

Working towards great  
version control for  
content creators

Hi.







# A screenshot paints a thousand words.

## Usersnap

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**Requires:** 3.0 or higher

**Compatible up to:** 3.6.1

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5 out of 5 stars

# My ~~problem~~ challenge with WordPress and version control

I use private repo's on GitHub to store my WP-files. I wish I could do the same for my posts.



... despite how crucial GitHub is to the developer toolbox, I'm constantly wondering why the platform is limited to just code.

Loren Burton on how he's building GitHub for Writers



I don't want to build a GitHub  
'for everyone else'.  
I'm lazy.



... there can be multiple pull requests and multiple versions of the code floating around simultaneously, but everything eventually ends up in single place (master branch).

Loren Burton on how he's building GitHub for Writers



# The limitations of GitHub for writers



# GitHub for teachers



I want a GitHub of science



# From Collaborative Coding to Wedding Invitations: GitHub Is Going *Mainstream*

THE Wired article



The open, collaborative workflow we have created for software development is so appealing that it's gaining traction for non-software projects that require significant collaboration.

GitHub cofounder and CEO Tom Preston-Werner



GitHub wants to change the way  
people work (together).

GitHub cofounder and CEO Tom Preston-Werner



But GitHub's tech terms are certainly  
not 'for everyone' just yet.

WordPress 3.6 “Oscar”

# Revisions, Post Locking & Augmented Autosave





Revision by **L. Frank Baum**  
113 years ago (16 May @ 23:51)

Previous



Next



Revision by **L. Frank Baum**  
113 years ago (16 May @ 23:51)

[Restore This Revision](#)

"It really seems," said Cap'n Bill, as he sat beside Trot under the big acacia tree, looking out over the blue ocean, "that the more we know, the more we find we don't know."

"I can't quite make that out, Cap'n Bill," answered the little girl in a serious voice, after a moment's thought, during

"Seems to me," said Cap'n Bill, as he sat beside Trot under the big acacia tree, looking out over the blue ocean, "seems to me, Trot, as how the more we know, the more we find we don't know."

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Version Control the way I like it

Forking / cloning

# Branches & pull requests



Commenting on changes

Committing (naming changes)

Task lists (issues) with  
assigning possibilities

All in the termina-NATIVE app

Notifications?

And...

issues

project management

markdown support

So... What's out there?

# WP Document Revisions



Requires: 3.2 or higher

Compatible up to: 3.6

Last Updated: 2013-7-3

Downloads: 47,064



... for 39 users

Teams can collaboratively edit files of any format all the while, seamlessly tracking the document's progress as it moves through your organization's existing workflow.

# Post Forking

Requires: 3.5 or higher

Compatible up to: 3.6.1

Last Updated: 2013-9-26

Downloads: 1,288



... for 13 users

(...) allows users to “fork” or create an alternate version of content to foster a more collaborative approach to WordPress.

# Edit Flow

Requires: 3.4 or higher

Compatible up to: 3.5.2

Last Updated: 2013-1-31

Downloads: 61,388



... for 72 users

(...) empowers you to collaborate with your editorial team inside WordPress.



Calendar - A month-by-month look at your content

Custom Statuses - Define the key stages to your workflow.

Editorial Comments - Threaded commenting in the admin  
for private discussion between writers and editors.

Editorial Metadata - Keep track of the important details.

Notifications - Receive timely updates on the content  
you're following.

Story Budget - View your upcoming content budget.

User Groups - Keep your users organized by department

Revisionary

Requires: 3.0 or higher

Compatible up to: 3.6.1

Last Updated: 2013-8-19

Downloads: 18,741



4.7 out of 5 stars for 18 users

(...) enables qualified users to submit changes to currently published posts or pages. Contributors also gain the ability to submit revisions to their own published content.

Pending Revisions allow designated users to suggest changes to a currently published post/page

Scheduled Revisions allow you to specify future changes to published content (either via Pending Revision approval or directly by fully qualified author/editor)

Enhanced Revision Management Form

Front-end preview display of Pending / Scheduled Revisions with "Publish Now" link

New WordPress role, "Revisor" is a moderated Editor

**Duplicate Post**

Requires: 3.0 or higher  
Compatible up to: 3.3.2  
Last Updated: 2012-5-4  
Downloads: 386,875



4.8 out of 5 stars for 154 users

(...) allows to clone a post or page, or edit it as a new draft.



Monday is hackathon day, right?

@floordrees