

InstaMeme Design Review

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Application Overview

Meme



Application Overview

1. Take a photo OR load from memory
 - We will provide "stock" photographs
2. Edit the Photo
 - Add text, will automatically resize itself
 - Possible: Crop the photo
 - Photo saved to internal memory
3. Post to social Media
 - Twitter, Facebook
 - If enough time, Pinterest, Instagram

Application Overview

System Metaphor: Photo Booth/Caption Contest

Why this app?

- Memes incredibly popular
- Sharing important/fundamental
- No app exists with a camera

Business Process

- Allow an ad to display after user has posted

Functional Requirements

- **User Interface**
 - follows UI design principles
 - big, clear buttons with obvious choices, does exactly what the user wants it to
- **Camera**
 - Writing own camera in case device does not have app
- **Gallery Selection**
 - Load phone's gallery
 - Select from stock photos
 - Simple UI important here!

Functional Requirements

- Photo Editing/Captioning
 - Uses selected or recently taken photo
 - Two text boxes
 - Font in standard "meme" font, called Impact
- Posting to Social Media
 - Let user decide to post to one or multiple networks
 - Facebook and Twitter first to be implemented
 - Ask for permissions
 - Speed of upload a priority

Non-functional Requirements

- Camera
 - zoom
 - flash
- Saving Photo
 - After taking it with camera
 - After editing
- Other Photo Editing
 - Crop the photo, change font, add "Scumbag Steve" hat, etc.

Non-functional Requirements

- App font, background color
- Notification of progress
 - Meter filling to complete, or showing "Step n of 5"
- Pull pictures from other locations
 - Google Drive, DropBox, Picasa, etc.

Current Status

- The app is in its early alpha state.
 - Able to select and load photos from the gallery.
 - Click through the bulk of the app.
- We are almost done building the camera section of the application.
- Currently we are working on pulling pictures from other folders, such as google drive and dropbox.
- Then on to picture editing!



The future of InstaMeme

- Facebook and Twitter interfacing.
 - Login support
 - Post on your behalf support
- Photo editing
 - Meme text
 - Basic photo editing
 - Cropping
 - Extra additions in the meme style
- Unified UI
- Custom launcher Icon

Timeline

- June 25- Select and loading images complete
- July 4- Edit photos, loading stock images
 - captioning, font chooses correct size
- July 11- Camera complete
 - zoom, flash if possible
- July 18 - UI completed
 - finalized font, buttons, color scheme, custom icon
- July 25 - Save photos
 - Add non-functional requirements as well
- August 1- Post to social media, begin test-only
- August 8 - All functionality complete

Timeline

	Week	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Task								
Unified UI design								
Facebook Log in								
Facebook Post on Behalf								
Twitter Log in								
Twitter Post on Behalf								
In <u>app</u> Camera build								
Testing								
Editing Photos								
Saving Edited Photos								

Twitter API

Tweet info examples

- Contributors

```
"contributors":  
[  
  {  
    "id":819797,  
    "id_str":"819797",  
    "screen_name":"episod"  
  }  
]
```

- Coordinates

```
"coordinates":  
{  
  "coordinates":  
  [  
    -75.14310264,  
    40.05701649  
  ],  
  "type":"Point"  
}
```

Twitter API

Tweet info

- `created_at` - timestamp
- `current_user_retweet` -id of the retweet
- `favorite_count`
- `favorited`
- `id_str` -for javascript, because of ints>53bits
- `in_reply_to_screen_name`
- `in_reply_to_status_id`
- `retweeted`
- `truncated`



Twitter API

Users info follows similar style

- default_profile
- default_profile_image
- description - "Official InstaMeme Page"
- following - bool
- followers

Also extends to "entities" such as hashtags, urls, hyperlinks, user mentions, multimedia

Twitter API - REST API v1.1

GET commands

- Return data from Twitter
- GET statuses/user_timeline
- GET statuses/retweets_of_me
- GET statuses/show:id
 - returns status with given id number
- GET direct_messages

Twitter API- REST API v1.1

POST commands

- Post new statuses, direct messages, update profile, etc.
- POST direct_messages/new
- POST direct_message/destroy
- POST friendships/create
 - now following user. ID of use to follow entered as param

Twitter API - examples and how to

- Register app on the Twitter website
- Download appropriate .jar files and libraries
 - add to application
- Need to connect to Twitter first
 - log in
 - verify app allowed to post on user's behalfs

Twitter- examples and how to

Log in and verify

- Twitter object

```
mHttpOauthprovider = new DefaultOAuthProvider("http://twitter.com/oauth/request_token",  
"http://twitter.com/oauth/access_token",  
"http://twitter.com/oauth/authorize");
```

- getAccessToken() method
- twitterobj.setOAuthAccessToken()
- verifyCredentials()

Twitter- examples and how to

- Editor object
- `Editor.putString("auth_key",
getAccessToken())`
- `twitterObj.updateStatus();`
 - `catch TwitterException();`
- Always need to check for for authorization, get user credentials, open/close connection, and error check all calls!



Chain-of-responsibility Pattern

Object based behavioral design pattern.

Motivation:

- Avoids the need to directly link the object creator to the object handler.
- Make object handling clean and avoids the necessity to make all objects and methods public to handle objects.
- Allows private methods to handle objects of different classes.

Chain-of-responsibility Cont'd

Intent:

- Remove the necessity to attach the object creator to the object handler.
- Gives other objects the ability to handle a request.
- Allows for processing of different types of requests e.g. mouse events or keyboard events

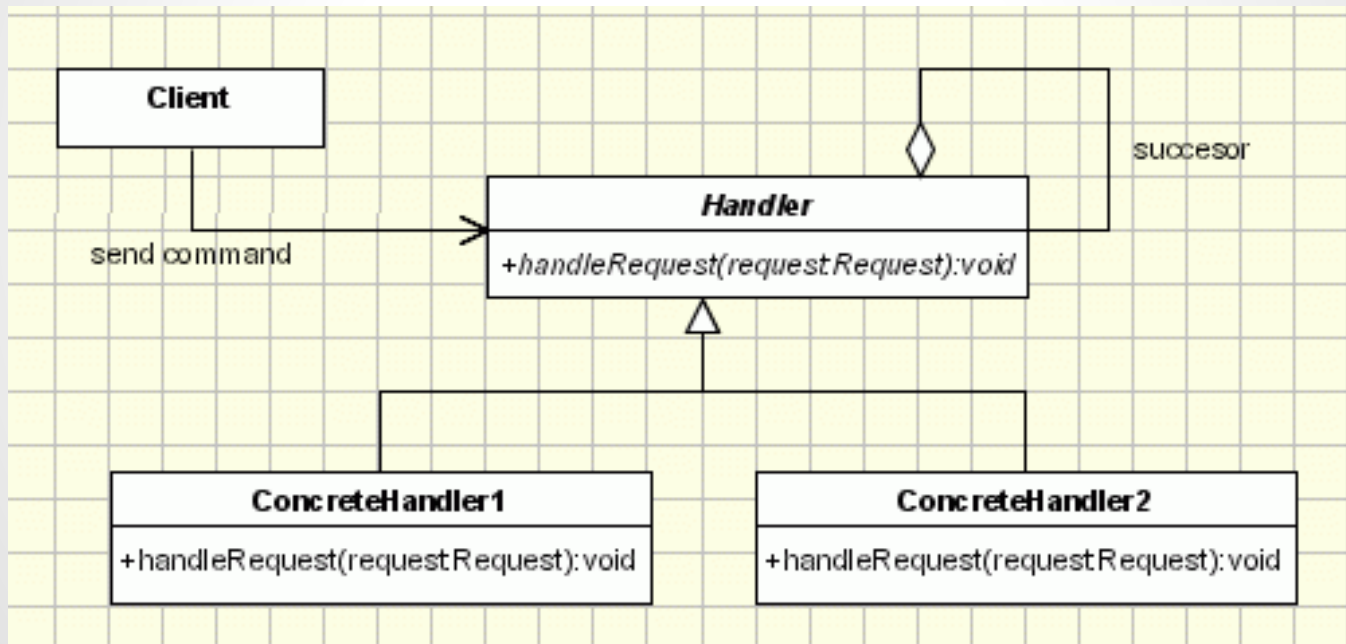
Chain-of-responsibility Cont'd

Participants:

- *Handler* - defines an interface for handling requests
- *RequestHandler* - handles the requests it is responsible for. If it cannot handle the request, it is sent on to the successor.
- *Client* - Sends commands to the first object in the chain that may handle the command.

Chain-of-responsibility Cont'd

Implementation:



Chain-of-responsibility Cont'd

Possible applications:

- When more than one object may handle a request and the actual handler is not known in advance.
- The handler needs to be selected automatically based on the object type, size, or other characteristics.

Chain-of-responsibility Cont'd

Consequences:

- Unhandled requests.
 - The chain does not guarantee that a request will be handled.
- Breaking the chain
 - Programmer error; being that they don't implement a handler for a specific case and the chain is broken.

Benefits:

- Dynamically choose the object handler
- Allows for greater obfuscation
 - No hard coded class names and such in the handler.