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### See Also

Useful links:

- https://github.com/jeanmathieupotvin/dotprofile
- Report bugs at https://github.com/jeanmathieupotvin/dotprofile/issues/new

dotprofile-ui

User interface of dotprofile

### **Description**

These functions are used to construct the command-line interface of **dotprofile**. They are inspired from **usethis** for consistency, but their implementation is different and relies on wrapper functions to other functions of **cli**.

### Usage

```
## ---
## Print messages to the console
## ---
ui_todo(..., .envir = parent.frame())
ui_info(..., .envir = parent.frame())
ui_done(..., .envir = parent.frame())
ui_nope(..., .envir = parent.frame())
ui_ask(..., .envir = parent.frame())
## ---
```

```
## Ask for inputs interactively
   ## ---
   ui_input(..., .envir = parent.frame())
   ui_menu(..., answers = c("yes", "no"), .envir = parent.frame())
   ## ---
   ## Signal conditions
   ## ---
   ui_warn(warning, ..., .envir = parent.frame())
   ui_stop(error, ..., .envir = parent.frame())
   ## ---
   ## Cheatsheet for inline markup
   ## ---
   ui_theme()
Arguments
                    [any]
   . . .
                    markup for inline formatting.
                     Functions ui_warn() and ui_stop():
```

```
Passed to cli::format_inline(), unless stated otherwise below. Use cli inline
                   ... is an optional sequence of further calls executed after returning a message
                   via base::warning() and base::stop() respectively. You should only pass
                   calls to other user interface functions. See examples below.
.envir
                  [environment]
                  Passed to cli::format_inline(), cli::format_warning() or cli::format_error().
                 This argument is not validated by dotprofile and is reserved for expert use.
answers
                  [atomic]
                  Non-empty atomic vector passed to argument choices of utils::menu().
                  [character(1)]
warning
                 Passed to cli::format_warning().
error
                  [character(1)]
                 Passed to cli::format_error().
```

### **Details**

The user interface functions of **dotprofile** can be divided into three groups.

- Print messages with ui\_todo(), ui\_info(), ui\_done(), ui\_warn(), ui\_ask() and ui\_nope().
- 2. Seek answers from the user with ui\_input() and ui\_menu(). The former expects an input to be typed in the terminal, while the latter expects a value to be chosen interactively from a menu. These functions can only be used in an interactive session.

3. Signal conditions with ui\_warn() and ui\_stop(). They are designed to play nicely with ui\_\*() functions of the first group, and can be used to craft beautiful and meaningful error messages.

All functions support string interpolation.

### Value

- Functions ui\_todo(), ui\_info(), ui\_done(), ui\_nope(), ui\_ask(), and ui\_theme() return NULL invisibly.
- Function ui\_input() returns a character(1). It returns an empty character(1) in non-interactive sessions.
- Function ui\_menu() returns the *chosen* value taken from argument answers. In non-interactive sessions, or if the user aborts the process, it returns NA. Its actual type matches the type of the value passed to argument answers.
- Function ui\_warn() throws a warning, but **does not stop** execution of the current expression. It returns NULL invisibly.
- Function ui\_stop() throws an error message and stops execution of the current expression.

### **Examples**

```
## Use dotprofile's UI functions to convey messages to the user.
ui_examples <- function()</pre>
    ui_todo("This is a {.strong to-be-completed} task.")
   ui_info("This is an information.")
    ui_done("This a {.strong completed} task.")
   ui_nope("Something's {.strong wrong}, but this is not an error.")
    ui_ask("This is a question.")
}
ui_examples()
## Use cli's inline classes to easily style messages passed to `...`
ui_theme()
## Construct beautiful warnings and errors with ui_warn() and ui_stop().
## Not run:
  ui_warn("this is a warning message generated with {.fn ui_warn}.")
  ui_warn("this is a {.emph super custom} warning message.",
      ui_info("You can pass other {.fn ui_*} calls to it."),
      ui_info("They are printed after the warning message, like {.pkg rlang} does."),
      ui_nope("Only use functions that has side-effects here.")
  )
  ui_stop("this is an error message generated with {.fn ui_stop}.")
  ui_stop("this is a {.emph super custom} error message.",
      ui_info("You can pass other {.fn ui_*} calls to it."),
      ui_info("They are printed after the error message, like {.pkg rlang} does."),
      ui_nope("Only use functions that has side-effects here.")
  )
```

## End(Not run)

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