## CS 200 SOFTWARE TOOLS & TECHNOLOGIES LAB II

# Session 2 GIT Basic Usage

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#### An Experiment

- ▶ echo "iitbh" > file1
- ▶ git add file1
- ▶ git commit -m "file1" file1
- ▶ git graph
- ▶ echo "iitbhrocks" > file2
- ▶ git add file2
- ▶ git commit -m "file2" file2
- git graph
- ► cp file2 file3
- ▶ git add file3
- ▶ git commit -m "file3" file3
- ▶ git graph

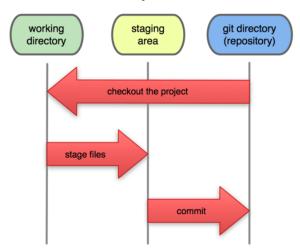
- ▶ echo "iitbhrockssss" > file3
- ▶ git add file3
- ▶ git commit -m "file3" file3
- git graph

#### Whats up with --global?

What if you want some local configuration?

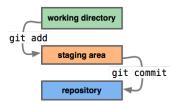
Ans: .git/config file in your project's root directory

#### **Local Operations**



Git has three main **states** that your files can reside in:

- modified
- ► staged, and
- committed



- ► Modified means that you have changed the file but have not committed it to your database yet.
- Staged means that you have marked a modified file in its current version to go into your next commit snapshot.
- Committed means that the data is safely stored in your local database.

#### Point-to-Ponder

What content has been committed for the newFile file? Case-A or Case-B

```
echo "iitbhilai" >> newFile #Case-A
git add newFile
echo "iitbhilairocks" > newFile #Case-B
git commit -m "done"
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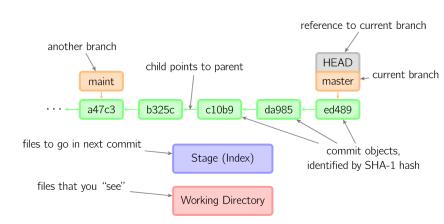
Ans: Case-A

Major difference with VCS like svn

# The Idea of Branching in Version Control

**GIT** Branches

#### The Head Pointer



### Learning Git Branching Through a WebApp

https://learngitbranching.js.org/