#### Application Development for Mobile and Ubiquitous Computing



LOOLO loo locator

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 User gets all toilets nearby on the map

 User gets a compass, pointing on the nearest toilet





## **UI Screenshots**

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Menu Screen

Options:

- Hide Menu Screen on startup
- Get the map
- $\rightarrow$  will get more options:
- Loading range
- Show only wheelchair toilets

- etc.

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## **UI Screenshots**

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#### Map Screen

- Shows all nearby found toilets (different icons for: public standalone and toilets inside buildings) →Tapping one toilet will open the Detail Screen

- Buttons to get back to the Menu Screen (left corner) and to show the compass that points to the nearest toilet (right corner) (←still in development, coming soon)

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## **UI Screenshots**

## Detail Screen

- Shows all available information for the chosen toilet
- Every single information is written on a single sheet of paper
- All sheets are added to the scrollable roll of papers



Details

Loo Type: 🏦

Toilet inside building

Pirnaischer Platz

Name:

Dresden.



#### Architecture and Technologies

- If necessary toilets are fetched from Openstreetmap.org
- Fetched toilets are stored inside the database
- Displayed toilets are loaded form the database





#### Wireless access issues

- Low traffic: Toilets are stored on the device only new ones are loaded
- Async loading, fast display of known locations: Toilets from device database are loaded immediately on the opened map and new fetched toilets are added on the map when loaded.
- If no connection is available use only data from the device database



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## Challenge 2





#### Form factor of mobile device

- Screen size doesn't matter → every background, button, map will be free scalable
- Relative layouts ensure right placement of menue components





Usable on every tiny Android Phone or big tablet

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#### Varying Locations

- Toilets are updated when app is active and location is changed more then X meters in relation to the location where the last update was done
- X should be controlled by the users settings



### <u>Usability</u>

- Very simple usage
- Not so much options, just the most necessary to keep it as simple as possible
- easy to use when you are in "hurry": Map can be shown instantly on app start.



#### open tasks and issues

- Open:
  - Compass
  - (much) Performance optimization
  - Offline Maps (?)
- Issues:
  - XML-Parser very slow
  - Random VM Budget overflow