
4. XSLT

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XSLT

- people.xml + people.xsl = xsl-result.html
- XSLT is composed of templates.

```
<xsl:stylesheet version="1.0"  
xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.  
org/1999/XSL/Transform">
```

```
<xsl:template match="/">
```

Running the Transformation

- Try transformation from Netbeans and from Java
 - HELLO WORLD
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Basic Transformations

- `/` vs `/people`
 - Evaluation of the algorithm
 - apply-templates will again apply the whole template file to each child
 - `text()` matching
 - The implicit templates
 - We can override them!
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Implicit Templates

```
<xsl:template match="*/">  
  <xsl:apply-templates/>  
</xsl:template>
```

```
<xsl:template match="text()|@"*>  
  <xsl:value-of select="."/>  
</xsl:template>
```

Template Priority

```
<xsl:template match="person[@name='Filip']"  
  priority="2"> <!-- highest priority -->  
  ....  
</xsl:template>
```

```
<xsl:template match="person"  
  priority="1">  
  ....  
</xsl:template>
```

Processing Modes

```
<xsl:template match="person[@name='Filip']"  
  mode="nameBlue">
```

....

```
</xsl:template>
```

```
<xsl:apply-templates mode="nameBlue"/>
```

Modes, foreach and IFs

- `<xsl:choose>`
 - `<xsl:if>`
 - `<xsl:for-each>`
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Functional calling

- create a table "id, name"
 - Steven Segal in red color

Other important concepts

- `xsl:sort`
 - `xsl:element`
 - `xsl:call-template` (with parameters)
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xsl:element, xsl:attribute

```
<xsl:element name="{@element}">
```

```
<xsl:attribute name="id">ID1</xsl:attribute>
```

- Output the names in "id" elements:

```
<el1>
```

```
  Filip Nguyen
```

```
</el1>
```
