ECSE 321 Introduction to Software Engineering

Hands-on Tutorials

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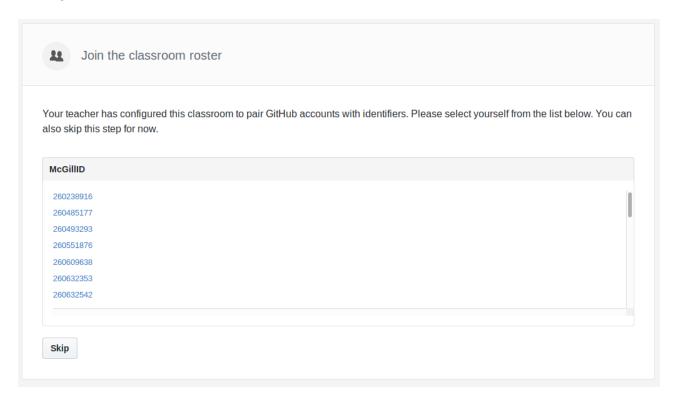
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1. Preliminaries

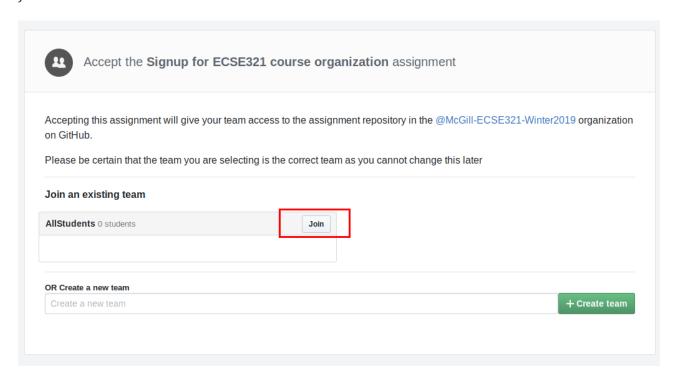
1.1. Getting Started

Steps for signing up for GitHub classroom:

- 1. Log in/Register on GitHub.
- 2. Open link https://classroom.github.com/g/o9gWNZis
- 3. Select your McGill ID from the list



4. Join team All students



1.2. Project Management Tools for Agile Development

1.2.1. GitHub Projects

First, we create a new repository under everyone's own account to demonstrate the basic features of "GitHub Projects".

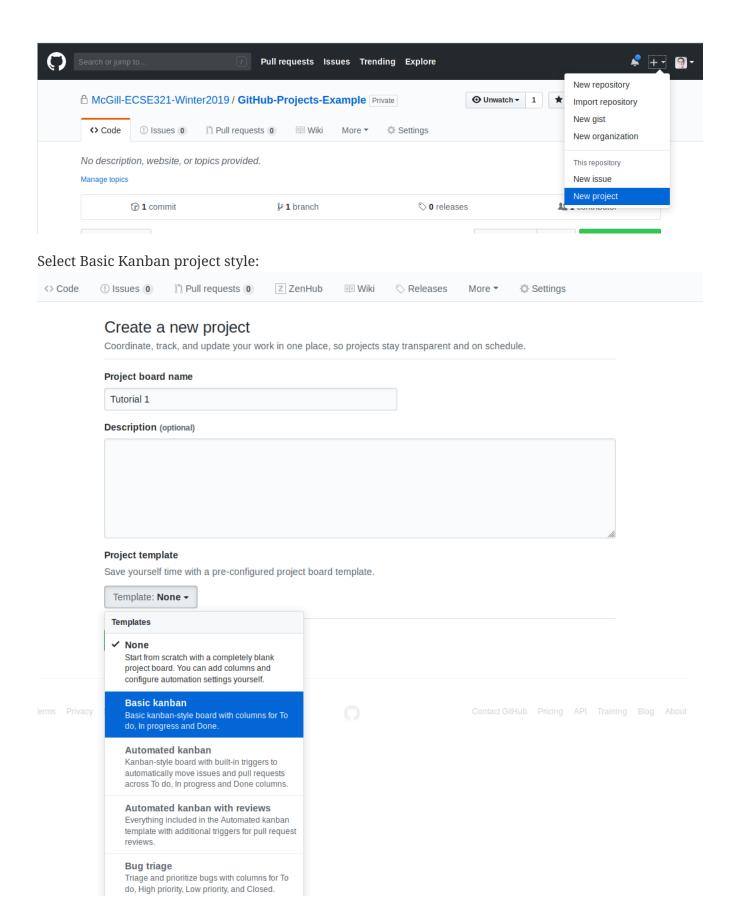
- 1. Visit https://github.com/ then click on *New repository* (green buttom on the right).
- 2. Set your user as the owner of the repository.

Create a new repository

3. Give a name for the repository (e.g., ecse321-tutorial-1), leave it *public*, then check *Initialize this repository with a README*. Click on *Create repository* afterwards. At this point the remote repository is ready to use.

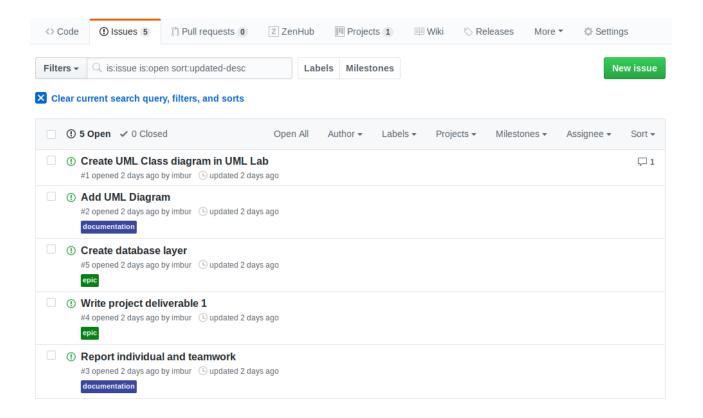
Owner Repository name cese321testuser / ecse321-tutorial-1 Great repository names are short and memorable. Need inspiration? How about furry-octo-journey. Description (optional) Public Anyone can see this repository. You choose who can commit. Private You choose who can see and commit to this repository. Initialize this repository with a README This will let you immediately clone the repository to your computer. Skip this step if you're importing an existing repository. Add a license: None Add a license: None Create repository

Once the repository is ready, associate a new GitHub Project and see how their features work. Create a project:

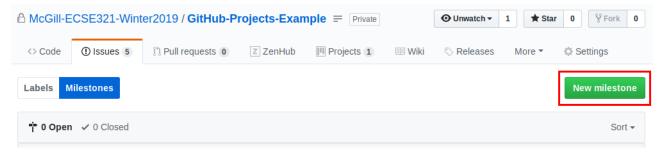


Tasks to complete:

1. Create a few issues to outline the tasks for the first deliverable. Assign them appropriate labels and add yourself as the assignee!



2. Create a milestone for the issues.



- 3. Create cards from the issues on the project board.
- 4. See how GitHub track the project progress as you move the cards from the different columns.

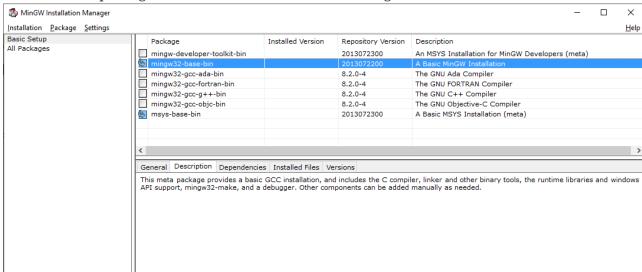
1.3. Command Line Basics

This section shows a few handy terminal commands.

1.3.1. Windows prerequisites

This step can be skipped if you are using MacOS or Linux. However, if you are using Windows, you need to have a terminal that supports the execution of basic Linux commands. Such programs are Git Bash or MinGW, for example. You can find below a few helper steps to get MinGW running on your system.

- 1. Get the MinGW installer from here
- 2. Install it to wherever you like, the default installation folder is C: MinGW
- 3. Once the setup finishes, open the MinGW Installation Manager
- 4. Select the two packages for installation as shown in the figure below



- 5. Click on *Installation/Apply Changes*. This will take a few moments to fetch and install the required packages.
- 6. You can open a terminal window by running the executable *C*:|*MinGW*|*msys*|1.0|*bin*|*bash.exe*

1.3.2. Basic file system operaions

- 1. Open a terminal, and try the following commands:
 - pwd: prints the present working directory Example:

```
$ pwd
/home/ecse321
```

 ls: lists the content of a given folder Example:

```
$ ls /home
ecse321 guest-user admin
```

cd: navigates the file system Example:

```
$ cd ..
$ pwd
/home
$ cd ecse321
$ pwd
/home/ecse321
```

NOTE

The following steps will include images that illustrate the commands and their output to prevent easy copy-paste. Sorry! :)

- 2. Creating files and reading/writing their contents
 - touch: creates a file
 - mkdir: creates a directory
 - mv: moves a file (or directory) from its current location to a target location
 - echo: prints a string
 - cat: prints the contents of a file Example:

```
MINGW32:/home/ecse321
                                                                                      ×
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ touch greeting.txt
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
total 1
drwxr-xr-x 2 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 13:54 .
drwxr-xr-x 4 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 13:54 ..
-rw-r--r-- 1 marto Administrators 12 Sep 2 13:56 greeting.txt
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ echo "Hello World" > greeting.txt
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ cat *.txt
Hello World
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ mkdir "text-documents"
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ mv greeting.txt text-documents/
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ ls text-documents/
greeting.txt
```

1.3.3. Finding files

The versatile find command allows us to find files based on given criteria. Take look at its manual page with man find!

Example:

```
MINGW32:/home/ecse321

marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321

$ 1s -1a
total 0
drwxr-xr-x 3 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 23:05 .
drwxr-xr-x 4 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 13:54 ..
drwxr-xr-x 2 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 23:05 text-documents

marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321

$ find ./ -iname *txt
./text-documents/greeting.txt
```

1.3.4. Batch file operations

• sed: stream editor; changes a given string to a replacement

Combining find with an additional command (e.g., sed) can greatly speed up your repetitive tasks. Example:

```
MINGW32:/home/ecse321
                                                                                                                                                                 ×
$ 1s -la text-documents/
total 2
drwxr-xr-x 2 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 23:26 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 marto Administrators 0 Sep 2 23:05 ..
-r--r-- 1 marto Administrators 14 Sep 2 23:26 greeting.txt
-rw-r--r- 1 marto Administrators 12 Sep 2 23:21 helloworld.txt
$ touch temp
                  -552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ sed "s/World/ECSE321/g" text-documents/greeting.txt temp
Hello ECSE321
$ cat temp
marto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
$ sed "s/World/ECSE321/g" text-documents/greeting.txt > temp
$ cat temp
Hello ECSE321
$ mv temp text-documents/greeting.txt
 arto@LAPTOP-552KU861 /home/ecse321
find ./ -iname *txt -exec sed "s/Hello/Hi/g" {} \;
 Hi ECSE321
 Hi World
```

NOTE The file *helloworld.txt* in the example is initially a copy of *greeting.txt*.

1.3.5. Some additional useful commands

- rm: removes a file
- cp -r: copies a directory recursively with its contents
- rmdir: remove an empty directory

- rm -rf: force to recursively delete a directory (or file) and all its contents
- nano: an easy-to-use text editor (not available by default in MinGW)
- grep: finds matches for a string in a given stream of characters
- ag: takes a string as argument and searches through the contents of files recursively to find matches of the given string (this tool is included in the *silversearcher-ag* package)