Object-Oriented Paradigm Overview

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1 Administrivia

Announcements

Assignment

No online essay.

Refined requirements spec. and primary class list due in one week.

From Last Time

Project discussion.

Outline

1. Discussion.

Coming Up

Object-oriented design exercises (within project teams).

2 Discussion

- 1. What are the seven guidelines for creating an informal scenario?
- 2. How are objects and relationships characterized? Give an example of an intangible object.
- 3. Name and describe the three basic types of relationships that can exist between objects.
- 4. How could a systems analyst use prototyping to elicit system requirements from a domain expert? From an end user?
- 5. How could a programmer use prototyping to understand a new technology before employing it in an important project?
- 6. Why is an iterative/incremental development approach associated with the objectoriented paradigm?
- 7. What characteristics do well-structured modular systems share?
- 8. How are software models used in the process of software development?
- 9. Why is a unified software modeling notation important?