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Structure and functions -- structures as arguments

· You can pass structures as arguments to functions

```
struct shape {
  float width;
  float height;
};
main(){
  struct shape s = {1,3};
  float f = get_area(s);
float get area(struct shape d) // shape as argument
                                            call-by-value
                                            d = s // copy members
    return d.width * d.height;
                                                   d.width = s.width
                                                   d.height = s.height
 This is call-by-value -- a copy of the struct is made

    d is a copy of the actual parameter (copy member values)

No starting address, no "decay"
                                     not efficient for large struct
```

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```
main() {
   struct shape s = {1,2};
   do_sth(s) /* s is not modified */
}

void do_sth(struct shape d) call-by-value
{
   d = s // copy members
   d.width += 100;
   d.height += 200;
   d.height = s.height
}
```

- This is call-by-value a copy of the struct is made
- Function cannot change the passed struct

- -- structures as Return Values
- structs can be used as return values for functions as well

```
struct shape make_dim(int width, int height)
  struct shape d; // in stack
  d.width = width;
  d.height = height;
  return d;
main(){
  struct shape myShape = make dim(3,4);
               // myShape = d;
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               Copy members, d is gone (deallocated) afterwards
```

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Structure and functions

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main() {
  struct shape s = \{1,2\};
  s = do sth(s) /* s is modified */
struct shape do_sth(struct shape d)
   d.width += 100;
                                    call-by-value
   d.height += 200;
                                     d = s // copy members
   return d;
                                        d.width = s.width
}
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Function cannot change the passed struct

-- structures as Return Values another example

```
struct ints {
  float int1;
  float int2;
};

struct ints sum_diff(int a, int b)
{
  struct ints resu;
  resu.int1 = a+b;
  resu.int2 = a-b;
  return resu;
}

main() {
  struct resu res = sum_diff(10,4);
  int sum = res.int1;
  int diff = res.int2;
}
```

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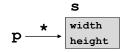
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    do_sth(&s);
}
void do_sth(struct shape * p)
{
    (*p).width += 100;
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}
```

This is call-by-value --- but address

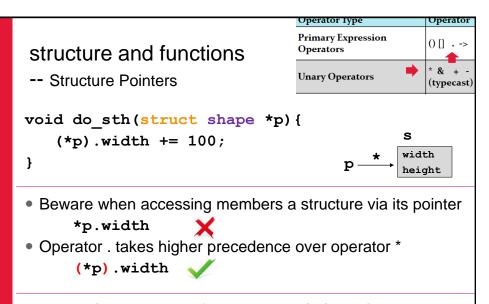
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Pointee s is modified!







 Accessing member of a structure via its pointer is so common that it has its own operator

p -> width

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structure and functions
-- Structure Pointers
  (*p).width
                     Equivalent
                                          way in
   p -> width
main(){
  struct shape s = {1,3};
  struct shape * ptrS = &s;
  do sth (ptrS); // or do sth (&s);
void do sth(struct shape *p)
    p -> width += 100;
    p -> height += 200;
                                                  width
}
                                                  height
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          No () needed
```

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Operator Type	Operator A		

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Primary Expression Operators	() [] ·->		
Unary Operators	* & + - !~ ++ (typecast) sizeof		
Binary Operators	* / % arithmetic		
	+ - arithmetic		
	>> << bitwise		
	<><=>= relational		
	== != relational		
	& bitwise		
	^ bitwise		
	bitwise		
	&& logical		
	logical		
Ternary Operator	?:		
Assignment Operators	= += -= *= /= %= >>= <<= &= ^= =		
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```
x -> data = 2;
```

- x -> data += 2;
- () never needed!



```
structure and functions
-- Structure Pointers
                                                  width
                                                  height
void do sth(struct shape *p){
   p -> width += 100; // (*p).width += 100;
   p -> height += 200; // (*p).height += 200;
}
   works with structures, accessing members
-> works with structure pointers, accessing members
struct shape{
                                           data 2
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 int width; int height;
} s, *p;
                                            *(s2.p) = 20;
                          s -> width;
s.width;
                           p -> width;
p. width;
```

Pointers to Structures: Shorthand • (*pp) .x can be written as pp -> x struct point { int x; struct rect r, *rp = &r; int y; }; r.pt1.x = 1;(*rp).pt1.x = 1;- access pt1.x struct rect { struct point pt1; $rp \rightarrow pt1.x = 1;$ struct point pt2; }; Associativity left ()[] . -> * & + - !~ ++ --(typecast) sizeof

```
Pointer to structures -- malloc/calloc

ptable 300 * width: height: 5.0

struct shape * ptable; // pointer to struct shape

ptable = malloc (sizeof(struct shape));

// set member value one by one, directly
ptable -> width = 1.0; // (* ptable).width = 1.0
ptable -> height = 5.0; // (* ptable).height = 5.0

Other way?

or
ptable =(struct shape *) malloc (sizeof(struct shape));

When to use? A good question. Few slides later
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Structures vs. Arrays (so far)

- Both are aggregate (non-scalar) types in C -- type of data that can be referenced as a single entity, and yet consists of more than one piece of data.
- Both cannot be compared using == !=



Array: elements are of same type
 Structure: elements can be of different type

Array: element accessed by [index/position] arr[1] = 3;
 Structure: element accessed by .name chair.width = 4

• Array: cannot assign as a whole arr2 = arr1 X
Structure: can assign/copy as a whole chair2 = chair1

Array: size is the sum of size of elements

Structure: size not necessarily the sum of size of elements

Array: decay to pointer when passed to function, can modify need '&' to modify (like scalar types int, char, float etc)

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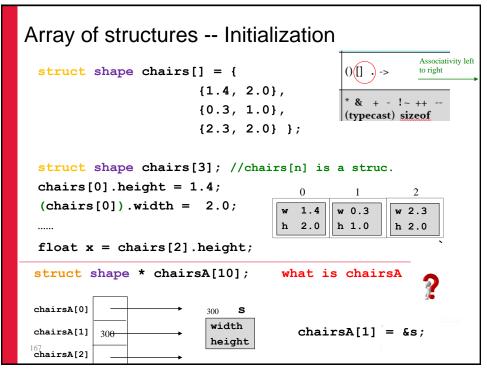
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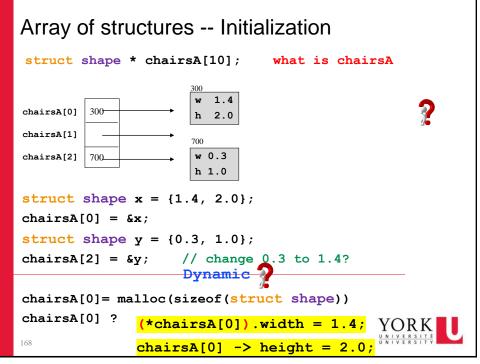
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Arrays of structures -- declaration Structures can be arrayed same as the other variables struct shape { float width; float height; **}**; struct shape chairs[5]; // recall: int arr[5] array of 5 (uninitialized) struct width width width width width Not NULL height height height height height

```
Array of structures -- Initialization
                                                       Associativity left
  struct shape chairs[] = {
                                            ()([] .) ->
                        {1.4, 2.0},
                        {0.3, 1.0},
                                            (typecast) sizeof
                        {2.3, 2.0} };
  struct shape chairs[3]; //chairs[n] is a struc.
  chairs[0].height = 1.4;
  (chairs[0]).width = 2.0;
                                   w 1.4
                                           w 0.3
                                                   w 2.3
                                           h 1.0
  float x = chairs[2].height;
                                   chairs.height[2] =1.2; ?
 struct shape * chairsA[10];
                                   what is chairsA
```





typedef

For creating new data type names

```
typedef int Length;
Length len, maxlen;  // int len, maxlen;
Length *lengths[];  // int* lengths[];

typedef char* String;
String p, lineptr[MAXLINES]; // char* p, lineptr[MAXLINES];
p = (String) malloc(100);  // p=(char *) malloc(100);
int strcmp(String, String); //int strcmp(char*, char*);

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```

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typedef With struct

We can define a new type and use it later

```
typedef struct {
   int x, y;
   float z;
} mynewtype;

mynewtype a, b, c, x;
```

• Now, mynewtype is a type in C just like int or float.

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For your information



typedef With struct RECALL



• Give a name (tag) to a struct, so we can reuse it:

```
struct shape {
  float width;
                        struct shape is a valid type
  float height;
};
struct shape chair, chair2; /* like int i, j */
struct shape table;
shape table; X
```

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  float width;
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  float height;
} shape;
shape chair, chair2; /* like int i, j */
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```

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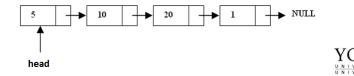
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Self-referential structures

· Linked list, trees

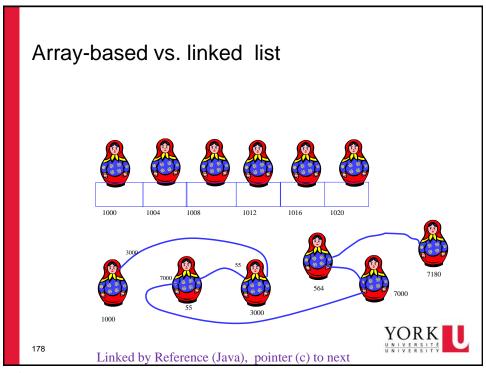


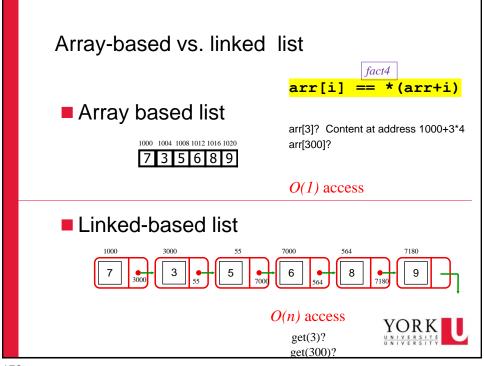
- · Linked list
 - alternative to Array
 - data not stored sequentially
 - o more flexible than array can easily insert, delete
 - lost the O(1) access in Array, Have to follow the link. Farther ones cost more than closer ones
- Simplest example: a linked list of int's

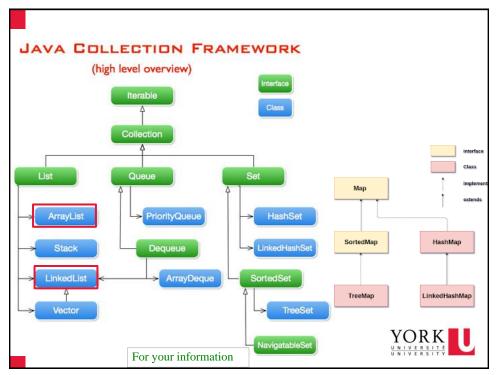


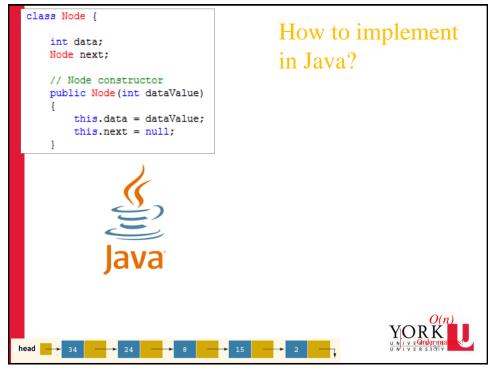
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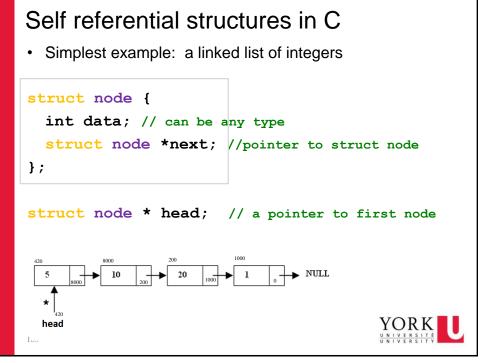




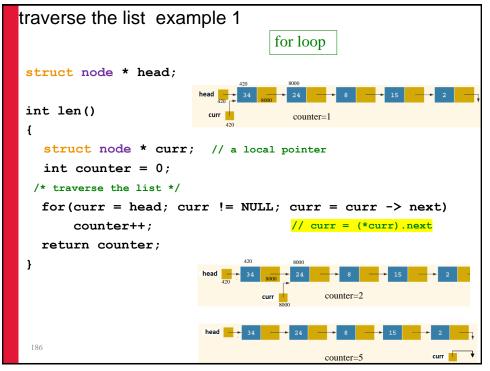




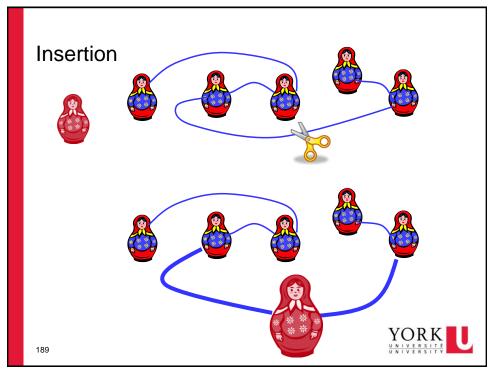
```
public class MyLinkedList {
class Node {
                                      private Node head; // instance variable.
    int data;
                                      // Default constructor
    Node next;
                                      public MyLinkedList() {
                                          this.head=null;
    // Node constructor
    public Node(int dataValue)
                                      public int len() {
        this.data = dataValue;
                                          Node curr = this.head;
        this.next = null;
                                          int len = 0;
                                          while (curr != null)
                                              curr = curr.next;
                                              len++;
                                          return len;
                                       public int get(int index)
                                          Node curr = this.head;
                                          for (int i = 0; i < index; i++) {
                                              curr = curr.next;
                                                                      O(n)
                                          return curr.data;
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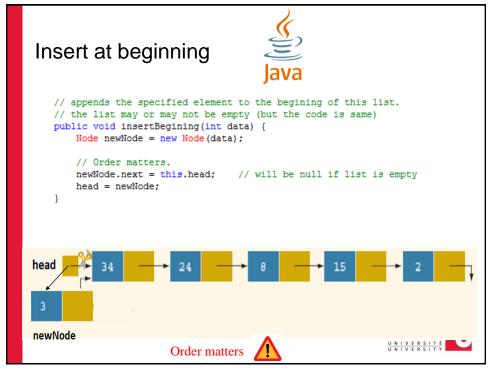


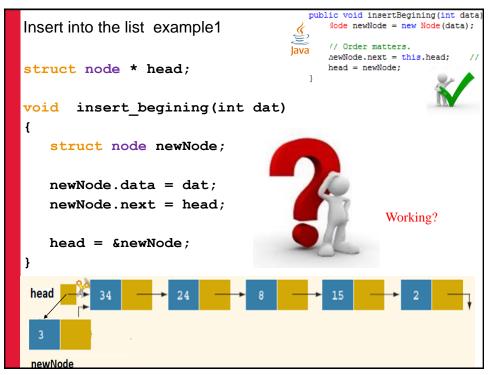
```
lic int len() {
Node curr = this.head;
int len = 0;
while (curr != null)
traverse the list example 1
                                                   curr = curr.getNext();
len++;
 struct node * head;
                                                return len;
 // # of node in the list
 int len()
 {
    struct node * curr = head;
                                            // a local pointer
                                            //pointer assignment
    int counter = 0;
    /* traverse the list */
    while (curr != NULL) {
        counter++;
        curr = curr -> next; // curr = (*curr).next
    } // pointer assignment
    return counter;
                                                       counter=2
 }
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                                                       counter=5
```

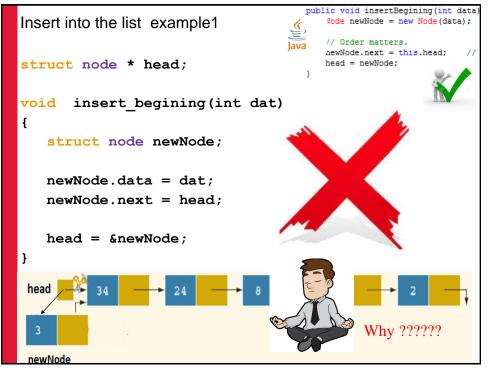


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traverse the list example 2
struct node * head; // assume global
//whether the list contains a node with data 'dat'
int has_value(int dat)
  struct node * curr;
                           // a local pointer
  /* traverse the list */
  curr = head;
                                     curr 420
  while (curr != NULL) {
    if ( curr -> data == dat ) // (*curr).data == dat
         return 1; // find it!
    curr = curr -> next; // curr = (*curr).next
  } //pointer assignment
  return 0;
                                               curr
```









Think about setArr of array of pointer to struct

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
struct shape {
     float height;
     float width;
void setArr (int, float, float);
struct shape * arr[10]; // array of 10 int pointers, global variable
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
  setArr(0, 40, 50);
setArr(1, 4000, 5000);
  printf("arr[%d] -*->%f \n",0, arr[0] -> width, (*arr[0]).height);
printf("arr[%d] -*->%f %f \n",1, arr[1] -> width, (*arr[1]).height);
                                                                                               5000.000000 4000.00000
                                                                                               0.000000 0.000000
/st set arr[index], which is a pointer, to point to a struct of value h, w st/
void setArr (int index, float h, float w){
   struct shape newS = {h, w};
      arr[index] = &newS;
                                                           Working?
```

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{

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    printf("arr[4d] -*->%f %f \n",0, arr[0] -> width, (*arr[0]).height);
    printf("arr[4d] -*->%f %f \n",1, arr[1] -> width, (*arr[1]).height);

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/* set arr[index], which is a pointer, to point to an integer of some value */

void setArr (int index, float h, float w){
    /*struct shape newS = {h, w};
    arr[index] = &newS;*

// or directly
    arr[index] = newS;

// or directly
    arr[index] = malloc(sizeof(struct shape));
    arr[index] = malloc(sizeof(struct shape));
    arr[index] ->width = w;
    arr[index] ->width = w;
    arr[index] ->width = w;
    arr[index] ->height = h;
```

```
Insert into the list example1
struct node * head;

void insert_begining(int dat)
{
    request space in heap!!!
    newNodeP = malloc(sizeof(struct node));

...
```

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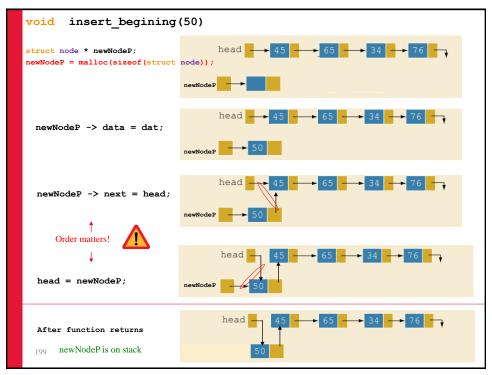
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    head = newNodeP;
}
head = newNodeP;
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```



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struct node * head;

void insert_begining(int dat)
{
    struct node * newNodeP;
    newNodeP = malloc(sizeof(struct node));

    newNode s;
    s.data = dat;
    s.next = head;
    *newNodeP = s;

    head = newNodeP;
}

working

head

**NewNodeP = s;

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```
Insert into the list example2
                                           insertAfter(1,50);
    // inserts the specified element after the specified position in this list
    // assume list is not empty. index is valid [0 - len()-1]
    public void insertAfter(int index, int data) {
       Node curr = this.head;
        // crawl to the requested index
        for (int i = 0; i < index; i++) {</pre>
            curr = curr.next;
        // insert after curr, and before curr.next; order matters!!!
       Node newNode = new Node(data);
        // set the new node's next-node reference to curr node's next-node refer
        newNode.next = curr.next;
       // now set curr node's next-node reference to the new node
       curr.next = newNode;
                                    Order matters!
```

```
Insert into the list example2
    struct node * head;
// insert a new node with data 'dat' after the node of position 'index'
int insertAfter(int index, int dat) // assume list is not empty
{
    struct node * curr = head; // a local pointer
    int i;

    /* traverse the list */
    for(i = 0; i<index; i++)
        curr = curr -> next;

    /* insert after curr */
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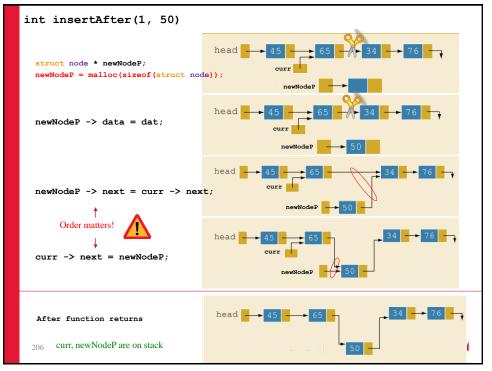
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  int i;
  /* traverse the list */
  for(i = 0; i < index; i++)
    curr = curr -> next;
  /* insert after curr */
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  newNodeP -> data = dat; // (*newNodeP).data = dat;
  newNodeP -> next = curr -> next; //(*newNodeP).next=(*curr).next;
  curr -> next = newNodeP;
} 20%/ if list empty, need to
    change head
```



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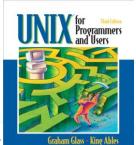
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- -- may be useful in your future studies, research and career
- Pre-processing
- const
- · Union, enum, typedef
- Library functions, e.g., memset(), strtok()
- Point array decayed to
- Pointer to whole arrays, int(* arr)[] [][] decayed to
- · Pointer to functions
- Stream IO Ch7 and read/write disk files fopen(...) fread() PE2
- System calls Ch 8 (fork, pipe ... read, write)
 - You will deal with them if you take EECS3221 Operating Systems.
- Others
 - Make file make
 - gdb and testing
 - Version control



- That's all for C for now
- Now we have to start a new book, a new programming language





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