## **Git Manual**

In this short manual my main concern is it to spare you as much pain as possible in setting up Git properly.

- Make sure you are a contributor to:
   <a href="https://github.com/dowerner/Dessert">https://github.com/dowerner/Dessert</a> Ant Adaptive Orientation
   If send me a message <a href="mailto:dowerner@bluewin.ch">mailto:dowerner@bluewin.ch</a>
- 2. Download Git from: <a href="https://git-scm.com/download/win">https://git-scm.com/download/win</a>
- 3. Install Git in default configuration.
- 4. Open your File Explorer and create a local directory where you want to store the project files.
- 5. Open the Git-Bash



6. Configure Git to recognize you:

MINGW64:/c/Users/max.muster — — X

max.muster@MAXPCMINGW64 ~
\$ git config --global user.name "Max Muster"

max.muster@MAXPCMINGW64 ~
\$ git config --global user.email "mumax@student.ethz.ch"

Navigate to your newly created directory and initialize it:

Generate a new SSH-Key by entering this:

\$ ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "mumax@student.ethz.ch"

- 9. Keep default settings and enter a passphrase (which you should not forget!).
- 10. Enable the SSH-Agent: \$ eval \$(ssh-agent -s)
- 11. Add the key to the agent: \$ ssh-add ~/.ssh/id\_rsa
- 12. Add the key to your Github Account:
  - 1. In the Git Bash type: \$ clip < ~/.ssh/id\_rsa.pub
  - 2. On the Github page go to settings:



- 3. Copy the content of your clipboard to the window and save the key
- 13. In the Git-Bash again type the folling: \$ git clone <a href="mailto:git@github.com">git@github.com</a>:dowerner/Dessert\_Ant\_Adaptive\_Orientation.git
- 14. Type: \$ git config --global push.default simple

You should now have access to the repository.

## Commands

These few commands should help you using git.

Always make sure you are in your working directory when using the Git-Bash.

Command	Description
\$ git status	Returns status information such as uncommited changes.
\$ git commit -m "message"	Commits all changes of staged files.
\$ git push	Pushes all commited changes to the current branch you are working on.
\$ git pull	Pulls files from the remote origin (Github) to your local repository.
\$ git add <file></file>	Adds file to version control.

## **IMPORTANT:**

- Make sure you pull to be up-to-date with your local repository.
- Only push if your code is working properly.
- ALWAYS describe what you have done in your commit message, it makes tracking errors easier!

Hopefully this document can save you some time.