

State of Angular

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- ☐ Insights from attending ng-conf 2016 in Salt Lake City
- ☐ Angular 2 trends & a couple favorite features
- ☐ New & exciting projects in the Angular 2 ecosystem

Angular 2

- ❑ **The only thing that has changed is everything
(TM Apple)**

New Site

angularjs.org -> angular.io

New Name

AngularJS -> Angular

New Logo



Angular 2

- ☐ We all know \$scope is dead, we saw lots of tombstones
- ☐ Most people are going to write Angular 2 in TypeScript
- ☐ Lots of presenters were using the Visual Studio Code Editor
- ☐ No date mentioned for official release



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View Encapsulation

- ☐ The Shadow DOM allows us to encapsulate DOM & styles when we use Web Components
- ☐ Some browsers don't support it all the way, luckily we have View Encapsulation
- ☐ 3 Settings
 - ☐ Native - uses Shadow DOM
 - ☐ None - just like we use now, global styles, no Shadow DOM
 - ☐ Emulated - default, class names dynamically renamed

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View Encapsulation Emulated

```
@Component({
  selector: 'my-app',
  encapsulation: ViewEncapsulation.Emulated,
  styles: [`
    .test {
      padding: 10px;
    }
  `],
  template: `
    <div class="test">
      <div>
        Title:
      </div>
      <input type="text" [(ngModel)]="title">
    </div>
  `
})
export class AppComponent {
  public title = 'Hello!';
}
```

```
<body>
  <div class="test">Test!</div>
  <my-app _ngghost-cmy-1="">
    <div _ngcontent-cmy-1="" class="test">
      <div _ngcontent-cmy-1="">
        Title: Hello!
      </div>
      <input _ngcontent-cmy-1="" type="text" class="ng-untouched
    </div>
  </my-app>
</body>
```

```
.test[_ngcontent-cmy-1] {
  padding: 10px;
}
.test {
  background: green;
}
```

Angular 2 + RxJS

- ☐ Brings full featured “Observables” into Angular 2
- ☐ Alternative to using Promises in lots of cases
- ☐ `http.get` now returns an Observable (but can be converted back to a Promise)
- ☐ Allows us to optimize component change detection by using `ON_PUSH`

Things I'm Most Excited About

- ☐ **NativeScript (think React Native but for JS/Angular 2)**
- ☐ **Angular CLI**

NativeScript

- ☐ Hybrid mobile apps using native UI components instead of WebView container like Ionic
- ☐ This is just like React Native, your Javascript runs in a Javascript VM and calls a Javascript API to interact with native code and UI components
- ☐ So you get Native UI performance with sharing domain logic code between web and mobile
- ☐ Sponsored by Telerik, [link to NativeScript site](#)
- ☐ Works with plain JS of course, but [integrates with Angular 2](#)

Angular CLI

- ☐ Yes, we finally have a command line interface to launch and grow Angular projects
- ☐ `ng new projectname`
- ☐ `ng serve`
- ☐ `ng generate component componentname`
- ☐ `ng generate route routename`
- ☐ `ng build`
- ☐ Supports TypeScript only (for now)
- ☐ [Github link](#)

Other Projects

- ☐ **Angular 1** still has a team behind it, it's what led to 1.5 & the upgrade
- ☐ **Batarangle** is now **Augury** (still made by Rangle.io)
- ☐ **Zones** (hook into asynchronous tasks & change detection)
- ☐ **Progressive Web Apps** (think offline-capable, initial load speed)
- ☐ **Ionic v2**
- ☐ **Angular Universal** (server side rendering)
- ☐ **Angular Material** (not quite ready yet)

Thanks!

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