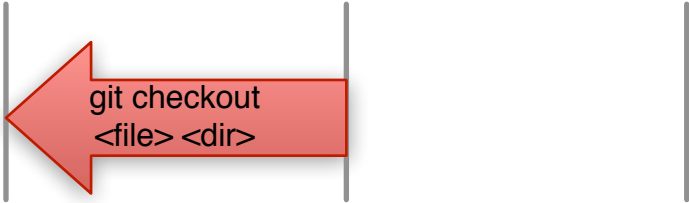


**working
directory**

**staging
area**

master



The diagram illustrates the 'git checkout' command. It features three colored boxes at the top: a green box for 'working directory', a yellow box for 'staging area', and a blue box for 'master'. Below these, three vertical lines represent the state of each area. A large red arrow points from the 'staging area' line to the 'working directory' line, indicating the direction of the checkout operation. The text 'git checkout <file> <dir>' is written inside the arrow.

**git checkout
<file> <dir>**