

ADVANCED IOS APPLICATION DEVELOPMENT

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SHARE EXTENSION FROM A WEBPAGE

Extension parses a web page with javascript

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var ExtensionPreprocessingJS = new Preprocessor;
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```

- SLComposeServic eViewController subclass
- Custom UI will implement typical view controller methods

```
import UIKit
import Social
import ExtensionKit
import MobileCoreServices
/// View Controller that is presented via the share extension. This uses the
/// default share sheet from the `Social.framework`.
class ShareViewController: SLComposeServiceViewController {
  /// Hold the app icon
  var imageToShare: UIImage?
  /// Hold the app store URL
 var urlToShare: String?
  /// Hold the application title
 var textToShare: String?
  // MARK: - Share extension methods
 override func presentationAnimationDidFinish() { ••• }
 override func isContentValid() -> Bool { ••• }
 override func didSelectPost() { .... }
  override func configurationItems() -> [Any]! { ••• }
```

 Iterate through and get all the attachments

```
override func presentationAnimationDidFinish() {
  let items = extensionContext?.inputItems
  var itemProvider: NSItemProvider?
 // Exit early if there are no items
  if items == nil && items!.isEmpty != false { return }
  // Get item
  let item = items![0] as! NSExtensionItem
  print("Attachment items: \(String(describing: items))")
  // Loop through all the attachment items and store their values in properties
 // Note: The App Store makes three attachements available: image, plain-text, and url
  //
  if let attachments = item.attachments {
   for attachment in attachments {
      itemProvider = attachment as? NSItemProvider
      // Get text
      let textType = kUTTypePlainText as String
      if itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(textType) == true {
        itemProvider?.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: textType, options: nil) { .... }
      // Get URL
      let urlType = kUTTypeURL as String
      if itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(urlType) == true { ••• }
      // Get image
      let imageType = kUTTypeImage as String
      if itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(imageType) == true {
        itemProvider?.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: imageType, options: nil) { ••• }
```

- Process the callback from javascript to extract the information
- Get info and save
 to property in
 view controller to
 access later

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Get text
textType = kUTTypePlainText as String
itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(textType) == true {
temProvider?.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: textType, options: nil) { (item, error) -> Void in
if error == nil {
  if let text = item as? String {
     self.textToShare = text
Get URL
urlType = kUTTypeURL as String
itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(urlType) == true {
temProvider?.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: urlType, options: nil) { (item, error) -> Void in
if error == nil {
  if let url = item as? URL {
     self.urlToShare = url.absoluteString
Get image
imageType = kUTTypeImage as String
itemProvider?.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier(imageType) == true {
temProvider?.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: imageType, options: nil) { (item, error) -> Void in
if error == nil {
   print("Item: \(String(describing: item))")
  if let image = item as? UIImage {
    self.imageToShare = image
```

```
override func didSelectPost() {
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  // This is called after the user selects Post. Do the upload of
  // contentText and/or NSExtensionContext attachments.
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                                                                                            GROUP
  // While it is possible to save an UIImage to a dictionary as NSData as
  // we are doing here, it is generally not a good idea. You could store
  // image on server or in App Group folder and keep the URL of the location
  // to store
  // Also, note that you get the app store URL, so you could use it to get
  // the image that way.
  let imageData: Data? = UIImagePNGRepresentation(imageToShare!)
  let sharedItem: NSDictionary = [ "date": Date(),
                                   "contentText": textToShare!,
                                   "imageData": imageData!,
                                   "url": urlToShare!
  LocalDefaultsManager.sharedInstance.add(object: sharedItem)
  // Inform the host that we're done, so it un-blocks its UI.
  // Note: Alternatively you could call super's -didSelectPost, which will similarly complete the extension context.
  self.extensionContext!.completeRequest(returningItems: [], completionHandler: nil)
```

```
override func isContentValid() -> Bool {
   // Do validation of contentText and/or NSExtensionContext attachments here
   return true
}

override func configurationItems() -> [Any]! {
   // To add configuration options via table cells at the bottom of the sheet,
   // return an array of SLComposeSheetConfigurationItem here.
   return []
}
```

• Do custom validation or add more configuration items

PHOTO SHARING EXTENSION

Customize the parsing of the NSItemProviders



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   // This is called after the user selects Post. Do the upload of
    // contentText and/or NSExtensionContext attachments.
   // While it is possible to save an UIImage to a dictionary as NSData as
   // we are doing here, it is generally not a good idea. You could store
   // image on server or in App Group folder and keep the URL of the location
   // to store
   // Also, note that you get the app store URL, so you could use it to get
   // the image that way.
   if let item = self.extensionContext?.inputItems[0] as? NSExtensionItem {
      for ele in item.attachments!{
        let itemProvider = ele as! NSItemProvider
        if itemProvider.hasItemConformingToTypeIdentifier("public.jpeg"){
          NSLog("itemprovider: %@", itemProvider)
          itemProvider.loadItem(forTypeIdentifier: "public.jpeg", options: nil, completionHandler: { (item, error) in
            var imgData: Data!
            if let url = item as? URL {
             imgData = try! Data(contentsOf: url)
            if let img = item as? UIImage {
             imgData = UIImagePNGRepresentation(img)
            let sharedItem: NSDictionary = [ "date": Date(),
                                             "contentText": self.contentText,
                                             "imageData": imgData]
            LocalDefaultsManager.sharedInstance.add(object: sharedItem)
```



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