GIT SETUP!

1. Basic configuration of git:

```
# Set your username!
$ git config --global user.name "Your Name Here"

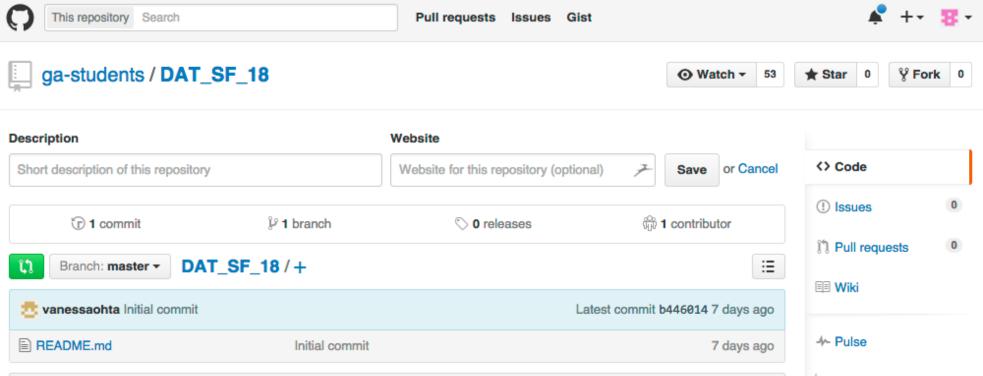
# Set your email address!
$ git config --global user.email "your name@domain.com"
```

2. Check your configuration settings:

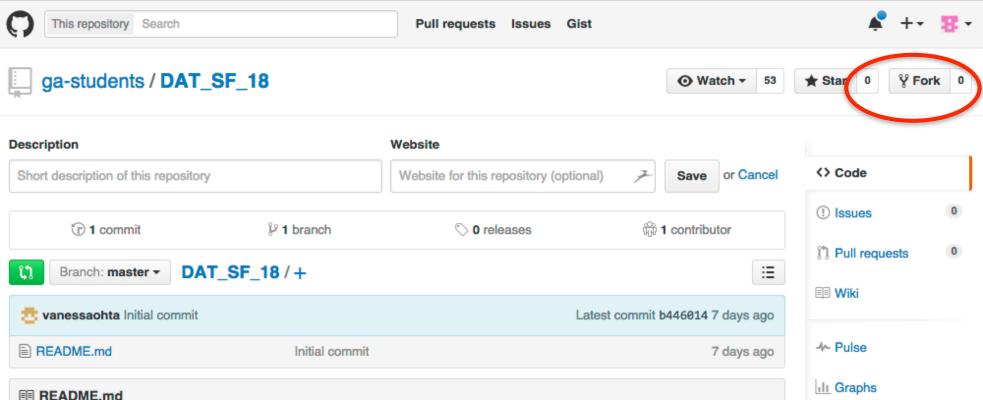
- \$ git config --global user.name
- \$ git config --global user.email

GITHUB SETUP FOR THE COURSE

Go To: https://github.com/ga-students/dat_sf_18



Fork this repo to your own Github account

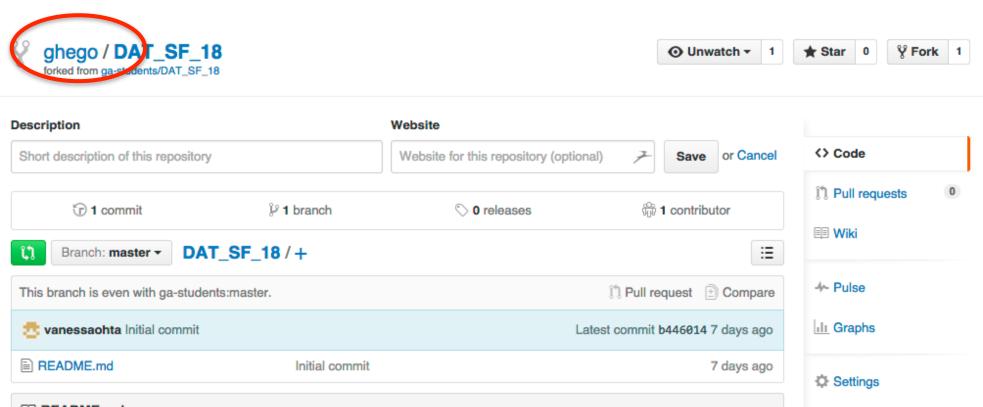


Forking ga-students/DAT_SF_18

It should only take a few seconds.



You should see a fork under YOUR Github account



Next, we will clone your newly forked repo to your local machine.

- 1. Navigate to your GeneralAssembly directory (under which we will be doing all of our work). Create this on your desktop if you want.
- 2. cd into that GeneralAssembly directory.
- 3. Copy the clone url for the repo from its Github page.
- 4. Back in the terminal, type: git clone https://github.com/<YOUR USERNAME>/DAT_SF_18.git
- 5. Your forked repo will download to your local machine.

qit remote -v

Next, we will create a link to the instructor repo so that you can easily get the latest course materials:

1. In the terminal, add an "upstream remote" by typing:

```
git remote add instructor https://github.com/ga-students/DAT_SF_18.git
```

2. Verify that we have successfully added both remotes by typing:

```
instructor https://github.com/ga-students/DAT_SF_18.git (fetch)
origin https://github.com/<YOUR USERNAME>/DAT_SF_18.git (fetch)
origin https://github.com/<YOUR USERNAME>/DAT SF 18.git (push)
```

To post files to your forked repository on Github:

- 1. Create a test file in the homework folder of your cloned Github repo. An empty text file will work for this.
- 2. Now type:

```
git status
```

3. To add the file to the staging area, type:

```
git add <filename>
```

4. Again, type:

git status

To post files to your forked repository on Github:

1. Next, commit the files you just added to the staging area by typing:

```
git commit -m "Adding test file"
```

2. Now type:

```
git status
```

3. To push your commits up to your Github account (in the cloud):

```
git push -u origin master
```

