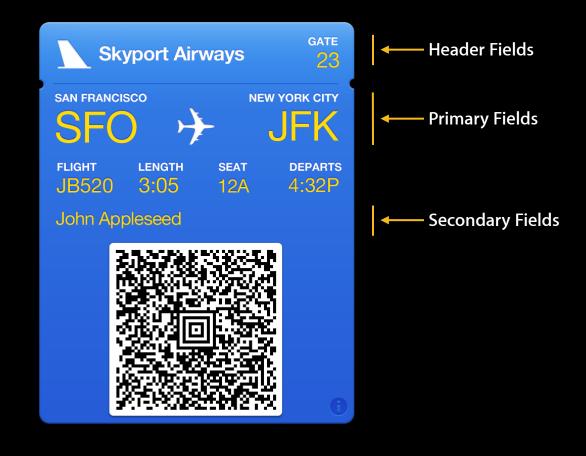


**←** Header Fields



Header Fields

Primary Fields





## Fields Example

```
"boardingPass": {
}
```

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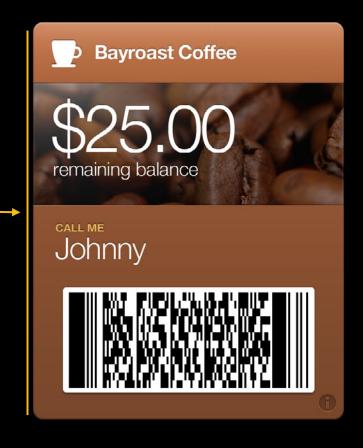
#### Example

```
"boardingPass": {
   "headerFields" : [
         "key": "gate",
         "label": "GATE<mark>",</mark>
         "value": "82",
         "changeMessage": "Gate changed to %@"
   "auxiliaryFields" : [
          "key" : "departs",
       "label": "DEPARTS",
          "value": "2012-05-21T12:20:00-07:00",
          "dateStyle" : "PKDateStyleNone",
          "timeStyle" : "PKDateStyleShort"
   "transitType" : "PKTransitTypeAir"
```





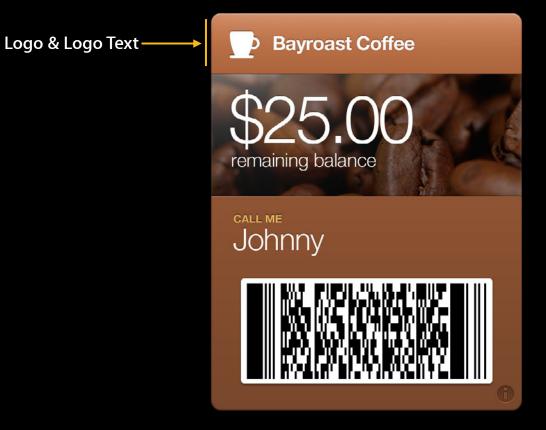
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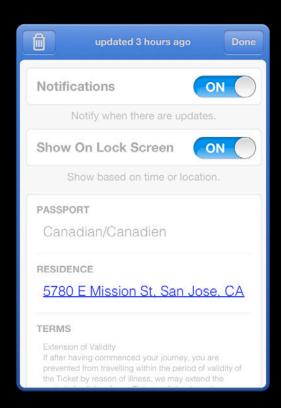




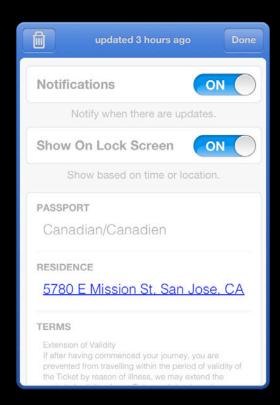




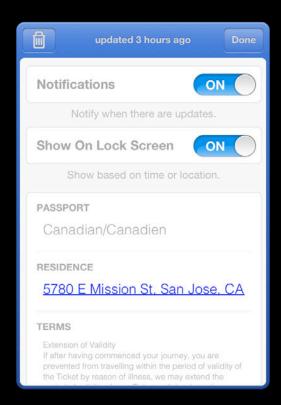




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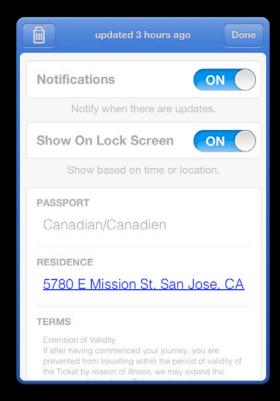


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- Use the backFields to show extra information
- Optionally show an App Store item

```
"associatedStoreIdentifiers" : [
    375380948
]
```



#### **Barcodes**

- Formats
  - PDF417
  - Aztec
  - QR
- You provide the message, we draw the barcode
- Optional alt text



#### Barcodes Example

```
"barcode" : {
    "messageEncoding" : "iso-8859-1",
    "message" : "123456789012345",
    "altText" : "306672334462487",
    "format" : "PKBarcodeFormatPDF417"
}
```



#### Location

- Location queried on lock screen wake
- Provide up to 10 coordinates of interest in your pass.json
- Radius is tied to pass style
- Exit fence for location-relevant passes



#### **Date**

- Provide a single date of relevancy in your pass.json
- Relevancy window tied to pass style



#### Example

#### **Summary**

- Puts your pass in front of the user when they need it
- Locations and dates are limited, but you can update them
- Come back to Part 2 to find out how

#### Localization

- pass.strings in .lproj folders
- Provide translated values for pass.json values

```
//pass.json:
{
    "key" : "loc",
    "label" : "localized to french",
    "value" : "Oh my stars."
}

//fr.lproj/pass.strings:
"Oh my stars." = "Sacré bleu!";
```

# Demo Authoring a pass

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# Getting Passes into Passbook About that magic stuff...





## **Deploying Passes**

- Visit the Developer Portal
  - Set up a new Pass Type Identifier
  - Get a signing certificate
- Sign and zip your pass package to create a pass

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## **Signing Passes**

- Use the signpass tool included in the session resources
- On your server, you will need to write your own
  - Reference implementation provided

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# Demo Signing passes

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# **Designing Great Passes**

# Design Tips Colors and styles

- Vibrant, solid colors work best
- Use the right pass style



### Design Tips Logos

- Solid white logos look good
- Logos are not automatically engraved
  - Black drop shadow
  - 1 pixel y-offset
  - 1 pixel blur
  - **•** 35% opacity
- Use logo text



### Design Tips Layout

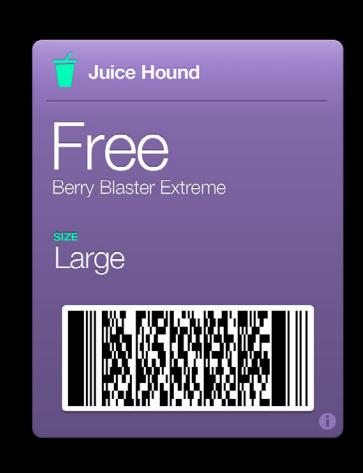
- Avoid information overload
- Keep passes accessible
- Use header fields sparingly
- PDF417 is friendly to layout





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### **More Information**

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#### **Documentation**

Passbook Programming Guide http://developer.apple.com/

### Apple Developer Forums

http://devforums.apple.com

## **Related Sessions**

Introducing Passbook, Part 2

Marina Thursday 4:30PM

# Labs

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