# LOCALHOST

MAMP AND WAMP

#### WEB DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Remember:
"front-end"
means clientside ...means
web browser

O2
File system:
HTML, CSS, and JS files

O3
HTML, CSS, JS
(and other assets) → editor(s)

04
HTML files
→ browser

• "file" Protocol file:///

05
Server-side capabilities

- Application development
- Database access
- Messaging (e.g. email)
- HTML preprocessing



"PHP Includes": technology required for the rest of CSC 170 labs



Recommended: install PHP on your own laptop



WARNING: installation not supported by University IT



IS available on University lab computers



Why?

Development experience

Helpful → CS Majors!

Required for CSC 174 - Advanced Front-end Web Design and Development

## CSC 170 LABS – PHP

### LAMP, MAMP, AND WAMP

- Software "stack"
- On a Linux, Windows, or Mac computer, install: Apache, MySQL, PHP
- Most popular stack on the web (also, Microsoft IIS with .NET)
- Production web servers: download, install, configure each software
- Developers: find an all-in-one package
  - MAMP: www.mamp.info
  - MAMP for Windows: www.mamp.info (University lab computers)
  - WampServer: www.wampserver.com
  - Others

#### Installation

Download MAMP, or MAMP for Windows, or WAMPserver

Install

Run the software ("MAMP" or "MAMP for Windows or "WAMPserver")

#### Usage

Go to http://localhost (make a link on your desktop)

Find the **web root** (make a link on your desktop)

Delete (or move) the starter files from the **web** root

Do Lab I I in your **web root**; view it at http://localhost

## GET UP-AND-RUNNING