Kharagpur Winter of Code

Introduction

What is Kharagpur Winter of Code?

Hello there. Feeling too old to be a student in Kharagpur Winter of Code, no problem, you fit in here too! KWoC is about helping students make their (probably) first PR on GitHub, and also gaining the confidence which is required in future while doing open source.

Goals of the program

As a mentor, you must know that the major goal of the program is to help new students to understand the paradigm of open source contribution and increase the expertise level on Git and GitHub.

Eligibility

There are 3 main criteria to be a mentor in KWoC :
1. You must have one or more projects on GitHub **with merge access**.
2. Your project(s) has more than **five easy-to-fix** and at least **three moderate level** issues.
3. Your project(s) is approved by KWoC organizers.

Why should I apply?

Boost your project

Do you have a project which you had started months ago and now you don't find time to add new features to it or fix small issues? - You must apply. For the students it's about the contributions. And for you, it's about keeping your project alive.

Do you have an idea in your mind about a small or big utility and want to make it make it real in December vacation? - You must apply too. You'll have to lay down the ground work and sidewise can teach a bunch of students about it too.

Applying

Register on the website

Go to the website of KWoC - http://kwoc.kossiitkgp.in. Navigate to the bottom of page and find the form to "Register your Project". Fill in your name and email address. Fill the name of the project (repository name), URL of the project (github.com/username/repo) and the project description. For registering another project, re-enter the form.

Contact

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