

# How to make stream processing more mainstream

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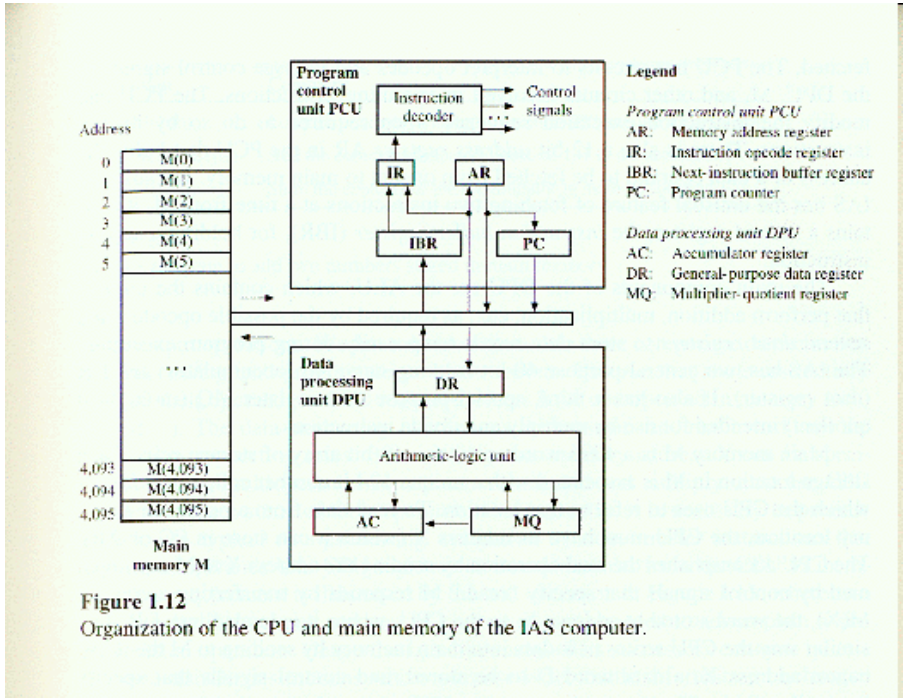
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# a cornerstone of sequential computing

Programmers

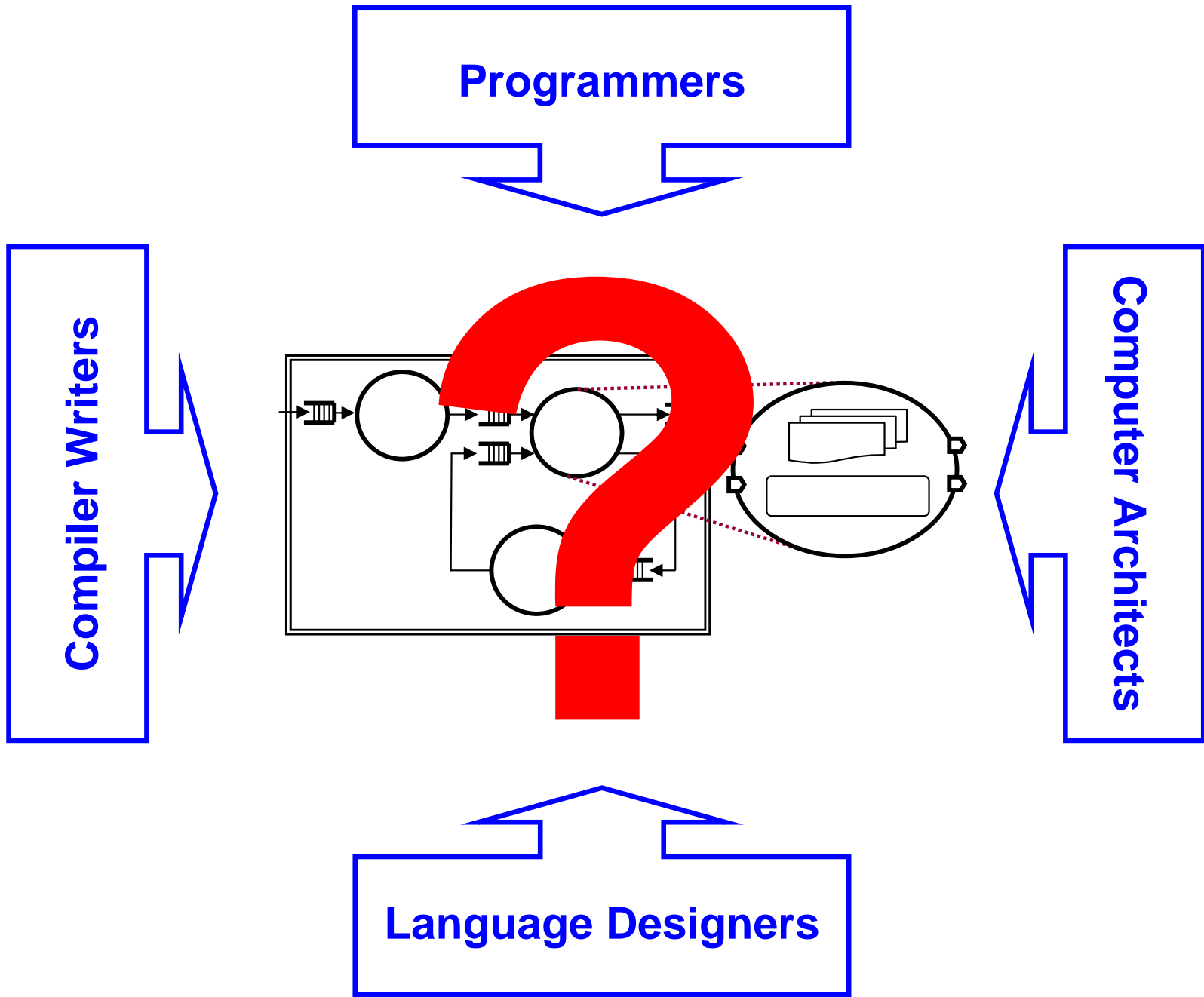
Compiler Writers



Computer Architects

Language Designers

# What is the “von Neumann model” of stream processing?



# some desirable properties of such a model, and some claimed benefits

modularity,  
reuse

schedulability

**explicit  
concurrency**

**strong  
encapsulation**

**asynchrony,  
untimedness**

**user-defined  
transactions**

adaptivity,  
virtualizability

portability

scalable  
parallelism

# components/modules/abstractions as part of the model

boundaries of synchrony

explicit  
concurrency

**strong  
encapsulation**

asynchrony,  
untimedness

user-defined  
transactions

boundaries of  
sequentiality

scope of  
transactions

**Thanks!**

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