

Lecture-3

- Javascript
 - Events
 - OOP concepts of JS



Events - onerror

- Recall our example of error handling

Example:

```
onerror=handleErr // Call handleErr on errors
```

```
function handleErr(msg,url,l)
// msg - error msg, url - current URL, l - line #
{
    //Handle the error here
    return true or false
}
```



Events - onsubmit, onreset

- onsubmit - Event when a submit button is pressed.
 - Recollect our bank form example.
- onreset - event when a reset button is pressed.
 - Typically, used to cancel/reset the values of all fields.



Events - onmouseup, onmousedown, onmouseover, onmouseout

- onmousedown - event when a mouse button is pressed down.
- onmouseup - event when a mouse button is pressed up.
- onmouseover - event when a mouse hovers over (a specific region).
- onmouseout - event when a mouse comes out (of a specific region).



Events - onkeypress, onkeydown, onkeyup

- onkeypress - Event when a key is pressed
- onkeydown - Event when a key is pressed or held down
 - Similar to onkeypress
- onkeyup - Event when a key is released (after being pressed)



Events - onclick, ondblclick, onchange

- onclick - event when a button is clicked
- ondblclick - event when a button is double clicked
 - Try to avoid onclick when ondblclick is defined



Events - onfocus, onblur, onresize

- onfocus - event when an element gets focus
- onblur - event when an element loses focus
 - Opposite of onfocus



Events - onresize, onchange, onabort

- onresize - event when a browser window is resized (changed).
- onchange - event when the value of a field changes
- onabort - event when loading of an image is interrupted.



Timing

- `setTimeout` - similar to "sleep()"
 - **BUT** statement following "setTimeout" is executed without any delay.
 - Example

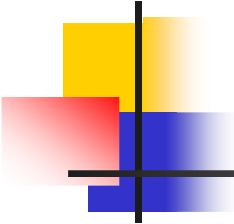
```
t = setTimeout("fn1( )", n);
fn2( );
```

 - `fn1()` is delayed by `n` millisecs.
 - `fn2()` is NOT, it is executed immediately.
- `clearTimeout` - stops the timer
 - Opposite of "setTimeout()."



OOP features

- Main OOP concepts
 - Treat real world entities as “objects”
 - Has data and methods
- Importance features of OOP
 - Data encapsulation
 - Inheritance
 - Polymorphism
- JS supports these OOP features
 - But note: JS is a weakly typed language.
 - Implementation of these features
 - Slightly different from strongly typed languages like C++ and JAVA



Creating JS objects

- Create an instance of an object directly

```
p1=new Object( );           // Create an object directly using new
p1.firstname="John";       // Set data variables
p1.lastname="Doe";
p1.age=50;
p1.eyecolor="blue";
p1.incrementAge = changeAge; // Set method
p1.incrementAge( );        // Call method

function changeAge( )      // Function definition
{
    this.age++;
}
```

Note: There is **NO** class keyword, as in C++, JAVA



Creating JS objects ... cond.

- Create using a template - use function

// Template (class) definition

```
function person (firstname, lastname, age, eyecolor)
{
  this.firstname = firstname;
  this.lastname = lastname;
  this.age = age;
  this.eyecolor = eyecolor;
  this.incrementAge = changeAge; // Define a member function
}
```

// Function definition

```
function changeAge( )
{
  this.age++;
}
```

// Creating a new object of person

```
p1 = new person ("David", "Miller", 50, "brown");
```



Data encapsulation

- C++, JAVA
 - public, private, **protected**
- JS
 - public - accessible to class/external members
 - private - accessible to private/privileged members
 - **Privileged methods**
 - Can access private functions
 - Can access and change private data
 - External methods can access private members of class
 - Something like public access functions of C++, JAVA
 - **NO** protected data/methods



Public members

// Public data member definition

```
function public_Fn_Eg (...)  
{  
  this.publicMember = <value>;  
}
```

// Public function definition

```
public_Fn_Eg.prototype.pubFn = function (<params>)  
{  
  // code  
}
```



Private members

```
function private_Fn_Eg (...)  
{  
    // private data members  
    var privateMember = <value>;  
  
    //private functions  
    function privateFunction_1 (<params>)  
    {  
        // code  
    }  
  
    var privateFunction_2 = function(<params>)  
    {  
        // code  
    }  
}
```



Privileged functions

```
function privileged_fn_Eg
{
  this.privilegedFn = function(...)
  {
    // CAN access private functions
    // CAN access/change private data
  }
}
```




Inheritance

- Define parent and child template functions as before.
- To define the inheritance, use
 - `child.prototype = new parent;`
- Children do NOT have access to parent's private members.



Polymorphism

- Inherently supported in Javascript
- Any object calls member function in the most specific template class.
- Child objects call member functions
 - From the child class if defined in child objects.
 - From the parent class, otherwise.
- Parent objects calls the function from the parent template class.



Static members

- Static member
 - Specific to the class
 - **NOT** object specific