-> Description of thread pool implementation

我用一個structure存使用thread pool需要用到的大部份東西,像是thread pool 中的每個thread,我用一個型態為pthread_t的指標當成陣列頭來存,並用一個 thread_count 紀錄目前有多少thread正在執行任務,用以判斷是否busy的狀況,以及使用一個變數todo_fd紀錄這個即將要被處理的連線,讓thread pool其下各個thread去搶它來做,和使用一個dealfd陣列去記錄現在正在處理的conn_fd,避免兩個thread同時處理到同一個conn_fd的要求。並存取 pthread_cond_t 以及 pthread_mutex_t 讓thread可以等在pthread_cond_t上以及讓thread pool可以上鎖,暫時不受其他thread影響

thread pool 的 structure:

並把原先在server_run的handle_request()放進 thread要執行的 threadpool_thread()函式交由thread去實作

- -> Discuss how to use process instead of thread to handle multiple clients and compare throughput of these two approaches (for example memory consumption and delay time)
- 1.how to use process instead of thread to handle multiple clients:

將整個要處理client要求的程式碼都放進子進程中,包括所有會用到的變數,將子進程當成獨立於父進程外的另一個程式,交由其執行client所送達的要求 。

- 2. compare throughput of these two approaches :
 - (1) memory consumption: process > thread process is a collection of code, memory, data and other resources.

A thread is a sequence of code that is executed within the scope of the process.and the threads of a process share the same memory while the processes aren't.

- (2) delay time: process > thread thread在程式一部分被暫停或是執行操作時間冗長時仍可以繼續執行而process則需要等待cpu的排程
- (3) Threads can directly communicate with other threads of its process; while processes must use interprocess communication to communicate with their sibling processes
- (4) New threads are easily created; new processes require duplication of the parent process
- (5) Threads can exercise considerable control over threads of the same process; processes can only exercise control over child processes.
- (6) Changes to the main thread (cancellation, priority change, etc.) may affect the behavior of the other threads of the process; changes to the parent process do not affect child processes.