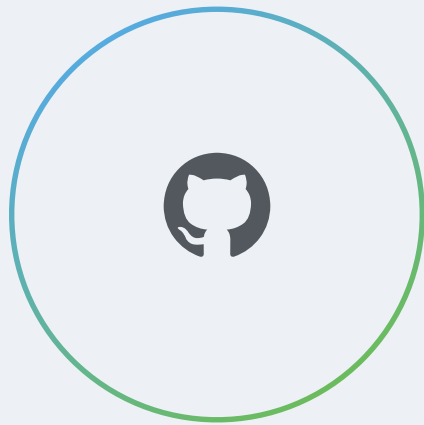
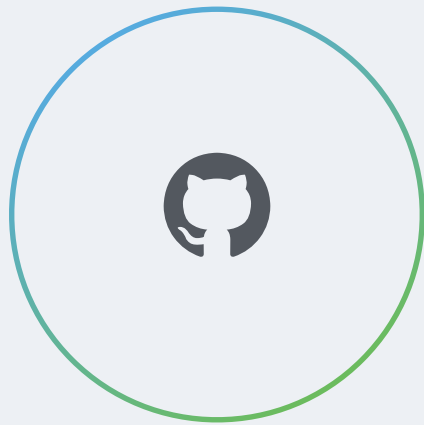


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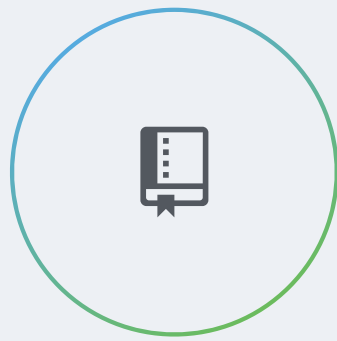


# Donal

- [donal@github.com](mailto:donal@github.com)
- <https://github.com/donal>
- <https://github.com/donal/kdu>



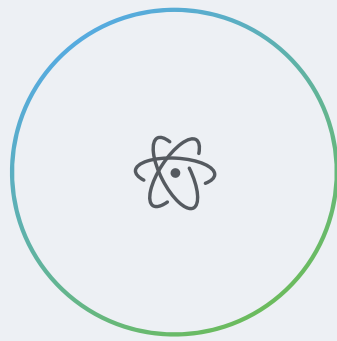
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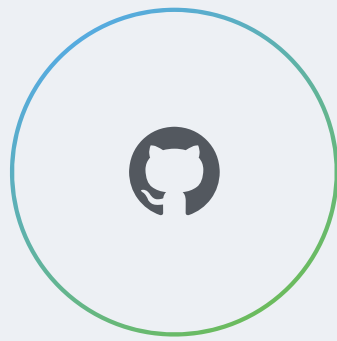
## Student Developer Pack

- <https://education.github.com/pack/>

# GitHub



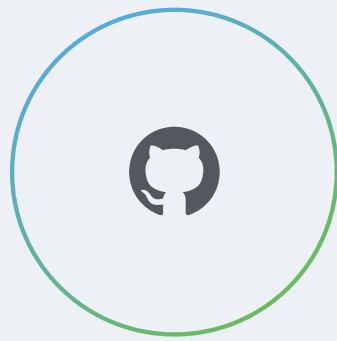
Atom  
• <https://atom.io/>



## GitHub guides

- <https://guides.github.com/>
- <https://enterprise.github.com/resources/>

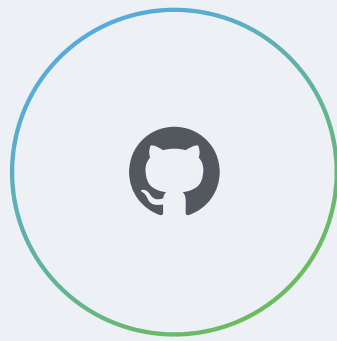
# Open Source Software



## What's stopping you contributing?

- Fear
- Finding the time
- What's the point?

# Open Source Software

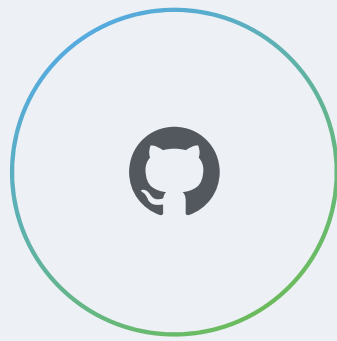


## Why contribute?

- A gift giving *economy*
- To meet people
- To become a better programmer
- As a resume replacement
- To have fun



# Open Source Software



## How to contribute?

- <https://github.com/explore/> and <https://github.com/trending/>
- <https://guides.github.com/activities/contributing-to-open-source/>

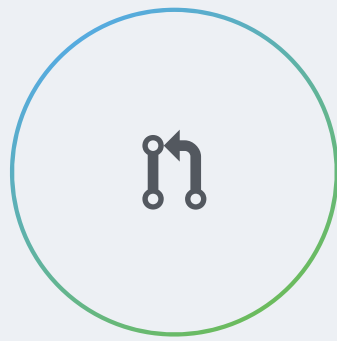
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## Ruby and Rails

- <https://www.ruby-lang.org/en/community/>
- <http://rubyonrails.org/community/>

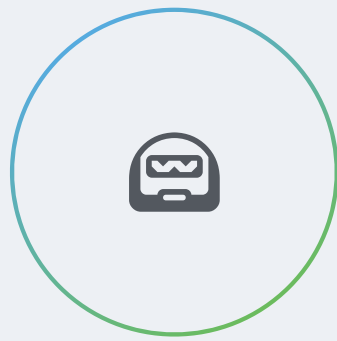
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## Fork and Pull model

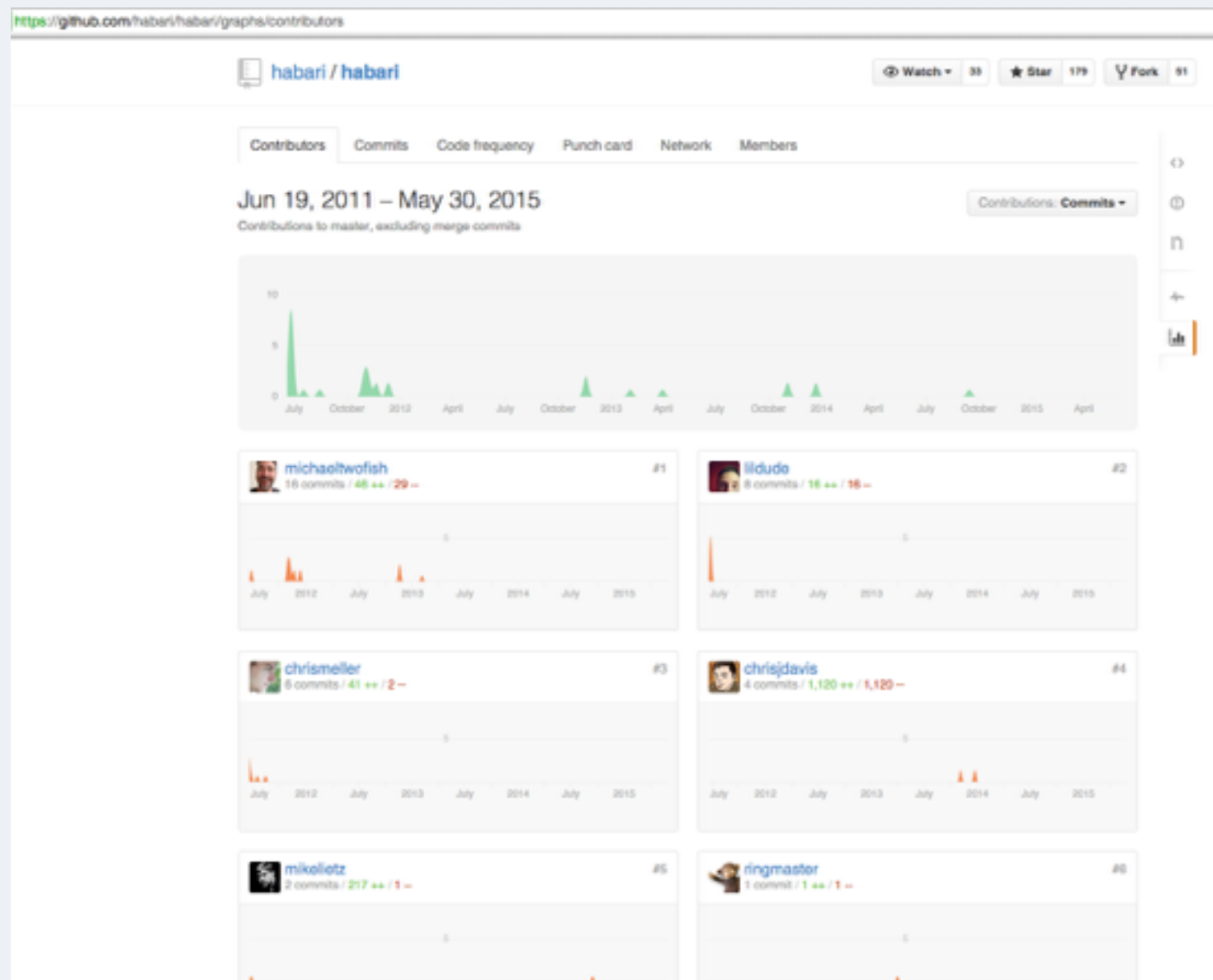
- <https://help.github.com/articles/using-pull-requests/>

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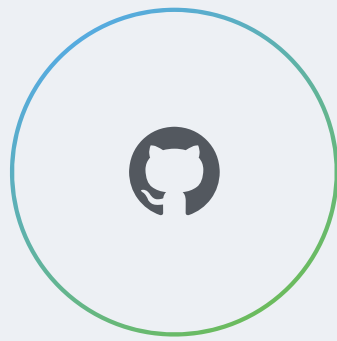


The Habari Project  
• <https://github.com/habari/>

# Open Source Software



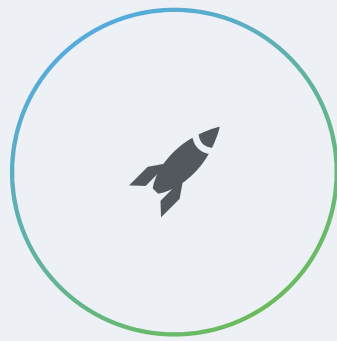
# Open Source Software



## Hacking the contribution graph

- <https://github.com/will/>
- <https://github.com/gelstudios/gitfiti/>

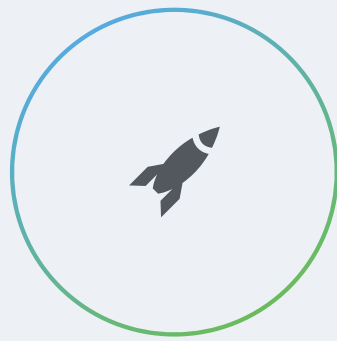
# Startup Culture



## Observations for new startups

- Resist investor \$\$
- Market research before anything else
- Focus
- Robust implementation
- Solve a problem
- Be able to handle failure

# Startup Culture

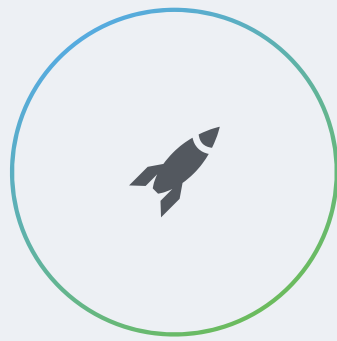


## GitHub

- Founders had previous startup experience
- Solved technical problem
- Invented the Pull Request
- Created space for Open Source



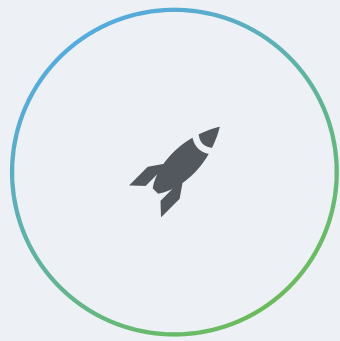
# Startup Culture



## What makes good culture

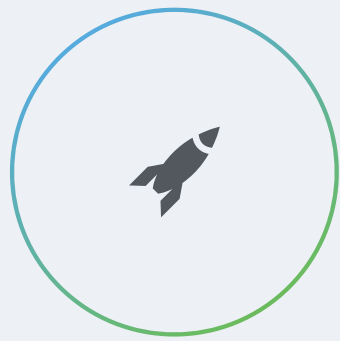
- Treat people as adults
- Hire very carefully
- Be transparent
- No hierarchy
- Talk is cheap

# Startup Culture



## Malaysia vs. Singapore

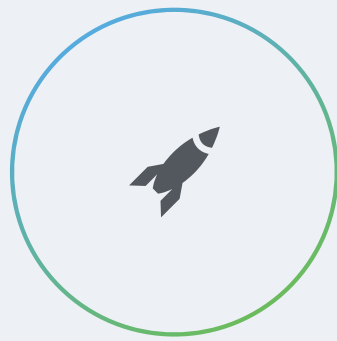
# Startup Culture



## Skills

- Generalist vs. Specialist
- The T-shaped skill set

# Finally



GitHub is (always) hiring

- <https://jobs.github.com/companies/GitHub>