1.2 CRUD Operations in Git

This section will guide you to:

- Revert the earlier commits
- Ignore files in Git
- Pull the commits and collaborate between the repositories

This guide has three subsections, namely:

- 1.2.1 Reverting the previous commits
- 1.2.2 Ignoring specific files from the .git directory
- 1.2.3 Pulling the commits and collaborating between the local and remote repositories

Step 1.2.1: Reverting the previous commits.

- You can get the hash by running git log
- You can run git log -online to simplify the output
- You can revert the previous commits by running git revert <commit hash>
- You can fix the detached head by running git checkout <current branch>

Step 1.2.2: Ignoring specific files from the .git directory.

- Create a **.gitignore** file in the directory of the files which needs to be checked in to your GitHub account.
- Use the globbing patterns to match against file names. You can find all the globbing pattern information here.

Step 1.2.3: Pulling the commits and collaborating between the local and remote repositories.

• The **git pull** command first runs **git fetch** which downloads content from the specified remote repository

- The **git merge** is executed to merge the remote content references and heads into a new local merge commit
- You can execute **git pull <options>** to fetch the specified remote's copy of the current branch and immediately merge it into local copy
- You can execute **git pull --no-commit <remote>** that fetches the remote content but doesn't create a new merge commit
- You can execute git pull --verbose to fetch the verbose output during a pull
- You can execute git pull --rebase <remote> instead of git merge