

## Скотт Мейерс в Яндексе / Interview with Scott Meyers at Yandex June 2014

Here is the list of the questions that were asked during the video:

1. If you had to choose one or two things that are the most important changes in the C++11/14 Standard, which ones would you name?
2. The same question, but about the most controversial changes - is there something that could bring some negative effects?
3. What do you think about the Standards Committee? Does it a good job?
4. Perhaps it would be better if there was one person who is responsible for key decisions?
5. Is there any chance that someday will be released version of C++, which will not have little or no backward compatibility? Something similar to what happened with Python 3, or Perl 6, for example.
6. C++ sometimes criticized for a very discreet and abstract, almost spartan, Standard Library -- there are no such a variety as in some other modern languages. Do you think this is the right approach?
7. The authors of STL believed that the standard library should be small and atomic. This is one of the reasons that it didn't have some base things for our time. What do you think about this?
8. Why do you think C++ community still hasn't normal centralized repository for a libraries, with search, ratings, etc?
9. There are many people who have to use C++ despite the fact that they don't like it. How do you think you need to choose the language for developing large projects? Or in 10 years everyone will use managed languages?
10. Does it too bad that C++ is rarely used on mobile devices? They all still work on managed languages: Android, Java, iOS Objective-C and Swift. Isn't it time more actively use C++ in this area?
11. You are now one of the most renowned C++ experts. How did you first encounter with programming and C++?
12. But you chose to devote your life with this language.

13. Soon your new book, *Effective Modern C++*, will be released. How did you come to writing books about C++? How writing a book is different from writing just a series of articles?
14. Are there differences in the audiences to whom you speak? What are they?
15. Do you code?