

# ON CREATION OF NEW CASE STUDIES FOR JCSE

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## Current situation on case studies in JCSE

- ▣ Main - company organizing various courses for general public
- ▣ Additional – software supporting work of a technical device (X-ray)
- ▣ The main one is used in some assignments
  
- ▣ Several smaller ones for single assignments

## Contd...

- ▣ One additional – role playing game - an example of:
  - requirements document according to IEEE recommendations
  - Software design document
  - Implementation
  
- ▣ One more – requirements specification for a company selling goods door to door (multi-level sales organization) – in Serbian
  - Assignment in 'Requirements engineering' course
  - Assignments on analysis and design
  - -> grow to a main case study

## We always need more

- ▣ Assignments
- ▣ Examples
- ▣ Reading materials
  
- ▣ Creating requirements specification for a technical field – embedded system

## A new one – embedded system

- ▣ 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of Balzert's book
- ▣ Technical domain – embedded system – “Power windows”
- ▣ In a poor state – some parts of the document are clearly missing ☹
- ▣ ‘Strange’ organization – what should be a part of requirements specification is a part of a design (e.g. use case diagram)
  - From the point of view of our lectures so far and its pedagogical value

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- ▣ A fine and ‘unusual’ idea with good potential
  - ▣ Authors:
    - Hans Echt (original)
    - Zoran Budimac (adaptation to English, review)
    - Michael Hildebrandt (edition, review)
  - ▣ Idea: although the document is in a poor condition
    - Some parts of specifications are missing
    - The ‘strange’ organization
- we may take it as an advantage for assignments and projects

## Idea

- ▣ 1. The original, with many imperfections. It can be given to students as the alternative for assignment 1 (requirements review).
- 2. The better one, where all inconsistencies, errors, missing information will be resolved. This version will in fact be a 'solution' to previous assignment and also a possible basis for the new assignments - to create (parts) of use-diagram (with hints given by teachers).
- 3. The ideal version that would consist of the current document and what Balzert calls: technical implementation.