7.0 Lesson - Github and Xcode Projects

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7.1 Lecture - Github and Xcode Projects

TODO Lesson Links from Roadmap

7.2 Tutorial - Create Your Github Account and Download the Mac App

Create a Github account and download the Mac app for github.

Links

- http://github.com
- Github Mac App

7.3 Tutorial - Create and Download Your Github Project

- 1. Create a new Github repository
- 2. Add a README (markdown)

- 3. Add a .gitignore file for Swift
- 4. Download your github project from github

Links

http://github.com

7.4 Tutorial - Make and Commit Changes With Github

- 1. Create a new Xcode project and save it in your Github project directory
- 2. Add a print statement to ViewController.swift

```
print("hello!")
```

- 3. Commit the change with Github app
- 4. Open your LaunchScreen.storyboard
- 5. Commit the changes with the Github app
 - 1. Sometimes Xcode will update UI files when you look at them if they're an older version.
- 6. Open your Main.storyboard and add some UI
- 7. Commit the changes
- 8. Push your changes to your public code repository with the Sync button (auto-sync option)

Links

https://github.com/PaulSolt/Github-Xcode-Project

7.5 Tutorial - Simple Github Workflow on Master

- 1. Always sync first
 - 1. Important in team projects or if you have multiple computers (laptop and desktop)
- 2. Make changes
- 3. Commit often when you changed with descriptive messages
- 4. Sync your commits to Github

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7.6 Tutorial - Git and Xcode Projects for Teams

- 1. To prevent merge conflicts, you need to pick one person at a time to make changes.
 - 1. Only one person is allowed to add files to a shared project (swift, storyboard, .xib, config files, images, etc.)
 - 2. Commit the changes
 - 3. Inform the rest of the team to pull changes (sync)
- 2. You have to communicate via chat/text/email when things are changing, so the rest of the team can get the latest Xcode project and files.
- 3. To prevent merge conflicts with your storyboard files, only one person should be editing them at a time.

7.7 Bug Fix - How to Undo Changes With Git

Github App

Disable Auto Sync with Commits

Edit > Automatically Sync after Committing

Undo Local Changes

- 1. Right click on file in current changes (before commit)
- 2. Choose Discard Changes

Revert Commit

- 1. Click on change (reverse order)
- 2. Click on Cog button
- 3. Revert this Commit

Terminal - Command Line (Use Spotlight)

1. Undo the last commit

```
git revert HEAD
```

2. Undo changes to a single file

```
git checkout filename
```

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3. Discard all local changes (Warning: use sparingly, uncommitted work is deleted, prefer revert)

git reset HEAD --hard

7.8 Tutorial - Github Branch Pull Request Workflow for Teams

- 1. Always sync first
- 2. Create a new branch (no spaces in name)
- 3. Switch to the branch
- 4. Make changes to your project
- 5. Merge any changes from the master branch
- 6. Create a Pull request
- 7. On github.com a project owner (you or one of your team members) needs to Merge the pull request (if there are no merge conflicts)
 - 1. Pull requests on Github enable discussion and your team can review your code before pulling in your changes.
 - 2. This is good for code quality, but it requires more steps and overhead
 - 3. Communication is key to making progress
 - 4. You still need to follow the rules about only one person modifying the Xcode project, Storyboard files, or adding new files to an Xcode project

7.9 Bug Fix - How to Resolve Conflicts With Storyboard Files and Xcode

- 1. Make sure you resolve, commit, and sync your changes.
- 2. If you are on a team have everyone else sync to pull the latest changes before making more changes.

Avoid Conflicts

Always Sync before making changes to the project, UI, code.

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Option 1: Revert Changes

- 1. Write down what you changed
- 2. Revert the changes that you caused to conflict
- 3. Sync
- 4. Re-apply your changes from your notes

Option 2: Merge Changes

- 1. Open Xcode and use the Versions Editor (Left/Right arrows)
- 2. Storyboard files must be opened as a code file to resolve conflicts
 - 1. Right click on Storyboard file
 - 2. Open As
 - 3. Source Code
- 3. Remove the conflicts between the markers:

```
>>>>> HEAD

// your current stuff here ...

======

// the other code from someone else ...

// pick one or cherry pick ... this get's super complex quickly

<<<<< master
```

- 4. Add any removed code from the Current Revision to your BASE Revisions
- 5. Open Terminal to mark the conflict as resolved and commit it
 - 1. On Mac Github app right-click on the project name > Open in Terminal
- 6. Check the status of conflicts

```
git status
```

7. Mark each file resolved by adding it back to git

```
git add filepath/filename.storyboard
```

or add all files using the wild card symbol (easier)

```
git add *
```

8. Commit the changes

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```
git commit -m "Merged changes with XYZ and fixed issues"
```

- 9. Sync or create a Pull Request to finish
- 0. Everyone on the team needs to do a Sync or pull to get the updated changes.

Links

Undoing Git Changes - altassian.com

7.10 Homework - Share Your Github Project

Sharing your code via a Github project is the easiest way to share code with other people. They can always get your latest version instead of an old .zip file.

Homework

- 1. Create and share your Github Project
 - 1. Copy your first iPhone app from Lesson 3 into your project folder
 - 2. Commit it
 - 3. Sync it
- 2. Share your github account and project on the community forum

Collaborate

- 1. Collaborating with another person on a shared github project
 - 1. Add collaborators on the settings page

Homework

• [Chapter 1] 7.10 Homework - Share Your Github Project

7.11 More Advanced Git and Github Resources

There are a lot of resources on git and Github. You now have a base level of understanding and can learn more about it using the following links.

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- 1. https://help.github.com
- 2. Git Book
- 3. Git Cheat Sheet
- 4. GitHub Pull Request Flow
- 5. Try Git

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