

# User Study Application

We are looking for volunteers to participate in a user study to evaluate Gitless (<http://gitless.com>), a new version control system built on top of Git. Qualified participants should be at least 18 years of age and users of Git (any level of proficiency from novice to expert is welcome).

As a participant, you will be asked to complete a series of short tasks using Git and Gitless and to complete a few surveys about your experience. The study will consist of two separate sessions (one using Git, and the other using Gitless) of approximately 1 hour of length each. The study will take place in Stata Center, MIT. Compensation is a \$30 gift card.

The results of this study will help towards the development of Gitless and also contribute to the development of a new theory of design that focuses on the concepts underlying software.

To apply, please fill out and submit this form.

If you have any questions, please send an email to [sperezde@csail.mit.edu](mailto:sperezde@csail.mit.edu)

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## 1. Rate your own proficiency with Git \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ novice
- ☐ regular user
- ☐ expert user

## 2. What git interface do you primarily use? \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ git command line interface
- ☐ IDE plugin (e.g., EGit)
- ☐ GitHub for Mac/Windows
- ☐ Other

## 3. How often do you use Git? \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ several times a day
- ☐ several times a week
- ☐ several times a month

## 4. What do you use Git for? \*

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5. **Have you used Gitless before? \***

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

6. **Are you comfortable using a UNIX shell? \***

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

7. **Age \***

How old are you in years

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8. **Gender \***

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ Female
- ☐ Male
- ☐ No Answer

9. **Occupation \***

e.g., undergraduate student, graduate student,  
software engineer

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10. **Email \***

Where can we reach you?

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11. **Name**

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