Enough to Git Started

2019 Medication Reconciliation Hackathon at UConn Health

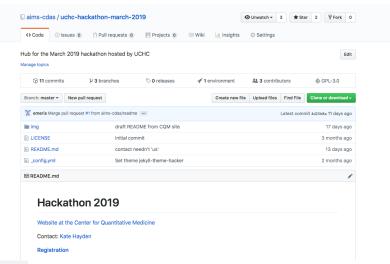
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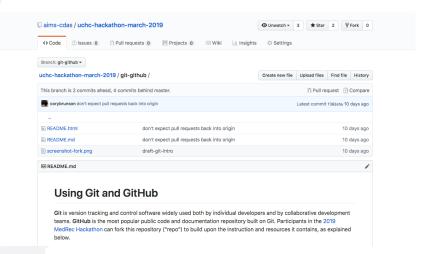
the MedRec Hackathon GitHub repo



https://github.com/aims-cdas/uchc-hackathon-march-2019



Introduction to Git





Installation

Git introduction:

https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Getting-Started-About-Version-Control

Git installation (Mac, Windows, source):

https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Getting-Started-Installing-Git



Documentation (and help)

- Git documentation:
 git –help
- 2 Git Book:

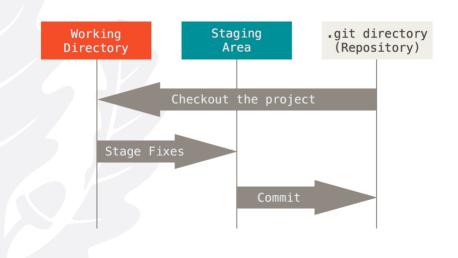
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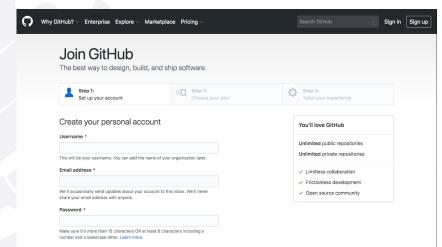
Version control with Git





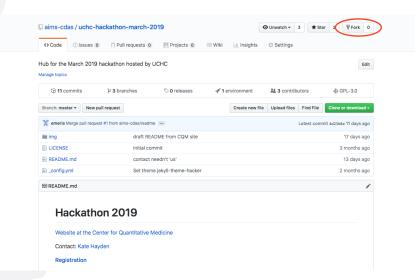
Create a GitHub account

https://github.com/join



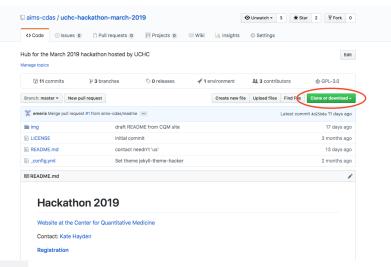


Fork the MedRec repo





Duplicate the MedRec repo



https://help.github.com/en/articles/duplicating-a-repository



Clone your forked copy or private repo

```
# clone repo from URL
git clone \
  https://github.com/<username>/uchc-hackathon-march-2019
# <navigate into local directory>
# list remotes linked to local directory
git remote
git remote --verbose
```



Have Git ignore certain files

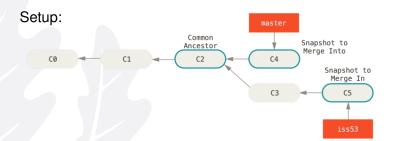
Example .gitignore file:

- # Mac OS X metadata
 .DS_Store
- # R & RStudio metadata
- .Rhistory
- .Rapp.history
- .RData
- .Rproj.user

experimentation folder
sandbox

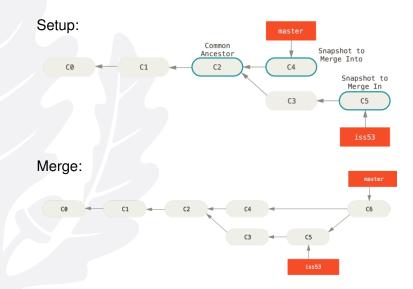


Basic merging





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Work in a new branch

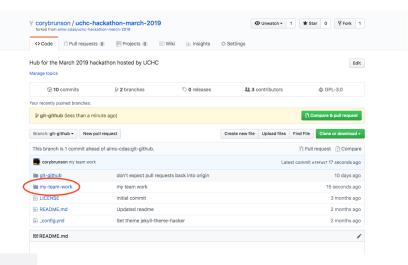
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# view all branches
git branch
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create a new branch
git branch experimental

switch to new branch
git checkout experimental



Work in project folders





Stage changes

```
# list all tracked changes (committed or not)
git status
```

```
# add changes to a file to the staging area
git add <filename>
```

stage any changes to all tracked files
git add .

```
# stop tracking a file (without deleting it)
git rm --cached <filename>
```



Commit staged changes

```
# retrieve the last committed version of a file
# (erase uncommitted changes)
git checkout <filename>

# commit staged changes
git commit --message="this is what i did"

# message option shortcut
git commit -m "this is what i did"
```

In general, **don't** change branches with uncommitted changes.



Merge into the master branch

switch (back) to the master branch
git checkout master

merge commits from the experimental branch
git merge experimental

open a merge tool to resolve merge conflicts
git mergetool





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