



A explain this yaml file to me line by line:

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###  
## Build and Deploy Hugo Website to GitHub Pages  
## Author: Jérémie Lumbroso <lumbroso@seas.upenn.edu>  
## Date: 2024-02-24  
#####  
###  
name: 🏗️ Build and Deploy GitHub Pages  
on:  
  push:  
    branches:  
      - main # Set a branch to deploy  
jobs:  
  deploy:  
    runs-on: ubuntu-22.04  
    steps:  
      - name: 📄 Check Out Source Repository  
        uses: actions/checkout@v3.5.1  
        with:  
          submodules: true # Fetch Hugo themes (true OR recursive)  
          fetch-depth: 0 # Fetch all history for .GitInfo and .Lastmod  
      - name: 🛠️ Initialize Hugo Environment  
        uses: peaceiris/actions-hugo@v2.6.0  
        with:  
          hugo-version: "0.123.4"  
          extended: true  
      - name: 📦 Compile Hugo Static Files  
        run: hugo -D --gc --minify  
      - name: 🚀 Publish to GitHub Pages  
        uses: peaceiris/actions-gh-pages@v3.9.3
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user_name: "github-actions[bot]"  
user_email: "github-actions[bot]@users.noreply.github.com"  
## NOTE: uncomment below if using a custom domain  
## cname: mydomain.com
```

I'll explain this GitHub Actions workflow file line by line:

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These are comment lines providing metadata about the workflow file - its purpose, author, and creation date.

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Defines the name of the workflow as it will appear in GitHub's Actions interface.

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Specifies when the workflow should run - in this case, it triggers whenever code is pushed to the 'main' branch.

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Defines a job named "deploy" that will run on Ubuntu 22.04.

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First step: Checks out the repository code using GitHub's checkout action. It includes submodules (needed for Hugo themes) and fetches the complete git history.

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Second step: Sets up Hugo using a community action. Specifies Hugo version 0.123.4 and enables the extended version which includes additional features like SASS/SCSS processing.

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Third step: Runs the Hugo command to build the website. The flags mean:

- `-D`: Include draft content
- `--gc`: Run garbage collection on unused cache files
- `--minify`: Minify output files for better performance

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- name: 🚀 Publish to GitHub Pages
  uses: peaceiris/actions-gh-pages@v3.9.3
  with:
    github_token: ${ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }
    publish_branch: gh-pages
    user_name: "github-actions[bot]"
    user_email: "github-actions[bot]@users.noreply.github.com"
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Final step: Deploys the built site to GitHub Pages using another community action. It:

- Uses a GitHub token for authentication
- Publishes to the 'gh-pages' branch
- Sets the git commit author to the GitHub Actions bot

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A commented-out option that can be uncommented if you want to use a custom domain for your GitHub Pages site.

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**A** How is this different from the original yaml file?

Looking at the content itself, there's no difference - I simply added explanations after each section. Let me show you a side-by-side comparison to demonstrate:

Original YAML:

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The only difference was that in my explanation, I broke it down into sections and added explanatory text after each part. The YAML content, structure, indentation, and even comments remain exactly the same as in the original file.

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