GIT + GITHUB



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AGENDA

- What is Git & Github
- How do I use Git & Github
- Lots of work
- Slides and code: https://github.com/ECE-Henrik /hack-your-education-e21

GIT AND GITHUB DESKTOP INSTALL

- Windows (https://git-scm.com/download/win)
- Mac (https://git-scm.com/download/mac)
- Linux (apt): sudo apt-get install git
- Linux (yum): sudo yum install git
- Github for Desktop

WHAT IS VERSION CONTROL

- A system that keeps records of your change history
- Allows a group to develop together
- Creates a history of changes
- Gives the posibility to revert to an ealier state

WHY?

- We make mistakes
- We want to track the reason why something changed
- We want to work together easily

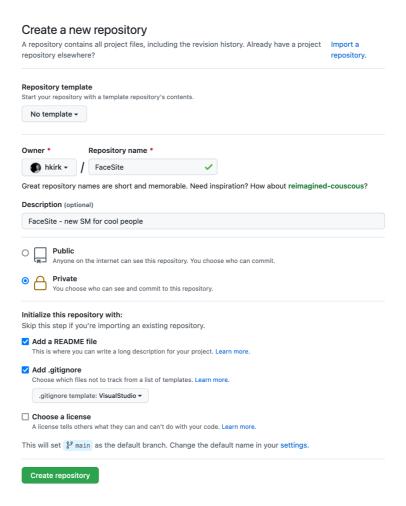
WHAT IS GIT

- Distributed version control
- Each user keep entire history and code on local machine
 - Changes can be made in offline mode
 - Require internet to share ofcourse :)
- There are other VCS system out there
 - Subversion
 - CVS
 - etc.

WHAT IS GITHUB

- Place to host and share repositories
- Create an account on www.github.com
 - Free with limits
- On top of Git
 - UI, documentation, bug tracking, feature request, pull request
- Github is one platform:
 - Bitbucket, GitLab etc. are alternatives

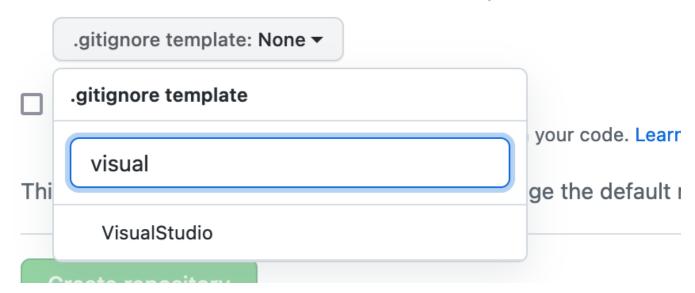
CREATE PROJECT ON GITHUB



IGNORE

Add .gitignore

Choose which files not to track from a list of templates. Learn more.

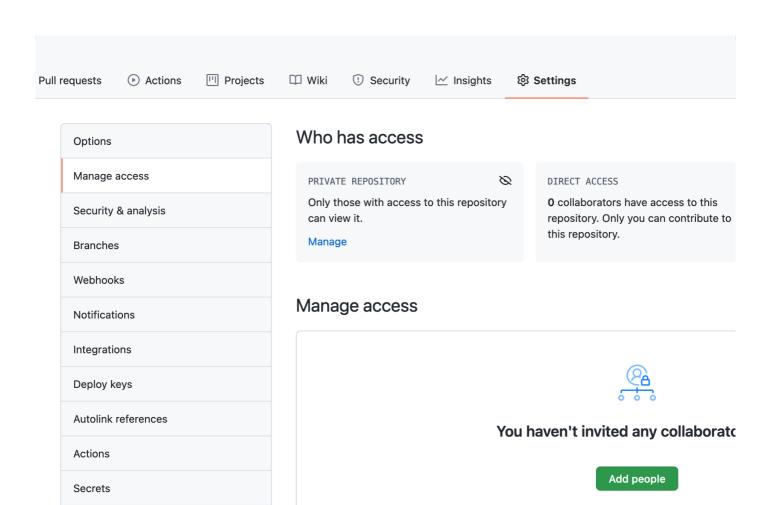


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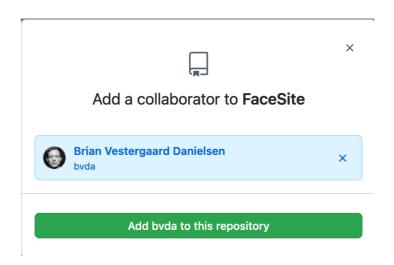
- Just a file called '.gitignore'
- Which contains regexp of files to be ignored

```
.svn
log/*.log
tmp/**
node_modules/
.sass-cache
```

ADD COLLABORATORS

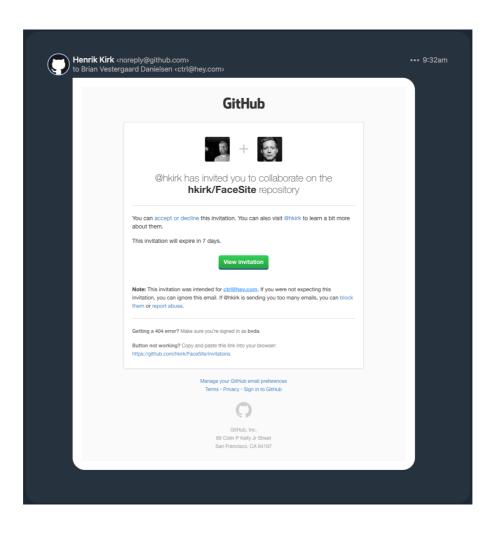


INVITE USERS



CONFIRMATION

Remember to answer confirmation email



CREATE PROJECT LOCALY

Or locally on console

```
$ git init
## later attach a remote repository
$ git add remote origin https://github.com/hkirk/FaceSite
```

COMMIT

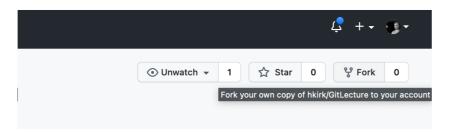
- The act of creating a snapshot
 - and the actually snapshot
- A repository consists of a series of commits
- Each commit consists of
 - Information about how file has changed
 - Reference to previous commit (parent commit)
 - A hash code

REPOSITORY

- A collection of the files
- and their history
- Will live locally and possible also on a remote server
 - Cloning is the act of copying the content
- Pulling from a repository
 - Copying remote changes to local
- Pushing to a repository
 - Moving local changes to remote

CLONING REPOSITORY

- 1. Goto www.github.com/hkirk/GitLecture
- 2. Fork this to optain you own copy

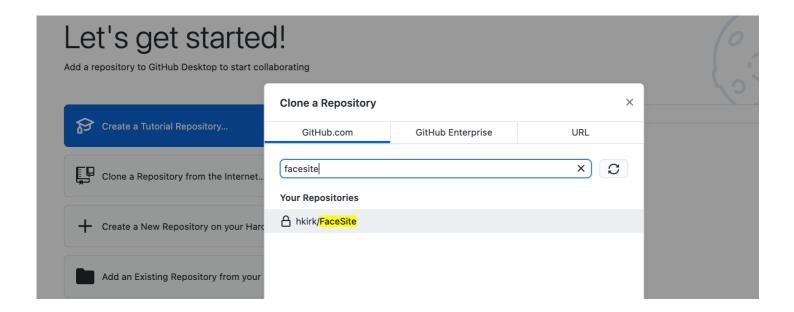


3.

```
$ git clone git@github.com:hkirk/GitLecture.git
```

CLONING VIA GITHUB DESKTOP

or



If you have cloned before forking

```
$ git remote -v
$ git remote remove origin
$ git remote add origin git@github.com:Henrik-Personal/GitLecture.git
$ git push --set-upstream origin main
```

BASIC GIT COMMANDS 1

• status

- shows which branch you are one (more about branches later)
- shows working tree information
- shows how your branch are compared to remove branch

• log

- shows you snapshot history
- -n, --oneline, --graph

BASIC GIT COMMANDS 2

- add
 - adds file to staging
- commit
 - commits files added to staging to repository
 - -m

OTHER USEFULL (NON-GIT) COMMANDS

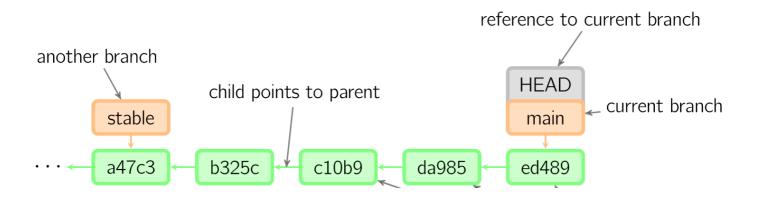
- touch
 - creates an empty file
- echo
 - prints
- >>
 - appends output from left side to file on right side
 - echo "Hej" >> file.txt
- >
 - overwrites file on right side

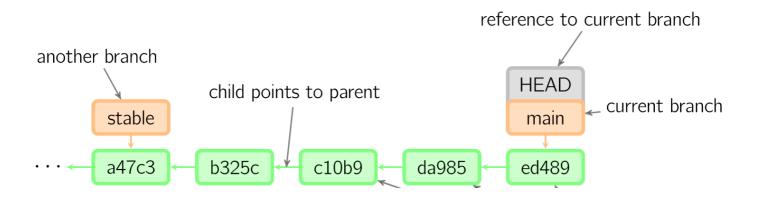
EX.: WHAT IS IN THE DIRECTORY

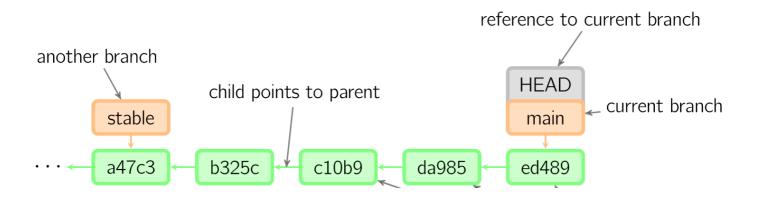
- 1. What does **status** and **log** say in GitLecture?
- 2. Create a file 'plan.txt' and add to staging
- 3. Check status
- 4. add and commit and check status
- 5. Change content of 'plan.txt'
- 6. Check status,
- 7. Then add and commit
- 8. How does the **log** look now?

BRANCHES

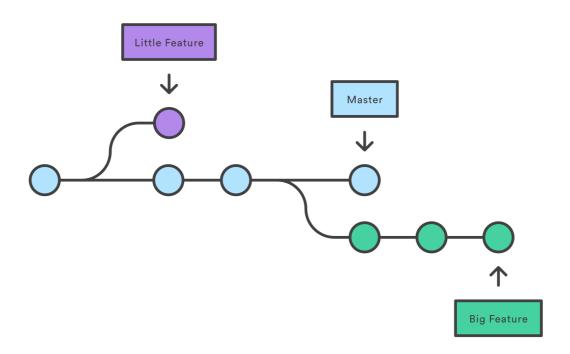
- A commit must 'live' on some branch
- There can be many parallel branches simultanius
- The main branch is typically called 'main', 'master' or 'development'







BRANCHES



COMMANDS REGARDING BRANCHES

- checkout [name]
 - switches to given branch
- checkout -b [name]
 - Creates the branch and switches
- branch
 - Lists all branches
- branch [name]
 - Creates a new branch
- diff [name]
 - Show differences on current and [name] branched

EX. BRANCHING

- 1. Which branch are you on?
- 2. Create a new branch '[initials]-branch', and show branches
- 3. Switch to the new branch and watch what the status displays now
- 4. How do you workspace now look?
- 5. Create a new file 'file.txt' containing you name
- 6. Add file and commit, check log
- 7. Switch back to the main branch
- 8. Create a file 'file2.txt' with some code
- 9. Add a commit file and check log
- 10. What are the difference on main and your new branch

MERGING

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MERGING CONTINUED AND CLEANUP

- merge and diff
 - can handle multiple branches at once
- branch -d [name]
 - Deletes the branch with [name]

EX. MERGING

- 1. Create a branch 'uppercase' and check this out.
- 2. Edit the file greeting.txt and make an uppercase greeting
- 3. **Add** the file and commit. Check **log** with **--oneline --graph --all**
- 4. Checkout the 'main' branch
- 5. Check content of greeting.txt with cat greeting.txt or in an editor
- 6. What is the difference between 'uppercase' into 'main'
- 7. Then merge 'uppercase' into 'main'
- 8. What is the content of greeting.txt now?
- 9. Delete the uppercase branch

FIXING CONFLICTS

- Merging a branch can resolve in conflicts
 - This is merges that git cannot it self resolve.
- Example of conflict in a file

```
<<<<< HEAD
foreach (var i in range)
{
======
for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
{
>>>>> conflicting-branch
```

RESOLVING CONFLICTS

- status will show unmerge paths
- Steps:
 - 1. Manually resolve each file
 - 2. add add each file to mark resolution
 - or merge --abort to abort merge

EX. WORKING WITH CONFLICTS

- 1. merge the branch 'origin/conflicting-greeting'
- 2. Use **status** to show changes
- 3. Use an editor to fix the conflicts
- 4. **status** also show instructions for how to resolve conflicts
- 5. What do 'log --oneline --graph --all' show now?

AMEND

- Some times we commit and miss something important
 - amend can help us fix this
- amend
 - Replaces lastest commit on current branch

EX. USING AMEND

- 1. Create a file 'bar.txt', add and commit
- 2. What do status look like?
- 3. What do log -p show?
- 4. Guess which name appears the most on the enrollment list for today
- 5. Add that name to 'bar.txt' and add it
- 6. Amend these changes by commit --amend
- 7. Check log p
- 8. Try amending againg, what happens?

SHARING ON GITHUB

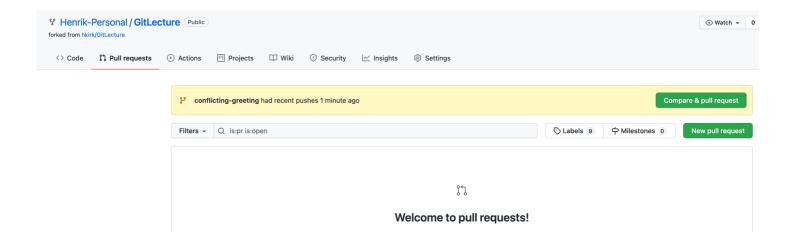
- push
 - Pushes current branch to remote
- push --set-upstream
 - Tells which remote a branch should be pushed to as default
 - Only nessesary for new branches
- pull
 - Incorporates changes from remote into current branch
 - shorthand for git fetch; git merge
 FETCH_HEAD

PULL REQUESTS

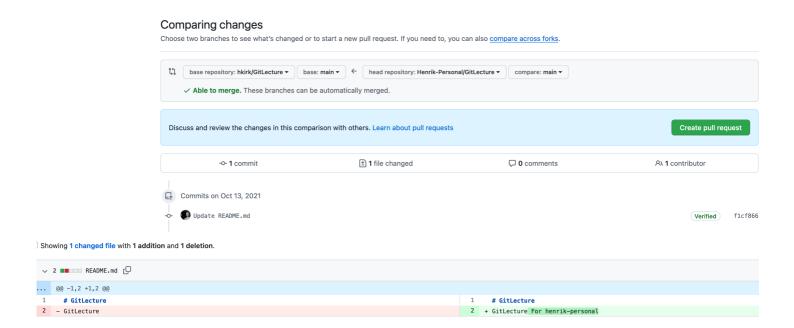
- Forking a repository on GitHub creates a new repository with the same code
 - and a link between these
- A pull requests is the tool to synchronize the to repositories

Note if you share access to a private repository pull request is no nessesary - because there are only one repository.

CREATING A PULL REQUEST 1



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UPDATES FROM MAIN REPOSITORY

conflicting-greeting had recent pushes 1 minute ago

Compare & pull request

EX. WORKING WITH GITHUB

- 1. **push** your changes on the branches 'main' and '[initials]-branch' to your github account
- 2. Create a pull request to 'hkirk/GitLecture'

Optional: (https://github.com/ECE-Henrik/hack-your-education-e21)[https://github.com/ECE-Henrik/hack-your-education-e21]

REFERENCES:

• A Visual Git Reference