

CS 449 REC 4

QUEUE LAB

ANNOUNCEMENTS

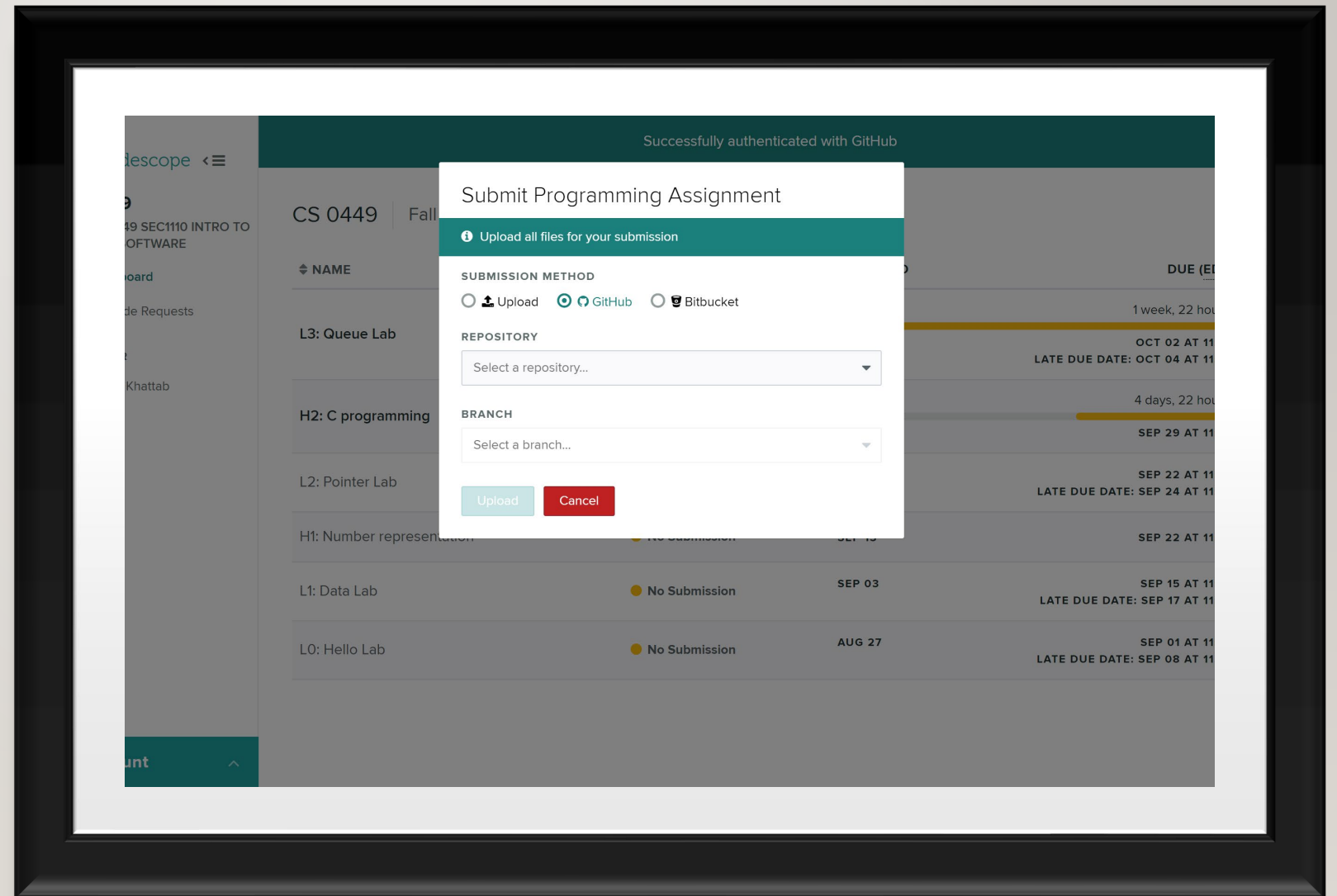
Office hour changed: Wed 2:30-
4:00

Queue lab is out (start early!)

Check off meeting

Email me if you want (possibly)
faster reply (not on Slack, sorry)

BTW...YOU CAN
NOW UPLOAD TO
GRADESCOPE
USING GITHUB





REVIEW + LAB 2

- `Int arr[5] = {1,3,7,5,2};`
- `*(arr+3) = ?`

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS CODE?

```
void foo(int *p){  
    int j;  
    *p = j;  
}  
void bar() {  
    int i = 10;  
    foo(&i);  
    printf("i = %d\n", i);  
}
```

```
void foo(int *p) {  
    int j;  
    *p = j;  j is uninitialized (garbage),  
    copied into *p  
}
```

```
void bar() {  
    int i=10;  
    foo(&i);  
    printf("i = %d\n", i);  Using i which now  
    contains garbage  
}
```

FROM STACK TO HEAP

```
#include <stdio.h>

double multiplyByTwo (double input) {
    double twice = input * 2.0;
    return twice;
}

int main (int argc, char *argv[])
{
    int age = 30;
    double salary = 12345.67;
    double myList[3] = {1.2, 2.3, 3.4};

    printf("double your salary is %.3f\n", multiplyByTwo(salary));

    return 0;
}
```



```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

double *multiplyByTwo (double *input) {
    double *twice = malloc(sizeof(double));
    *twice = *input * 2.0;
    return twice;
}

int main (int argc, char *argv[])
{
    int *age = malloc(sizeof(int));
    *age = 30;
    double *salary = malloc(sizeof(double));
    *salary = 12345.67;
    double *myList = malloc(3 * sizeof(double));
    myList[0] = 1.2;
    myList[1] = 2.3;
    myList[2] = 3.4;

    double *twiceSalary = multiplyByTwo(salary);

    printf("double your salary is %.3f\n", *twiceSalary);

    free(age);
    free(salary);
    free(myList);
    free(twiceSalary);

    return 0;
}
```

STACK VS HEAP

Stack

- Local variable only
- Fast access
- Memory will not be fragmented
- No need to free
- Linear

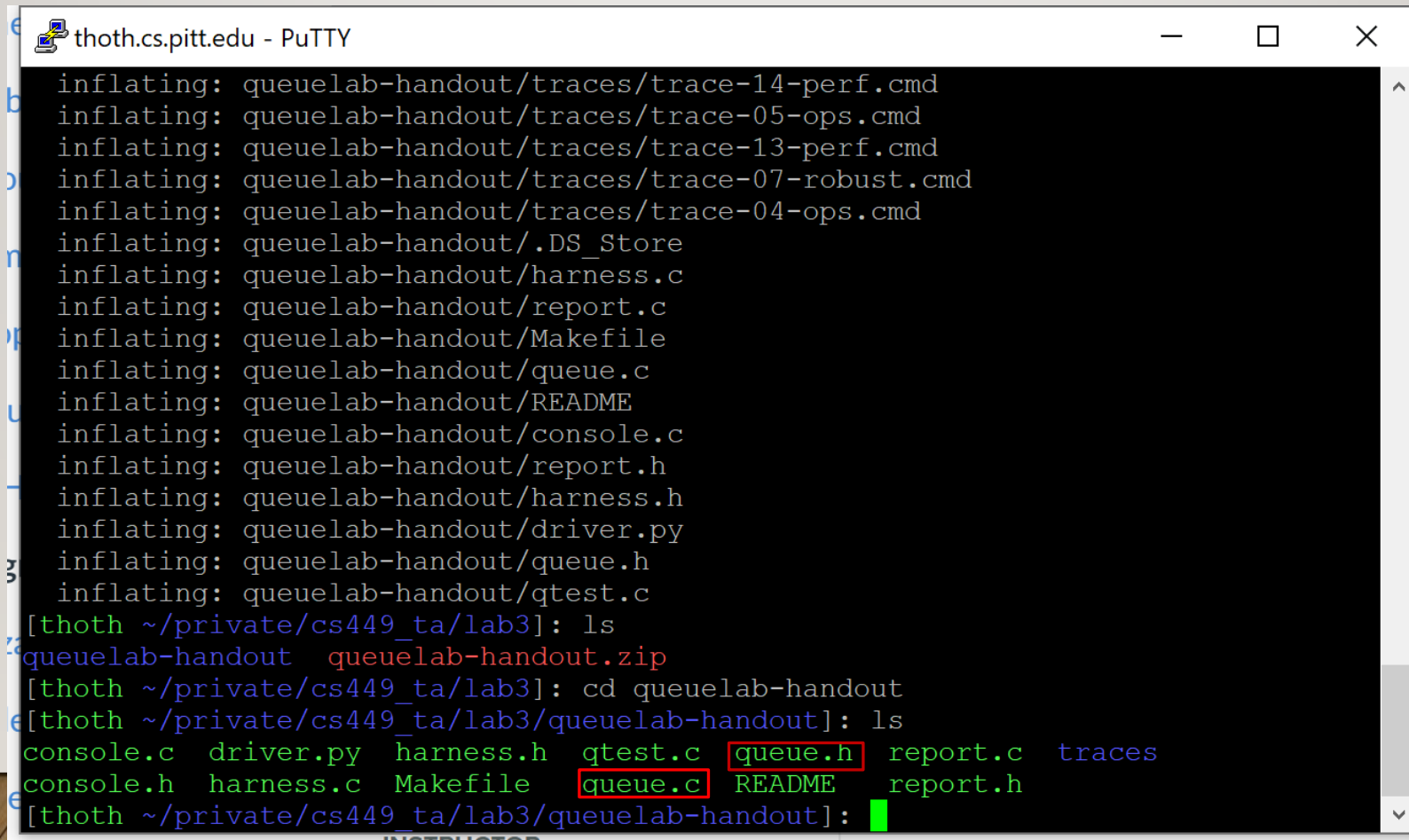
Heap

- Malloc and free
- Slower access
- Memory fragmentation
- YOU are in charge of variable space
- Hierarchical

BASICS WALKTHROUGH



COPY THE FILES ON PUTTY



The screenshot shows a PuTTY terminal window titled "thoth.cs.pitt.edu - PuTTY". The terminal displays a series of "inflating:" messages for various files being transferred from a remote server to a local directory. The files include several .cmd files in the traces directory, .DS_Store, harness.c, report.c, Makefile, queue.c, README, console.c, report.h, harness.h, driver.py, queue.h, and qtest.c. After the transfer, the user runs 'ls' in the directory ~/private/cs449_ta/lab3, showing the contents of the local directory. Then, the user runs 'cd queuelab-handout' and runs 'ls' again, showing the contents of the queuelab-handout directory. In this second 'ls' output, the files 'queue.h' and 'queue.c' are highlighted with red boxes. The terminal window has standard window controls (minimize, maximize, close) in the top right corner.

```
thoth.cs.pitt.edu - PuTTY
inflating: queuelab-handout/traces/trace-14-perf.cmd
inflating: queuelab-handout/traces/trace-05-ops.cmd
inflating: queuelab-handout/traces/trace-13-perf.cmd
inflating: queuelab-handout/traces/trace-07-robust.cmd
inflating: queuelab-handout/traces/trace-04-ops.cmd
inflating: queuelab-handout/.DS_Store
inflating: queuelab-handout/harness.c
inflating: queuelab-handout/report.c
inflating: queuelab-handout/Makefile
inflating: queuelab-handout/queue.c
inflating: queuelab-handout/README
inflating: queuelab-handout/console.c
inflating: queuelab-handout/report.h
inflating: queuelab-handout/harness.h
inflating: queuelab-handout/driver.py
inflating: queuelab-handout/queue.h
inflating: queuelab-handout/qtest.c
[thoth ~/private/cs449_ta/lab3]: ls
queuelab-handout  queuelab-handout.zip
[thoth ~/private/cs449_ta/lab3]: cd queuelab-handout
[thoth ~/private/cs449_ta/lab3/queuelab-handout]: ls
console.c  driver.py  harness.h  qtest.c  queue.h  report.c  traces
console.h  harness.c  Makefile  queue.c  README  report.h
[thoth ~/private/cs449_ta/lab3/queuelab-handout]:
```

```
/****** Operations on queue *****/

/*
  Create empty queue.
  Return NULL if could not allocate space.
*/
queue_t *q_new();

/*
  Free ALL storage used by queue.
  No effect if q is NULL
*/
void q_free(queue_t *q);
```

NO NEED TO MODIFY

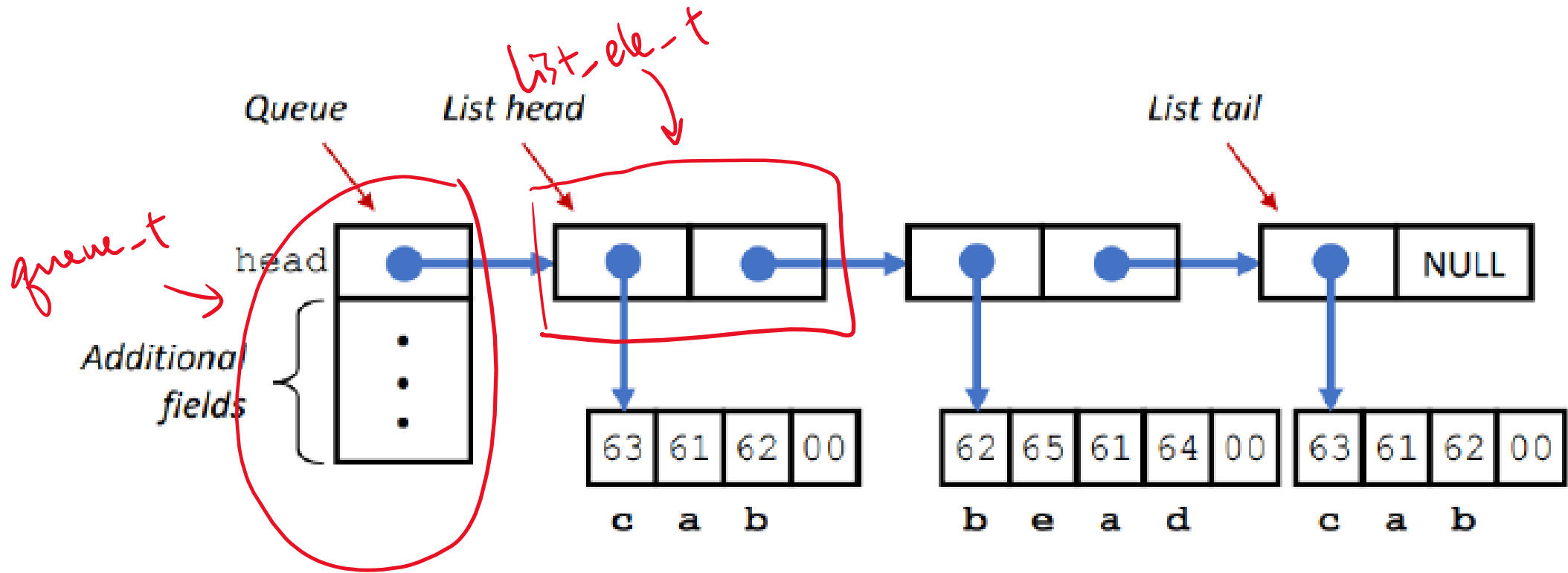


Figure 1: **Linked-list implementation of a queue.** Each list element has a value field, pointing to an array of characters (C's representation of strings), and a next field pointing to the next list element. Characters are encoded according to the ASCII encoding (shown in hexadecimal.)

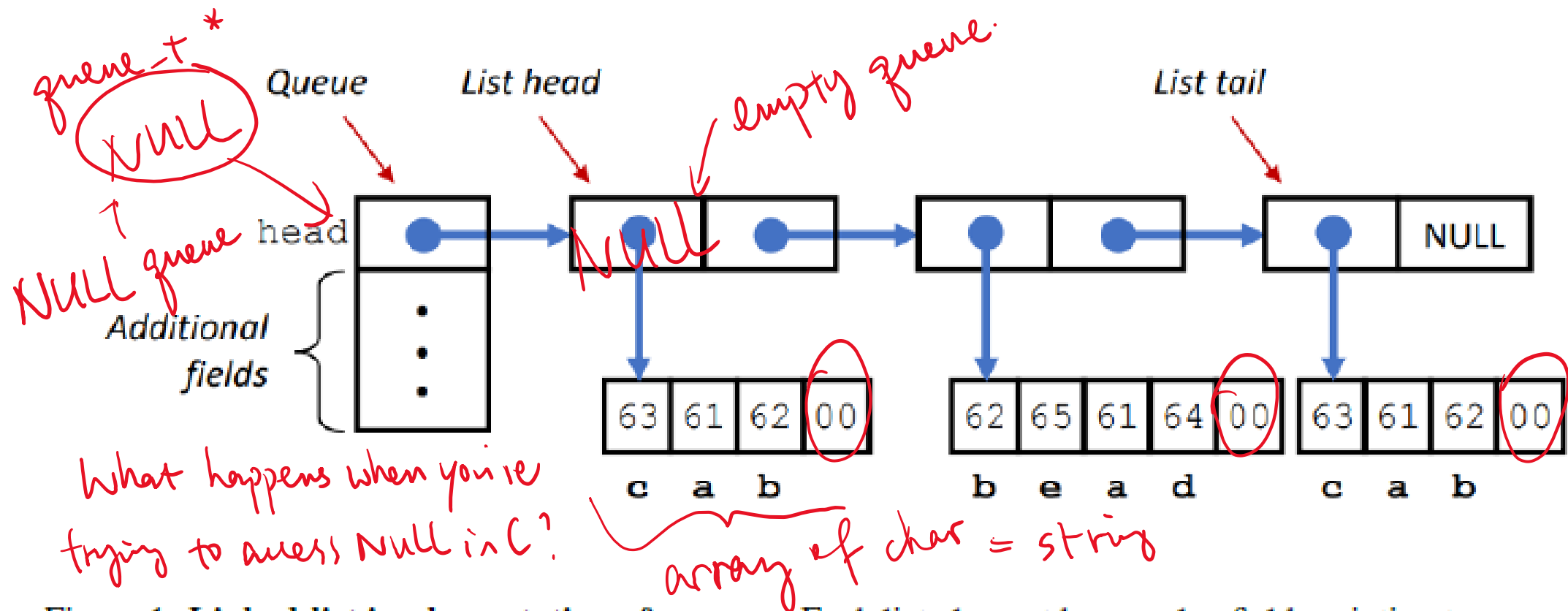


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WHEN YOU ARE
STUCK, DRAW OUT
SOMETHING LIKE THAT



FUNCTIONS IN QUEUE.C...MORE IN COMMENTS

- `q_new`: Create a new, empty queue.
- `q_free`: Free all storage used by a queue.
- `q_insert_head`: Attempt to insert a new element at the head of the queue (LIFO discipline).
- `q_insert_tail`: Attempt to insert a new element at the tail of the queue (FIFO discipline).
- `q_remove_head`: Attempt to remove the element at the head of the queue.
- `q_size`: Compute the number of elements in the queue.
- `q_reverse`: Reorder the list so that the queue elements are reversed in order. This function should not allocate or free any list elements (either directly or via calls to other functions that allocate or free list elements.) Instead, **it should rearrange the existing elements.**

NOTES

- Printf anything you are unsure of/keep track of them
- You can define Macros/structs/functions in queue.h
 - #define Addnumbers(x, y) (x+y)
 - Struct or typedef struct?

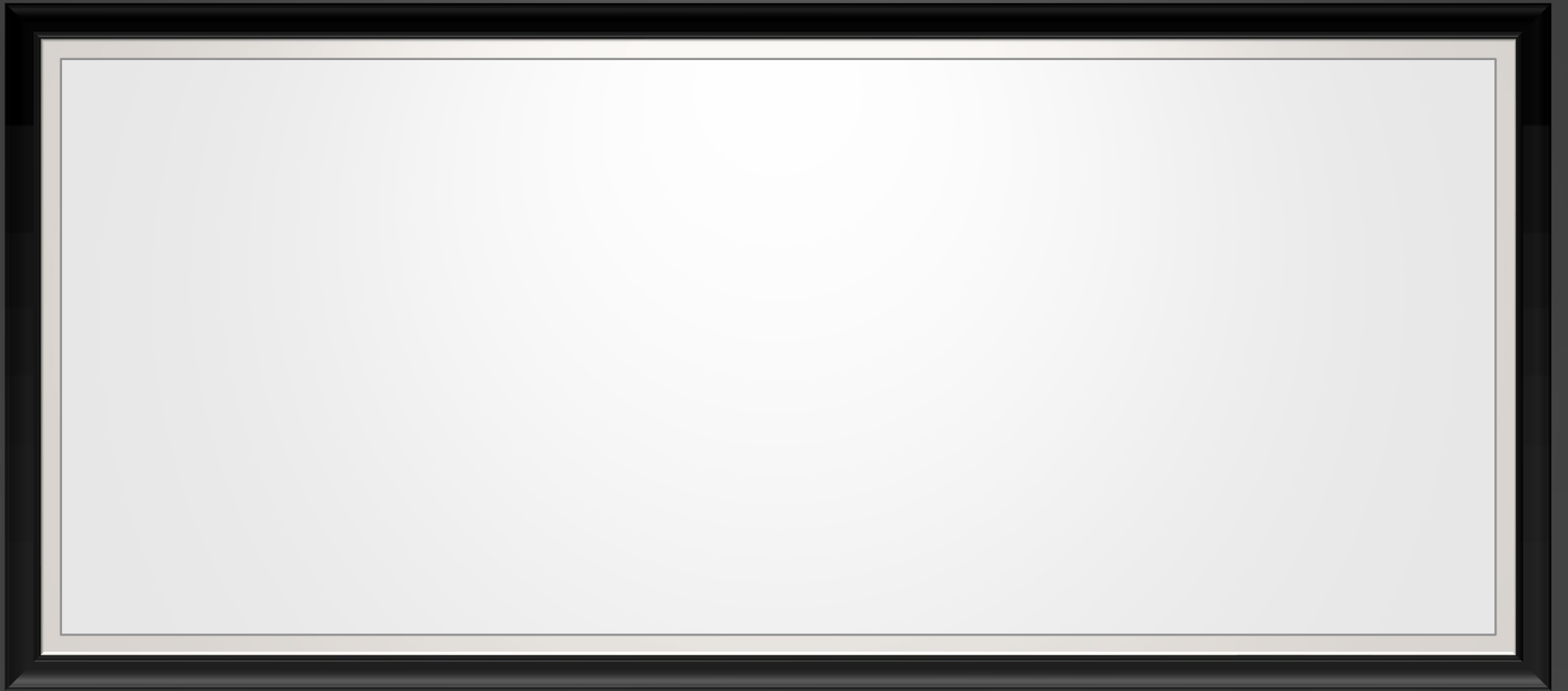
```
typedef struct {  
    list_ele_t *head;  
    /*  
     * You will need to  
     * to efficiently im  
     */  
} queue_t;
```

```
struct foo {  
    int n;  
};
```

- When you are adding a new string, remember not only the string takes up memory, the node does too/the same with removing...
 - Malloc is in <stdlib.h>
 - Using sizeof
 - Using strlen/strcmp Why are they not safe to use?
 - String manipulation functions usually start with strxxx

(CONT.)

- You can not assume an upper bound on string length! i.e. you can't do `char[constant]`
- When you see a function in c, search for its document and pay attention to return values/edge cases!
- Recursion (x) loops ($\sqrt{}$)
- Most functions involve: allocate/deallocate space -> copying string -> handling edge cases
- Reverse: you are not supposed to use any `malloc/free` functions
 - Perhaps use a while loop...

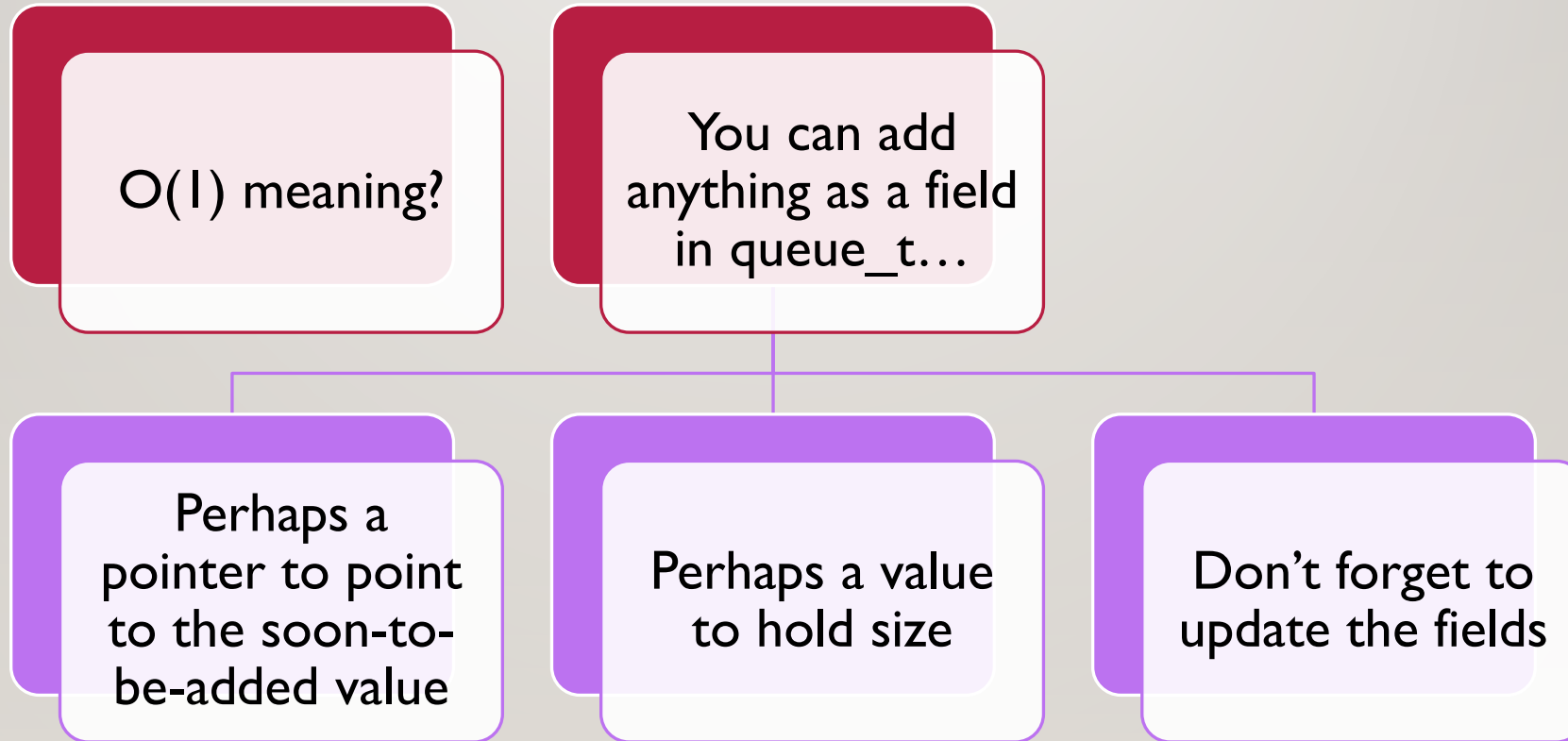


INSERT_TAIL & SIZE: $O(1)$

- Naïve algorithm
- $O(1)$ meaning?
- What fields can be added to `queue_t`?

```
/* Queue structure */
typedef struct {
    list_ele_t *head; /* Linked list of elements */
    /*
     * You will need to add more fields to this structure
     * to efficiently implement q_size and q_insert_tail
     */
} queue_t;
```

INSERT_TAIL & SIZE: $O(1)$



EDGE CASES

- Removing from empty or NULL queues
- Handling **head & tail**
 - Either is null
- Return value of malloc/free (i.e. could not allocate)
- Queue size == 0
- Some of them are in the comments

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS CODE

```
typedef struct node {  
    struct node* next;  
    int val;  
} Node;
```

```
int findLastNodeValue(Node* head)  
{  
    while (head->next != NULL) {  
        head = head->next;  
    }  
    return head->val;  
}
```

```
typedef struct node {  
    struct node* next;  
    int val;  
} Node;
```

```
int findLastNodeValue(Node* head) {  
    while (head->next != NULL)  
        head = head->next;  
    return head->val;  
}
```

What if head
is NULL?



**No warnings!
Just Seg Fault
that needs finding!**

AGAIN...



Time management!



Draw the queue!



Remember
printf/gdb!