

S.O.L.I.D Design Principles

CSCI 2300

S.O.L.I.D Decoded

- S – Single Responsibility Principle
- O – Open/Closed Principle
- L – Liskov Substitution Principle
- I – Interface Segregation Principle
- D – Dependency Inversion Principle

Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)

- Each class has one responsibility (and one reason to change)



SRP Violated (from Tic Tac Toe)

```
class Board{
    public void reset() {...}
    public boolean setPiece(...) {...}
    public boolean hasWinner(...) {...}
    public boolean hasOpenPosition() {...}
    public void display() {...}
}
```

Board is responsible
for too much

How can we fix it:

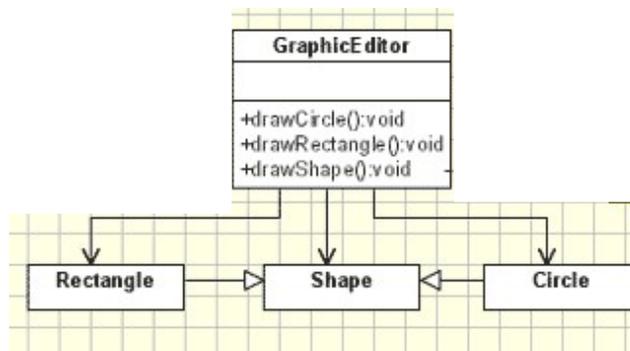
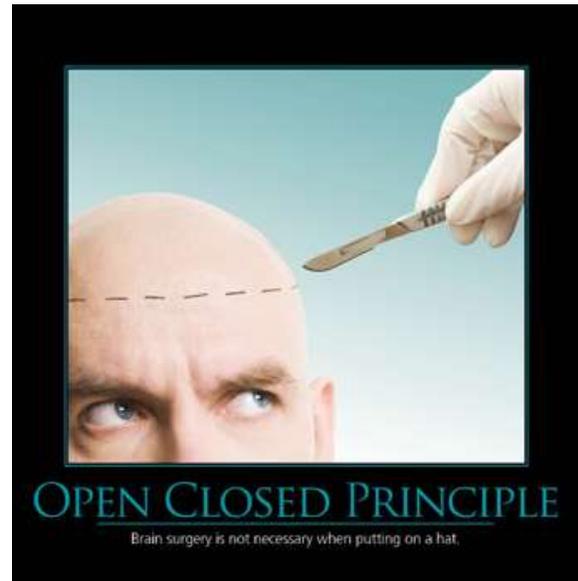
- Separate responsibilities into multiple classes:
 - Board
 - BoardView (or BoardDisplay)
- Use interfaces:
 - IBoard – interface for board
 - IBoardDisplay – interface for displaying a board
- Use composition:
 - Board – the model of the board
 - BoardDisplay has an instance of Board

```
class Person {
    protected String firstName; //get and set methods
    protected String lastName; //get and set methods
    protected Gender gender; //get and set methods
    protected DateTime dateOfBirth;
    public string Format(string formatType) {
        switch(formatType) {
            case "XML":
                return xmlFormattedString; break;
            case "FirstAndLastName":
                return firstAndLastNameString; break;
            default:
                // implementation of default formatting
                return defaultFormattedString;
        }
    }
}
```

- A. This class violates SRP because it encapsulates multiple attributes of a person
- B. This class violates SRP because it does not have a constructor
- C. This class violates SRP because it is responsible for encapsulating "person" attributes and formatting them
- D. This class does not violate SRP

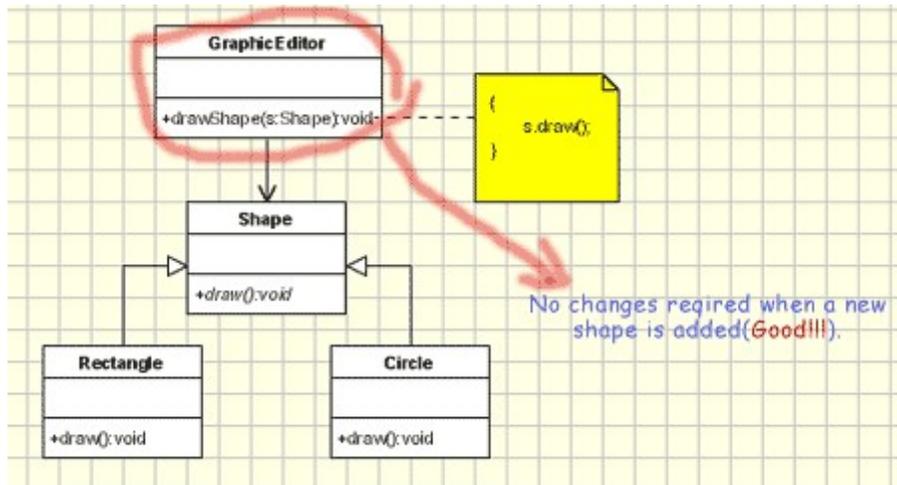
Open/Closed Principle (OCP)

- Classes/methods/modules should be open for extension but closed for modification
- Create classes/methods/modules that whose behavior can change without recompiling the code
- If we can extend software to satisfy new requirements, without modifying existing code, the design satisfies OCP
- Simple example: pass parameters to methods instead of hard coding values.



- A. This design violates OCP because it has drawShape() method and shape is abstract
- B. This design violates OCP because we'll need to change Graphic Editor if we add another shape.
- C. This design does not violate OCP because if we add another shape, we don't have to change GraphicEditor: we can create a sub-class of GraphicEditor and add the necessary draw function there.
- D. None of the above are true

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Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)

- Subtypes can be substituted for their base types
- Subclass IS-SUBSTITUTABLE-FOR base class



Violation of LSP

- Class "Rectangle"
- Class "Square" extends "Rectangle"
- "Square" enforces that height and width are equal
- Suppose the following code:

```
public double area(Rectangle r)
{
    r.setHeight(10);
    r.setWidth(5);
    return r.getArea();
}
```

```
public double calculate (Bill bill)
{
    if (bill instanceof LargeGroupBill)
    {
        // add up the bill items and add 15% gratuity
    }
    else{
        // add up the bill items
    }
}
```

- A. This code violates LSP because we are checking the sub-type of Bill to determine the logic
- B. This code violates LSP because the calculation should be done in the Bill class
- C. This code violates LSP because LargeGroupBill is not defined
- D. This code does not violate LSP

```

public class Vehicle{
    public void drive(int miles){
        if (miles > 0 && miles < 300){...}
    }
}
public class Scooter extends Vehicle{
    public void drive(int miles){
        if (miles > 0 && miles < 50){
            super.drive(miles);
        }
    }
}

```

- A. This code does not violate LSP.
- B. This code violates LSP because it restricts the behavior of Vehicle.
- C. This code violates LSP because the drive() method of Scooter calls parent's drive() method.

```

class ToyCar extends Vehicle{
    public void drive(int miles) {
        // Show flashy lights, make random sounds
    }
    public void fillUpWithFuel() {
        // silly lights and noises
    }
    public int fuelRemaining { return 0;}
}

```

- A. This code does not violate LSP
- B. This code violates LSP because it completely changes the behavior of drive() and fillUpWithFuel()
- C. This code violates LSP because fuelRemaining() returns 0
- D. B and C.

Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)

- Clients should not be forced to depend on methods they do not use
- Clients should not implement methods if those methods are unused.



ISP Violation

```
public interface IMembership
{
    boolean Login(string username, string password);
    void Logout(string username);
    Guid Register(string username, string
                  password, string email);
    void ForgotPassword(string username);
}
```

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```
public interface ILogin
{
    boolean Login(String username, String password);
    void Logout(String username);
}

public interface IMembership extends ILogin
{
    Guid Register(String username, String password,
                 String email);
    void ForgotPassword(string username);
}
```

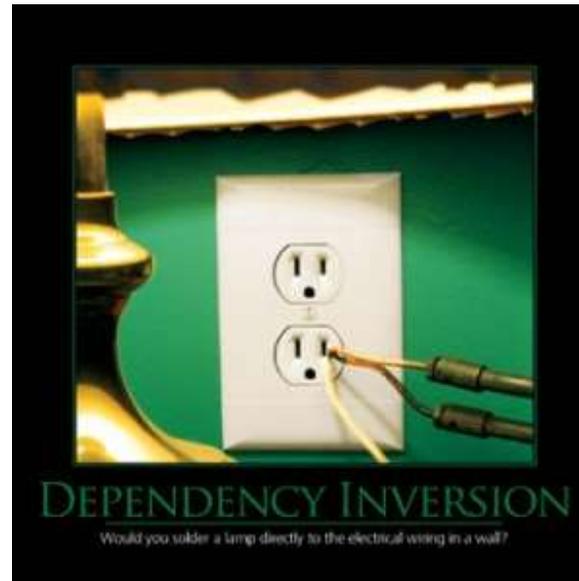
```
public interface Movable{
    public void move();
    public void setSpeed(int speed);
}

public class Picture implements Movable{
    public void move(){// code for moving a
picture across the screen}
    public void setSpeed(int speed){return;}
}
```

- A. This code violates ISP because Picture class has a “dummy” implementation of setSpeed()
- B. This code violates ISP because Movable interface has more than one method
- C. This code violates ISP because we should be able to control the speed at which Picture moves across the screen
- D. This code does not violate ISP

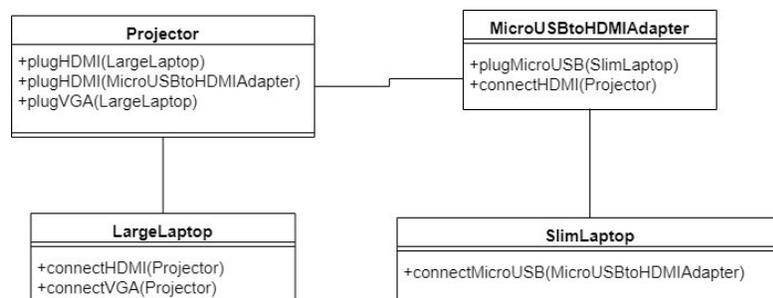
Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

- High level modules should not depend on low level modules
- Both should depend on abstraction
- Abstractions should not depend on details
- Details should depend upon abstraction



Dependency Inversion Principle Example

- There is a tight coupling between classes
- Dependency on low level modules
- If we add another device, we'll need to adjust existing code and add another dependency to Projector



Suppose we have the following objects:

Projector projector

SlimLaptop slimLaptop

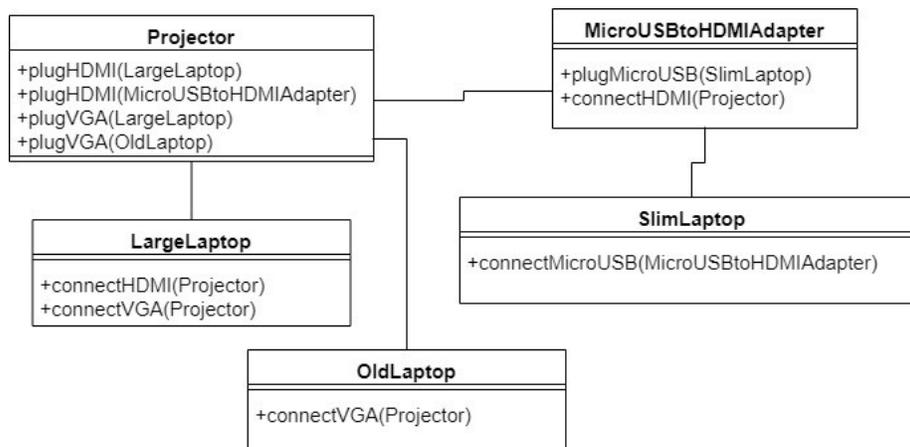
LargeLaptop largeLaptop

MicroUSBtoHDMIAdapter adapter

What operation(s) is/are possible?

- A. projector.plug(slimLaptop)
- B. projector.plug(largeLaptop)
- C. projector.plug(adapter)
- D. B and C
- E. All of the above

Added a new device: Old Laptop



Consider the redesigned interfaces from the handout. What changes are needed to get the following code to work (assuming `projector` and `oldLaptop` have been instantiated).

```
projector.plug(oldLaptop)
```

- A. OldLaptop implements HDMIPort
- B. OldLaptop implements VGAPort
- C. OldLaptop implements HDMIPlug
- D. OldLaptop implements VGAPlug
- E. Projector implements OldLaptop