



# Scala on Android

Painless Android Development with Scala

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# Build Tools



# SBT ⇒ Android SDK Plugin

<https://github.com/pfn/android-sdk-plugin>

# SBT ⇒ Android SDK Plugin

- Supports all Android SDK tasks
  - dex
  - *typedResourcesGenerator*
  - *proguard*
  - buildConfigGenerator
  - (+ 20... more)

# SBT ⇒ Android SDK Plugin ⇒ typedResourcesGenerator

```
object TR {  
    val title = TypedResource[TextView](R.id.title)  
  
    object layout {  
        val abc_screen_toolbar = TypedLayout[ActionBarOverlayLayout](R.layout.abc_screen_toolbar)  
    }  
}  
  
class MyActivity extends AppCompatActivity with TypedActivity {  
  
    val titleTextView = findView(title) //titleTextView inferred as TextView, no casting needed  
}
```

SBT  $\Rightarrow$  Android SDK Plugin  $\Rightarrow$  *proguard*

# Size Matters

Scala byte code size reduced ~ (2.8M)

## SBT ⇒ Android SDK Plugin

- <https://github.com/pfn/android-sdk-plugin>
- Active
- Fast (incremental compilation and proguard caching)
- Proguard + MultiDexApplication integration (*Circumvents 65K method limit*)
- Supports AAR, JAR and APK artifact types

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ NullPointerExceptions

```
Person person = getPerson();

String name = null;

if (person != null && person.getJob() != null) {
    name = person.getJob().getName();
}

if (name != null) {
    return name;
} else {
    return DEFAULT_NAME;
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *NullPointerExceptions*

```
val jobName : Option[String] = person.job map (_.name)
```

OR

```
val jobName : Option[String] = for {
    job <- person.job
} yield job.name
```

OR

Option, Try, Either, \/, Validation

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Contexts*

```
public class MainActivity
    extends Activity {

    public void bar() {
        FooUtils.get(getContext(), R.string.name);
    }

}

public class FooUtils {
    static String get(Context c, int res) {
        return c.getString(res);
    }
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Contexts*

```
class MainActivity extends Activity {  
  
    implicit val ctx = getApplicationContext  
  
    def bar = FooUtils.get(R.string.name)  
  
}  
  
object FooUtils {  
    def get(res : Int)(implicit ctx : Context) = {  
        ctx.getString(res)  
    }  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ Contexts

```
trait Contexts { self : Activity =>

    implicit val applicationContext = getApplicationContext

    implicit val activityContext = this

}

class MainActivity extends Activity with Contexts {

    def bar = FooUtils.get(R.string.name)

}

object FooUtils {
    def get(res : Int)(implicit ctx : Context) = {
        ctx.getString(res)
    }
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Implicit Classes*

```
public class TextViewUtils {  
    public void loadFont(TextView textView, String font) {  
        textView.setTypeface(font, ...)  
    }  
}  
  
TextViewUtils.loadFont(textView, "roboto");
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Implicit Classes*

```
object Helpers {  
    implicit class TextViewHelpers(textView: TextView) {  
        def loadFont(font: String) = ???  
    }  
}  
  
import Helpers._  
  
textView.loadFont("Roboto.ttf")
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ Async

```
public class MyTask1 extends AsyncTask<Void, Void, Integer> {  
    protected Integer doInBackground(Void... v) {  
        return r1;  
    }  
  
    protected void onPostExecute(Integer result) {  
        new MyTask2().execute(result);  
    }  
}  
  
public class MyTask2 extends AsyncTask<Integer, Void, Integer> {  
    protected Integer doInBackground(Integer... r1) {  
        return r2;  
    }  
  
    protected void onPostExecute(Integer result) {  
        r1 + r2;  
    }  
}  
  
new MyTask1().execute();
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Async*

```
def myTask1: Future[Int] = Future(1)
```

```
def myTask2: Future[Int] = Future(2)
```

```
def sumResponses: Future[Int] =  
  for {  
    r1 <- myTasks1  
    r2 <- myTasks2  
  } yield (r1 + r2)
```

```
sumResponses map println
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Async*

```
Future.reduce(List(Future(1), Future(2))) { (a, b) =>  
    a + b  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Async*

```
Future.reduce(List(Future(1), Future(2))) (_ + _)
```



# Java Vs Scala ⇒ Models

```
public class Person {  
  
    private String name;  
  
    private String lastName;  
  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
  
    public String getLastName() {  
        return lastName;  
    }  
  
    public void setLastName(String lastName) {  
        this.lastName = lastName;  
    }  
}
```



# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Models*

```
case class Person(  
    name : String,  
    lastName : String)
```



# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Pattern Matching*

```
public boolean onTouchEvent(MotionEvent ev) {  
    ...  
    switch (action) {  
        case MotionEvent.ACTION_DOWN:  
            ...  
            break;  
        case MotionEvent.ACTION_MOVE:  
            ...  
            break;  
        case MotionEvent.ACTION_UP:  
        case MotionEvent.ACTION_CANCEL:  
            ...  
            break;  
    }  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Pattern Matching*

```
def onTouchEvent(ev: MotionEvent) {  
    import MotionEvent._  
    action match {  
        case ACTION_DOWN => ???  
        case ACTION_MOVE => ???  
        case ACTION_UP | ACTION_CANCEL => ???  
    }  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Pattern Matching*

```
person match {
    case Person(_, lastName) if lastName == "Pacheco" =>
        println("Guapetón")
    case Person(name, _) if name == "Raúl" =>
        println("Resultón")
    case _ =>
        println("Programadores Java")
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Singletons*

```
public class MySingleton {  
  
    private MySingleton(){}  
  
    public synchronized static MySingleton getInstance() {  
        if(instance == null) instance = new MySingleton();  
        return instance;  
    }  
  
    public void bar(){  
        ...  
    }  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Singletons*

```
object MySingleton {  
    def bar = ...  
}
```

# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Mixins*

```
class Mammal
```

```
class Platypus extends Mammal
```

```
new Platypus().eggs() <- Compilation Error!!!
```



# Java Vs Scala ⇒ *Mixins*

```
trait Mammal

trait EggsSupport {
    def eggs : Eggs
}

class Platypus extends Mammal with EggsSupport

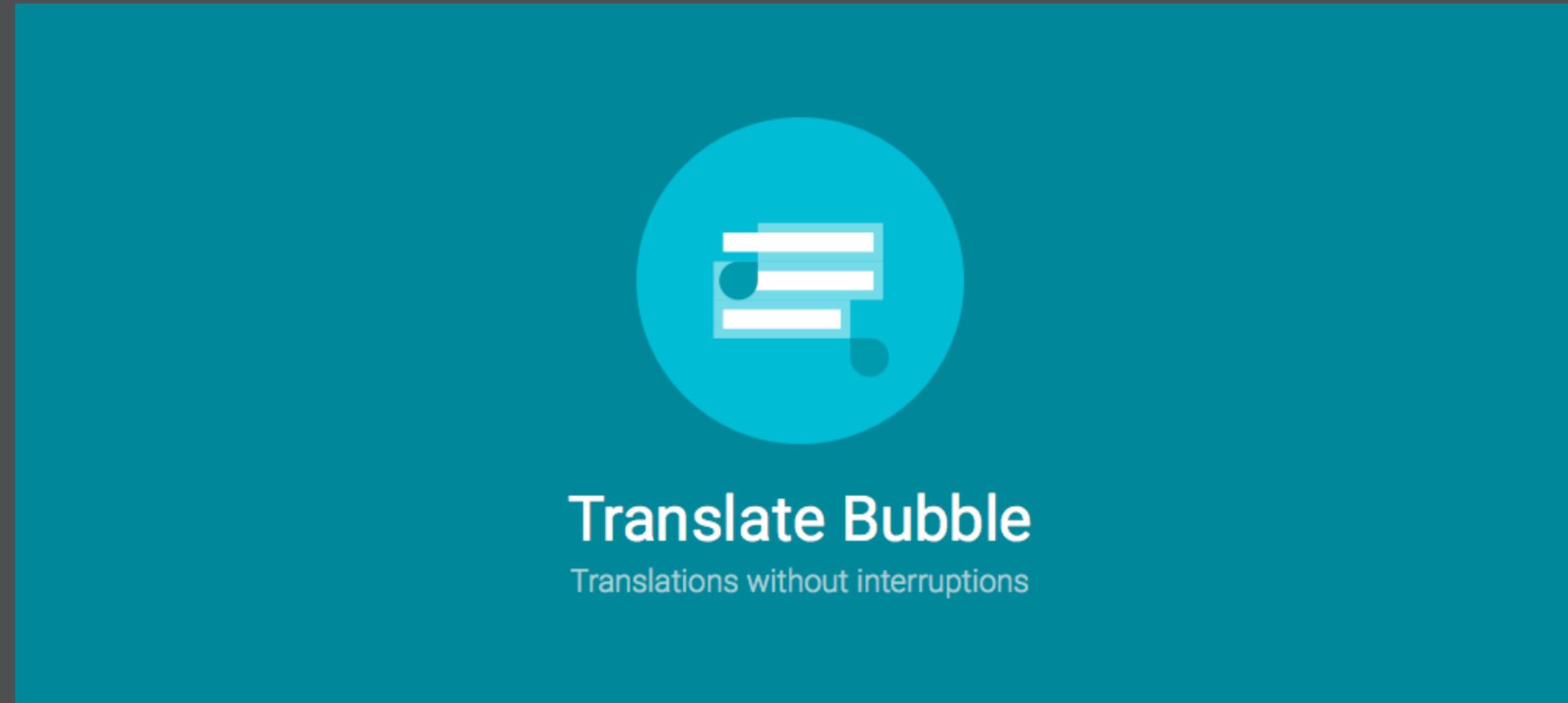
Platypus().eggs <- Success!!!
```



# OS Apps $\Rightarrow$ *Translate Bubble*

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.fortysevendeg.translatebubble>

<https://github.com/47deg/translate-bubble-android>



# OS Apps ⇒ *Scala Days Official App*

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.fortysevendeg.android.scaladays>

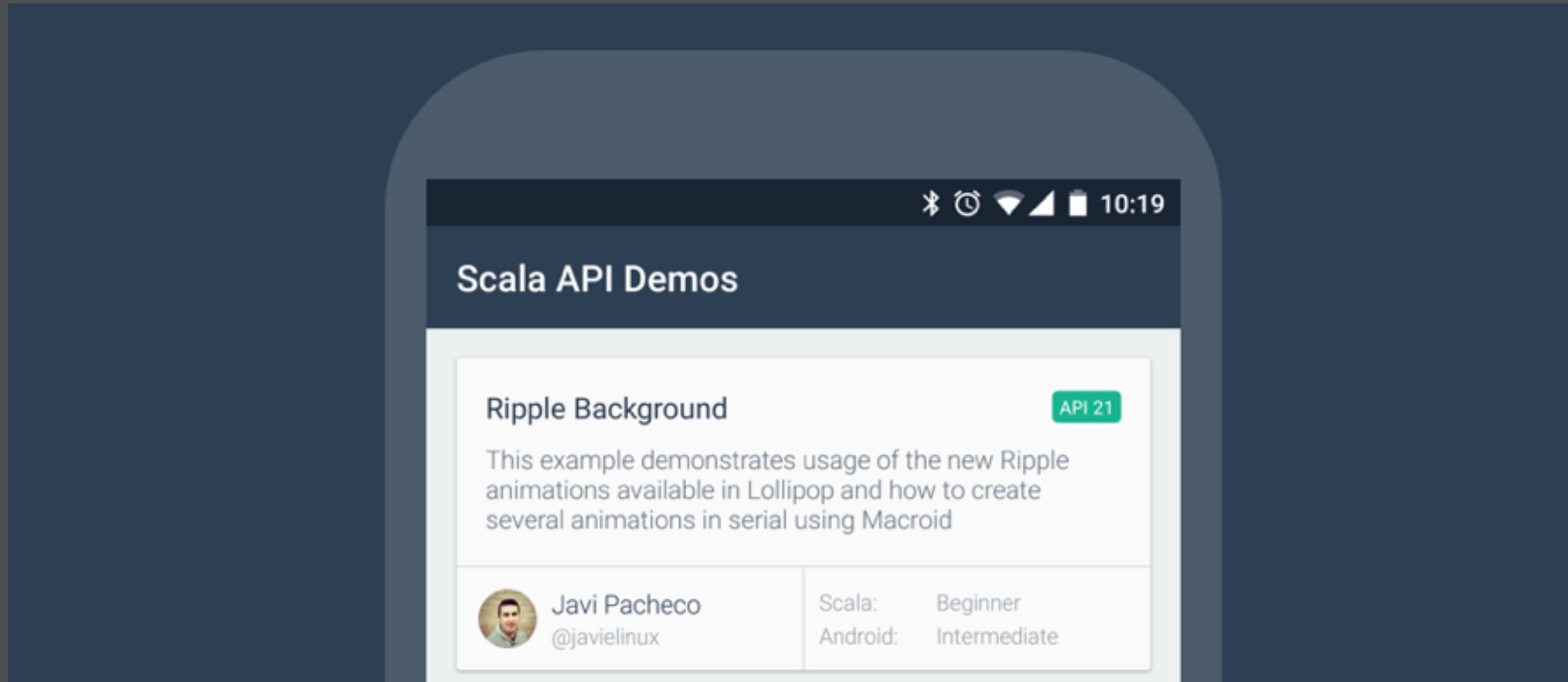
<https://github.com/47deg/scala-days-android>



# OS Apps ⇒ *Scala API Demos*

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.fortysevendeg.scala.android>

<https://github.com/47deg/scala-android>



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