

[6 points] When two or more threads are blocked on a call to **mutex::lock**, any one of them might be selected to acquire the lock once the **mutex** becomes available. Restated, the **mutex** isn't obligated to maintain any sort of FIFO queue to ensure the thread waiting longer than any other is chosen first.

A **strong** mutex, or a **smutex**, ensures that blocked threads are woken up in the same order they are blocked. There are many **smutex** implementations, and one that relies on a queue of **condition_variable_ anys** is presented below (interface on the left, implementation on the right).

```
// smutex.h
class smutex {
public:
    void lock();
    void unlock();

private:
    mutex m;
    list<condition_variable_any *> queue;
};

// smutex.cc
void smutex::lock() {
    condition_variable_any cv;
    unique_lock<mutex> ul(m);
    queue.push_back(&cv);
    while (queue.front() != &cv) {
        cv.wait(m);
    }
    queue.pop_front();
}

void smutex::unlock() {
    unique_lock<mutex> ul(m);
    if (!queue.empty()) {
        queue.front()->notify_all();
    }
}
```

Study the implementation of the **smutex** methods and answer the following questions:

- [2 points] Does the implementation guarantee that a thread calling **smutex::lock** before any others gets the lock on the **smutex** first? Why or why not?

