

CISC 3120 Fall 2012 Lab I.1

1. Writing your first program.

- Start Eclipse and create a new Java project:

File > New > Java Project

- Add a file and include the content

```
public class HelloWorld{  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("Hello World!");  
    }  
}
```

- Run it:

Run > Run

will try to run the project that contains the file that is displayed in the main part of the Eclipse window.

- You should see the message Hello World! appear in the console at the bottom of the Eclipse window.

That's it! The point of this first exercise was to get you to come to grips with Eclipse and get a simple program running.

If you want you can stay and explore more of the features of Eclipse, but otherwise you are free to go.