Working Efficiently with Xcode

Workflows, tips, and tricks

Session 402

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Roadmap

- Single window workflow
- Tabs and behaviors
- Multiple windows and keyboard shortcuts

Single Window Workflow

- Keeping your window clean and organized
- Finding and opening your content
- Source editor tips and tricks

Demo Single window workflow

Default Workflow Summary

- Organizing the user interface with keyboard shortcuts
- Finding files quickly
- Navigation
- Source editor tips and tricks
- Working sets

Tabs and Behaviors

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Introduction

- Task-based tabs
- Behaviors
- More editing tips and tricks

Demo Task-based tabs

Tabs and Behaviors Summary

- Task-based tabs
- Behaviors
- More editing tips and tricks
 - Navigation chooser
 - Code completion
 - Snippets

Multiple Windows and Keyboard Shortcuts

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Multiple Windows

- Bring up auxiliary content when you need it
- Keep primary and assistant editor focused
- Organize your work spatially

Keyboard-Driven Xcode

- Move around your code fast
- Work with Xcode naturally
- Almost everything is configurable

Demo Multiple windows and keyboard shortcuts

Windows and Keyboard Summary

- Spatial organization
- Auxiliary content
- Keyboard-driven Xcode
 - Efficient source editing
 - Muscle memory
 - Xcode > Preferences... > Key Bindings

Related Sessions

Working with Schemes and Projects in Xcode	Marina Wednesday 4:30PM
Source Control Management in Xcode	Nob Hill Thursday 10:15AM
Debugging in Xcode	Pacific Heights Thursday 2:00PM

Labs

Developer Tools Lab Daily 9:00AM
Developer Tools Lab Daily 2:00

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Documentation

Xcode 4 User Guide http://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#documentation/ToolsLanguages/Conceptual/Xcode4UserGuide

Sample Code

Core Data Books https://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#samplecode/CoreDataBooks

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