

Hello Word Simple Thread Creation

- The code has 2 files:
pthread.c: logic to implement the threads.
- globalDefines.h: file with all generic definitions.
- Pthread file description:
- From line 1 to 7 are all file included.
- Line 10 and 11 are the thread and thread parameters

```
1  #include <pthread.h>
2  #include <stdlib.h>
3  #include <stdio.h>
4  #include <sched.h>
5  #include <syslog.h>
6  #include <sys/utsname.h>
7  #include "globalDefine.h"
8
9  // POSIX thread declarations and scheduling attributes
10 pthread_t thread[NUM_THREADS];
11 threadParams_t threadParams[NUM_THREADS];
```

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16   * @return void.
17   */
18  void *printMessageThread(void *threadp)
19  {
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21      syslog(LOG_INFO, "[COURSE:1][ASSIGNMENT:1] Hello World from Thread!");
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23
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- From line 27 to 64 the main function is implemented
- Line 32 and 33 are the variables to write the “uname -a” information.
- Line 36 is to clean the syslog file
- From line 39 to 45 the uname -a information is written in the first syslog line file.

```
27  /**
28  | * @brief The main function of the program.
29  | */
30  int main (int argc, char *argv[])
31  {
32      struct utsname unameData;
33      char buffer[1024];
34
35      // Clear the syslog file
36      system("truncate -s 0 /var/log/syslog");
37
38      // execute uname -a and read output into buffer
39      FILE* uname_output = popen("uname -a", "r");
40      fgets(buffer, sizeof(buffer), uname_output);
41      pclose(uname_output);
42
43      openlog("pthread", LOG_PID|LOG_CONS, LOG_USER);
44      syslog(LOG_INFO, "[COURSE:1][ASSIGNMENT:1] %s", buffer);
45      closelog();
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- From line 47 to 52 a for is implemented to create the threads, to do that we use `pthread_create`.
- From line 54 to 56 the syslog file is written from main function.
- From line 58 to 61 the execute waits until all threads finish.

```
47     for(int i = 0; i < NUM_THREADS; i++)
48     {
49         threadParams[i].threadIdx=i;
50
51         pthread_create(&thread[i], NULL, printMessageThread, (void *)&threadParams[i]);
52     }
53
54     openlog("pthread", LOG_PID|LOG_CONS, LOG_USER);
55     syslog(LOG_INFO, "[COURSE:1][ASSIGNMENT:1] Hello World from Main!");
56     closelog();
57
58     for(int i = 0; i < NUM_THREADS; i++)
59     {
60         pthread_join(thread[i], NULL);
61     }
```