

Video capturing from custom software source

Development

Since Android SDK build [1.1.0.26](#) it is possible to use custom software camera implementation to capture video. To do this, follow the step by step instruction:

1. Develop Java class implementing [CameraVideoCapturer](#) interface
2. Import the following modules to the application

```
import org.webrtc.CameraVideoCapturer;
import com.flashphoner.fpwcsapi.camera.CameraCapturerFactory;
import com.flashphoner.fpwcsapi.camera.CustomCameraCapturerOptions;
import com.flashphoner.fpwcsapi.camera.CustomCameras;
```

3. Prepare `CustomCameraCapturerOptions` object

```
private CustomCameraCapturerOptions createCustomCameraCapturerOptions() {
    return new CustomCameraCapturerOptions() {

        private String cameraName;
        private CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler eventsHandler;
        private boolean captureToTexture;

        @Override
        public Class<?>[] getCameraConstructorArgsTypes() {
            return new Class<?>[]{String.class,
CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler.class, boolean.class};
        }

        @Override
        public Object[] getCameraConstructorArgs() {
            return new Object[]{cameraName, eventsHandler,
captureToTexture};
        }

        @Override
        public void setCameraName(String cameraName) {
            this.cameraName = cameraName;
        }

        @Override
        public void setEventsHandler(CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler
eventsHandler) {
            this.eventsHandler = eventsHandler;
        }
    }
}
```

```

@Override
public void setCaptureToTexture(boolean captureToTexture) {
    this.captureToTexture = captureToTexture;
}

// Use your custom capturer class name here
@Override
public String getCameraClassName() {
    return your.custom.CameraCapturer;
}

@Override
public Class<?>[] getEnumeratorConstructorArgsTypes() {
    return new Class[0];
}

@Override
public Object[] getEnumeratorConstructorArgs() {
    return new Object[0];
}

// Use your custom capturer enumerator name here
@Override
public String getEnumeratorClassName() {
    return your.custom.CameraEnumerator;
}
};
}

```

4. Choose custom camera in application before stream publishing

```

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCustomCameraCapturerOptions(createCustomCameraCapturerOptions());
CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCameraType(CameraCapturerFactory.CameraType.CUSTOM);

```

Usage example

Using `CameraVideoCapturer` implementation to access a flashlight

1. `CustomCameraCapturerOptions` object creation
code

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private CustomCameraCapturerOptions createCustomCameraCapturerOptions() {
    return new CustomCameraCapturerOptions() {

        private String cameraName;
        private CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler eventsHandler;
        private boolean captureToTexture;

        @Override
        public Class<?>[] getCameraConstructorArgsTypes() {

```

```

        return new Class<?>[]{String.class,
CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler.class, boolean.class};
    }

    @Override
    public Object[] getCameraConstructorArgs() {
        return new Object[]{cameraName, eventsHandler,
captureToTexture};
    }

    @Override
    public void setCameraName(String cameraName) {
        this.cameraName = cameraName;
    }

    @Override
    public void setEventsHandler(CameraVideoCapturer.CameraEventsHandler
eventsHandler) {
        this.eventsHandler = eventsHandler;
    }

    @Override
    public void setCaptureToTexture(boolean captureToTexture) {
        this.captureToTexture = captureToTexture;
    }

    // Using org.webrtc.FlashlightCameraCapturer to access flashlight
hidden controls.
    @Override
    public String getCameraClassName() {
        return CustomCameras.FLASHLIGHT_CAMERA_CAPTURER;
    }

    @Override
    public Class<?>[] getEnumeratorConstructorArgsTypes() {
        return new Class[0];
    }

    @Override
    public Object[] getEnumeratorConstructorArgs() {
        return new Object[0];
    }

    // Using org.webrtc.FlashlightCameraEnumerator to access flashlight
hidden controls.
    @Override
    public String getEnumeratorClassName() {
        return CustomCameras.FLASHLIGHT_CAMERA_ENUMERATOR;
    }
};
}

```

2. Camera choosing code

```

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCustomCameraCapturerOptions(createCustomCameraCapturerOptions());

mCameraCapturer = (LabelledSpinner) findViewById(R.id.camera_capturer);
mCameraCapturer.setOnItemSelectedListener(new
LabelledSpinner.OnItemSelectedListener() {
    @Override
    public void onItemSelected(View labelledSpinner, AdapterView<?>
adapterView, View itemView, int position, long id) {
        String captureType =
        getResources().getStringArray(R.array.camera_capturer)[position];
        switch (captureType) {
            case "flashlight":

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCameraType(CameraCapturerFactory.CameraType.FLASHLIGHT);

                break;
            case "camera1capturer":

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCameraType(CameraCapturerFactory.CameraType.FRONT_CAMERA);

                break;
            case "camera2capturer":

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCameraType(CameraCapturerFactory.CameraType.BACK_CAMERA);

                break;
            case "custom":

CameraCapturerFactory.getInstance().setCameraType(CameraCapturerFactory.CameraType.CUSTOM);

                break;
        }

mCameraSpinner.setItemsArray(Flashphoner.getMediaDevices().getVideoList());

    }

    @Override
    public void onNothingChosen(View labelledSpinner, AdapterView<?>
adapterView) {

    }

});

```