

How to push to multiple repositories with different github accounts using one device ?

Step 1: Generate SSH Keys

bash

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```
$ ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "your_email@example.com"
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (/Users/yourusername/.ssh/id_rsa):
Enter passphrase (empty for no passphrase):
Enter same passphrase again:
Your identification has been saved in /Users/yourusername/.ssh/id_rsa.
Your public key has been saved in /Users/yourusername/.ssh/id_rsa.pub.
```

- **Generate SSH Keys**

- Open a terminal
- `ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "your_email@example.com"`
- Defining the file name and where you want to create the ssh keys .

You will get a popup like this:

```
Enter file in which to save the key (C:\Users\Pri/.ssh/id_rsa):
```

To edit the file name a bit, write `C:\Users\Pri/.ssh/id_rsa_personal`

It should look like this :

```
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (C:\Users\Pri/.ssh/id_rsa): C:\Users\Pri/.ssh/id_rsa_personal
```



- Next will ask for a passphrase, keep it empty, press enter and move ahead .
If you get this kinds of image, that is mean ssh key is created

```
The key's randomart image is:
+---[RSA 4096]---+
|      .E.+..Bo|
|      o B.. = +|
|      .X B  . |
|      . oo.O + |
|      o S*..+ . |
|      ..=o . o .|
|      ..+. o . .|
|      .o.O+ . . |
```

- **Copy key**

type .ssh\id_rsa_personal.pub - type this in terminal to see the key

Or you can open the **second** file located in users/user_name/.ssh folder copy the key from there

 id_rsa_pri	20-08-2023 11:41	File	4 KB
 id_rsa_pri	20-08-2023 11:41	Microsoft Publish...	1 KB

- Copy the key and paste it github account

Open your github account go to **settings/SSH and GPG keys** and add the key there

***Repeat the process for your official account** . Like create ssh key and add it to your official account

- After repeating the process twice

You will have 4 files in **user_name/.ssh folder**

Like

- Id_rsa_personal
- Id_rsa_personal.pub

- Id_rsa_official
- Id_rsa_official.pub

- **Create config file**

Now create a config file to specify when to use a key to clone a repository .
In **.ssh folder** create config **file** along with key files and add the below lines there

```
# Personal GitHub account
Host personal github.com
  HostName github.com
  PreferredAuthentications publickey
  IdentityFile ~/.ssh/id_rsa_personal
```

```
# Official GitHub account
Host official github.com
  HostName github.com
  PreferredAuthentications publickey
  IdentityFile ~/.ssh/id_rsa_official
```

- **Clone repositories**

Now you can clone any private repository from your github account using ssh key

Go to the repository and copy line from **code/ssh**

You will get something like this
git@**github.com**:pritam-go-plus/official-repo.git

Change it to - `git@official:pritam-go-plus/official-repo.git`

And add **git clone** before it

Something like this

`git clone git@official:pritam-go-plus/official-repo.git`

Paste this in terminal and you will get the repository in your local

***Repeat the process for your personal and official repositories**

- **Define user name and email**

Now as you have **two repositories** you want to appear different in those repositories to make changes and push to github .

So **cd** in into those repositories and set user **name** and **email**

Like this

`cd official-repo`

`git config user.email "your_official_email@example.com"`

`git config user.name "Your Official Name"`

***Repeat the process for your personal account**

So now as you set different user details in those repositories .

Modifier of those repositories will be different .

If you want to check who is the modifier

just **cd** into the repository and do **`git config user.email`**

`cd official-repo`

`git config user.email`

Your email will appear