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## Muli oder Esel?

Einführung in den Java-ESB Mule

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# Mule and Web Services

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# About Me

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- ▶ Open Source: Mule, CXF/XFire, Abdera, Apache-\*
- ▶ Exploring how to make building distributed services more powerful/approachable/scalable/etc
- ▶ MuleSource <http://mulesource.com>



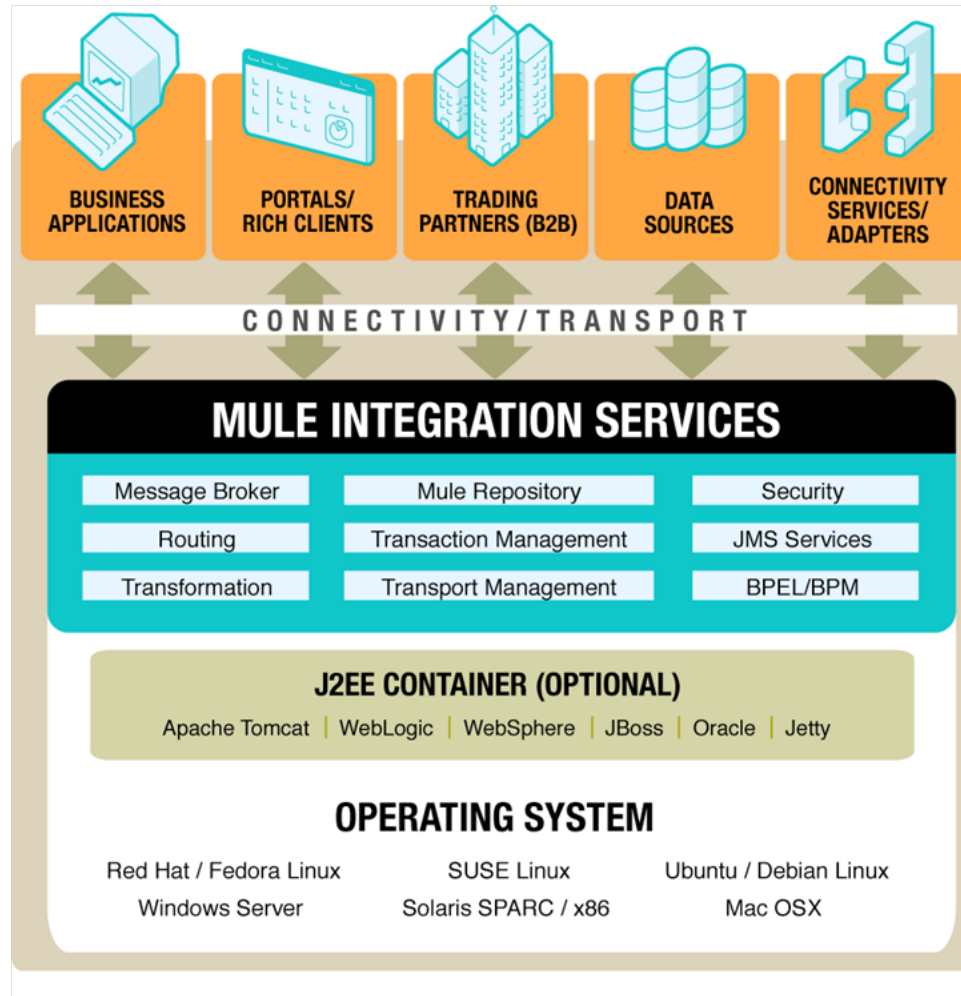
# Agenda

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- ▶ Mule Overview
- ▶ Mule & web services
- ▶ Building web services integration
- ▶ The future



# Overview



# SOA Swiss Army Knife

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- ▶ Supports a variety of service topologies including ESB
- ▶ Highly Scalable; using SEDA event model
- ▶ Asynchronous, Synchronous and Request/Response Messaging
- ▶ J2EE Support: JBI, JMS, EJB, JCA, JTA, Servlet
- ▶ Powerful event routing capabilities (based on EIP book)
- ▶ Breadth of connectivity; 60+ technologies
- ▶ Transparent Distribution
- ▶ Transactions; Local and Distributed (XA)
- ▶ Fault tolerance; Exception management
- ▶ Secure; Authentication/Authorization



# Why do developers choose Mule?

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## **No prescribed message format**

- ▶ XML, CSV, Binary, Streams, Record, Java Objects
- ▶ Mix and match

## **Zero code intrusion**

- ▶ Mule does not impose an API on service objects
- ▶ Objects are fully portable

## **Existing objects can be managed**

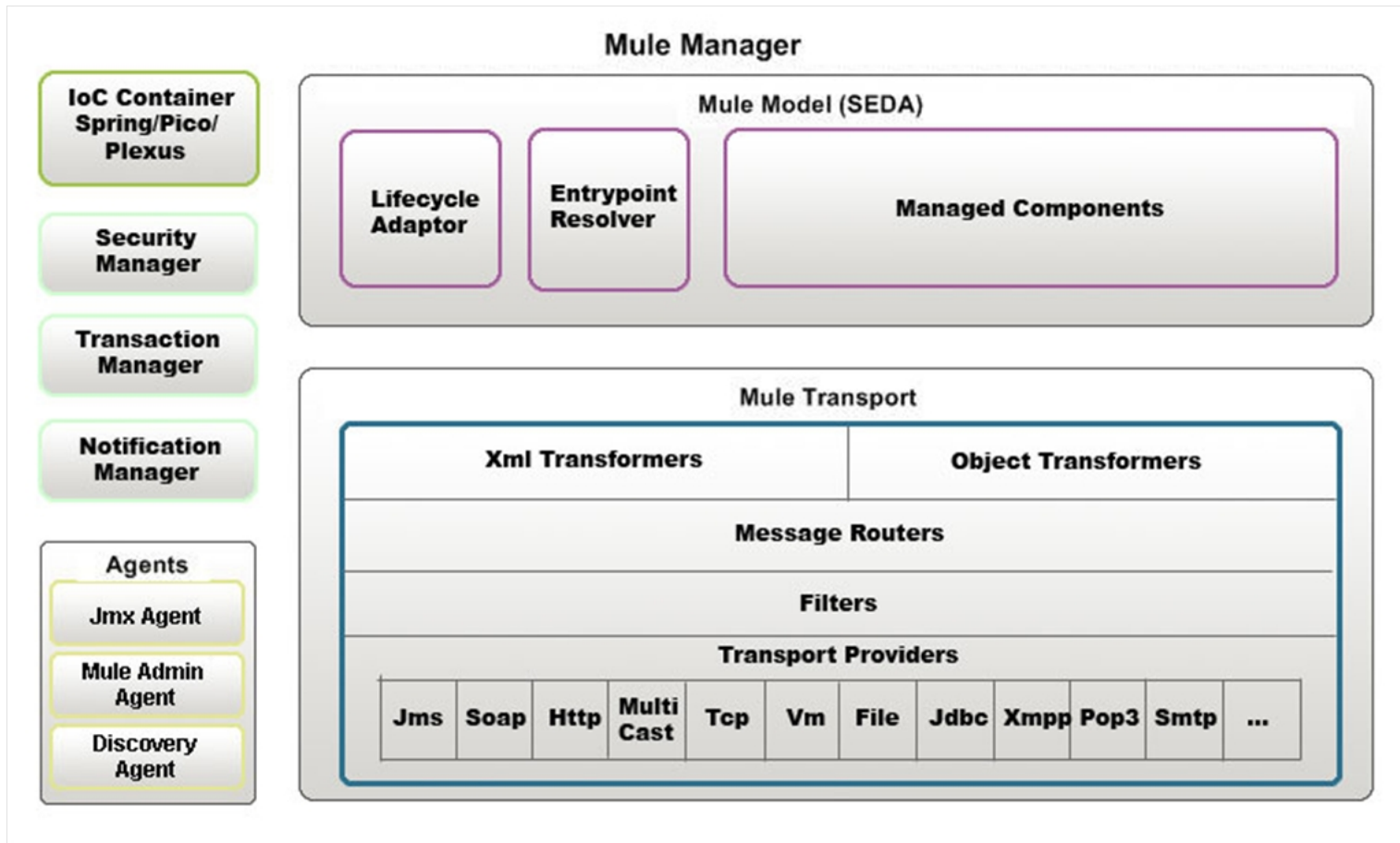
- ▶ POJOs, IoC Objects, EJB Session Beans, Remote Objects
- ▶ REST / Web Services

## **Easy to test**

- ▶ Mule can be run easily from a JUnit test case
- ▶ Framework provides a Test compatibility kit
- ▶ Scales down as well as up



# Mule Node Architecture

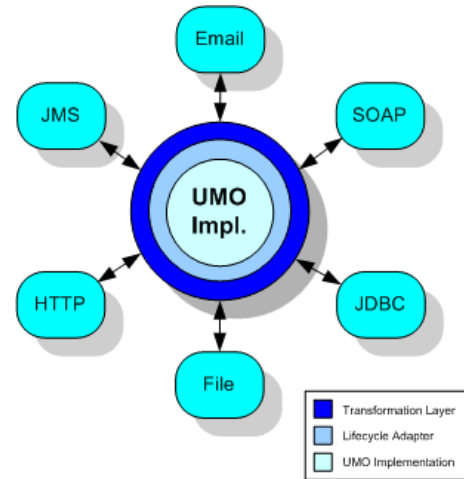






# Core Concepts: UMO Service

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- ▶ UMO Services in Mule can be any object -
  - ▶ POJOs, EJBs, Remote Objects, WS/REST Services
  - ▶ A service will perform a business function and may rely on other sources to obtain additional information
  - ▶ Configured in Xml, or programmatically
  - ▶ Mule Manages Threading, Pooling and resource management
  - ▶ Managed via JMX at runtime
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# Core Concepts: Endpoints

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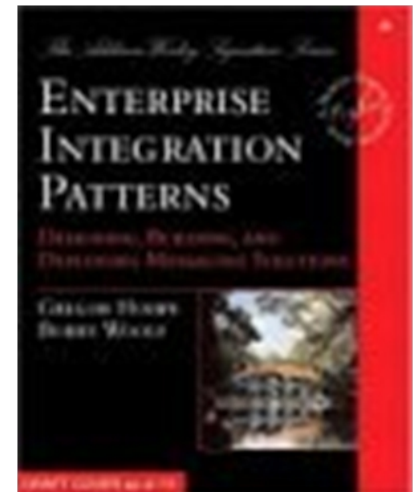
- ▶ Used to connect components and external systems together
- ▶ Endpoints use a URI for Addressing
- ▶ Can have transformer, transaction, filter, security and meta-information associated
- ▶ Two types of URI
  - ▶ **scheme://[username][:password]@[host][:port]?[params]**
    - ▶ **smtp://ross:pass@localhost:25**
  - ▶ **scheme://[address]?[params]**
    - ▶ **jms://my.queue?persistent=true**



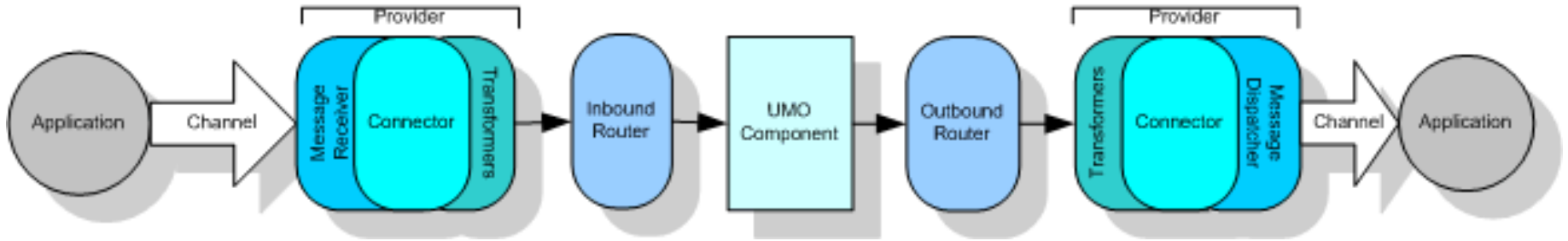
# Core Concepts: Routers

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- ▶ Control how events are sent and received
- ▶ Can model all routing patterns defined in the EIP Book
- ▶ **Inbound Routers**
  - ▶ Idempotency
  - ▶ Selective Consumers
  - ▶ Re-sequencing
  - ▶ Message aggregation
- ▶ **Outbound Routers**
  - ▶ Message splitting / Chunking
  - ▶ Content-based Routing
  - ▶ Broadcasting
  - ▶ Rules-based routing
  - ▶ Load Balancing



# Core Concepts: Transformers



## Transformers

- ▶ Converts data from one format to another
- ▶ Can be chained together to form transformation pipelines

```
<jms:object-to-jms name="XmlToJms" />
```

```
<custom-transformer name="CobolXmlToBusXml"  
  class="com.myco.trans.CobolXmlToBusXml" />
```

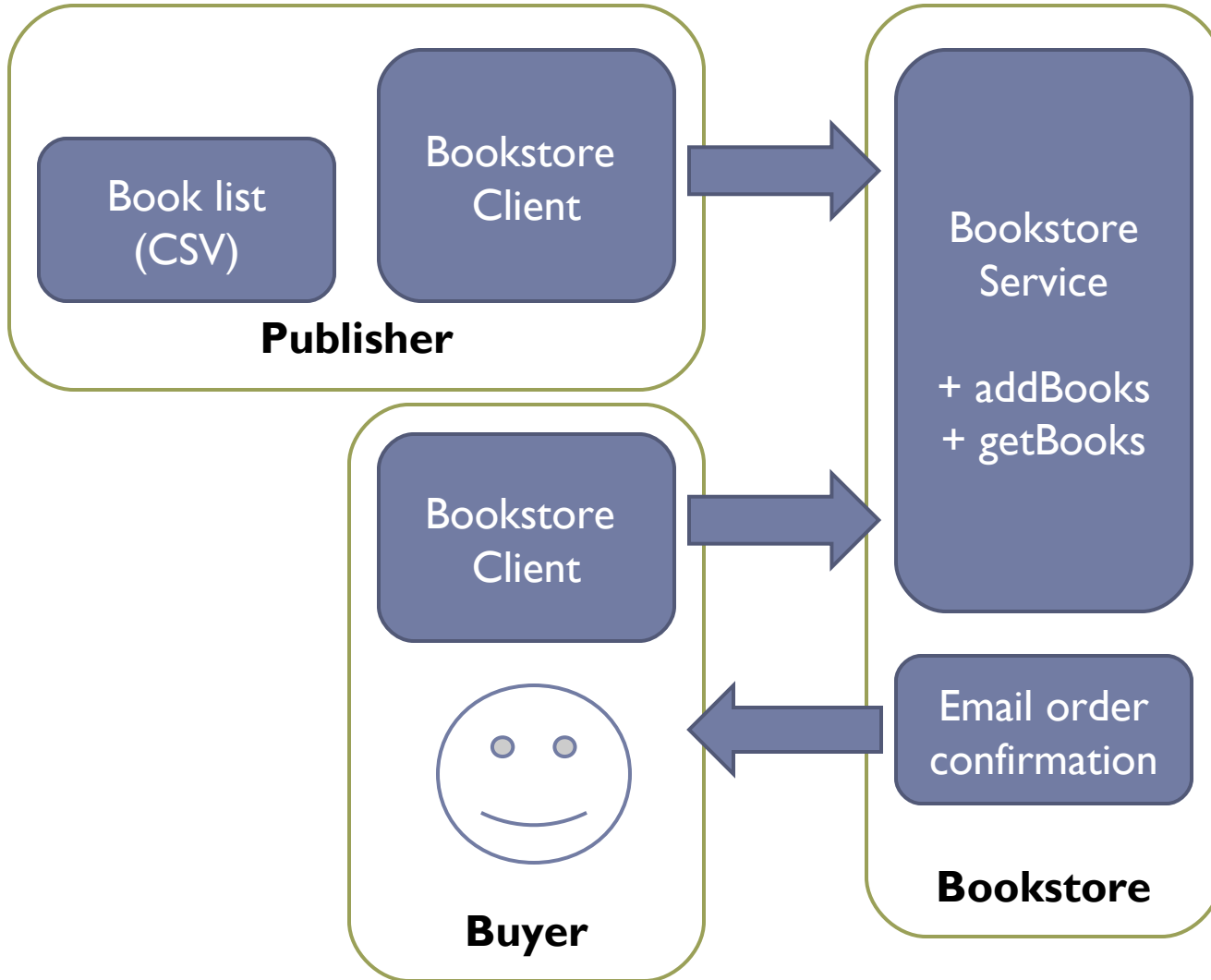
```
<endpoint address="jms://trades"  
  transformers="CobolXmlToBusXml, XmlToJms" />
```



# Mule and Web Services

# Our scenario

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# How?

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- ▶ **Mule provides**
  - ▶ File connector
  - ▶ Email connector
  - ▶ CXF connector
- ▶ **What's CXF?**
  - ▶ Successor to XFire
  - ▶ Apache web services framework
  - ▶ JAX-WS compliant
  - ▶ SOAP, WSDL, WS-I Basic Profile
  - ▶ WS-Addressing, WS-Security, WS-Policy, WS-ReliableMessaging





# How?

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1. Build web service
2. Configure Mule server
3. Generate web service client
4. Build CSV->Book converter
5. Configure Mule with File inbound router and CXF outbound router
6. Configure Mule with Email endpoint to confirm orders
7. Send messages to email service from bookstore



# Quick Intro to JAX-WS

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- ▶ *The standard way to build SOAP web services*
- ▶ Supports code first web service building through annotations
- ▶ Supports WSDL first through ant/maven/command line tools



# Building the Web Service

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```
public interface Bookstore {  
    long addBook(Book book) ;  
  
    Collection<Long> addBooks (Collection<Book> books) ;  
  
    Collection<Book> getBooks () ;  
}
```



# Annotating the service

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**@WebService**

```
public interface Bookstore {  
    long addBook (@WebParam (name="book") Book book) ;  
  
    @WebResult (name="bookIds")  
    Collection<Long> addBooks (  
        @WebParam (name="books") Collection<Book> books) ;  
  
    @WebResult (name="books")  
    Collection<Book> getBooks () ;  
  
    void placeOrder (@WebParam (name="bookId") long bookId,  
        @WebParam (name="address") String address,  
        @WebParam (name="email") String email)  
}
```



# Data Transfer Objects

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```
public class Book {  
    get/setId  
    get/setTitle  
    get/setAuthor  
}
```



# Implementation

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```
@WebService (serviceName="BookstoreService",  
    portName="BookstorePort",  
  
    endpointInterface="org.mule.example.bookstore.Bookstore"  
)  
public class BookstoreImpl implements Bookstore {  
...  
}
```



# Configuring Mule

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```
<mule-descriptor name="echoService"
  implementation="org.mule.example.bookstore.BookstoreImpl
">
  <inbound-router>
    <endpoint
      address="cxf:http://localhost:8080/services/bookstore"/>
    </inbound-router>
  </mule-descriptor>
```



# Starting Mule

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- ▶ Web applications
- ▶ Embedded
- ▶ Spring
- ▶ Anywhere!





## Main.main() – simplicity

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- ▶ `MuleXmlConfigurationBuilder builder = new MuleXmlConfigurationBuilder();`
- ▶ `UMOManager manager = builder.configure("bookstore.xml");`



# What happened?

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# Some notes about web services

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- ▶ Be careful about your contracts!!!
- ▶ Don't couple your web service too tightly (like this example), allow a degree of separation
- ▶ This allows
  - ▶ Maintainability
  - ▶ Evolvability
  - ▶ Versioning
- ▶ WSDL first helps this



# The Publisher

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- ▶ Wants to read in CSV and publish to web service
- ▶ Use a CXF generated client as the “outbound router”
- ▶ CsvBookPublisher converts File to List<Book>
- ▶ Books then get sent to outbound router



# Our implementation

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```
public class CsvBookPublisher {  
  
    public Collection<Book> publish(File file)  
        throws IOException {  
        ...  
    }  
}
```



# Domain objects are the Messages

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- ▶ File
- ▶ Book
  - ▶ Title
  - ▶ Author
- ▶ Access can be gained to raw UMOMessage as well



# Generating a client

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```
<plugin>
  <groupId>org.apache.cxf</groupId>
  <artifactId>cxf-codegen-plugin</artifactId>
  <version>2.0.2-incubator</version>
  <executions>
    <execution>
      <id>generate-sources</id>
      <phase>generate-sources</phase>
      <configuration>
        <sourceRoot>
          ${basedir}/target/generated/src/main/java
        </sourceRoot>
        <wsdlOptions>
          <wsdlOption>
            <wsdl>
              http://localhost:8080/services/bookstore?wsdl
            </wsdl>
          </wsdlOption>
        </wsdlOptions>
      </configuration>
      <goals>
        <goal>wsdl2java</goal>
      </goals>
    </execution>
  </executions>
</plugin>
```



# Our configuration

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```
<mule-descriptor name="csvPublisher"
  implementation="org.mule.example.bookstore.publisher.CsvBookPublisher"
  singleton="true">

  <inbound-router>
    <endpoint address="file://./books?
      pollingFrequency=100000&autoDelete=false"/>
  </inbound-router>
  <outbound-router>
    <router className="org.mule.routing.outbound.OutboundPassThroughRouter">
...
    </router>
  </outbound-router>

</mule-descriptor>
```





# Outbound router configuration

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```
<router className="org.mule.routing.outbound.OutboundPassThroughRouter">  
  
  <endpoint address="cxf:http://localhost:8080/services/bookstore">  
    <properties>  
      <property name="clientClass"  
        value="org.mule.example.bookstore.BookstoreService"/>  
      <property name="wsdlLocation"  
        value="http://localhost:8080/services/bookstore?wsdl"/>  
      <property name="port" value="BookstorePort"/>  
      <property name="operation" value="addBooks"/>  
    </properties>  
  </endpoint>  
  
</router>
```



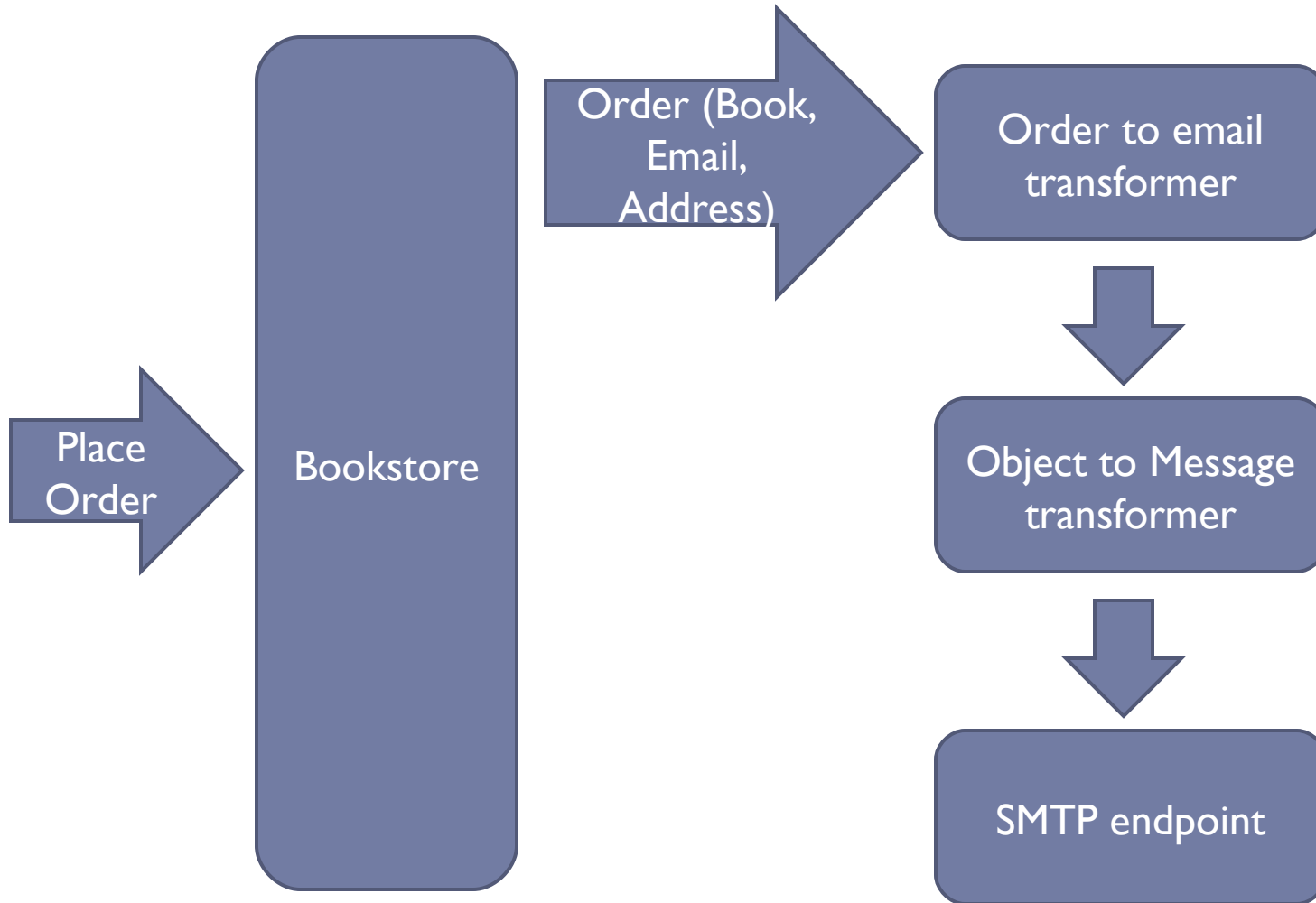
# Start it up!

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# Email Integration

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# Endpoint Configuration

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```
<global-endpoints>
  <endpoint name="orderEmailService"
    address="smtps://username:password@hostname"
    transformers="OrderToEmail ObjectToMimeMessage">
    <properties>
      <property name="fromAddress"
        value="bookstore@mulesource.com" />
      <property name="subject"
        value="Your order has been placed!" />
    </properties>
  </endpoint>
</global-endpoints>
```



# Transformers

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```
<transformers>
  <transformer name="OrderToEmail"
    className="org.mule.example.bookstore.OrderToEmailTransformer"/>
  <transformer name="ObjectToMimeMessage"
    className="org.mule.providers.email.transformers.ObjectToMimeMessage"/>
</transformers>
```



# Sending the Message

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```
public void orderBook(long bookId, String address, String email) {
    // In the real world we'd want this hidden behind
    // an OrderService interface
    try {
        Book book = books.get(bookId);
        MuleMessage msg = new MuleMessage(
            new Object[] { book, address, email} );

        RequestContext.getEventContext().dispatchEvent(
            msg, "orderEmailService");
        System.out.println("Dispatched message to orderService.");
    } catch (UMOException e) {
        // If this was real, we'd want better error handling
        throw new RuntimeException(e);
    }
}
```



# Questions?

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- ▶ My Blog: <http://netzoid.com>
- ▶ Project Site: <http://mule.mulesource.org>
- ▶ MuleForge: <http://muleforge.org>
- ▶ MuleSource: <http://mulesource.com>

