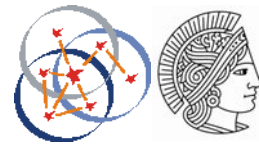


# P2P Networks

## Programming Exercise # 2

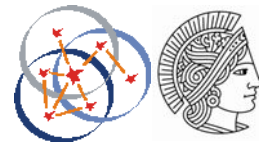
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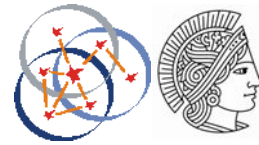
# Solving Exercise 1

```
final ByteBuffer buffer = ByteBuffer.allocate(  
    m.length() + Integer.SIZE / 8  
);  
  
buffer.order(ByteOrder.BIG_ENDIAN);  
  
buffer.putInt(message.length());  
buffer.put(message.getBytes());  
  
buffer.rewind();  
  
DatagramChannel channel = DatagramChannel.open(  
    StandardProtocolFamily.INET  
);  
  
channel.send(buffer, address);  
channel.close();
```



# Road Blocks

- Network Byte Order.
- `send (sock, "message", 7);`  
`int packlen = read (sock, buffer, 7);`
- `packlen == 7?`
- **False - in case of TCP.**
  - The stream can be split arbitrarily.
- **True - in case of UDP.**
  - But UDP comes with a maximum packet size instead.

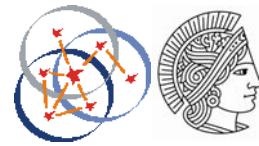


# Network Debugging

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- Tstat
  - analyzes networks statistically.
- GNU netcat
  - sends and receives simple messages and
  - provides one of the shortest solution to exercise 1:  

```
echo "message" | netcat -u localhost 1337
```
- Wireshark
  - inspects and dissects packets in detail.



# Next Exercise - Multicast

- Implement a message distributing system.
- It consists of a client that
  - can send arbitrary string messages input by the user to a given address and
  - displays all string messages it receives via a given port
- and a server that
  - receives string messages on a given port and
  - redistributes them to a set of addresses.
- The server should consume the following messages and treat their senders accordingly:
  - “hello” - send a copy of all subsequently received messages to the sender of this message,
  - “bye” - stop sending anything to the sender of this message.
  - “kill” - shut down the server.