



Introduction to Apple's iOS Mobile Development

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Class summary

Learn how quick and easy it is to start programming on iOS for Apple® iPhone®, iPad®, and iPod®. I will create from scratch a simple iOS application with traditional UI elements like buttons, tabs, and lists. I will then deploy this app on an iPad and show it running. Finally, I will show how you can debug and test an iOS application. In the process of these demonstrations, you will learn where you need to go and what you need to do to start programming in iOS. I will also show you how you can use GLKit to draw 3d graphics and how to access REST web services from your iOS device. This presentation will mainly consist of hands-on demonstrations.

Key learning objectives

At the end of this class, you will be able to:

- Explain where to start to develop applications for iOS devices
- Create simple apps with a simple UI for iOS
- Show how to access REST web services from iOS
- See how to use GLKit and OpenGL ES

Develop applications for iOS devices





- Getting started

<http://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#referencelibrary/GettingStarted/RoadMapiOS/chapters/Introduction.html>

- Objective-C

<https://developer.apple.com/library/mac/#documentation/Cocoa/Conceptual/ObjectiveC/Introduction/introObjectiveC.html>

Swift – new programming language

- Objective-C
 - has been around for decades
 - bit out of date
 - reliable
- Swift
 - new (release end of October)
 - mainstream feel (Java, C++, C#, etc)
 - has issues to iron out

Swift – new programming language

- Objective-C

```
NSData * data = [self.fileId  
    dataUsingEncoding:NSUTF8StringEncoding];
```

- Swift

```
var data =  
    fileId.dataUsingEncoding:NSUTF8StringEncoding)
```

```
17 var myString = "Hello";  
18 myString = 0; ❗ Type 'String' does not conform to protocol 'IntegerLiteralConvertible'
```

Swift – new programming language

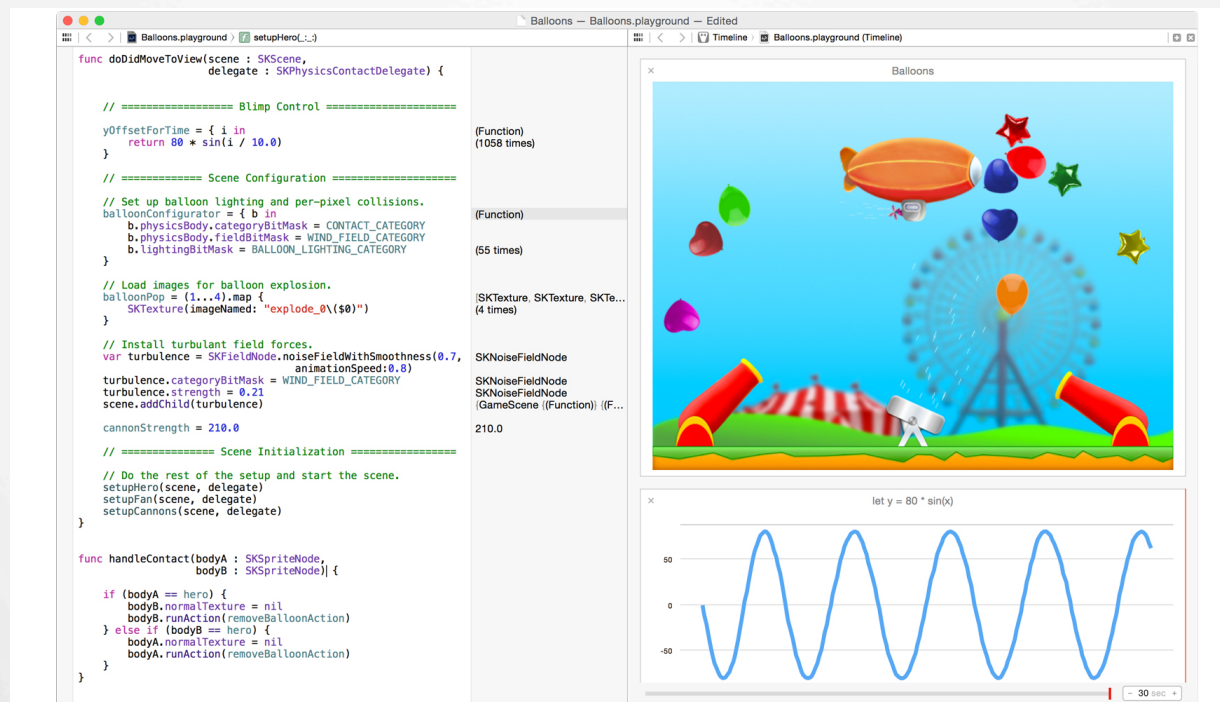
Objective-C project = Swift project

- UI design
- underlying libraries
- mix and match:

<https://developer.apple.com/library/ios/documentation/swift/conceptual/buildingcocoaapps/MixandMatch.html>

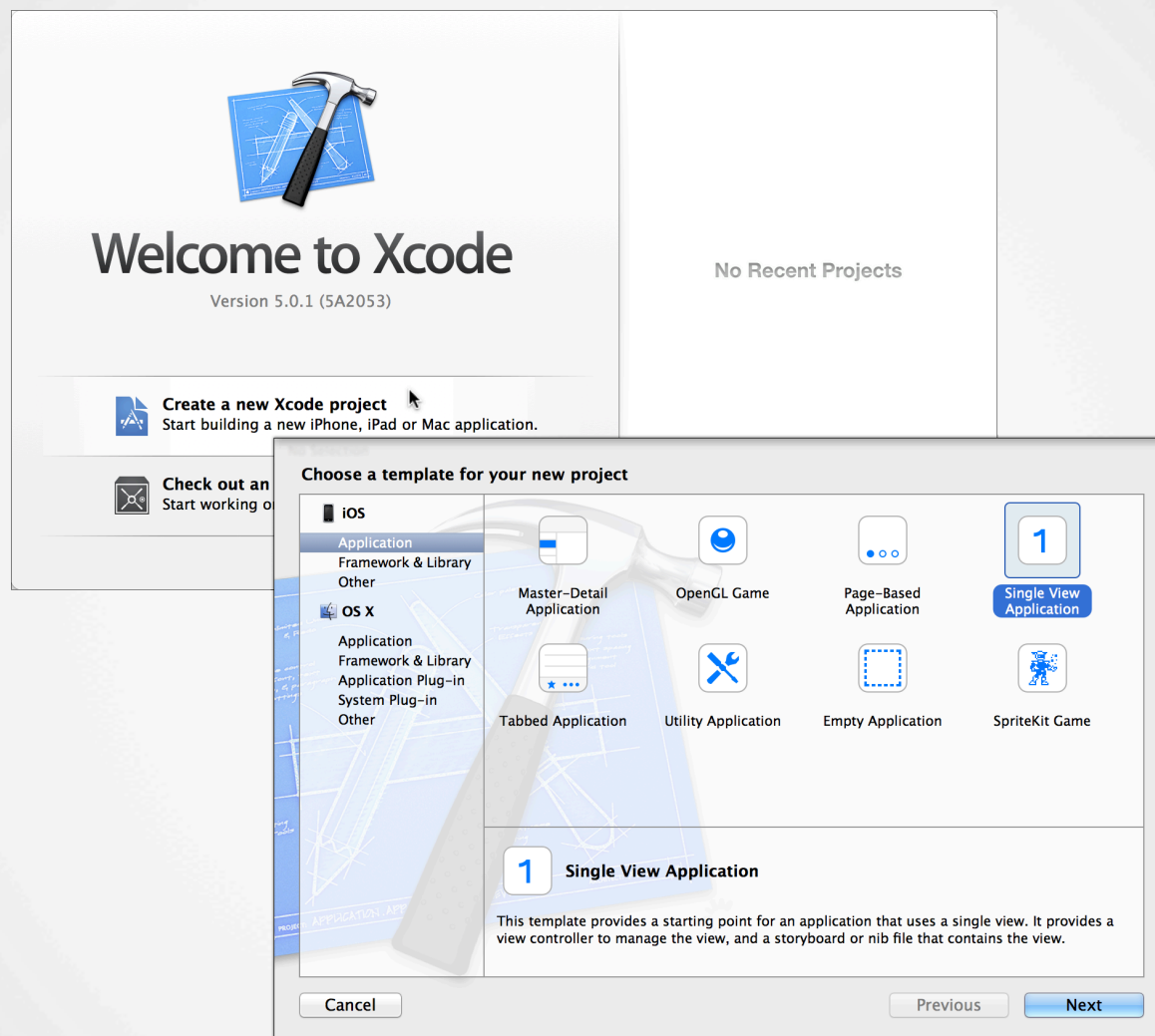
Playgrounds

<https://developer.apple.com/swift/resources/>



Simple apps with a simple UI for iOS



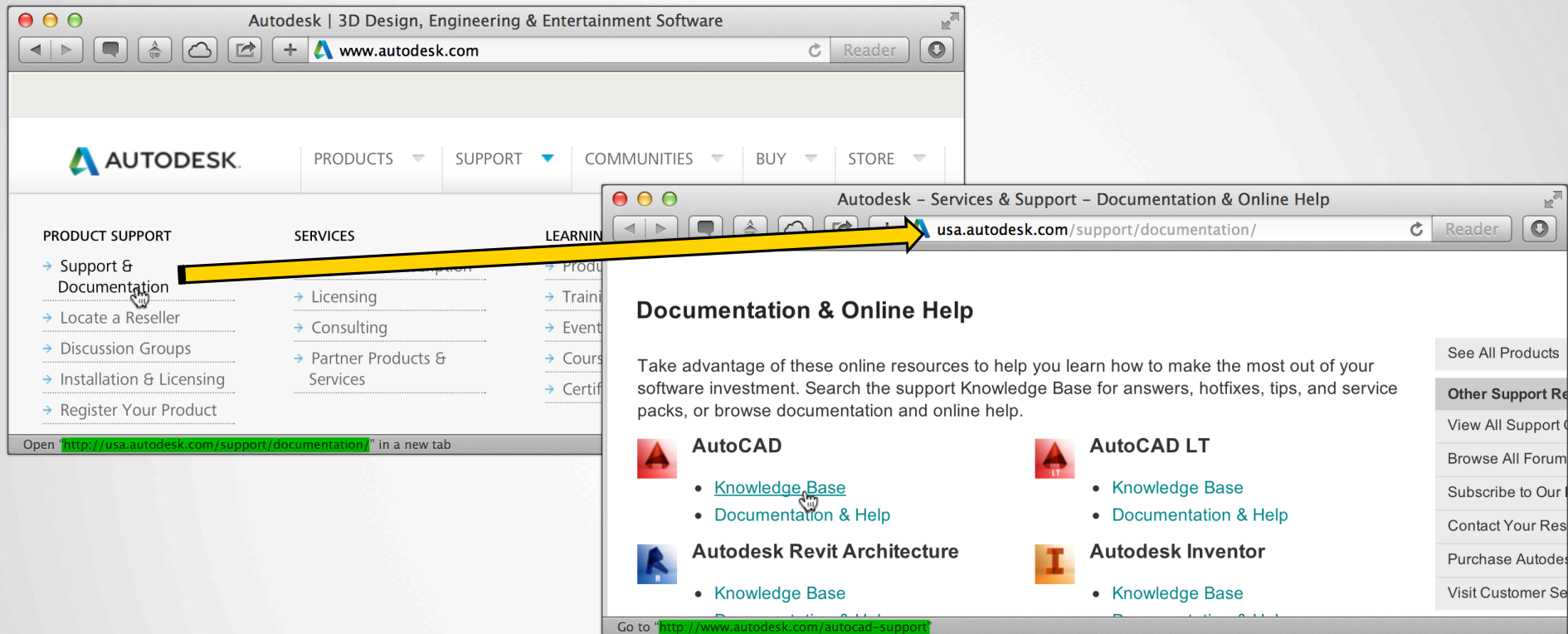


REST web services from iOS



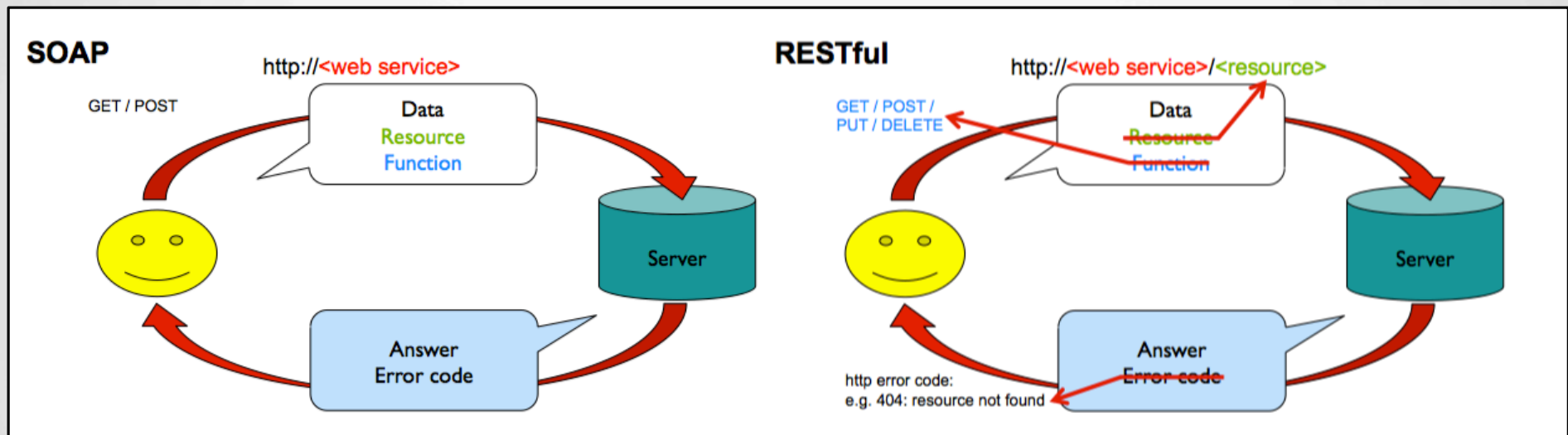
HTTP Requests

- World Wide Web (WWW)
 - Web of resources
 - Resources reference each other
 - Resources can be of many types
(e.g., documents, images, services, html pages)
- URI identifies resources (Uniform Resource Identifier)
- HTTP used to access resources (HyperText Transfer Protocol)
 - 9 methods (a.k.a. verbs):
GET, HEAD, OPTIONS, POST, PUT, DELETE, TRACE, CONNECT, PATCH



HTTP verbs

- **GET**, HEAD, OPTIONS, POST, PUT, DELETE, etc.



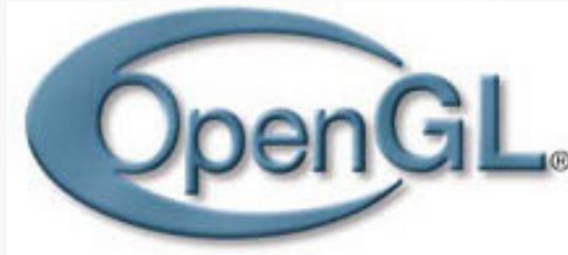


GLKit and OpenGL ES



OpenGL ES

<http://www.opengl.org>



[https://developer.apple.com/devcenter/ios/resources/
opengl-es/](https://developer.apple.com/devcenter/ios/resources/opengl-es/)

```

- (void)viewDidLoad
{
    [super viewDidLoad];

    // Initialize the system
    GLKView * view = (GLKView *)self.view;
    view.context = [[EAGLContext alloc] initWithAPI:kEAGLRenderingAPIOpenGLES2];

    // You can also set this in the storyboard
    view.delegate = self;

    [EAGLContext setCurrentContext:view.context];

    self.effect = [[GLKBaseEffect alloc] init];

    float aspect = fabsf(self.view.bounds.size.width / self.view.bounds.size.height);
    GLKMatrix4 projectionMatrix = GLKMatrix4MakePerspective(GLKMathDegreesToRadians(65.0f), aspect, 0.1f, 10.0f);
    self.effect.transform.projectionMatrix = projectionMatrix;

    self.effect.transform.modelviewMatrix = GLKMatrix4MakeLookAt(
        0, 0, 2, // eye
        0, 0, 0, // center
        0, 1, 0); // up vector

    // Or set "Enable setNeedsDisplay" e.g. in storyboard
    [view display];
}

```



```

- (void)glkView:(GLKView *)view drawInRect:(CGRect)rect
{
    // Set background color
    glClearColor(0.65f, 0.65f, 0.65f, 1.0f);
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT | GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);

    // Render the object with GLKit
    glEnable(GL_DEPTH_TEST);
    glEnable(GL_CULL_FACE);
    glDepthFunc(GL_LEQUAL);

    GLfloat vertices[] = {
        0.0, 0.5, 0.0, -0.5, 0.0, 0.0, 0.5, 0.0, 0.0,
        0.0, -0.5, 0.0, 0.5, 0.0, 0.0, -0.5, 0.0, 0.0};

    self.effect.constantColor = GLKVector4Make(1, 0, 0, 1);

    [self.effect prepareToDraw];

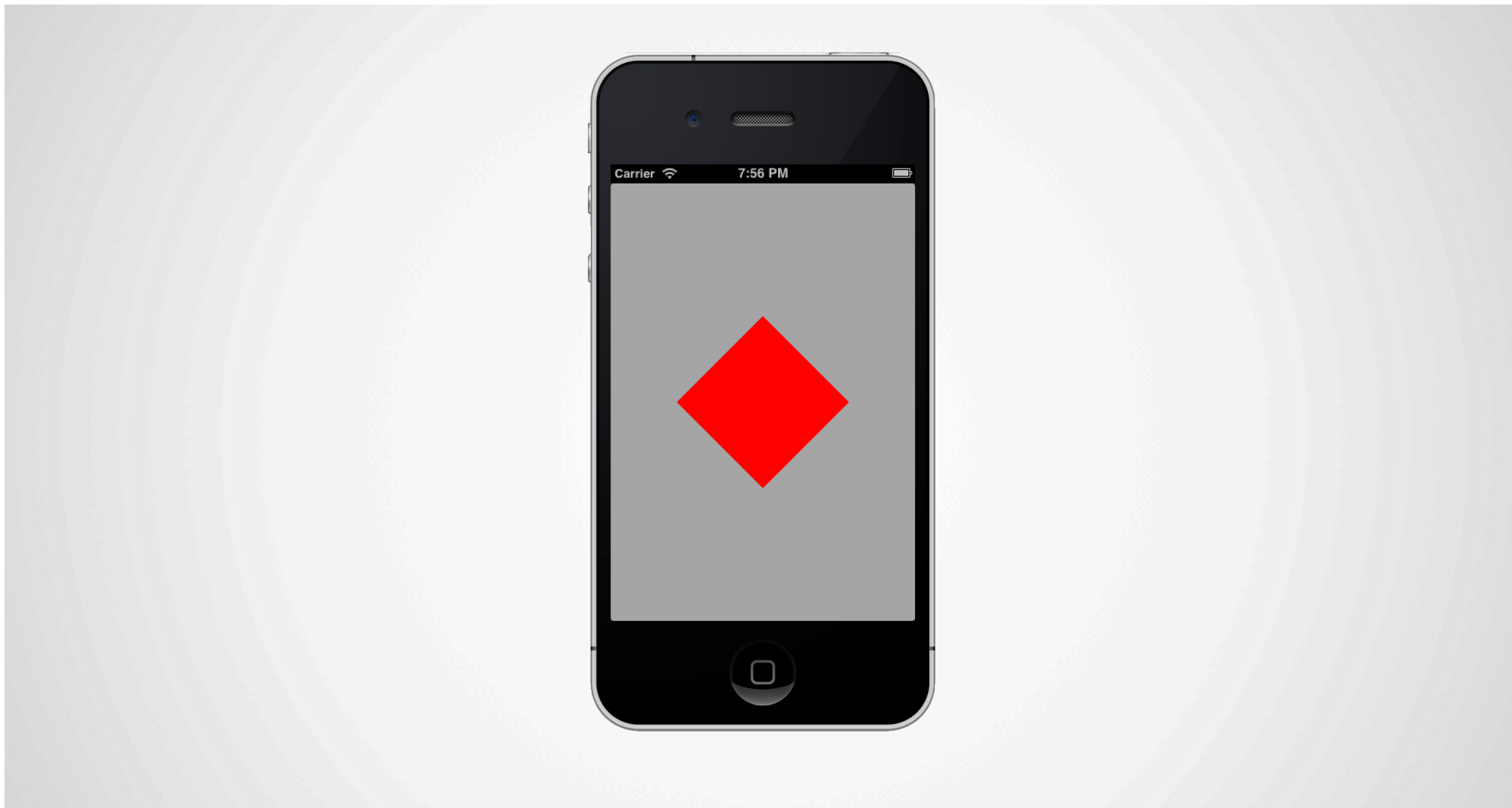
    glVertexAttribPointer(GLKVertexAttribPosition, 3, GL_FLOAT, 0, 0, vertices);

    // Enable its use
    glEnableVertexAttribArray(GLKVertexAttribPosition);

    glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLES, 0, 6);
}

```





Graphics Kits

- GLKit – 3d (iOS 5)
- Sprite Kit – 2d (iOS 7)
- Scene Kit – 3d (iOS 8)
 - <http://www.raywenderlich.com/83748/beginning-scene-kit-tutorial>

Overview:

<http://www.macworld.com/article/2051345/sprite-kit-glkit-and-scene-kit-how-apple-is-shaping-game-development.html>

Samples

- http://adndevblog.typepad.com/cloud_and_mobile/2012/12/picture-on-picture-manipulation-on-ios.html
- http://adndevblog.typepad.com/cloud_and_mobile/2012/12/using-rest-translator-service-from-ios.html

Session Feedback

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- Best to do it right after the session
- Instructors see results in real-time



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