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Connecting to GitHub via HTTPS

When using Github via the Coursera platform, it is required to authenticate using a Personal Access Token over HTTPS. A Personal Access Token is a special password that you use instead of your actual account password. When you're finished using the token, you can revoke it so that it can no longer be used. It is also possible to set an expiry time for the token. This helps to keep your account secure.

Generate a Personal Access Token

We now need to set up our Personal Access Token.

Step 1: Log in to Github

Step 2: Click on the profile icon in the top right of the screen and select Settings.