

# EID Hackathon II

## **Embedded Interface Design**

with **Bruce Montgomery**



# Learning Objectives

Students will be able to...

- Apply some development skills
- Have some fun



# Get Ready to Rumble!

In-class Point awards:

- Participation – 3 points
  - Complete MQTT Task – 5 points
  - Complete Mathplotlib Task – 8 points
  - Complete QT UI Task – 10 points
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- Remote students may request data for the Mathplotlib and QT UI tasks
  - I will award 10 points for completing those tasks within an hour, 8 points for one complete task, 6 points for attempt.
- Timing is on your honor.

The team in class completing the highest number of tasks will be eligible to win a Raspberry Pi 3 A+ for each team member!

Ties will be result in two random winners among those finishing.



# Rules

- **One PC per one or two-person team – no cell phones, tablets, or other connected devices**
- All tasks must be completed with Python or Node.JS code, your choice
- Use a VM or your native PC
- When you have completed a task, show me your result, then move on to the next task
- DO NOT start on a new task until the one you're on is finished and checked
- You can choose to skip a task; I will give you data you would get from that task, but you will not get credit for that task
- You may use any connected resource to help with your tasks
  
- The task directions are in Canvas under Class Files, EID CL24-L58 Hackathon 2
- Start now!



# MQTT Task

- There is an MQTT publisher running at host `mqtt.eclipse.org` on port 1883 publishing 4-tuples of data to the topic “`cueid1/datafeed`” every second
- It publishes 36 unique 4-tuples of integers, then recycles
- You must collect and save the 36 4-tuples (you’ll need them later) – they are in the form `[a,b,x,y]`
- To complete this task, show me the data you collected
- You must do this task with Python or Node.JS code, not an MQTT utility



# Matplotlib Task

- The 4-tuples you have collected are in the following form:
  - [Line Number, Index Number, X, Y]
- Create a **simple** plot of the 4 Lines of data using Python and Matplotlib. Plot the X,Y data of each line in order of the Index Number. Plot connecting lines between points.
- A good python example is here:  
[https://matplotlib.org/3.1.1/api/\\_as\\_gen/matplotlib.pyplot.plot.html#matplotlib.pyplot.plot](https://matplotlib.org/3.1.1/api/_as_gen/matplotlib.pyplot.plot.html#matplotlib.pyplot.plot)
- In this case, axis and graph titles are not needed.
- To advance to the next task – show me the graph; I'll know if you got it right (so will you)



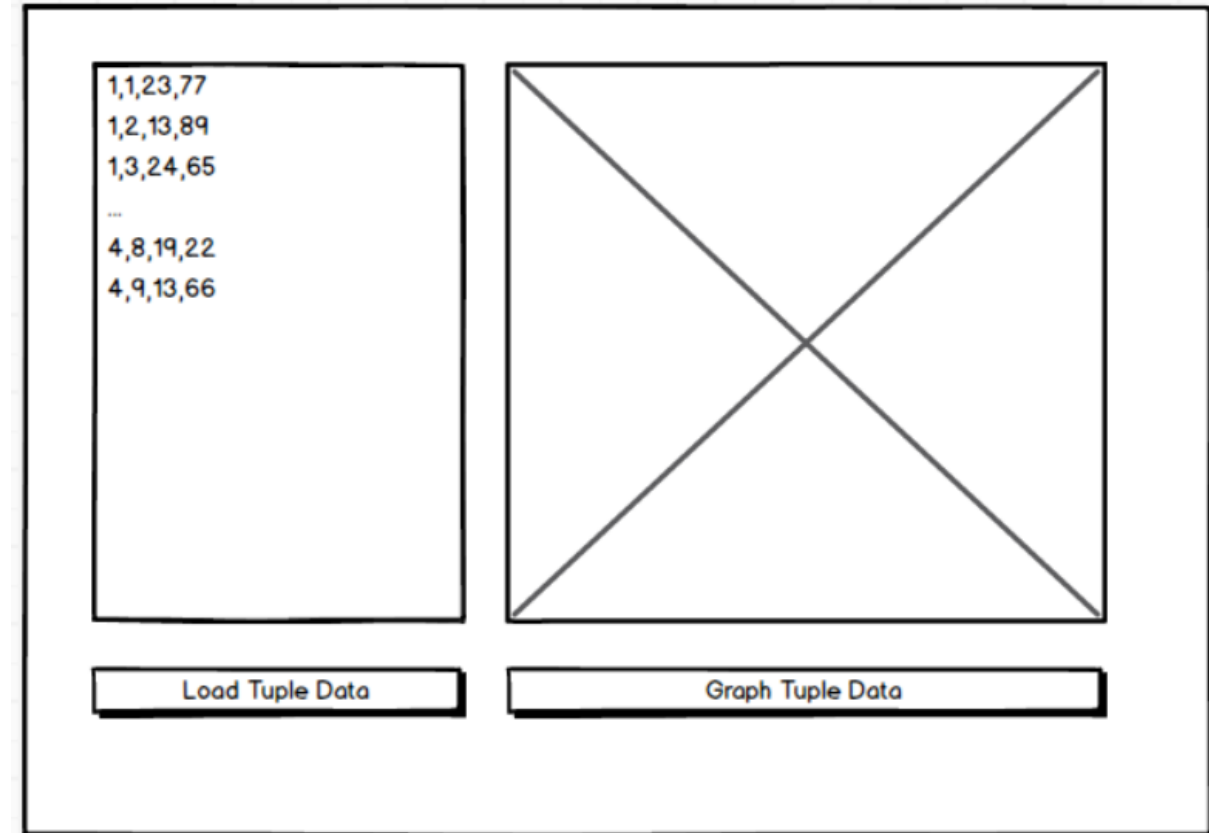
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# QT Task

- Create a QT UI per the following Wireframe
- The button Load Tuple Data should start with all original tuple data listed in order into the list box above the button
- The list should be editable
- The button Graph Tuple Data should use the data in the list box to re-run the Matplotlib graph of the data as in the prior task and display the graph in the UI
- This should allow you to change the data easily to tweak the picture drawn by the data (no error checking is needed)
- Show me your app when it's done
- Take a deep breath and relax, you did it!





# Next Steps

- Quiz Extra Credit - Article Review assignment is posted...
- Next week: Monday - Final review and wrap-up, Wednesday – Project demos
- Project 6 active (due 12/11) – no class on Wed 12/11 – go straight to the lab for demos
- New Quiz is up – last one next weekend (class feedback only)
- FCQs are up for this week
- Class staff available to help
  - Shubham - Tues 12-2 PM, Fri 3-5 PM in ECEE 1B24
  - Sharanjeet - Tues 2-3 PM, Thur 2-3 PM in ECEE 1B24
  - Bruce - Tue 9:30-10:30 AM, Thur 1-2 PM in ECOT 242
- Final Exam is set
  - Tuesday Dec 17 7:30 PM - 10 PM ECCR 1B51
  - Final will be open notes and Canvas based, you'll need a PC

