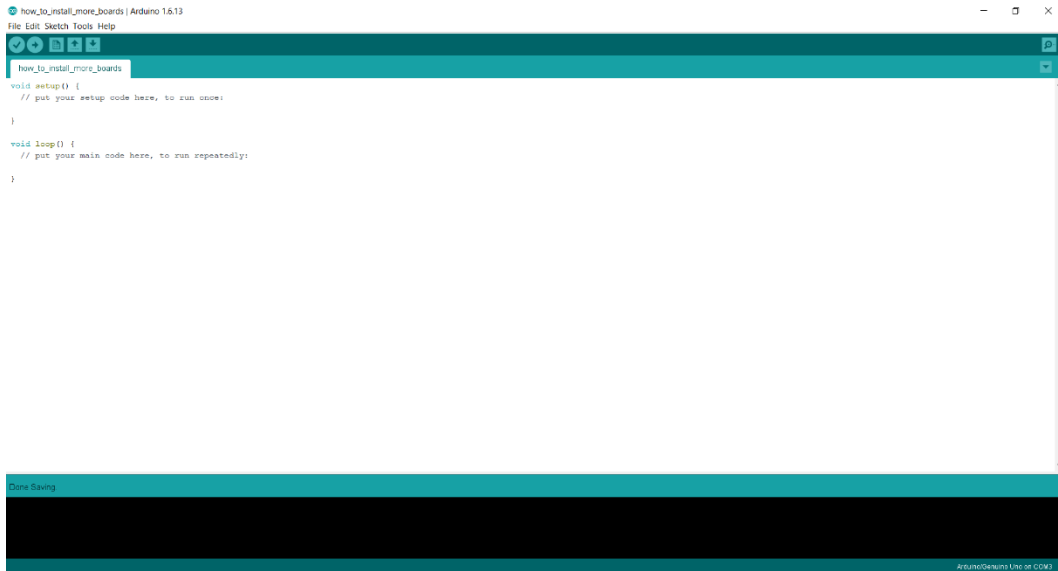


# Install the ESP8266 add-on to the Arduino IDE

1. Download Arduino IDE from: [http://bit.ly/wsiot\\_arduino](http://bit.ly/wsiot_arduino) (make sure it's a version greater than 1.6.4)

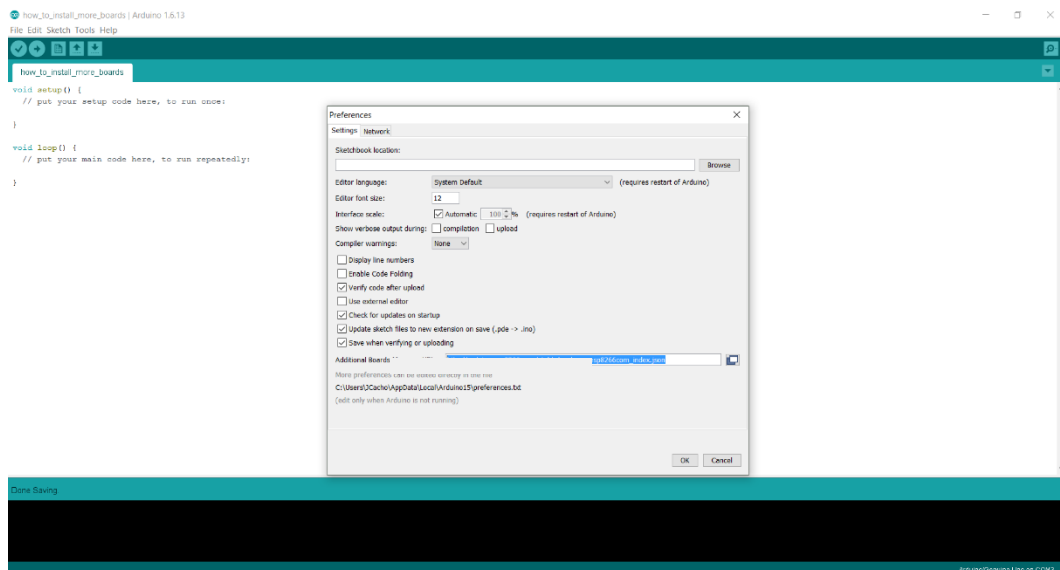
2. Open Arduino IDE and it should look like this:



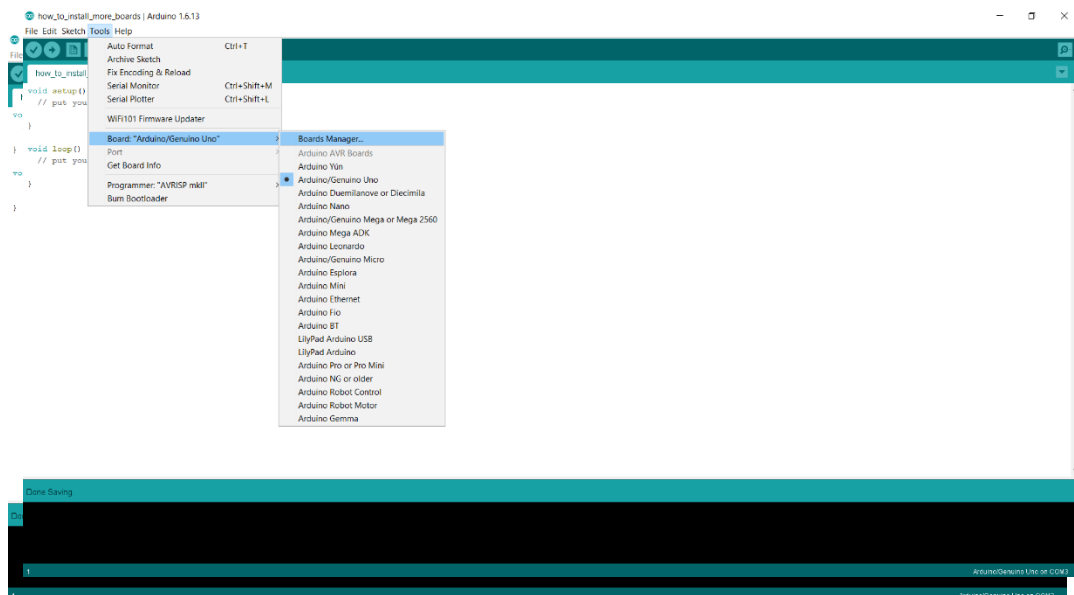
3. Go to File -> Preferences:



4. Open Preferences and add [http://arduino.esp8266.com/stable/package\\_esp8266com\\_index.json](http://arduino.esp8266.com/stable/package_esp8266com_index.json) to Additional Boards Manager URLs:



5. Close Preferences and go to Tools -> Board -> Boards Manager and open it:



6. Search for esp8266 and then install the most recent version:

7. Close and restart the Arduino IDE.

8. Open Arduino IDE again and go to Tools -> Board and scroll down to ESP8266 Modules. If the list of boards looks like the one in the picture you are good to go, if not, try again or contact us via email.

