# **CMSC335**

# Web Application Development with JavaScript



# Rest, Spread, Array Functions

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#### **Default Parameters**

- Standardized in **ES6**
- Allow named parameters to be initialized with default values
  - Literal or computed by a function
- Example: DefaultParameters.html

### Rest Operator (...variable)

- Rest Operator
  - (...variable) appears at the end of the parameters list
  - It will receive all remaining arguments
  - Stores the remaining arguments as an array
- Example: RestOperator.html

#### **Spread Operator**

- Spreads (extracts) elements from an iterable (e.g., array, string) generating a sequence
  - Uses triple dot (exactly like rest operator)

  - Can be used inside array literals
- Example: SpreadOperator.html
  - The value arguments in a function provides information about arguments

### Array's forEach, find, findIndex Methods

- forEach Calls a provided callback function once for each element in an array in ascending order
  - Not invoked for index properties that have been deleted or are uninitialized
  - Callback can have one or two parameters
- find Returns the value of the first element in the provided array that satisfies the provided testing function
- findIndex
  - Returns the index of the first element in the array that satisfies the provided testing function. Otherwise, it returns -1
  - Tests if at least one element in the array passes the test
- Example: ArrayForEachFindFindIndex.html

# Array's map, every, some Methods

- map
  - Creates a new array with the results of calling a provided function on every element in the calling array
- Example: ArrayMap.html
- every
  - Tests if all elements in the array pass the test implemented by the provided function. Returns a boolean value
- some
  - Tests if at least one element in the array passes the test
- Example: ArrayEverySome.html

#### Array Reduce Method

- Array reduce method generates a single value
  - Can take an initial value. If no initial value is provided, the first array element is used is used as the initial value
- Example: Reduce.html
- Example: ReduceObject.html

#### filter Method

- **Filter** Returns a shallow copy of elements from array that satisfy a predicate
- Example: Filter.html
- The elem, index, array parameters can be seen in other array functions
  - Example: ForMapIndex.html

#### Sets

- Collection of keys
- Keys can be primitive or references
- The Set constructor has zero or more arguments. With no arguments an empty set will be created
- If an argument is specified, it needs to be iterable (e.g., array)
- When iterating over sets, elements will be processed in the order they were inserted
- Example: Set.html