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How to Fork a Repo & Create a Pull Request

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Hi,

A branch with your name is created in the repository <https://github.com/springboardmentor484/Trade-Finance-Blockchain-Explorer>

Here is a step-by-step guide on how to submit a Pull Request (PR).

1. Fork the Repository

Forking creates a personal copy of the repository(repo) under your own GitHub account.

1. Navigate to the main repository URL on GitHub.
2. Click the **Fork** button in the top-right corner of the page.
3. You can enter a different repo name if you wish.

2. Clone Your Fork

Now, clone your forked repository to your local machine.

```
git clone https://github.com/<YOUR-USERNAME>/<REPO-NAME>.git  
cd <REPO-NAME>
```

3. Create a New Branch

Recommended to create a new branch for your changes and push them to your main branch.

```
git checkout -b feature-name
```

(Replace *feature-name* with a descriptive name for your changes)

4. Make Changes & Commit & Merge to your main

Make your necessary code changes, then stage and commit them.

```
git add .
git commit -m "Description of changes"
git checkout main
git merge feature-name
```

5. Push Changes to GitHub

```
git push origin main
```

6. Create a Pull Request (PR)

1. Go to your forked repo on GitHub.
2. You should see a prompt to **Compare & pull request**. Click it.
3. If you don't see the prompt, go to the **Pull requests** tab and click **New pull request**.
4. Ensure the "base" repo is the original repo and the base branch is `your-name`.
5. "Compare" repo should be your forked repo and compare branch is `your main`.
6. Provide a clear title and description of your changes.
7. Click **Create Pull Request**.

Let me know if you have any questions!

Regards,
Bharath Teja