Seriously, Use Groovy NOW
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Publications

O'Reilly video courses:

- Groovy Programming Fundamentals
- Practical Groovy Programming
- Mastering Groovy Programming
- Learning Android
- Practical Android
- Gradle Fundamentals
- Gradle for Android
- Spring Framework Essentials
Groovy Features

- Operator overloading
- POGOs
- Groovy JDK
- Closures
- Builders
- Metaprogramming
Groovy Ecosystem

Grails
Gradle
Spock
Geb
Griffon
GPars
Easy Stuff

Some trivial (for Groovy) examples
HTTP GET requests
Native data structures
Type conversions
Best Part

Add **Groovy** to **Java** at any time

Adding **Groovy** to **Java** is easy

Adding **Java** to **Groovy** is inevitable
Let's do some examples

Fun with BigDecimal
Let's do some examples

Functional programming
(Still simpler than Java 8)
Let's do some examples

POGOs FTW
Let's do some examples

AST Magic
@Canonical
@Delegate
@Immutable
Lots more...
Let's do some examples

I/O is supposed to be easy
Let's do some examples

Builders and slurpers
Let's do some examples

The heartbreak of JDBC
Let's do some examples

You do **Spring Framework**?

**Groovy** Badger Don't Care
Let's do some examples

You'd really rather use **Maven**?
Let's do some examples

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Really?
Let's do some examples

You'd really rather use Maven?

Really?

No, really??
That ought to be enough

Any questions?
So use Groovy NOW

(after completing your session evals)
Thank you
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