Title: Project GitHub Workflow Sketch Project Descriptor: LANDIS Programming Updates Project 2016SoE021

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==== References ==============

https://progit.org/

https://help.github.com/articles/fork-a-repo/

https://help.github.com/articles/configuring-a-remote-for-a-fork/

https://help.github.com/articles/syncing-a-fork/

########################### GitHub Workflow Sketch ############################

Bruce:

- * Fork the to-be-modified repository from https://github.com/LANDIS-II-Foundation. This will create a clone of the repo, https://github.com/LANDIS-II-Foundation/<name of LANDIS repo> at https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo>.
- * Keep the forked clone (at https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo>) 'in sync' with the original repo (the upstream repository at https://github.com/LANDIS-II-Foundation/<name of LANDIS repo>)

Programmer:

- * Setup GitHub account and install Git on local (programmer's) computer
- * Based on task (Issue) selection, clone a repo from https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo> to local (programmer's) computer. This becomes the local 'master'.
- * Create a descriptive topic branch from the local (cloned) repo 'master'
- * Make changes to the code on the (parallel-to-repo) topic branch
- * Perform QA/QC L1: Verify the syntax and content of the change
- * Commit the change to the (local) topic branch
- * Push the topic branch back up to the https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo>. This will generate a Pull Request to bmarron18.

Bruce:

- * Open the Pull Request and select 'Comment'
- * Specify QA/QC L2: 1) assign a code reviewer, 2) assign a code check testing procedure (per rmscheller) with defined metrics for acceptable model behavior and defined documentation procedures

Programmer:

- * Perform QA/QC L2: 1) dialog with reviewer about corrections, typos, etc (tracked in Pull Request), 2) incorporate agreed-upon code changes code, and 3) complete verification tests
- * Notify bmarron18 that QA/QC L2 complete (can be set to auto with email notification)

- * Open the (programmer's) updated Pull Request and either merge it (to https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo>) or re-start the comment cycle.
- * If the changes are accepted, push the newly-merged repo (https://github.com/bmarron18/<name of LANDIS repo>), back up to the upstream repository at https://github.com/LANDIS-II-Foundation/<name of LANDIS repo>. This will generate a Pull Request to rmscheller

Rob:

- * Open the (manager's) Pull Request and accept (merge)it, rejectit, or comment on it. Merging will close the Pull Request.
- * Close the associated Issue
- * Track the sequence of resolution efforts using the GitHub tabs, Graphs ==> Network