

# The Dark Arts of C#

Delegates, Coroutines and other magic

(in a short space of time)

feat.

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Spiderman

Francois-Marie Arouet

Anonymous

Chuck Norris

Dog

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Puppies!



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## The Anonymous Function



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Action action = () => Debug.Log("lol");  
    PerformActionTwice(action);  
}
```

```
void PerformActionTwice(System.Action action) {  
    if (action != null) {  
        action();  
        action();  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
lol  
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## The Anonymous Function



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Action action = () => Debug.Log("lol");  
    PerformActionIn5Seconds(action);  
}  
  
void PerformActionIn5Seconds(System.Action action) {  
    HaltForSeconds(5);  
    if (action != null) {  
        action();  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
<5 seconds>  
lol

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```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Action action = () => {  
        Debug.Log("lol");  
        Debug.Log("omfglol");  
    };  
    PerformActionIn5Seconds(action);  
}  
  
void PerformActionIn5Seconds(System.Action action) {  
    HaltForSeconds(5);  
    if (action != null) {  
        action();  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
<5 seconds>  
lol  
omfglol



# System.Action

## The Anonymous Function



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    StartCoroutine(DoIn5Seconds(() => {  
        PerformCommand("FIRE ALL THE MISSILES!");  
    }));  
}
```

```
IEnumerator DoIn5Seconds(System.Action toPerform) {  
    yield return new WaitForSeconds(5);  
    if (toPerform != null)  
        toPerform();  
}
```

### Order of events:

- 1: nothing for 5 seconds
- 2: MISSILES!

# System.Action

## The Anonymous Function



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    StartCoroutine(DoIn5Seconds(FireMissiles));  
}  
void FireMissiles() {  
    PerformCommand("FIRE ALL THE MISSILES!");  
}  
IEnumerator WaitForUserInput(System.Action toPerform) {  
    yield return new WaitForSeconds(5);  
    if (toPerform != null)  
        toPerform();  
}
```

### Order of events:

- 1: nothing for 5 seconds
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# System.Action<T>

## The Anonymous Function with arguments!



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Action<int> action =  
        (i) => Debug.Log("lol " + (i*2));  
    PerformActionTwice(action);  
}
```

```
void PerformActionTwice(System.Action<int> action) {  
    if (action != null) {  
        action(0);  
        action(1);  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
lol 0  
lol 2

# System.Action<T>

## The Anonymous Function with arguments!



```
void SomeFunction () {  
    StartCoroutine (Wait5SecondsForGo ((timedOut) => {  
        if (!timedOut)  
            PerformCommand ("FIRE ALL THE MISSILES!");  
        else  
            Debug.Log ("Y U NO FIRE MISSILES?!");  
    }));  
}
```

```
IEnumerator Wait5SecondsForGo (System.Action<bool> onPress) {  
    float start = Time.now;  
    while (Time.now < start + 5) {  
        if (InputManager.UserPressedButton ()) {  
            onPress (true);  
            yield break;  
        }  
    }  
    onPress (false);  
}
```

### Order of events one:

- 1: nothing for 5 seconds
- 2: Y U NO FIRE MISSILES

### Order of events two:

- 1: user presses button
- 2: MISSILES!

# System.Func<T>

## The Anonymous Function

that gives!



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Func<int> action = () => 5;  
    PrintThisTwice(action);  
}
```

```
void PrintThisTwice(System.Func<int> action) {  
    if (action != null) {  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action());  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action());  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
lol 5  
lol 5

# System.Func<Tin,Tout> The Anonymous Function that gives back!



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Func<float, int> action = (f) => (int)f;  
    PrintThisTwice(action);  
}
```

```
void PrintThisTwice(System.Func<int> action) {  
    if (action != null) {  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action(0.5));  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action(1.5));  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**  
lol 0  
lol 1

# System.Func<Tin,Tout> The Anonymous Function that gives back!



```
void SomeFunction() {  
    System.Func<float, int> action = (f) => {  
        float i = f*3;  
        return (int)i;  
    };  
    PrintThisTwice(action);  
}  
  
void PrintThisTwice(System.Func<int> action)  
{  
    if (action != null) {  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action(0.5));  
        Debug.Log("lol "+action(1.5));  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**

```
lol 1  
lol 4
```

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Think of them as types of functions that YOU can define ...

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public delegate void Action<in T> ( T obj );
```

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void SomeFunction() {
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    Action<int> action = (i) => Debug.Log("lol"+i);
```

```
}
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```
public delegate int Comparison<in T>( T a, T b );
```

```
void SomeFunction() {
```

```
    StringAction action = (i) => Debug.Log(i.ToUpper());
```

```
    Func<int, string> func = (i) => ""+i;
```

```
    Comparison<int> comp = (a,b) => b < a;
```

```
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```
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```

```
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```

```
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```

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```
public delegate bool StringEquality(string s1, string s2);
```

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```

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```

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```

```
    StringEquality caseIgnore =
```

```
        (a,b) => a.ToUpper() == b.ToUpper();
```

```
}
```



!=



# System.Action

(more like System.AWESOME... amirite?)

We've all seen `List<T>` ...

```
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d'aaww look at his li'l face! XD

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Heard of `List<T>.Sort(Comparison<T>)` ?

```
posList.Sort((a,b) => {  
    int intYcompare = (int)a.y - (int)b.y;  
    if (intYcompare != 0)  
        return intYcompare;  
    else  
        return (int)a.x - (int)b.x;  
});
```



# Many other useful functions

```
public delegate bool Predicate<in T>( T obj );
```

```
bool List<T>.TrueForAll ( Predicate<T> )
```

```
void List<T>.Sort ( Comparison<T> )
```

```
void List<T>.ForEach ( Action<T> )
```

```
int List<T>.FindIndex ( Predicate<T> )
```

```
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```
int List<T>.RemoveAll ( Predicate<T> )
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more file - control the contents of the file
```



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# Events

```
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    public string currentState = "Start";  
  
    void UpdateState (string newState) {  
        currentState = newState;  
    }  
}  
  
public class SomeOtherClass {  
  
    void GameStateChanged (string oldState, string newState) {  
        if (newState == "Abject Failure")  
            Debug.LogError ("Minor problem encountered");  
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}
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## Solution:

Standard Listener pattern!

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    }  
    public void CheckOnListenersGrandmother (GameStateListener gsm) { ...  
    }  
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public class GameController : Singleton {  
    public delegate void StateChangeDelegate ( string oldS, string newS );  
    public event StateChangeDelegate OnStateChange ;  
    public string currentState = "Start";  
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    }  
}
```

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}

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    void Start() {
        GameController.instance.OnStateChange += GameStateChanged;
    }
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}
```

# Other fun things

## ?? and ?: operators

```
MyClass defaultClass = new MyClass();  
MyClass userSelected = GetUserClass();
```

```
if (userSelected == null) {  
    SetClass(defaultClass);  
}  
else {  
    SetClass(userSelected);  
}
```

# Other fun things

## ?? and ?: operators

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```

```
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```

```
SetClass(userSelected == null ? userSelected : defaultClass);
```

# Other fun things

## ?? and ?: operators

```
MyClass defaultClass = new MyClass();  
MyClass userSelected = GetUserClass();  
  
SetClass(userSelected ?? defaultClass);
```

?? returns the first value if it is not null,  
otherwise it returns the second value

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## ?? and ?: operators

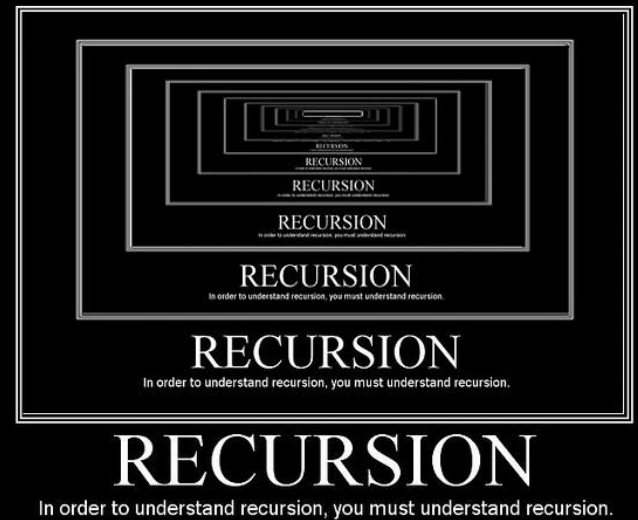
```
SetClass (GetUserClass () ?? new MyClass ());
```



# Other fun things

## Extension Functions

```
public class SomeClass {
    GameObject someGO = /* ... */;
    void SomeFunction () {
        SetLayerRecursively(16, someGO);
    }
    void SetLayerRecursively(int newLayer, GameObject go) {
        go.layer = newLayer;
        foreach (Transform t in go.transform)
            SetLayerRecursively(newLayer, t.gameObject);
    }
}
```



# Other fun things

## Extension Functions

```
public class SomeClass {
    GameObject someGO = /* ... */;
    void SomeFunction () {
        UsefulFunctions.SetLayerRecursively(16, someGO);
    }
}

public static class UsefulFunctions {
    public static void SetLayerRecursively(
        int newLayer, GameObject go) {
        go.layer = newLayer;
        foreach (Transform t in go.transform)
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What we really want is this:

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    }  
}
```

```
public static class UsefulExtensions {  
    public static void SetLayerRecursively(  
        this GameObject go, int newLayer) {  
        go.layer = newLayer;  
        foreach (Transform t in go.transform)  
            t.gameObject.SetLayerRecursively(newLayer);  
    }  
}
```

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That's right! We've created a function for GameObject and we don't even have access to the original class!

# Coroutines in Unity

```
void Update () {  
    StartCoroutine(MyCouroutine())  
}
```

```
IEnumerator MyCoroutine() {  
    Debug.Log("This Frame");  
    yield return null;  
    Debug.Log("Next Frame!");  
  
}
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Is this Unity black magic to allow for functions to run over multiple frames?

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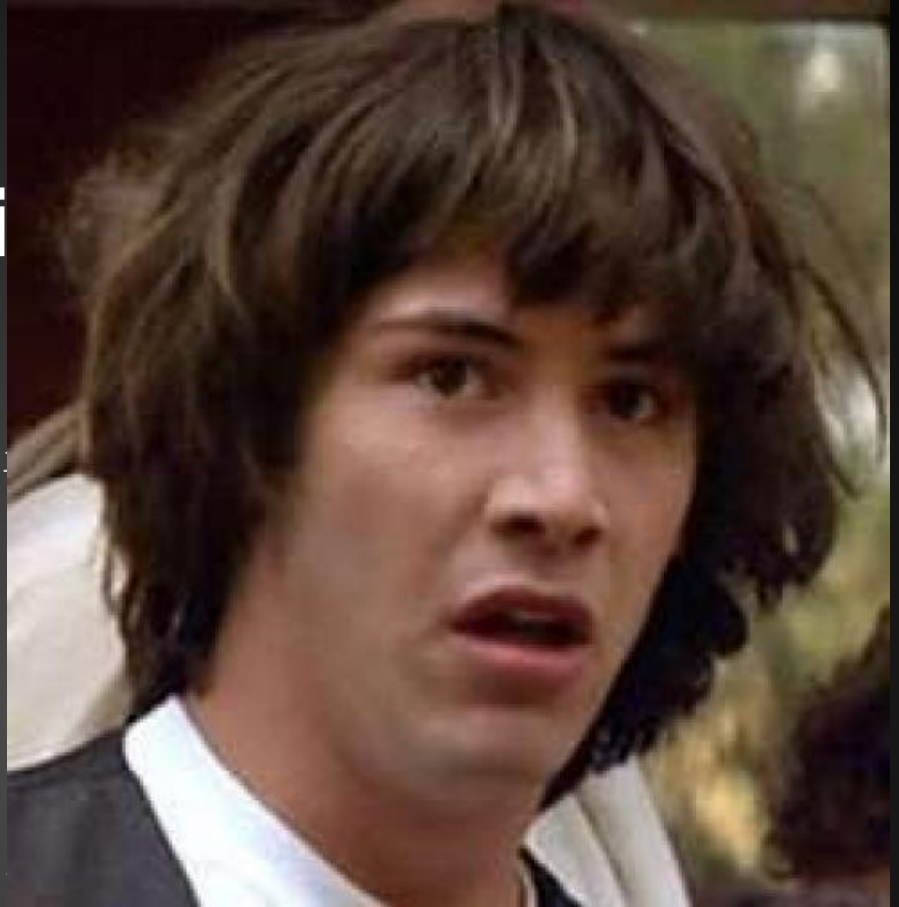
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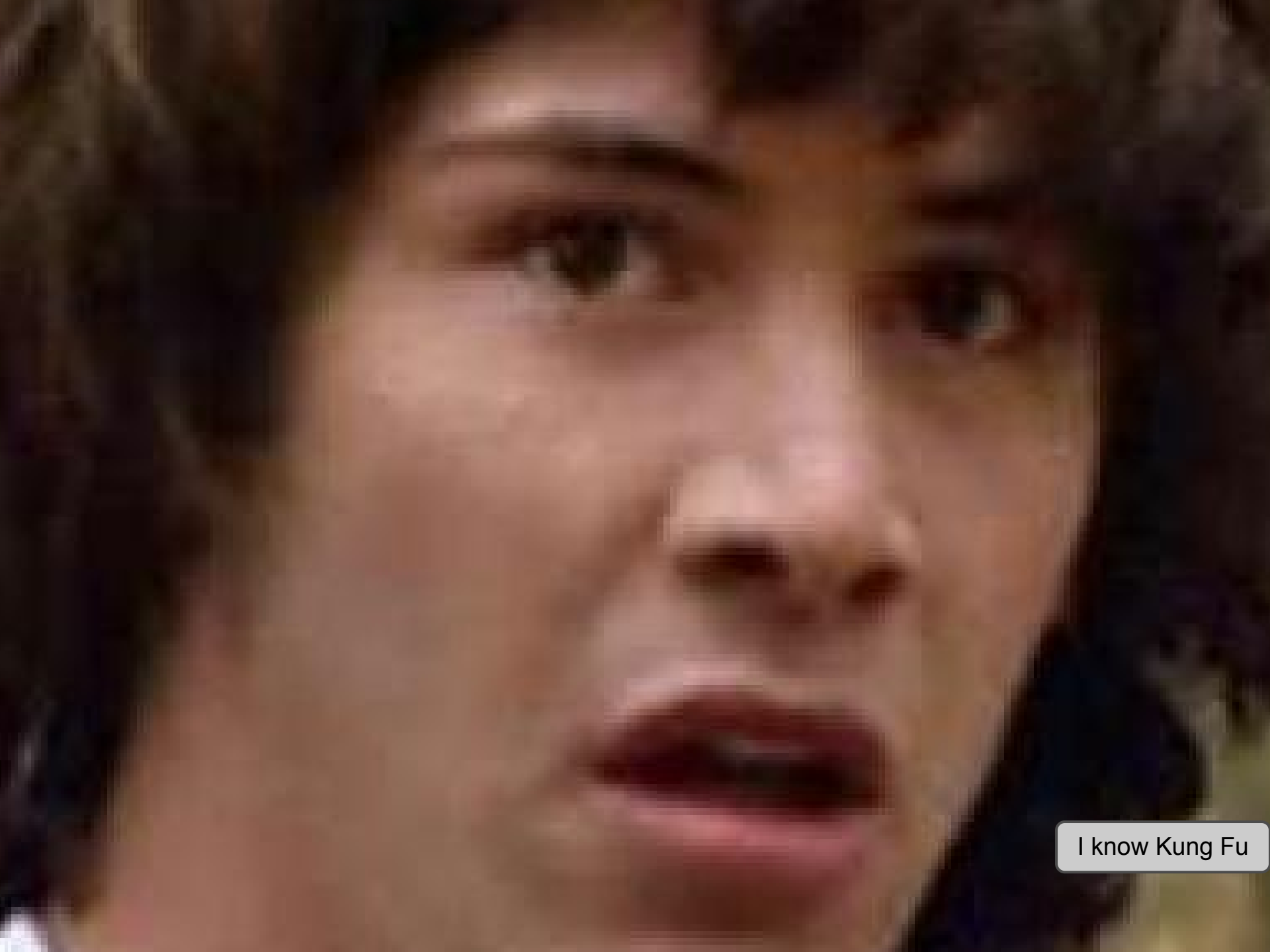
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I mean, it's just pausing a  
function mid-execution.  
... dafuq?



I know Kung Fu

# IEnumerable ... it's a C# thing

```
void SomeFunction() {  
    foreach ( Object o in MyEnumerable() ) {  
        Debug.Log (o);  
    }  
}
```

```
IEnumerable MyEnumerable() {  
    yield return null;  
    yield return "hello";  
    yield return new MyObject();  
}
```

## Program Output:

```
null  
hello  
MyObject
```

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Can put any calculations  
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this foreach loop...

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```
void SomeFunction() {  
    IEnumerator enumer = MyEnumerable().GetEnumerator();  
    while (enumer.MoveNext())  
        Debug.Log (enumer.Current);  
}
```

```
IEnumerable MyEnumerable() {  
    yield return null;  
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```



# IEnumerable ... it's a malleable C# thing

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        Debug.Log ("-----");  
    }  
}  
  
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-----  
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-----
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# IEnumerable

## Bake your own Coroutine!

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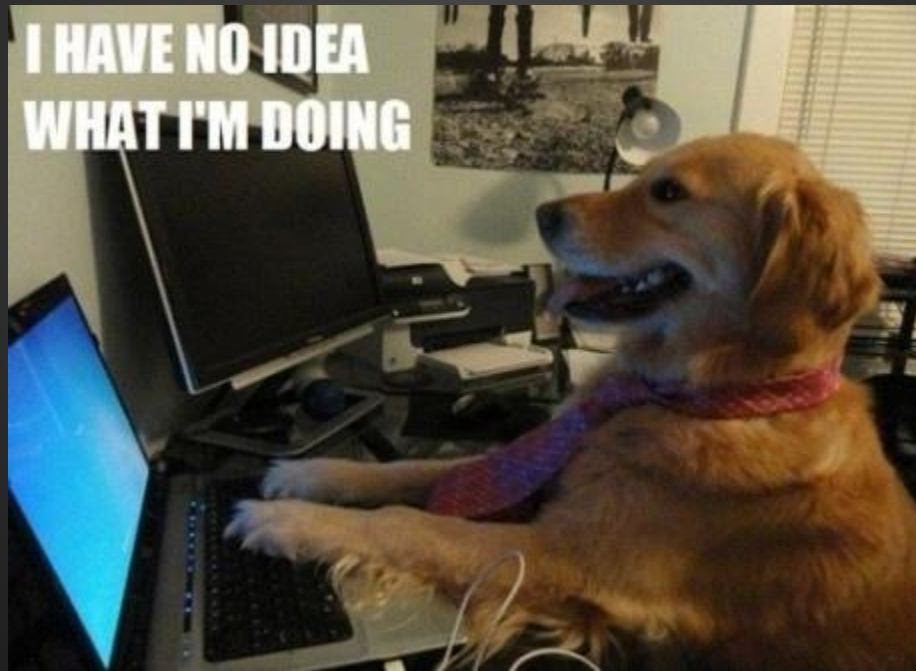
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## WARNING:



# How Unity would do this...

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This is a *\*very\** simplified model! Remember Unity does Awake, Update, FixedUpdate, LateUpdate and many many other things in its gameloop

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From here we can add functionality for  
WaitForSeconds, WaitForFixedUpdate  
and other fun things



**With great power...**

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**With great power**

**comes a huge electricity bill.**

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**With great power...**

**... comes great responsibility**

**- Francois-Marie Arouet aka Voltaire**



# With great power...

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- ~~Francois-Marie Arouet aka Voltaire~~

- Emo Spiderman

(apparently)



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```
int i = 0;
System.Action action =
    () => {
        Debug.Log(i);
    };

i = 5;
action(); // prints 5
```

```
int i = 0;
int iCopy = i;
System.Action action =
    () => {
        Debug.Log(iCopy);
    };

i = 5;
action(); // prints 0
```

if you don't want to get messed around by this, read about **"closures"**!

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  - make bug tracking slightly trickier

But don't forget that  
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```
public static ExtentionsThatAreUsed6TimesInLike2Places {  
    public static void RemoveOddItems<T>(this List<T> list) { /*...*/  
}  
  
    public static int FindLetterG(this string s) { /*...*/ }  
    public static string GetName(this GameObject go) {  
        return go.name;  
    }  
}
```

soz this last one is just stupid...

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But check them out, try them out,  
they are really powerful in the right places!

# puppies

