

## References

- [1] ABAD, Z. S. H., KARRAS, O., SCHNEIDER, K., BARKER, K., AND BAUER, M. Task interruption in software development projects. In *Proceedings of the 22nd International Conference on Evaluation and Assessment in Software Engineering 2018* (June 2018), ACM.
- [2] ABDALKAREEM, R., NOURRY, O., WEHAIBI, S., MUJAHID, S., AND SHIHAB, E. Why do developers use trivial packages? an empirical case study on npm. In *Proceedings of the 2017 11th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2017), ACM.
- [3] AGHAJANI, E., NAGY, C., VEGA-MARQUEZ, O. L., LINARES-VASQUEZ, M., MORENO, L., BAVOTA, G., AND LANZA, M. Software documentation issues unveiled. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [4] AJAMI, S., WOODBRIDGE, Y., AND FEITELSON, D. G. Syntax, predicates, idioms—what really affects code complexity? *Empirical Software Engineering* 24, 1 (June 2018), 287–328.
- [5] ÅKERBLOM, B., AND WRIGSTAD, T. Measuring polymorphism in python programs. *ACM SIGPLAN Notices* 51, 2 (May 2016), 114–128.
- [6] AL-SUBAIHIN, A. A., SARRO, F., BLACK, S., CAPRA, L., AND HARMAN, M. App store effects on software engineering practices. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 2 (Feb. 2021), 300–319.
- [7] ALENCAR DA COSTA, D., MCINTOSH, S., TREUDE, C., KULESZA, U., AND HASSAN, A. E. The impact of rapid release cycles on the integration delay of fixed issues. *Empirical Software Engineering* 23, 2 (Nov. 2017), 835–904.
- [8] ALI, R. H., PARLETT-PELLERITI, C., AND LINSTAD, E. Cheating death. In *Proceedings of the 17th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories* (June 2020), ACM.
- [9] ALMEIDA, D. A., MURPHY, G. C., WILSON, G., AND HOYE, M. Do software developers understand open source licenses? In *2017 IEEE/ACM 25th International Conference on Program Comprehension (ICPC)* (May 2017), IEEE.
- [10] ALTADMRI, A., AND BROWN, N. C. 37 million compilations. In *Proceedings of the 46th ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education* (Feb. 2015), ACM.
- [11] AMELLER, D., AYALA, C., CABOT, J., AND FRANCH, X. How do software architects consider non-functional requirements: An exploratory study. In *2012 20th IEEE International Requirements Engineering Conference (RE)* (Sept. 2012), IEEE.

- [12] AMES, M. G. Hackers, computers, and cooperation. *Proceedings of the ACM on Human-Computer Interaction* 2, CSCW (Nov. 2018), 1–19.
- [13] ANDA, B., SJØBERG, D., AND MOCKUS, A. Variability and reproducibility in software engineering: A study of four companies that developed the same system. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 35, 3 (May 2009), 407–429.
- [14] APEL, S., LIEBIG, J., BRANDL, B., LENGAUER, C., AND KÄSTNER, C. Semistructured merge. In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [15] BAFATAKIS, N., BOECKER, N., BOON, W., SALAZAR, M. C., KRINKE, J., OZNACAR, G., AND WHITE, R. Python coding style compliance on stack overflow. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 16th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [16] BALACHANDRAN, V. Reducing human effort and improving quality in peer code reviews using automatic static analysis and reviewer recommendation. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [17] BALALI, S., STEINMACHER, I., ANNAMALAI, U., SARMA, A., AND GEROSA, M. A. Newcomers’ barriers... is that all? an analysis of mentors’ and newcomers’ barriers in OSS projects. *Computer Supported Cooperative Work (CSCW)* 27, 3-6 (Apr. 2018), 679–714.
- [18] BALTES, S., PARK, G., AND SEREBRENIK, A. Is 40 the new 60? how popular media portrays the employability of older software developers. *IEEE Software* 37, 6 (Nov. 2020), 26–31.
- [19] BAO, L., XIA, X., LO, D., AND MURPHY, G. C. A large scale study of long-time contributor prediction for GitHub projects. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 6 (June 2021), 1277–1298.
- [20] BARIK, T., SMITH, J., LUBICK, K., HOLMES, E., FENG, J., MURPHY-HILL, E., AND PARNIN, C. Do developers read compiler error messages? In *2017 IEEE/ACM 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2017), IEEE.
- [21] BARKE, H., AND PRECHELT, L. Role clarity deficiencies can wreck agile teams. *PeerJ Computer Science* 5 (Dec. 2019), e241.
- [22] BARNETT, M., FÄHNDRICH, M., LEINO, K. R. M., MÜLLER, P., SCHULTE, W., AND VENTER, H. Specification and verification. *Communications of the ACM* 54, 6 (June 2011), 81–91.

- [23] BARR, E. T., BIRD, C., RIGBY, P. C., HINDLE, A., GERMAN, D. M., AND DEVANBU, P. Cohesive and isolated development with branches. In *Proceedings of the 15th international conference on Fundamental Approaches to Software Engineering* (2012), Springer Berlin Heidelberg, pp. 316–331.
- [24] BARZILAY, O. Example embedding. In *Proceedings of the 10th SIGPLAN symposium on New ideas, new paradigms, and reflections on programming and software - ONWARD '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [25] BECK, F., AND DIEHL, S. On the congruence of modularity and code coupling. In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [26] BECKER, B. A., DENNY, P., PETTIT, R., BOUCHARD, D., BOUVIER, D. J., HARRINGTON, B., KAMIL, A., KARKARE, A., McDONALD, C., OSERA, P.-M., PEARCE, J. L., AND PRATHER, J. Compiler error messages considered unhelpful. In *Proceedings of the Working Group Reports on Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education* (Dec. 2019), ACM.
- [27] BEHROOZI, M., PARNIN, C., AND BARIK, T. Hiring is broken: What do developers say about technical interviews? In *2019 IEEE Symposium on Visual Languages and Human-Centric Computing (VL/HCC)* (Oct. 2019), IEEE.
- [28] BEHROOZI, M., SHIROLKAR, S., BARIK, T., AND PARNIN, C. Debugging hiring: What went right and what went wrong in the technical interview process. In *International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2020)* (2020), ACM.
- [29] BELLER, M., GOUSIOS, G., PANICHELLA, A., PROKSCH, S., AMANN, S., AND ZAIDMAN, A. Developer testing in the IDE: Patterns, beliefs, and behavior. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 45, 3 (Mar. 2019), 261–284.
- [30] BELLER, M., GOUSIOS, G., PANICHELLA, A., AND ZAIDMAN, A. When, how, and why developers (do not) test in their IDEs. In *Proceedings of the 2015 10th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2015), ACM.
- [31] BEN-ARI, M., BEDNARIK, R., LEVY, R. B.-B., EBEL, G., MORENO, A., MYLLER, N., AND SUTINEN, E. A decade of research and development on program animation: The jeliot experience. *Journal of Visual Languages & Computing* 22, 5 (Oct. 2011), 375–384.
- [32] BETTENBURG, N., JUST, S., SCHRÖTER, A., WEISS, C., PREMRAJ, R., AND ZIMMERMANN, T. What makes a good bug report? In *Proceedings*

of the 16th ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT '08/FSE-16 (2008), ACM Press.

- [33] BIRD, C., NAGAPPAN, N., MURPHY, B., GALL, H., AND DEVANBU, P. Don't touch my code! In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [34] BLACKWELL, A. F., PETRE, M., AND CHURCH, L. Fifty years of the psychology of programming. *International Journal of Human-Computer Studies* 131 (Nov. 2019), 52–63.
- [35] BLUEDORN, A. C., TURBAN, D. B., AND LOVE, M. S. The effects of stand-up and sit-down meeting formats on meeting outcomes. *Journal of Applied Psychology* 84, 2 (1999), 277–285.
- [36] BORLE, N. C., FEGHHI, M., STROULIA, E., GREINER, R., AND HINDLE, A. Analyzing the effects of test driven development in GitHub. *Empirical Software Engineering* 23, 4 (Nov. 2017), 1931–1958.
- [37] BROWN, C., AND PARNIN, C. Understanding the impact of GitHub suggested changes on recommendations between developers. In *Proceedings of the 28th ACM Joint Meeting on European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering* (Nov. 2020), ACM.
- [38] BROWN, N. C. C., ALTADMRI, A., SENTANCE, S., AND KÖLLING, M. Blackbox, five years on. In *Proceedings of the 2018 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2018), ACM.
- [39] BRUN, Y., HOLMES, R., ERNST, M. D., AND NOTKIN, D. Proactive detection of collaboration conflicts. In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [40] BUTLER, S., GAMALIELSSON, J., LUNDELL, B., BRAX, C., SJOBERG, J., MATTSSON, A., GUSTAVSSON, T., FEIST, J., AND LONROTH, E. On company contributions to community open source software projects. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2019), 1–1.
- [41] CAMPOS, E. C., AND DE ALMEIDA MAIA, M. Common bug-fix patterns: A large-scale observational study. In *2017 ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Empirical Software Engineering and Measurement (ESEM)* (Nov. 2017), IEEE.
- [42] CATOLINO, G., PALOMBA, F., TAMBURRI, D. A., SEREBRENIK, A., AND FERRUCCI, F. Gender diversity and women in software teams: How do they affect community smells? In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering: Software Engineering in Society (ICSE-SEIS)* (May 2019), IEEE.

- [43] CHATTOPADHYAY, S., NELSON, N., AU, A., MORALES, N., SANCHEZ, C., PANDITA, R., AND SARMA, A. A tale from the trenches. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [44] CHEN, T.-H., SHANG, W., YANG, J., HASSAN, A. E., GODFREY, M. W., NASSER, M., AND FLORA, P. An empirical study on the practice of maintaining object-relational mapping code in java systems. In *Proceedings of the 13th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories* (May 2016), ACM.
- [45] CHERUBINI, M., VENOLIA, G., DELINE, R., AND KO, A. J. Let's go to the whiteboard. In *Proceedings of the SIGCHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems* (Apr. 2007), ACM.
- [46] CHONG, J., AND HURLBUTT, T. The social dynamics of pair programming. In *29th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'07)* (May 2007), IEEE.
- [47] CINNEÍDE, M. Ó., TRATT, L., HARMAN, M., COUNSELL, S., AND MOGHADAM, I. H. Experimental assessment of software metrics using automated refactoring. In *Proceedings of the ACM-IEEE international symposium on Empirical software engineering and measurement - ESEM '12* (2012), ACM Press.
- [48] COGO, F. R., OLIVA, G. A., BEZEMER, C.-P., AND HASSAN, A. E. An empirical study of same-day releases of popular packages in the npm ecosystem. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (July 2021).
- [49] COSTA, D. E. D., BEZEMER, C.-P., LEITNER, P., AND ANDRZEJAK, A. What's wrong with my benchmark results? studying bad practices in JMH benchmarks. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2019), 1–1.
- [50] CRUZ-LEMUS, J. A., GENERO, M., MANSO, M. E., MORASCA, S., AND PIATTINI, M. Assessing the understandability of UML statechart diagrams with composite states—a family of empirical studies. *Empirical Software Engineering* 14, 6 (Feb. 2009), 685–719.
- [51] DABBISH, L., STUART, C., TSAY, J., AND HERBSLEB, J. Social coding in GitHub. In *Proceedings of the ACM 2012 conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work - CSCW '12* (2012), ACM Press.
- [52] DAGENAIS, B., AND ROBILLARD, M. P. Creating and evolving developer documentation. In *Proceedings of the eighteenth ACM SIGSOFT international symposium on Foundations of software engineering - FSE '10* (2010), ACM Press.

- [53] DANG, Y., WU, R., ZHANG, H., ZHANG, D., AND NOBEL, P. ReBucket: A method for clustering duplicate crash reports based on call stack similarity. In *2012 34th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (June 2012), IEEE.
- [54] DE OLIVEIRA NETO, F. G., TORKAR, R., FELDT, R., GREN, L., FURIA, C. A., AND HUANG, Z. Evolution of statistical analysis in empirical software engineering research: Current state and steps forward. *Journal of Systems and Software* 156 (Oct. 2019), 246–267.
- [55] DE PAULO SOBRINHO, E. V., LUCIA, A. D., AND DE ALMEIDA MAIA, M. A systematic literature review on bad smells–5 w's: Which, when, what, who, where. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 1 (Jan. 2021), 17–66.
- [56] DECAN, A., AND MENS, T. What do package dependencies tell us about semantic versioning? *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 6 (June 2021), 1226–1240.
- [57] DIAS, E., MEIRELLES, P., CASTOR, F., STEINMACHER, I., WIESE, I., AND PINTO, G. What makes a great maintainer of open source projects? In *2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [58] DURIEUX, T., GOUES, C. L., HILTON, M., AND ABREU, R. Empirical study of restarted and flaky builds on travis CI. In *Proceedings of the 17th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories* (June 2020), ACM.
- [59] DZIDEK, W., ARISHOLM, E., AND BRIAND, L. A realistic empirical evaluation of the costs and benefits of UML in software maintenance. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 34, 3 (May 2008), 407–432.
- [60] EICHBERG, M., HERMANN, B., MEZINI, M., AND GLANZ, L. Hidden truths in dead software paths. In *Proceedings of the 2015 10th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2015), ACM.
- [61] EMAM, K. E., BENLARBI, S., GOEL, N., AND RAI, S. The confounding effect of class size on the validity of object-oriented metrics. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 27, 7 (July 2001), 630–650.
- [62] FAGERHOLM, F., KUHRMANN, M., AND MÜNCH, J. Guidelines for using empirical studies in software engineering education. *PeerJ Computer Science* 3 (Sept. 2017), e131.
- [63] FORD, D., BEHROOZI, M., SEREBRENIK, A., AND PARNIN, C. Beyond the code itself: How programmers really look at pull requests. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering: Software Engineering in Society (ICSE-SEIS)* (May 2019), IEEE.

- [64] FORD, D., SMITH, J., GUO, P. J., AND PARNIN, C. Paradise unplugged: identifying barriers for female participation on stack overflow. In *Proceedings of the 2016 24th ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Nov. 2016), ACM.
- [65] FORD, D., ZIMMERMANN, T., BIRD, C., AND NAGAPPAN, N. Characterizing software engineering work with personas based on knowledge worker actions. In *2017 ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Empirical Software Engineering and Measurement (ESEM)* (Nov. 2017), IEEE.
- [66] FOUNDJEM, A., AND ADAMS, B. Release synchronization in software ecosystems. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [67] FUCCI, D., SCANNIELLO, G., ROMANO, S., AND JURISTO, N. Need for sleep: The impact of a night of sleep deprivation on novice developers' performance. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 46, 1 (Jan. 2020), 1–19.
- [68] FUCCI, D., SCANNIELLO, G., ROMANO, S., SHEPPERD, M., SIGWENI, B., UYAGUARI, F., TURHAN, B., JURISTO, N., AND OIVO, M. An external replication on the effects of test-driven development using a multi-site blind analysis approach. In *Proceedings of the 10th ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Empirical Software Engineering and Measurement* (Sept. 2016), ACM.
- [69] FURIA, C. A., FELDT, R., AND TORKAR, R. Bayesian data analysis in empirical software engineering research. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2019), 1–1.
- [70] GAO, G., VOICHICK, F., ICHINCO, M., AND KELLEHER, C. Exploring programmers' API learning processes: Collecting web resources as external memory. In *2020 IEEE Symposium on Visual Languages and Human-Centric Computing (VL/HCC)* (Aug. 2020), IEEE.
- [71] GAO, Z., BIRD, C., AND BARR, E. T. To type or not to type: Quantifying detectable bugs in JavaScript. In *2017 IEEE/ACM 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2017), IEEE.
- [72] GARCÍA, B., MUNOZ-ORGANERO, M., ALARIO-HOYOS, C., AND KLOOS, C. D. Automated driver management for selenium WebDriver. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (July 2021).
- [73] GAUTHIER, F., AND MERLO, E. Semantic smells and errors in access control models: A case study in PHP. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [74] GEROSA, M., WIESE, I., TRINKENREICH, B., LINK, G., ROBLES, G., TREUDE, C., STEINMACHER, I., AND SARMA, A. The shifting sands of motivation: Revisiting what drives contributors in open source. In

*2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2021), IEEE.

- [75] GHIOTTO, G., MURTA, L., BARROS, M., AND VAN DER HOEK, A. On the nature of merge conflicts: A study of 2, 731 open source java projects hosted by GitHub. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 46, 8 (Aug. 2020), 892–915.
- [76] GIGER, E., PINZGER, M., AND GALL, H. Using the gini coefficient for bug prediction in eclipse. In *Proceedings of the 12th international workshop and the 7th annual ERCIM workshop on Principles on software evolution and software evolution - IWPSE-EVOL '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [77] GOUSIOS, G., STOREY, M.-A., AND BACCHELLI, A. Work practices and challenges in pull-based development. In *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2016), ACM.
- [78] GRAZIOTIN, D., WANG, X., AND ABRAHAMSSON, P. Happy software developers solve problems better: psychological measurements in empirical software engineering. *PeerJ* 2 (Mar. 2014), e289.
- [79] GREEN, T. R. G., AND PETRE, M. Usability analysis of visual programming environments: A ‘cognitive dimensions’ framework. *Journal of Visual Languages & Computing* 7, 2 (June 1996), 131–174.
- [80] GULZAR, M. A., INTERLANDI, M., YOO, S., TETALI, S. D., CONDIE, T., MILLSTEIN, T., AND KIM, M. BigDebug. In *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2016), ACM.
- [81] HANENBERG, S. An experiment about static and dynamic type systems. In *Proceedings of the ACM international conference on Object oriented programming systems languages and applications - OOPSLA '10* (2010), ACM Press.
- [82] HANNAY, J., ARISHOLM, E., ENGVIK, H., AND SJØBERG, D. Effects of personality on pair programming. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 36, 1 (Jan. 2010), 61–80.
- [83] HARMS, K. J., CHEN, J., AND KELLEHER, C. L. Distractors in parsons problems decrease learning efficiency for young novice programmers. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2016), ACM.
- [84] HATA, H., TREUDE, C., KULA, R. G., AND ISHIO, T. 9.6 million links in source code comments: Purpose, evolution, and decay. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.



- [85] HAYASHI, J., HIGO, Y., MATSUMOTO, S., AND KUSUMOTO, S. Impacts of daylight saving time on software development. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 16th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [86] HEMMATI, H., NADI, S., BAYSAL, O., KONONENKO, O., WANG, W., HOLMES, R., AND GODFREY, M. W. The MSR cookbook: Mining a decade of research. In *2013 10th Working Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [87] HERMANS, F., AND AIVALOGLOU, E. Do code smells hamper novice programming? a controlled experiment on scratch programs. In *2016 IEEE 24th International Conference on Program Comprehension (ICPC)* (May 2016), IEEE.
- [88] HERMANS, F., PINZGER, M., AND VAN DEURSEN, A. Supporting professional spreadsheet users by generating leveled dataflow diagrams. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2011), ACM.
- [89] HERZIG, K., JUST, S., AND ZELLER, A. It's not a bug, it's a feature: How misclassification impacts bug prediction. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [90] HINDLE, A., BARR, E. T., GABEL, M., SU, Z., AND DEVANBU, P. On the naturalness of software. *Communications of the ACM* 59, 5 (Apr. 2016), 122–131.
- [91] HINDLE, A., BIRD, C., ZIMMERMANN, T., AND NAGAPPAN, N. Relating requirements to implementation via topic analysis: Do topics extracted from requirements make sense to managers and developers? In *2012 28th IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance (ICSM)* (Sept. 2012), IEEE.
- [92] HORA, A. Googling for software development: What developers search for and what they find. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 18th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [93] HORA, A. What code is deliberately excluded from test coverage and why? In *2021 IEEE/ACM 18th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [94] HOYOS, J., ABDALKAREEM, R., MUJAHID, S., SHIHAB, E., AND BEDOYA, A. E. On the removal of feature toggles. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 2 (Feb. 2021).
- [95] HUNDHAUSEN, C. D., AGARWAL, P., AND TREVISAN, M. Online vs. face-to-face pedagogical code reviews. In *Proceedings of the 42nd ACM technical symposium on Computer science education - SIGCSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.

- [96] JACOBSON, I., NG, P.-W., MCMAHON, P. E., SPENCE, I., AND LIDMAN, S. *The Essence of Software Engineering: Applying the SEMAT Kernel*. Addison-Wesley Professional, 2013.
- [97] JALOTE, P., AND KAMMA, D. Studying task processes for improving programmer productivity. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 4 (Apr. 2021), 801–817.
- [98] JOHNSON, B., ZIMMERMANN, T., AND BIRD, C. The effect of work environments on productivity and satisfaction of software engineers. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 4 (Apr. 2021), 736–757.
- [99] JOHNSON, J., LUBO, S., YEDLA, N., APONTE, J., AND SHARIF, B. An empirical study assessing source code readability in comprehension. In *2019 IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance and Evolution (ICSME)* (Sept. 2019), IEEE.
- [100] JOLAK, R., SAVARY-LEBLANC, M., DALIBOR, M., WORTMANN, A., HEBIG, R., VINCUR, J., POLASEK, I., PALLEC, X. L., GÉRARD, S., AND CHAUDRON, M. R. V. Software engineering whispers: The effect of textual vs. graphical software design descriptions on software design communication. *Empirical Software Engineering* 25, 6 (Sept. 2020), 4427–4471.
- [101] JONES, D. M. *Evidence-based Software Engineering: based on the publicly available data*. Knowledge Software, Ltd., Nov. 2020.
- [102] JØRGENSEN, M., AND GRIMSTAD, S. The impact of irrelevant and misleading information on software development effort estimates: A randomized controlled field experiment. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 37, 5 (Sept. 2011), 695–707.
- [103] JØRGENSEN, M., AND GRIMSTAD, S. Software development estimation biases: The role of interdependence. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 38, 3 (May 2012), 677–693.
- [104] KAMIENSKI, A. V., PALECHOR, L., BEZEMER, C.-P., AND HINDLE, A. PySStuBs: Characterizing single-statement bugs in popular open-source python projects. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 18th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [105] KANAT-ALEXANDER, M. *Code Simplicity: The Science of Software Development*. O’Reilly, 2012.
- [106] KAPSER, C. J., AND GODFREY, M. W. “cloning considered harmful” considered harmful: patterns of cloning in software. *Empirical Software Engineering* 13, 6 (July 2008), 645–692.

- [107] KASI, B. K., AND SARMA, A. Cassandra: Proactive conflict minimization through optimized task scheduling. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [108] KAVALER, D., TROCKMAN, A., VASILESCU, B., AND FILKOV, V. Tool choice matters: JavaScript quality assurance tools and usage outcomes in GitHub projects. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [109] KHOMH, F., DHALIWAL, T., ZOU, Y., AND ADAMS, B. Do faster releases improve software quality? an empirical case study of mozilla firefox. In *2012 9th IEEE Working Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (June 2012), IEEE.
- [110] KIEFER, M., WARZEL, D., AND TICHY, W. F. An empirical study on parallelism in modern open-source projects. In *Proceedings of the 2nd International Workshop on Software Engineering for Parallel Systems* (Oct. 2015), ACM.
- [111] KIM, D., KWON, Y., LIU, P., KIM, I. L., PERRY, D. M., ZHANG, X., AND RODRIGUEZ-RIVERA, G. Apex: automatic programming assignment error explanation. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Object-Oriented Programming, Systems, Languages, and Applications* (Oct. 2016), ACM.
- [112] KIM, D., NAM, J., SONG, J., AND KIM, S. Automatic patch generation learned from human-written patches. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [113] KIM, D. J., CHEN, T.-H., AND YANG, J. The secret life of test smells—an empirical study on test smell evolution and maintenance. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (July 2021).
- [114] KINSHUMANN, K., GLERUM, K., GREENBERG, S., AUL, G., ORGOVAN, V., NICHOLS, G., GRANT, D., LOIHLE, G., AND HUNT, G. Debugging in the (very) large. *Communications of the ACM* 54, 7 (July 2011), 111–116.
- [115] KLOTINS, E., UNTERKALMSTEINER, M., CHATZIPETROU, P., GORSCHKE, T., PRIKLADNICKI, R., TRIPATHI, N., AND POMPERMAIER, L. B. A progression model of software engineering goals, challenges, and practices in start-ups. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 3 (Mar. 2021), 498–521.
- [116] KOCAGUNELI, E., MENZIES, T., AND KEUNG, J. W. On the value of ensemble effort estimation. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 38, 6 (Nov. 2012), 1403–1416.

- [117] KOCHHAR, P. S., KALLIAMVAKOU, E., NAGAPPAN, N., ZIMMERMANN, T., AND BIRD, C. Moving from closed to open source: Observations from six transitioned projects to GitHub. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2019), 1–1.
- [118] KOSAR, T., GABERC, S., CARVER, J. C., AND MERNIK, M. Program comprehension of domain-specific and general-purpose languages: replication of a family of experiments using integrated development environments. *Empirical Software Engineering* 23, 5 (Feb. 2018), 2734–2763.
- [119] KREIN, J. L., PRECHELT, L., JURISTO, N., NANTHAAMORNPHONG, A., CARVER, J. C., VEGAS, S., KNUTSON, C. D., SEPPI, K. D., AND EGGETT, D. L. A multi-site joint replication of a design patterns experiment using moderator variables to generalize across contexts. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 42, 4 (Apr. 2016), 302–321.
- [120] KRUEGER, R., HUANG, Y., LIU, X., SANTANDER, T., WEIMER, W., AND LEACH, K. Neurological divide. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [121] LATENDRESSE, J., ABDALKAREEM, R., COSTA, D. E., AND SHIHAB, E. How effective is continuous integration in indicating single-statement bugs? In *2021 IEEE/ACM 18th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [122] LEITÃO, R. Technology-facilitated intimate partner abuse: a qualitative analysis of data from online domestic abuse forums. *Human-Computer Interaction* 36, 3 (Dec. 2019), 203–242.
- [123] LEVY, K., AND SCHNEIER, B. Privacy threats in intimate relationships. *Journal of Cybersecurity* 6, 1 (Jan. 2020).
- [124] LEWIS, C., LIN, Z., SADOWSKI, C., ZHU, X., OU, R., AND WHITEHEAD, E. J. Does bug prediction support human developers? findings from a google case study. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [125] LI, S., ZHOU, H., LIN, H., XIAO, T., LIN, H., LIN, W., AND XIE, T. A characteristic study on failures of production distributed data-parallel programs. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [126] LIAO, S. N., ZINGARO, D., LAURENZANO, M. A., GRISWOLD, W. G., AND PORTER, L. Lightweight, early identification of at-risk CS1 students. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2016), ACM.

- [127] LIMA, L. P., ROCHA, L. S., BEZERRA, C. I. M., AND PAIXAO, M. Assessing exception handling testing practices in open-source libraries. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (June 2021).
- [128] LIU, K., KIM, D., BISSYANDE, T. F., YOO, S., AND TRAON, Y. L. Mining fix patterns for FindBugs violations. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 1 (Jan. 2021), 165–188.
- [129] LO, D., NAGAPPAN, N., AND ZIMMERMANN, T. How practitioners perceive the relevance of software engineering research. In *Proceedings of the 2015 10th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2015), ACM.
- [130] LOUIS, A., DASH, S. K., BARR, E. T., ERNST, M. D., AND SUTTON, C. Where should i comment my code? In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering: New Ideas and Emerging Results* (June 2020), ACM.
- [131] LUCIA, A. D., GRAVINO, C., OLIVETO, R., AND TORTORA, G. An experimental comparison of ER and UML class diagrams for data modelling. *Empirical Software Engineering* 15, 5 (Dec. 2009), 455–492.
- [132] MA, Y., DEY, T., BOGART, C., AMREEN, S., VALIEV, M., TUTKO, A., KENNARD, D., ZARETZKI, R., AND MOCKUS, A. World of code: enabling a research workflow for mining and analyzing the universe of open source VCS data. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 2 (Feb. 2021).
- [133] MAALEJ, W., TIARKS, R., ROEHM, T., AND KOSCHKE, R. On the comprehension of program comprehension. *ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology* 23, 4 (Sept. 2014), 1–37.
- [134] MACHO, C., BEYER, S., MCINTOSH, S., AND PINZGER, M. The nature of build changes. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [135] MÄENPÄÄ, H., MÄKINEN, S., KILAMO, T., MIKKONEN, T., MÄNNISTÖ, T., AND RITALA, P. Organizing for openness: six models for developer involvement in hybrid OSS projects. *Journal of Internet Services and Applications* 9, 1 (Aug. 2018).
- [136] MAJUMDER, S., CHAKRABORTY, J., AGRAWAL, A., AND MENZIES, T. Why software projects need heroes (lessons learned from 1100+ projects). *arxiv.org abs/1904.09954* (2019).
- [137] MALIK, M., SCHIMEL, A. C. G., MASETTI, G., ROCHE, M., DEUNF, J. L., DOLAN, M. F., BEAUDOIN, J., AUGUSTIN, J.-M., HAMILTON, T., AND PARNUM, I. Results from the first phase of the seafloor backscatter processing software inter-comparison project. *Geosciences* 9, 12 (Dec. 2019), 516.

- [138] MALLOY, B. A., AND POWER, J. F. An empirical analysis of the transition from python 2 to python 3. *Empirical Software Engineering* 24, 2 (July 2018), 751–778.
- [139] MANGANO, N., LATOZA, T. D., PETRE, M., AND VAN DER HOEK, A. How software designers interact with sketches at the whiteboard. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 41, 2 (Feb. 2015), 135–156.
- [140] MARINESCU, C. Are the classes that use exceptions defect prone? In *Proceedings of the 12th international workshop and the 7th annual ERCIM workshop on Principles on software evolution and software evolution - IWPSE-EVOL '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [141] MASOOD, Z., HODA, R., AND BLINCOE, K. How agile teams make self-assignment work: a grounded theory study. *Empirical Software Engineering* 25, 6 (Sept. 2020), 4962–5005.
- [142] MATTMANN, C. A., GARCIA, J., KRKA, I., POPESCU, D., AND MEDVIDOVIĆ, N. Revisiting the anatomy and physiology of the grid. *Journal of Grid Computing* 13, 1 (Jan. 2015), 19–34.
- [143] MAY, A., WACHS, J., AND HANNÁK, A. Gender differences in participation and reward on stack overflow. *Empirical Software Engineering* 24, 4 (Feb. 2019), 1997–2019.
- [144] MCGEE, S., AND GREER, D. Software requirements change taxonomy: Evaluation by case study. In *2011 IEEE 19th International Requirements Engineering Conference* (Aug. 2011), IEEE.
- [145] MCINTOSH, S., ADAMS, B., NGUYEN, T. H., KAMEI, Y., AND HASSAN, A. E. An empirical study of build maintenance effort. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2011), ACM.
- [146] MCLEOD, L., AND MACDONELL, S. G. Factors that affect software systems development project outcomes. *ACM Computing Surveys* 43, 4 (Oct. 2011), 1–56.
- [147] MENEELY, A., ROTELLA, P., AND WILLIAMS, L. Does adding manpower also affect quality? In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [148] MENG, N., KIM, M., AND MCKINLEY, K. S. Lase: Locating and applying systematic edits by learning from examples. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [149] MEYER, A. N., BARR, E. T., BIRD, C., AND ZIMMERMANN, T. Today was a good day: The daily life of software developers. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 5 (May 2021), 863–880.

- [150] MEYER, A. N., FRITZ, T., MURPHY, G. C., AND ZIMMERMANN, T. Software developers' perceptions of productivity. In *Proceedings of the 22nd ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Nov. 2014), ACM.
- [151] MILLER, B., ZHANG, M., AND HEYMANN, E. The relevance of classic fuzz testing: Have we solved this one? *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2020), 1–1.
- [152] MILLER, C. S., AND SETTLE, A. Some trouble with transparency. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2016), ACM.
- [153] MITROPOULOS, D., LOURIDAS, P., SALIS, V., AND SPINELLIS, D. Time present and time past: Analyzing the evolution of JavaScript code in the wild. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 16th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [154] MO, R., CAI, Y., KAZMAN, R., XIAO, L., AND FENG, Q. Architecture anti-patterns: Automatically detectable violations of design principles. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 5 (May 2021), 1008–1028.
- [155] MOCKUS, A. Organizational volatility and its effects on software defects. In *Proceedings of the eighteenth ACM SIGSOFT international symposium on Foundations of software engineering - FSE'10* (2010), ACM Press.
- [156] MOE, N. B., DINGSØYR, T., AND DYBÅ, T. A teamwork model for understanding an agile team: A case study of a scrum project. *Information and Software Technology* 52, 5 (May 2010), 480–491.
- [157] MOKHOV, A., MITCHELL, N., AND JONES, S. P. Build systems à la carte. *Proceedings of the ACM on Programming Languages* 2, ICFP (July 2018), 1–29.
- [158] MOLDON, L., STROHMAIER, M., AND WACHS, J. How gamification affects software developers: Cautionary evidence from a natural experiment on GitHub. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [159] MORAES, J. P., POLATO, I., WIESE, I., SARAIVA, F., AND PINTO, G. From one to hundreds: multi-licensing in the JavaScript ecosystem. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [160] MOREIRA SOARES, D., JÚNIOR, M. L. L., MURTA, L., AND PLASTINO, A. What factors influence the lifetime of pull requests? *Software: Practice and Experience* 51, 6 (Dec. 2020), 1173–1193.
- [161] MURPHY-HILL, E., JASPER, C., SADOWSKI, C., SHEPHERD, D., PHILLIPS, M., WINTER, C., KNIGHT, A., SMITH, E., AND JORDE, M. What predicts software developers' productivity? *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 3 (Mar. 2021), 582–594.

- [162] NAGAPPAN, M., ROBBES, R., KAMEI, Y., TANTER, É., MCINTOSH, S., MOCKUS, A., AND HASSAN, A. E. An empirical study of goto in c code from GitHub repositories. In *Proceedings of the 2015 10th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2015), ACM.
- [163] NAGAPPAN, N., MAXIMILIEN, E. M., BHAT, T., AND WILLIAMS, L. Realizing quality improvement through test driven development: results and experiences of four industrial teams. *Empirical Software Engineering* 13, 3 (Feb. 2008), 289–302.
- [164] NAKSHATRI, S., HEGDE, M., AND THANDRA, S. Analysis of exception handling patterns in java projects. In *Proceedings of the 13th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories* (May 2016), ACM.
- [165] NEAR, J. P., AND JACKSON, D. Finding security bugs in web applications using a catalog of access control patterns. In *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2016), ACM.
- [166] NGUYEN-DUC, A., KEMELL, K.-K., AND ABRAHAMSSON, P. The entrepreneurial logic of startup software development: A study of 40 software startups. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (July 2021).
- [167] NIELEBOCK, S., KROLIKOWSKI, D., KRÜGER, J., LEICH, T., AND ORTMEIER, F. Commenting source code: is it worth it for small programming tasks? *Empirical Software Engineering* 24, 3 (Nov. 2018), 1418–1457.
- [168] NÜSSLI, M.-A., AND JERMANN, P. Effects of sharing text selections on gaze cross-recurrence and interaction quality in a pair programming task. In *Proceedings of the ACM 2012 conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work - CSCW '12* (2012), ACM Press.
- [169] OLIVEIRA, E., FERNANDES, E., STEINMACHER, I., CRISTO, M., CONTE, T., AND GARCIA, A. Code and commit metrics of developer productivity: a study on team leaders perceptions. *Empirical Software Engineering* 25, 4 (Apr. 2020), 2519–2549.
- [170] OLSSON, J., RISFELT, E., BESKER, T., MARTINI, A., AND TORKAR, R. Measuring affective states from technical debt. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 5 (July 2021).
- [171] OVERNEY, C., MEINICKE, J., KÄSTNER, C., AND VASILESCU, B. How to not get rich. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [172] PALOMBA, F., TAMBURRI, D. A., FONTANA, F. A., OLIVETO, R., ZAIDMAN, A., AND SEREBRENİK, A. Beyond technical aspects: How do community smells influence the intensity of code smells? *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 1 (Jan. 2021), 108–129.



- [173] PANKRATIUS, V., SCHMIDT, F., AND GARRETON, G. Combining functional and imperative programming for multicore software: An empirical study evaluating scala and java. In *2012 34th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (June 2012), IEEE.
- [174] PARNIN, C., AND RUGABER, S. Programmer information needs after memory failure. In *2012 20th IEEE International Conference on Program Comprehension (ICPC)* (June 2012), IEEE.
- [175] PARNIN, C., TREUDE, C., GRAMMEL, L., AND STOREY, M.-A. Crowd documentation: Exploring the coverage and the dynamics of api discussions on stack overflow. Tech. rep., Georgia Tech, 2012.
- [176] PASSOS, L., QUEIROZ, R., MUKELABAI, M., BERGER, T., APEL, S., CZARNECKI, K., AND PADILLA, J. A. A study of feature scattering in the linux kernel. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 1 (Jan. 2021), 146–164.
- [177] PATITSAS, E., BERLIN, J., CRAIG, M., AND EASTERBROOK, S. Evidence that computer science grades are not bimodal. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2016), ACM.
- [178] PEITEK, N., APEL, S., PARNIN, C., BRECHMANN, A., AND SIEGMUND, J. Program comprehension and code complexity metrics: An fMRI study. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [179] PEREZ DE ROSSO, S., AND JACKSON, D. Purposes, concepts, misfits, and a redesign of git. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Object-Oriented Programming, Systems, Languages, and Applications* (Oct. 2016), ACM.
- [180] PETRE, M. UML in practice. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [181] PHILIP, K., UMARJI, M., AGARWALA, M., SIM, S. E., GALLARDO-VALENCIA, R., LOPES, C. V., AND RATANOTAYANON, S. Software reuse through methodical component reuse and amethodical snippet remixing. In *Proceedings of the ACM 2012 conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work - CSCW '12* (2012), ACM Press.
- [182] PIZARD, S., ACERENZA, F., OTEGUI, X., MORENO, S., VALLESPER, D., AND KITCHENHAM, B. Training students in evidence-based software engineering and systematic reviews: a systematic review and empirical study. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [183] PORTER, L., LEE, C. B., AND SIMON, B. Halving fail rates using peer instruction. In *Proceeding of the 44th ACM technical symposium on Computer science education - SIGCSE '13* (2013), ACM Press.

- [184] POSNETT, D., HINDLE, A., AND DEVANBU, P. Got issues? do new features and code improvements affect defects? In *2011 18th Working Conference on Reverse Engineering* (Oct. 2011), IEEE.
- [185] PRABHU, P., ZHANG, Y., GHOSH, S., AUGUST, D. I., HUANG, J., BEARD, S., KIM, H., OH, T., JABLIN, T. B., JOHNSON, N. P., ZOUFALY, M., RAMAN, A., LIU, F., AND WALKER, D. A survey of the practice of computational science. In *State of the Practice Reports on - SC '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [186] PRANA, G. A. A., TREUDE, C., THUNG, F., ATAPATTU, T., AND LO, D. Categorizing the content of GitHub README files. *Empirical Software Engineering* 24, 3 (Oct. 2018), 1296–1327.
- [187] PRITCHARD, D. Frequency distribution of error messages. In *Proceedings of the 6th Workshop on Evaluation and Usability of Programming Languages and Tools* (Oct. 2015), ACM.
- [188] QIU, H. S., NOLTE, A., BROWN, A., SEREBRENIK, A., AND VASILESCU, B. Going farther together: The impact of social capital on sustained participation in open source. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [189] RACHEVA, Z., DANEVA, M., SIKKEL, K., HERRMANN, A., AND WIERINGA, R. Do we know enough about requirements prioritization in agile projects: Insights from a case study. In *2010 18th IEEE International Requirements Engineering Conference* (Sept. 2010), IEEE.
- [190] RAGKHITWETSAGUL, C., KRINKE, J., PAIXAO, M., BIANCO, G., AND OLIVETO, R. Toxic code snippets on stack overflow. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 3 (Mar. 2021), 560–581.
- [191] RAHMAN, A., FARHANA, E., PARNIN, C., AND WILLIAMS, L. Gang of eight: a defect taxonomy for infrastructure as code scripts. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [192] RAHMAN, F., AND DEVANBU, P. Ownership, experience and defects: a fine-grained study of authorship. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2011), ACM.
- [193] RAHMAN, F., AND DEVANBU, P. How, and why, process metrics are better. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.
- [194] RAHMAN, M. M., KHOMH, F., AND CASTELLUCCIO, M. Why are some bugs non-reproducible? an empirical investigation using data fusion. In *2020 IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance and Evolution (ICSME)* (Sept. 2020), IEEE.

- [195] REYES, R. P., DIESTE, O., FONSECA, E. R., AND JURISTO, N. Statistical errors in software engineering experiments. In *Proceedings of the 40th International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2018), ACM.
- [196] RIGBY, P. C., AND STOREY, M.-A. Understanding broadcast based peer review on open source software projects. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2011), ACM.
- [197] RIGGER, M., AND SU, Z. Finding bugs in database systems via query partitioning. *Proceedings of the ACM on Programming Languages* 4, OOPSLA (Nov. 2020), 1–30.
- [198] RIVERS, K., HARPSTEAD, E., AND KOEDINGER, K. Learning curve analysis for programming. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM Conference on International Computing Education Research* (Aug. 2016), ACM.
- [199] ROBILLARD, M. P., AND DELINE, R. A field study of API learning obstacles. *Empirical Software Engineering* 16, 6 (Dec. 2010), 703–732.
- [200] RODRÍGUEZ-PÉREZ, G., ROBLES, G., SEREBRENIK, A., ZAIDMAN, A., GERMÁN, D. M., AND GONZALEZ-BARAHONA, J. M. How bugs are born: a model to identify how bugs are introduced in software components. *Empirical Software Engineering* 25, 2 (Feb. 2020), 1294–1340.
- [201] ROSSBACH, C. J., HOFMANN, O. S., AND WITCHEL, E. Is transactional programming actually easier? *ACM SIGPLAN Notices* 45, 5 (May 2010), 47–56.
- [202] SADOWSKI, C., AND ZIMMERMANN, T., Eds. *Rethinking Productivity in Software Engineering*. Apress, 2019.
- [203] SARKER, F., VASILESCU, B., BLINCOE, K., AND FILKOV, V. Socio-technical work-rate increase associates with changes in work patterns in online projects. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [204] SCALABRINO, S., BAVOTA, G., VENDOME, C., LINARES-VASQUEZ, M., POSHYVANYK, D., AND OLIVETO, R. Automatically assessing code understandability. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 3 (Mar. 2021), 595–613.
- [205] SCALABRINO, S., LINARES-VÁSQUEZ, M., OLIVETO, R., AND POSHYVANYK, D. A comprehensive model for code readability. *Journal of Software: Evolution and Process* 30, 6 (June 2018), e1958.
- [206] SCANNIELLO, G., RISI, M., TRAMONTANA, P., AND ROMANO, S. Fixing faults in c and java source code. *ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology* 26, 2 (Oct. 2017), 1–43.

- [207] SEDANO, T., RALPH, P., AND PERAIRE, C. Software development waste. In *2017 IEEE/ACM 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2017), IEEE.
- [208] SHAO, S., QIU, Z., YU, X., YANG, W., JIN, G., XIE, T., AND WU, X. Database-access performance antipatterns in database-backed web applications. In *2020 IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance and Evolution (ICSME)* (Sept. 2020), IEEE.
- [209] SHARMA, P. N., SAVARIMUTHU, B. T. R., AND STANGER, N. Extracting rationale for open source software development decisions — a study of python email archives. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [210] SHARP, H., DITTRICH, Y., AND DE SOUZA, C. R. B. The role of ethnographic studies in empirical software engineering. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 42, 8 (Aug. 2016), 786–804.
- [211] SHRESTHA, N., BOTTA, C., BARIK, T., AND PARNIN, C. Here we go again. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [212] SOREMEKUN, E., KIRSCHNER, L., BÖHME, M., AND ZELLER, A. Locating faults with program slicing: an empirical analysis. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Apr. 2021).
- [213] SOTO-VALERO, C., HARRAND, N., MONPERRUS, M., AND BAUDRY, B. A comprehensive study of bloated dependencies in the maven ecosystem. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [214] SPADINI, D., ÇALIKLI, G., AND BACCHELLI, A. Primers or reminders? In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.
- [215] SPADINI, D., PALOMBA, F., BAUM, T., HANENBERG, S., BRUNTINK, M., AND BACCHELLI, A. Test-driven code review: An empirical study. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [216] SPIEGLER, S. V., HEINECKE, C., AND WAGNER, S. An empirical study on changing leadership in agile teams. *Empirical Software Engineering* 26, 3 (Mar. 2021).
- [217] SPINELLIS, D., AND AVGERIOU, P. Evolution of the unix system architecture: An exploratory case study. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 6 (June 2021), 1134–1163.
- [218] STAPLES, M., KOLANSKI, R., KLEIN, G., LEWIS, C., ANDRONICK, J., MURRAY, T., JEFFERY, R., AND BASS, L. Formal specifications better than function points for code sizing. In *2013 35th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2013), IEEE.

- [219] STEFIK, A., AND SIEBERT, S. An empirical investigation into programming language syntax. *ACM Transactions on Computing Education* 13, 4 (Nov. 2013), 1–40.
- [220] STEFIK, A., SIEBERT, S., STEFIK, M., AND SLATTERY, K. An empirical comparison of the accuracy rates of novices using the quorum, perl, and random programming languages. In *Proceedings of the 3rd ACM SIGPLAN workshop on Evaluation and usability of programming languages and tools - PLATEAU '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [221] STOL, K.-J., AND FITZGERALD, B. The ABC of software engineering research. *ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology* 27, 3 (Oct. 2018), 1–51.
- [222] STOLEE, K. T., AND ELBAUM, S. Refactoring pipe-like mashups for end-user programmers. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2011), ACM.
- [223] STYLOS, J., AND CLARKE, S. Usability implications of requiring parameters in objects' constructors. In *29th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'07)* (May 2007), IEEE.
- [224] TAIPALUS, T., SIPONEN, M., AND VARTIAINEN, T. Errors and complications in SQL query formulation. *ACM Transactions on Computing Education* 18, 3 (Sept. 2018), 1–29.
- [225] TAMBURRI, D. A., BLINCOE, K., PALOMBA, F., AND KAZMAN, R. “the canary in the coal mine...” a cautionary tale from the decline of SourceForge. *Software: Practice and Experience* 50, 10 (July 2020), 1930–1951.
- [226] TAN, X., ZHOU, M., AND SUN, Z. A first look at good first issues on GitHub. In *Proceedings of the 28th ACM Joint Meeting on European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering* (Nov. 2020), ACM.
- [227] TEW, A. E., AND GUZDIAL, M. The FCS1: a language independent assessment of cs1 knowledge. In *Proceedings of the 42nd ACM technical symposium on Computer science education - SIGCSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [228] THONGTANUNAM, P., MCINTOSH, S., HASSAN, A. E., AND IIDA, H. Revisiting code ownership and its relationship with software quality in the scope of modern code review. In *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Software Engineering* (May 2016), ACM.
- [229] TÓMASDÓTTIR, K. F., ANICHE, M., AND VAN DEURSEN, A. The adoption of JavaScript linters in practice: A case study on ESLint. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 46, 8 (Aug. 2020), 863–891.

- [230] TOMASSI, D. A., DMEIRI, N., WANG, Y., BHOWMICK, A., LIU, Y.-C., DEVANBU, P. T., VASILESCU, B., AND RUBIO-GONZALEZ, C. BugSwarm: Mining and continuously growing a dataset of reproducible failures and fixes. In *2019 IEEE/ACM 41st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE)* (May 2019), IEEE.
- [231] TOURANI, P., ADAMS, B., AND SEREBRENİK, A. Code of conduct in open source projects. In *2017 IEEE 24th International Conference on Software Analysis, Evolution and Reengineering (SANER)* (Feb. 2017), IEEE.
- [232] TREGUBOV, A., BOEHM, B., RODCHENKO, N., AND LANE, J. A. Impact of task switching and work interruptions on software development processes. In *Proceedings of the 2017 International Conference on Software and System Process* (July 2017), ACM.
- [233] VANHANEN, J., AND KORPI, H. Experiences of using pair programming in an agile project. In *2007 40th Annual Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS'07)* (2007), IEEE.
- [234] VENIGALLA, A. S. M., AND CHIMALAKONDA, S. On the comprehension of application programming interface usability in game engines. *Software: Practice and Experience* 51, 8 (May 2021), 1728–1744.
- [235] WANG, P., BROWN, C., JENNINGS, J. A., AND STOLEE, K. T. An empirical study on regular expression bugs. In *Proceedings of the 17th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories* (June 2020), ACM.
- [236] WANG, X., GULWANI, S., AND SINGH, R. FIDEX: filtering spreadsheet data using examples. In *Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Object-Oriented Programming, Systems, Languages, and Applications* (Oct. 2016), ACM.
- [237] WASHBURN, M., SATHIYANARAYANAN, P., NAGAPPAN, M., ZIMMERMANN, T., AND BIRD, C. What went right and what went wrong. In *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Software Engineering Companion* (May 2016), ACM.
- [238] WEINTROP, D., AND WILENSKY, U. Comparing block-based and text-based programming in high school computer science classrooms. *ACM Transactions on Computing Education* 18, 1 (Dec. 2017), 1–25.
- [239] WEIR, C., BECKER, I., AND BLAIR, L. A passion for security: Intervening to help software developers. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 43rd International Conference on Software Engineering: Software Engineering in Practice (ICSE-SEIP)* (May 2021), IEEE.

- [240] WESSEL, M., SEREBRENİK, A., WIESE, I., STEINMACHER, I., AND GEROSA, M. A. Effects of adopting code review bots on pull requests to OSS projects. In *2020 IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance and Evolution (ICSME)* (Sept. 2020), IEEE.
- [241] WICHERTS, J. M., BAKKER, M., AND MOLENAAR, D. Willingness to share research data is related to the strength of the evidence and the quality of reporting of statistical results. *PLoS ONE* 6, 11 (Nov. 2011), e26828.
- [242] WILKERSON, J. W., NUNAMAKER, J. F., AND MERCER, R. Comparing the defect reduction benefits of code inspection and test-driven development. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 38, 3 (May 2012), 547–560.
- [243] XU, T., JIN, L., FAN, X., ZHOU, Y., PASUPATHY, S., AND TALWADKER, R. Hey, you have given me too many knobs!: understanding and dealing with over-designed configuration in system software. In *Proceedings of the 2015 10th Joint Meeting on Foundations of Software Engineering* (Aug. 2015), ACM.
- [244] YASMIN, J., TIAN, Y., AND YANG, J. A first look at the deprecation of RESTful APIs: An empirical study. In *2020 IEEE International Conference on Software Maintenance and Evolution (ICSME)* (Sept. 2020), IEEE.
- [245] YIN, Z., YUAN, D., ZHOU, Y., PASUPATHY, S., AND BAIRAVASUNDARAM, L. How do fixes become bugs? In *Proceedings of the 19th ACM SIGSOFT symposium and the 13th European conference on Foundations of software engineering - SIGSOFT/FSE '11* (2011), ACM Press.
- [246] YU, Z., BAI, C., SEINTURIER, L., AND MONPERRUS, M. Characterizing the usage, evolution and impact of java annotations in practice. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 5 (May 2021), 969–986.
- [247] YUAN, D., LUO, Y., ZHUANG, X., RENNA RODRIGUES, G., ZHAO, X., JAIN, P. U., AND STUMM, M. Simple testing can prevent most critical failures—an analysis of production failures in distributed data-intensive systems. In *11th USENIX Symposium on Operating System Design and Implementation (OSDI'14)* (2014).
- [248] ZAMPETTI, F., VASSALLO, C., PANICHELLA, S., CANFORA, G., GALL, H., AND PENTA, M. D. An empirical characterization of bad practices in continuous integration. *Empirical Software Engineering* 25, 2 (Jan. 2020), 1095–1135.
- [249] ZHANG, H., WANG, S., CHEN, T.-H., AND HASSAN, A. E. Reading answers on stack overflow: Not enough! *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* (2020), 1–1.

- [250] ZHANG, H., WANG, S., CHEN, T.-H., ZOU, Y., AND HASSAN, A. E. An empirical study of obsolete answers on stack overflow. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 4 (Apr. 2021), 850–862.
- [251] ZHANG, J., JIANG, H., REN, Z., ZHANG, T., AND HUANG, Z. Enriching API documentation with code samples and usage scenarios from crowd knowledge. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering* 47, 6 (June 2021), 1299–1314.
- [252] ZHU, W., AND GODFREY, M. W. Mea culpa: How developers fix their own simple bugs differently from other developers. In *2021 IEEE/ACM 18th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (MSR)* (May 2021), IEEE.
- [253] ZIERIS, F., AND PRECHELT, L. Explaining pair programming session dynamics from knowledge gaps. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 42nd International Conference on Software Engineering* (June 2020), ACM.