

Presentation 21

# **Dynamic Typing**

# Announcements for This Lecture

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## Assignments

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- A4 is now graded
  - **Avg:** 89.8 **Median:** 92
  - **Std Dev:** 9.4
  - **Avg:** 9.1 hrs **Median:** 8 hrs
  - **Std Dev:** 5.1 hrs
- A5 graded by **Saturday**
- A6 is due on Sunday
  - Not guaranteed before exam

## Prelim 2

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- **Nov 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**
  - Working on seat/proctors
  - Will go up **Sunday**, likely
- **Material up to TODAY**
  - Recursion + Loops + Classes
  - Study guide is posted
  - Review Monday next week
- **Emergency conflicts only!**

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  - **Lesson 26:** While Loops
  - **Lesson 27:** GUI Applications
  - **All** should be watched before returning

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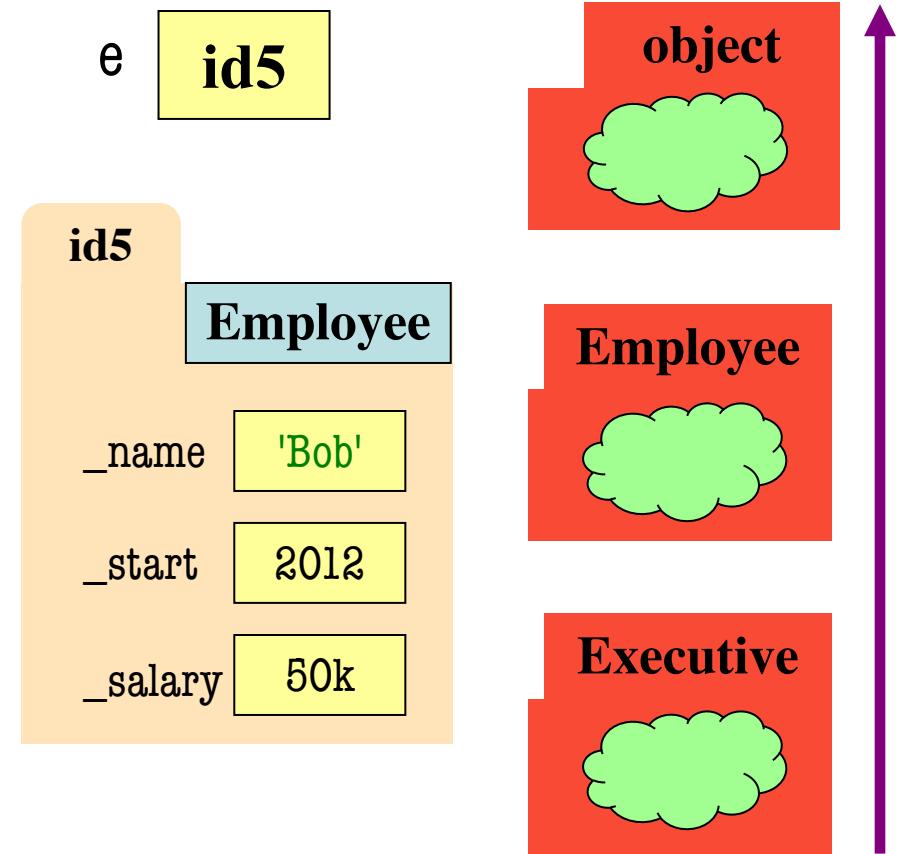
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Preparing for Assignment 7  
coming November 30th

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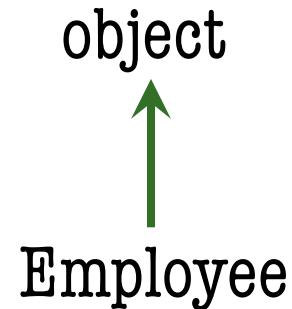
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→ means “extends”  
or “is an instance of”

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Python uses `isinstance`  
to match Error types

# The Angle Class Revisited

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```
class Angle(object):
```

```
    """A class representing an angle in DMS format
```

The class does not allow a finer grained measurement than seconds  
(e.g. microseconds). All of the values must be integral."""

```
# Attribute _degrees: The angle in degrees
```

```
# Invariant: _degrees is (any) int
```

```
# Attribute _minutes: Part of single degree
```

```
# Invariant: _minutes is an int 0..59
```

```
# Attribute _seconds: Part of single minute
```

```
# Invariant: _seconds is an int 0..59
```

# Enforcing Preconditions

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```
class Angle(object):
    ...
    def setMinutes(self,value):
        """Sets the number of minutes

        Paramater value: The number of minutes
        Precondition: value is an int 0..59"""

    1    assert type(value) == int
    2    assert value >= 0 and value < 60
    self._minutes = value
```

# Enforcing Preconditions

```
class Angle(object):  
    ...  
    def setMinutes(self,value):  
        """Gets the number of minutes  
        Parameters:  
            value: an int between 0 and 60  
        Precondition: value is an int 0..59  
        assert type(value) == int  
        assert value >= 0 and value < 60  
        self._minutes = value
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```

```
...
```

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```

```
    """Gets the number of minutes  
    Parameters: value of n
```

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```

```
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- B: ValueError
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- D: ArithmeticError
- E: I don't know

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What *should* (2) raise?

A: AssertionError

B: ValueError

C: TypeError

D: ArithmeticError

E: I don't know

# Enforcing Preconditions

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```
class Angle(object):
    ...
    def __add__(self,value):
        """Returns an angle that the sum of this angle and value

        Parameter value: The angle to add
        Precondition: value is an Angle"""
        assert type(value) == Angle
        d = self.getDegrees() + value.getDegrees()
        m = self.getMinutes() + value.getMinutes()
        ...
    ...
```

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        d = self.getDegrees() + value.getDegrees()
        m = self.getMinutes() + value.getMinutes()
        ...
        return Angle(d,m)
```

This has issues

Precondition: value is an Angle

What to use instead?

- A: isintance(...)
- B: Duck Typing
- C: Does not matter
- D: I don't know

# Questions?