

Exercise 1 : Implementing map and filter on Futures

In this exercise, you will come up with an implementation of the `map` and `filter` methods of `Futures`. First of all, spend some time as a group to make sure that you understand what those methods are supposed to do. Then, complete the following code to implement the two methods:

```
trait Future[T] { self =>
  def map[S](f: T => S): Future[S] =
    new Future[S] {
      def onComplete(callback: Try[S] => Unit): Unit = ???
    }

  def filter(f: T => Boolean): Future[T] =
    new Future[T] {
      def onComplete(callback: Try[T] => Unit): Unit = ???
    }
}
```

Solution

```
trait Future[T] { self =>
  def map[S](f: T => S): Future[S] =
    new Future[S] {
      def onComplete(callback: Try[S] => Unit): Unit = self.onComplete {
        case Success(v) => callback(Success(f(v)))
        case Failure(e) => callback(Failure(e))
      }
    }

  def filter(f: T => Boolean): Future[T] =
    new Future[T] {
      def onComplete(callback: Try[T] => Unit): Unit = self.onComplete {
        case Success(v) =>
          if f(v) {
            callback(Success(v))
          }
          else {
            callback(Failure(new NoSuchElementException("...")))
          }
        case Failure(e) => callback(Failure(e))
      }
    }
}
```

Exercise 2 : Master / Slave

In this exercise, you will have to implement a Master / Slave actor system, in which one actor, the *master*, dispatches work to other actors, the *slaves*. Between the master and the slaves, only two kinds of messages are sent: Order and Ready messages.

```
case class Order(computation: => Unit)
case object Ready
```

The master actor sends Order messages to slaves to order them to perform some computation (passed as an argument of Order). Upon reception of an Order, a slave should perform the computation. Slaves should send a Ready message to their master whenever they finish executing the requested computation, and right after they are created.

The master actor itself receives requests through Order messages from clients. The master actor should then dispatch the work to slave actors. The master should however never send an order to a slave which has not declared itself ready via a Ready message beforehand.

Implement the Master and Slave classes.

Solution on the next page.

Solution

```

class Master extends Actor {
  var availableSlaves: List[ActorRef] = Nil
  var pendingOrders: List[Order] = Nil

  def receive: Receive = {
    case Ready =>
      if (pendingOrders.isEmpty) {
        availableSlaves = availableSlaves :+ sender
      }
      else {
        val order = pendingOrders.head
        pendingOrders = pendingOrders.tail
        sender ! order
      }
    case order: Order => availableSlaves match {
      case slave :: rest => {
        slave ! order
        availableSlaves = rest
      }
      case Nil => {
        pendingOrders = pendingOrders :+ order
      }
    }
  }
}

```

```

class Slave(master: ActorRef) extends Actor {
  master ! Ready

  def receive: Receive = {
    case Order(f) =>
      f()
      master ! Ready
  }
}

```