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[kernel.org](https://kernel.org) (Other)  
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## Top Skills

Linux  
git  
Scuba Diving

## Languages

English (Native or Bilingual)  
Finnish (Native or Bilingual)  
Swedish (Native or Bilingual)

# Linus Torvalds

Fellow at Linux Foundation  
Portland, Oregon, United States

## Summary

Main Linux kernel developer since 1991, still active maintainer.

Original architect and author of the 'Git' source control management system, still active in development but no longer the primary maintainer.

Specialties: System programming - Linux and git

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## Experience

Linux Foundation  
Fellow  
July 2003 - Present (21 years 11 months)

Open Source Development Labs (OSDL)  
Fellow  
July 2003 - December 2006 (3 years 6 months)  
Previous name for the Linux Foundation, before the merger with LSB

Transmeta Corp  
Fellow  
March 1997 - June 2003 (6 years 4 months)

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## Education

University of Helsinki  
MSc, Computer Science · (1989 - 1996)

Helsingin yliopisto  
Honorary Doctorate, Computer Science · (1988 - 1996)

Stockholm University  
Honorary Doctorate, Mathematics and Science · (1999)

