Managing an individual's access to an organization repository

You can manage a person's access to a repository owned by your organization.

In this article

People with admin permissions can manage the access of organization members and outside collaborators to an organization repository.

## Removing access to repositories

When you remove a collaborator from a repository in your organization, the collaborator loses read and write access to the repository. If the repository is private and the collaborator has forked the repository, then their fork is also deleted, but the collaborator will still retain any local clones of your repository.

> **Warning:**
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> - If you remove a person's access to a private repository, any of their forks of that private repository are deleted. Local clones of the private repository are retained. If a team's access to a private repository is revoked or a team with access to a private repository is deleted, and team members do not have access to the repository through another team, private forks of the repository will be deleted.
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> - You are responsible for ensuring that people who have lost access to a repository delete any confidential information or intellectual property.
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> - People with admin permissions to a private or internal repository can disallow forking of that repository, and organization owners can disallow forking of any private or internal repository in an organization. For more information, see "Managing the forking policy for your organization" and "Managing the forking policy for your repository."

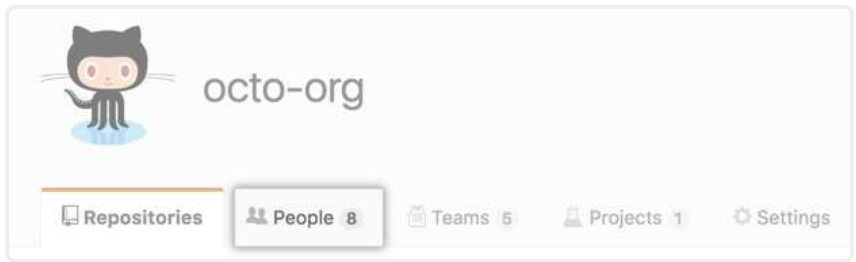## Managing an individual's access to an organization repository

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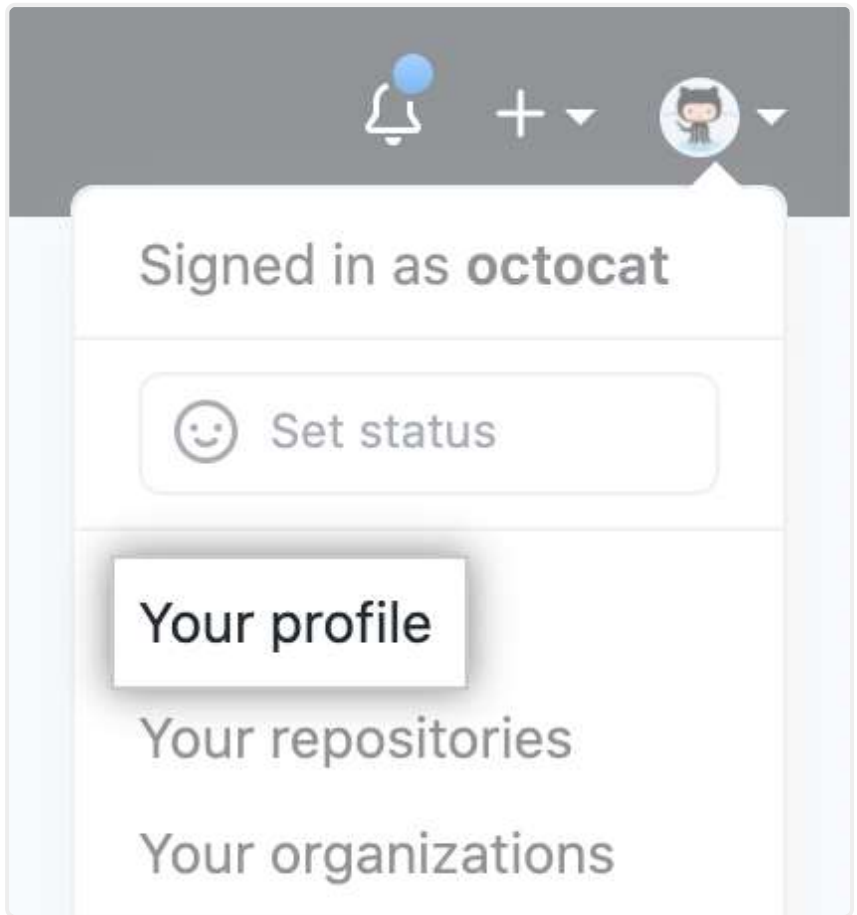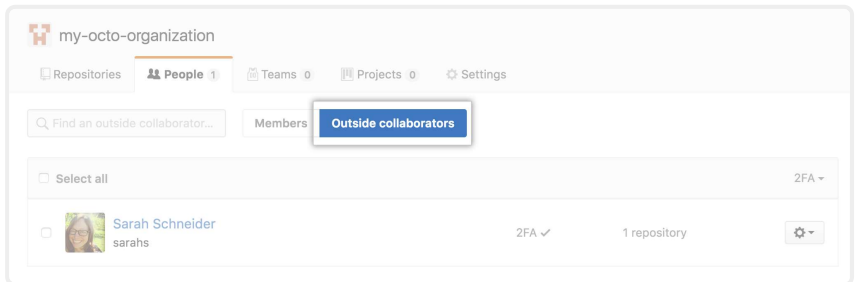
On the left side of your profile page, under "Organizations", click the icon for your organization.
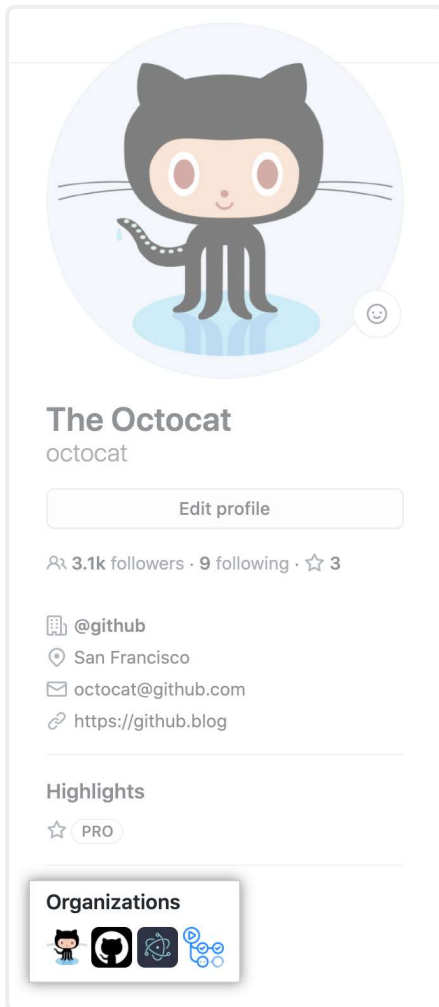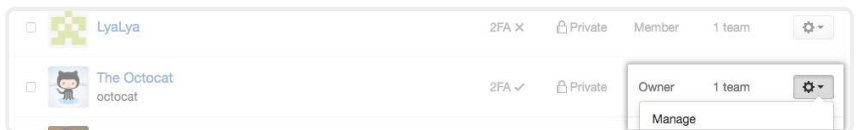
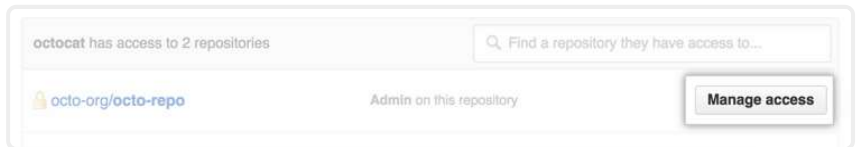Under your organization name, click ⊞ People.

Click either **Members** or **Outside collaborators** to manage people with different types of access.

To the right of the name of the person you'd like to manage, use the ⚙ drop-down menu, and click **Manage**.

On the "Manage access" page, next to the repository, click **Manage access**.

Review the person's access to a given repository, such as whether they're a collaborator or have access to the repository via team membership.