Middleware Architectures 1

Motivation and Course Overview

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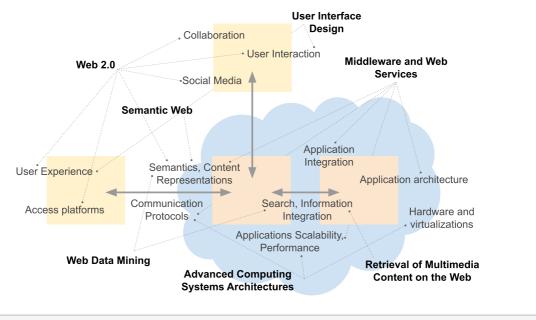
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Hellos

- Tomáš Vitvar lectures (Czech)
 - Web engineering program chair at CTU FIT
 - Technology Architect Director at Oracle
 - Research
 - → Web Intelligence, Semantic Web, Linked Data, Web Services
 - Industry
 - → Large scale integration architecture projects (Vodafone UK, IKEA IT Sweden, Turkish Telecom)
 - \rightarrow Design, governance, troubleshooting, performance tuning
- Jaroslav Kuchař labs (Czech)
 - Research assistant at CTU FIT, Seznam.cz
 - Web usage mining, big data analytics, Web services
- Milan Dojčinovski lectures and labs (English)
 - research assistant at CTU FIT, Ph.D. candidate
 - Semantic Web, Linked Data, NLP, Web services

Web Engineering Curricula – bird's view

- Web 2.0 engineering is...
 - far beyond PHP and HTML!



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What is Middleware?

- Say anything you think has something to do with middleware
 - Architecture
 - Tehnology
 - Tools
 - Concept or style
 - Methodology
 - **—** ...
 - No worries, there is no bad answer!

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Motivation in Brief

- Systems rely on complex infrastructures
 - A lot of data and many processes, internal and external
 - As people communicate, underlying systems must too
 - *− But:*
 - → variety of data formants, technologies, protocols
 - $\rightarrow \textit{variety of architectures, client-server, peer-to-peer,} \dots$
- Rapid changes in applications' functionalities
 - modular development
 - reuse of application logic
 - low costs do it now and quickly!
 - Good performance
 - → frequent changes in applications' loads, peek hours
 - \rightarrow scalability effective load balancing
 - \rightarrow low costs cheaper to outsource?

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Scope

- Architectural and conceptual basis
 - What is architecture enterprise, processes, data, software
 - Service Oriented Architecture, Service Concepts, Middleware
- Backend technologies
 - Communication protocols HTTP
 - Application backend and requests handling
 - Details of REST and relation to SOAP
- Performance and Scalability
 - Performance metrics
 - Load balancers

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Prerequisites

- Object-oriented programming
 - Principles
 - \rightarrow class, object, inheritance, encapsulation, ...
 - \rightarrow basis for service concepts
- Java
 - All code examples will be in Java
 - All lab work will be in Java
- Web Architecture
 - Basics of XML, XPath, HTTP, URI
- Other
 - Networking
 - Regular expressions, basics of Linux

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Organization of Lectures

- 12 Lectures
 - Czech: Mon 9:15-10:45, T9:107
 - English: TBA
- Plan
 - 1. 19.09.2022 Motivation and Course Overview (html)
 - 2. 26.09.2022 Information System Architectures (html)
 - 3. 03.10.2022 Service Architectures and Integration Patterns 1 (html)
 - 4. 10.10.2022 Service Architectures and Integration Patterns 2 (html)
 - 5. 17.10.2022 Communication Protocols 1 (html)
 - 6. 24.10.2022 Communication Protocols 2 (html)
 - 7. 31.10.2022 Application Server Architecture 1 (html)
 - 8. 07.11.2022 Application Server Architecture 2 (html)
 - 9. 14.11.2022 Representational State Transfer 1 (html)
 - 10. 21.11.2022 Representational State Transfer 2 (html)
 - 11. 28.11.2022 HATEOAS, Caching, Concurrency Control 1(html)
 - 12. 05.12.2022 HATEOAS, Caching, Concurrency Control 2 (html)
 - 13. 12.12.2022 High Availability and Performance (html)

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Organization of Labs

- Individual work (no teams!)
- Labs every second week
- Number of labs: 6
 - 1. Introduction Setup, Simple Web Application
 - 2. REST Basics, development of a REST service
 - 3. REST advanced
 - 4. SOAP Web services
 - 5. Messaging Services JMS
 - 6. Web Logic Metrics and Load Balancing

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Methodology for Lab Work

- No app development, not directly related assignments
 - assignment every second week
 - be prepared for the lab!
 - work alone, ask others for advices
 - Results:
 - → 5 completed tasks
 - → you will submit results to gitlbab@FIT

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Assessment

- Labs
 - Every task gives you the maximum of 6 points = 30 points in total
 - Activity in labs gives you the maximum of 10 points
 - Total maximum points = 40, to pass: 20 points minimum
- Final exam
 - Written exam: 3 exercises, 1 hour
 - \rightarrow each gives you a max. of 20 points, the total is 60 points
 - → To pass, you need to have at least 50% from each exercise!
 - Final score:
 - → 100 points maximum

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Final Marks

Mark	Points	In words
Α	100–90	výborně
В	89–80	velmi dobře
С	79–70	dobře
D	69–60	uspokojivě
Е	59–50	dostatečně
F	49–0	nedostatečně

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Communication

Language

- Text: English (slides, tweets, posts, instructions, etc.)
- Voice: Czech and English (English version of the course)

Direct

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Course slides	http://mdw.vitvar.com	
Courses@FIT	https://courses.fit.cvut.cz/NI-AM1/	
Lab projects	https://gitlab.fit.cvut.cz/	
Assessment	https://grades.fit.cvut.cz/courses/NI-AM1/	

Books

- L. Richardson, S. Ruby: RESTful Web Services: Web services for the real world, O'Reilly Media, May 2007, ISBN 9780596529260.
- I. Grigorik: High Performance Browser Networking, O'Reilly Media, May 2013, ISBN 978-1-449-34476-4.
- Thomas Erl: Service-Oriented Architecture: Concepts, Technology, and Design. Prentice Hall, Aug 2, 2005.

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 - Suggest edits or correct errors by pull requests at mdw github repo
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 - slideshow mode (automatically scales to fullscreen)
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