

Android REST demo

Current implementation

Current implementation is done using

- Background tasks
- AsyncTasks

Most extended method nowadays

Creates a lot of problems

AsyncTask vs RxJava approach

```
public class NetworkRequestTask extends AsyncTask<Void, Void, User> {  
    → private final int userId;  
    → public NetworkRequestTask(int userId) {  
        → this.userId = userId;  
    }  
    → @Override protected User doInBackground(Void... params) {  
        → return networkService.getUser(userId);  
    }  
    → @Override protected void onPostExecute(User user) {  
        → nameTextView.setText(user.getName());  
        → // ...set other views  
    }  
}  
  
private void onClicked(Button button) {  
    → new NetworkRequestTask(123).execute()  
}
```

```
private Subscription subscription;  
  
private void onClicked(Button button) {  
    →  
    → subscription = networkService.getObservableUser(123)  
    → → → → .subscribeOn(Schedulers.io())  
    → → → → .observeOn(AndroidSchedulers.mainThread())  
    → → → → .subscribe(new Action1<User>() {  
    → → → → → @Override public void call(User user) {  
    → → → → → nameTextView.setText(user.getName());  
    → → → → → // ... set other views  
    → → → → → }  
    → → → → })  
    →  
}  
  
@Override protected void onDestroy() {  
    → if (subscription != null && !subscription.isUnsubscribed()) {  
    → → subscription.unsubscribe();  
    → }  
    → super.onDestroy();  
}
```

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What if the UI is not there anymore

Inner class: leak risk

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Because of the unsubscription below, wont leak

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Callback hell

```
new ServerCall(this, Script.CAMERA, Method.GET_CAMERAS, keyvalues, null, TIMEOUT_REQUEST)
    .setOnCompleteListener((OnCompleteListener) (response, parsedResponse) → {
        camerasData = parsedResponse.getXmlObject();

        new ServerCall(CamerasService.this, Script.ZONES, Method.GET_ZONES, keyvalues, null, TIMEOUT_REQUEST)
            .setOnCompleteListener((OnCompleteListener) (response, parsedResponse) → {
                if (parsedResponse.getXmlObject() != null)
                    zonesData = parsedResponse.getXmlObject();
                else
                    zonesData = null;

                new ServerCall(CamerasService.this, Script.CAMERA, Method.GET_GROUP_CAMERAS, keyvalues, null, TIMEOUT_REQUEST)
                    .setOnCompleteListener((OnCompleteListener) (response, parsedResponse) → {
                        camerasGroupData = parsedResponse.getXmlObject();

                        new ServerCall(CamerasService.this, Script.CAMERA, Method.GET_CAMERA_STATUS_TREE, keyvalues, null, TIMEOUT_REQUEST)
                            .setOnCompleteListener((OnCompleteListener) (response, parsedResponse) → {
                                camerasStateData = parsedResponse.getXmlObject();
                                mApp.setCamerasStates(new CameraItemState(camerasStateData));
                                updateValuesIntoTheApp();
                            })
                            .setOnErrorListener((parsedResponse) → {
                                *sendErrorIntent();
                                updateValuesIntoTheApp();
                                return true;
                            })
                            .execute();
                        })
                        .setOnErrorListener((parsedResponse) → {
                            sendErrorIntent();
                            return true;
                        })
                        .execute();
                    })
                    .setOnErrorListener((parsedResponse) → {
                        sendErrorIntent();
                        return true;
                    })
                    .execute();
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                    sendErrorIntent();
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                sendErrorIntent();
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Real example from
the current CM app

Chaining calls

```
public Observable<CameraTree> getCameraTree() {  
    Observable<CameraTree> combined = Observable.zip(  
        mZonesRepository.getZones(),  
        mCamerasRepository.getCameras(),  
        new Func2<List<Zone>, List<Camera>, CameraTree>() {  
            @Override  
            public CameraTree call(List<Zone> zones, List<Camera> cameras) {  
                return new CameraTree(zones, cameras);  
            }  
        }  
    ));  
    return combined;  
}
```

Filtering

```
Subscription subscription = mCamerasRepository
    .getCameras()
    .flatMap(new Func1<List<Camera>, Observable<Camera>>() {
        @Override
        public Observable<Camera> call(List<Camera> cameras) {
            return Observable.from(cameras);
        }
    })
    .filter(new Func1<Camera, Boolean>() {
        @Override
        public Boolean call(Camera camera) {
            switch (mCurrentFiltering) {
                case RECORDING:
                    return camera.isRecording();
                case ONLINE:
                    return camera.isOnline();
                case ALL_CAMERAS:
                default:
                    return true;
            }
        }
    })
    .toList()
    .subscribeOn(mSchedulerProvider.computation())
    .observeOn(mSchedulerProvider.ui())
    .subscribe(new Observer<List<Camera>>() {
        @Override
        public void onCompleted() {
            mCamerasView.setLoadingIndicator(false);
        }

        @Override
        public void onError(Throwable e) {
            mCamerasView.showLoadingCamerasError();
        }

        @Override
        public void onNext(List<Camera> cameras) {
            processCameras(cameras);
        }
    });
```

Retrofit + RxJava

```
public interface CameraService {  
  
    @GET("cameras")  
    public Observable<List<Camera>> getCameras();  
  
    @GET("cameras/{cameraId}")  
    public Observable<Camera> getCamera(@Path("cameraId") Long cameraId);  
  
    @GET("cameras/{cameraId}/streams")  
    public Observable<CameraStream> getCameraStream(@Path("cameraId") Long cameraId);  
  
    @GET("cameras/{cameraId}/capabilities")  
    public Observable<CameraCapabilities> getCameraCapabilities(@Path("cameraId") Long cameraId);  
  
}
```
