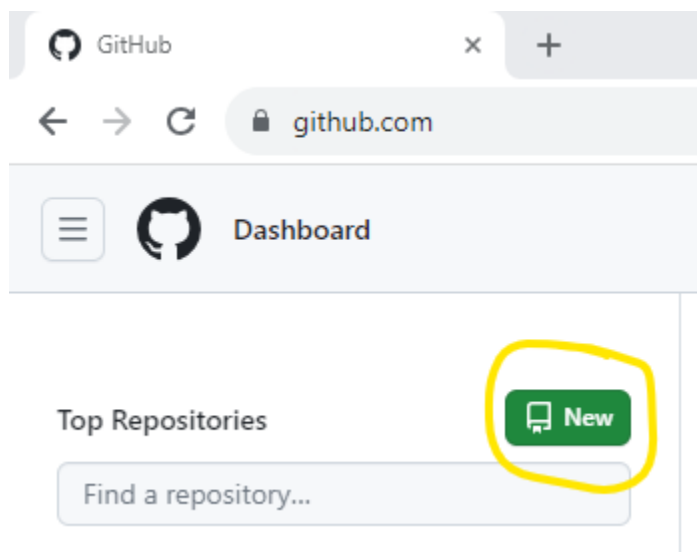


How to use GitHub Pages

Go to <https://github.com/> and create a new GitHub account with your assigned username and Lambton College email address.

Click on New to create a new repository.



Create a new public repository named `username.github.io`, where `username` is your assigned username.

Create a new repository



A repository contains all project files, including the revision history. A [Import a repository.](#)

Required fields are marked with an asterisk ().*

Owner *	Repository name *
<input type="text" value="username"/>	<input type="text" value="username.github.io"/>
✓ username.github.io is available.	

Great repository names are short and memorable. Need inspiration?

Make sure that it is set to public, and not private.

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- ☒  **Public**
Anyone on the internet can see this repository. You choose who can commit.
- ☐  **Private**
You choose who can see and commit to this repository.
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Leave everything else as is and hit the Create repository button.

 You are creating a public repository in your personal account.


Create repository

Download GitHub Desktop from: <https://desktop.github.com/>

Sign into GitHub Desktop. You will be redirected to a browser to sign in.

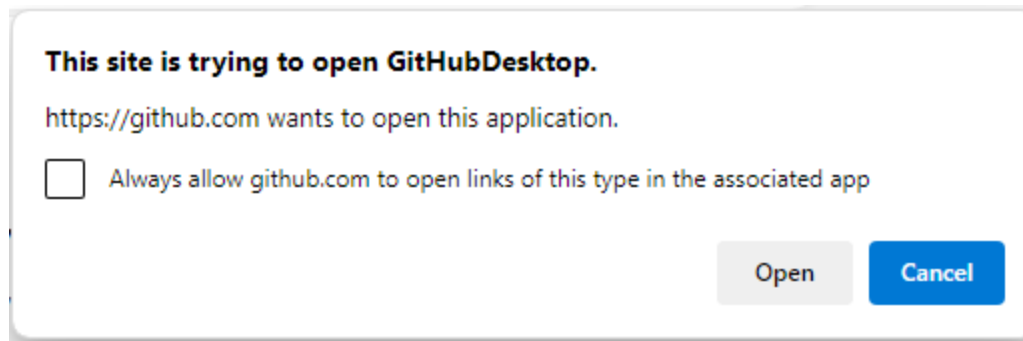
Welcome to GitHub Desktop

GitHub Desktop is a seamless way to contribute to projects on GitHub and GitHub Enterprise. Sign in below to get started with your existing projects.

Sign in to GitHub.com 

Sign in to GitHub Enterprise

Once you sign in, there will be a popup message to open in the application. Click the Open button.

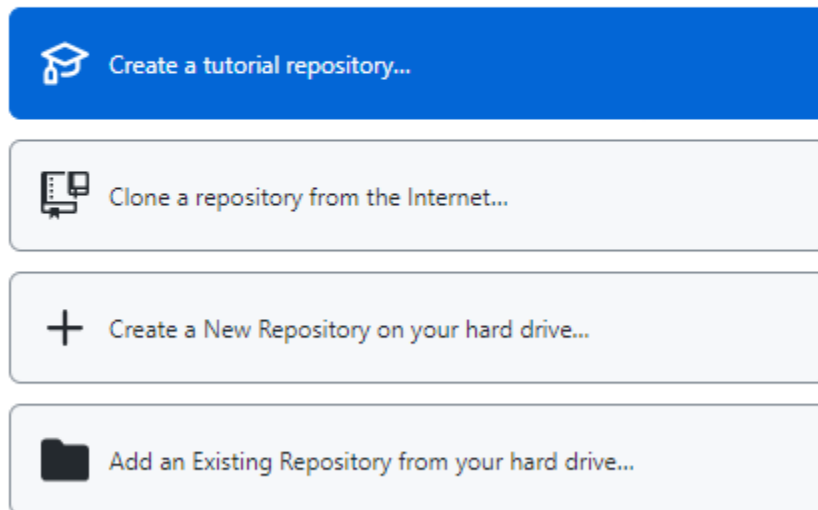


Then click the Finish button in GitHub Desktop.

Choose “Clone a repository from the Internet...” in GitHub Desktop.

Let's get started!

Add a repository to GitHub Desktop to start collaborating



Select the repository that you created earlier and click the Clone button.

Clone a repository

GitHub.com

GitHub Enterprise

URL

Filter your repositories

Your repositories

username/username.github.io

Local path

C:\Users\user\Documents\GitHub\username.github.io

Choose...

Clone

Cancel

There should now be a GitHub folder in your Documents folder. Navigate to this folder.


Inside the GitHub folder, there will be a folder named *username.github.io*, where *username* is your assigned username.


You can now copy and paste your HTML files, CSS folder, and images folder for your website here.

Documents > GitHub > username.github.io					
	Name	Date modified	Type	Size	
n Cc	css	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	File folder		
—	images	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	File folder		
✦	about	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	Microsoft Edge H...	3 KB	
✦	contact	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	Microsoft Edge H...	3 KB	
✦	index	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	Microsoft Edge H...	3 KB	
✦	template	11/6/2023 1:59 PM	Microsoft Edge H...	2 KB	
✦					

Now in GitHub Desktop, you will see all these files appear in the Changes tab on the left side of the application.

Changes 9	History	about.
9 changed files		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> about.html		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> contact.html		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> css\styles.css		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> images\baby-hawk.jpg		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> images\baby-raccoons.jpg		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> images\Thumbs.db		
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> index.html		
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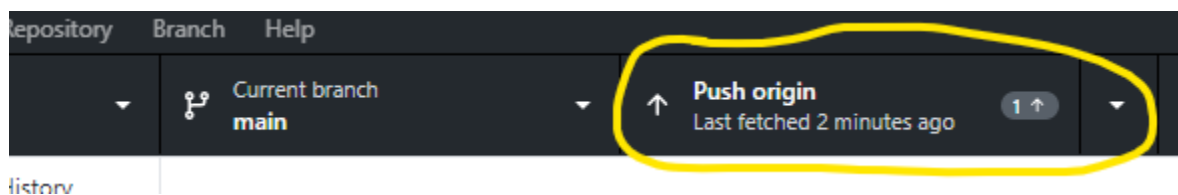




Commit to main

To commit these changes, enter something like “initial commit” in the Summary box, and click the Commit to main button on the bottom left corner of the application.

You then need to click the publish button along the top of the application.



You can then view your site by going to <http://username.github.io> in a browser. It may take a minute or two for the changes to appear.

Now whenever a file is edited in this folder, the changes will need to be committed and pushed through GitHub Desktop to show up on your website.