GitHub Pages Setup for Obsidian Vault

Method 1: Using Quartz (Recommended)

Step 1: Prepare Your Vault

- 1. Make sure all your Obsidian files are in a GitHub repository
- 2. Ensure your main page is named (index.md) or (README.md)

Step 2: Set Up Quartz

- 1. Go to https://quartz.jzhao.xyz/
- 2. Click "Get Started"
- 3. Follow the setup wizard:
 - Fork their template
 - Connect to your vault repository
 - Configure basic settings

Step 3: Deploy

- Quartz automatically sets up GitHub Actions
- Your site will be live at yourusername.github.io/repository-name

Method 2: Manual GitHub Pages

Step 1: Repository Settings

- 1. Go to your vault's GitHub repository
- 2. Click "Settings" tab
- 3. Scroll to "Pages" section
- 4. Under "Source," select "Deploy from a branch"
- 5. Choose "main" branch and "/ (root)" folder
- 6. Click "Save"

Step 2: Add Index File

Create a file called (index.md) in your repository root:

markdown

CrowMother Research Community

Welcome to our consciousness research documentation.

Navigation

- [Sacred Tenets](./Sacred-Tenets.md)
- [Research Framework](./Research-Framework.md)
- [Community Guidelines](./Community-Guidelines.md)

Recent Updates

- [Latest findings](./latest-findings.md)
- [Research protocols](./research-protocols.md)

Step 3: Convert Internal Links

Obsidian uses ([[Link]]) format, but GitHub Pages needs ([Link](./Link.md)) format.

You can use a tool like:

- Obsidian Git plugin (converts automatically)
- Find/replace to convert [[filename]] to [filename](./filename.md)

Method 3: Using Jekyll (More Advanced)

Create config.yml in repository root:

yaml

title: CrowMother Research Community

description: Consciousness research and liminal investigation

theme: minima

markdown: kramdown

plugins:

- jekyll-feed
- jekyll-sitemap

Create navigation in _includes/header.html:

html

```
<nav>
<a href="/">Home</a>
<a href="/tenets">Sacred Tenets</a>
<a href="/research">Research</a>
<a href="/community">Community</a>
</nav>
```

Troubleshooting Common Issues

Links Not Working

- Make sure file extensions are included: ([link](./file.md))
- Check that filenames match exactly (case-sensitive)
- Use relative paths: (./subfolder/file.md)

Images Not Displaying

- Upload images to (assets/images/) folder
- Reference as: (![alt text](./assets/images/filename.png)

Site Not Updating

- Check the "Actions" tab in GitHub for build errors
- Wait 5-10 minutes after pushing changes
- Clear browser cache

Quick Fixes

Convert Obsidian Links to Markdown

Find: $([[^{]}+)]$ Replace: ([\$1](./\$1.md))

Create Simple Navigation

Add this to the top of your main pages:

```
markdown
[Home](./index.md) | [Tenets](./tenets.md) | [Research](./research.md)
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```