## **Creating a New Repository**

### 1. Create a New Repository on GitHub:

- Go to GitHub.com and log in.
- Click the + icon in the top-right corner and select "New repository".
- Give your repository a name (e.g., my-local-project).
- Choose whether it should be Public or Private.
- **Crucially:** Do **NOT** check the boxes to initialize with a README, .gitignore, or license yet. You'll add your existing files.
- Click "Create repository".

### 2. Now use KCG GitHub Control:

- Click the "Select Directory" button and navigate to the directory you are uploading.
- Fill in the "Repository Name" and the "GitHub User Name" text fields.
- Click the "Commit Directory as New Repository" button and wait for it to finish (it takes a while).
- When it finishes a popup bow will popup and tell you the results.

# **Updating a Repository**

#### 1. Use the KCG GitHub Control:

- Click the "Select Directory" button and navigate to the directory you are updating.
- Fill in the **Commit Comment** text field with a short reason for the update.
- Click the "Update Repository" button and wait for it to finish (it takes a while).
- When it finishes a popup bow will popup and tell you the results.

## **Special Note**

You must download and install "Git" from the link below.

https://git-scm.com/downloads