

HUMA5630 DIGITAL HUMANITIES

 **ACTIONS REQUIRED!**

# Installation and Account Creation

Please do it BEFORE the class on 22 March 2024 (Fri)

If you encounter any difficulties with the installation or account creation process, don't worry - feel free to contact me on or before **20 March 2024 (Wed)** to schedule a time to meet at the library. Bring your laptop along with you. I'd be happy to help.

We'll go straight to build the website in class, so please make sure your machine is ready beforehand.

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# Actions Required

01 **Create a Github account**

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02 **Create a Streamlit account**

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03 **Install Python**

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04 **Install Visual Studio Code**

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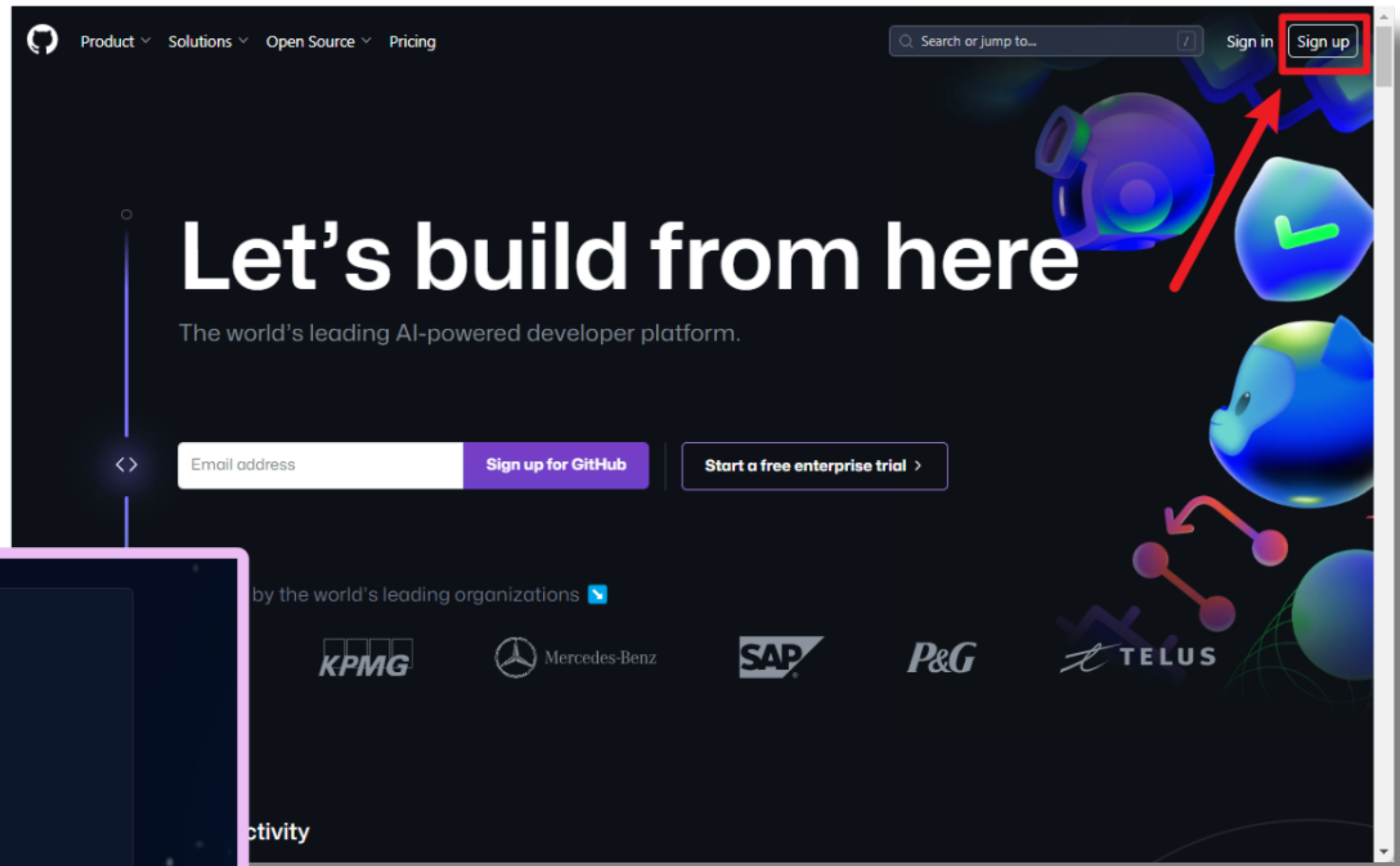


01

# Create a Github account

# Create an account in Github

<https://github.com/>



Welcome to GitHub!  
Let's begin the adventure

Enter your email\*

✓ [blurred email address]

Create a password\*

✓ [blurred password]

Enter a username\*

✓ [blurred username]

Email preferences

☐ Receive occasional product updates and announcements.

Verify your account

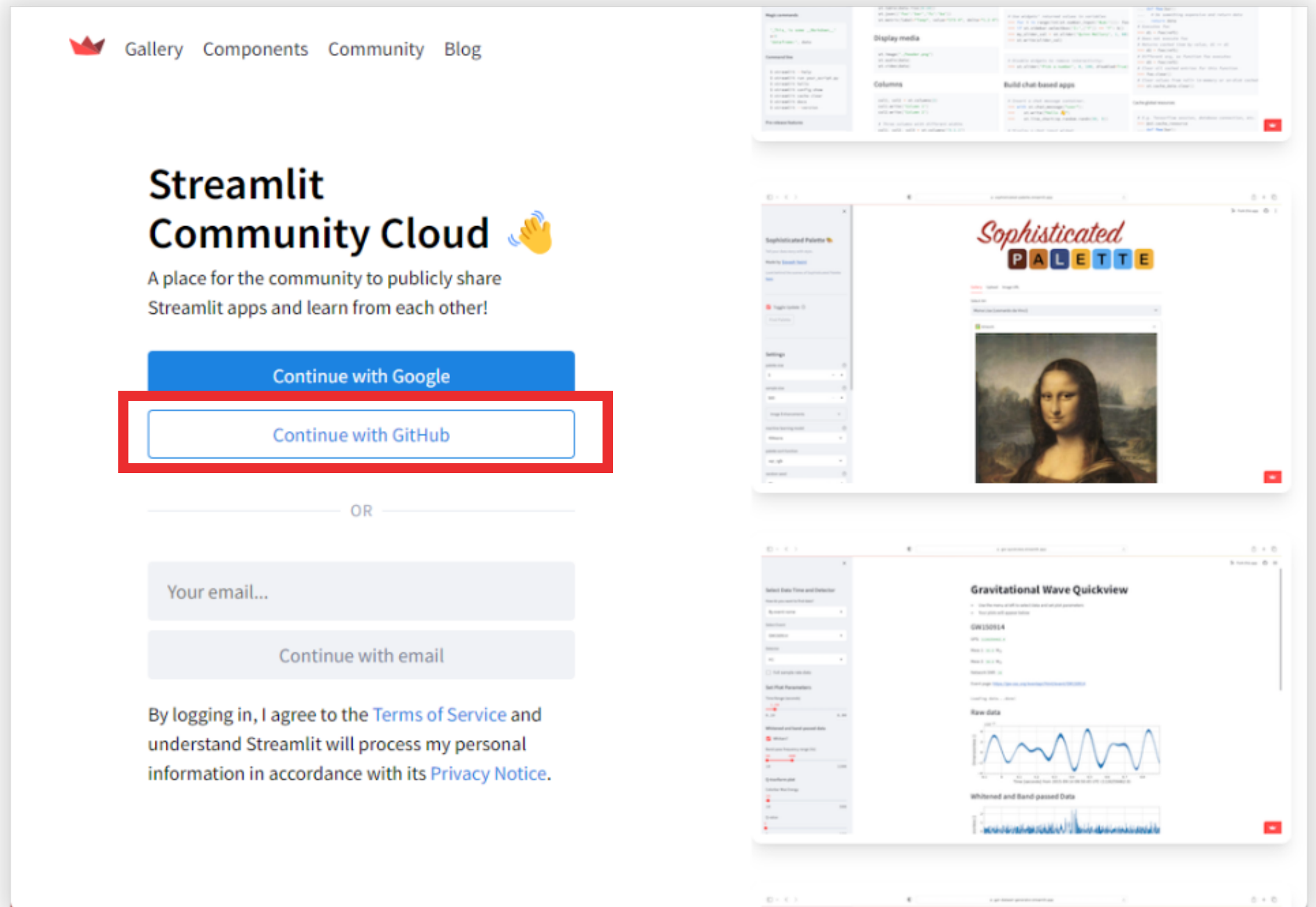
Your GitHub page URL would be  
[https://github.com/<your\\_username>](https://github.com/<your_username>)

02

## Create a Streamlit account

# Create an account in Streamlit

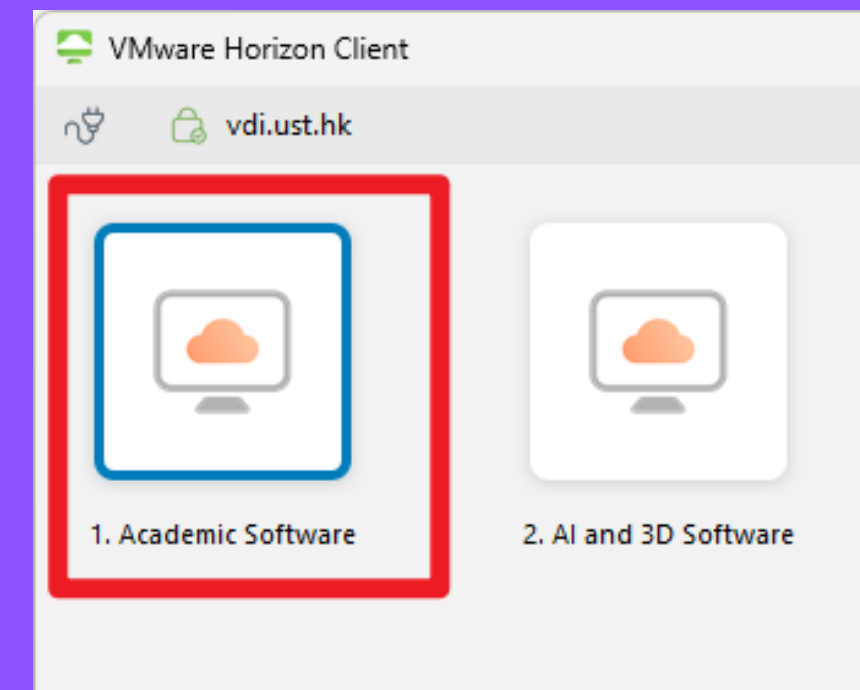
<https://share.streamlit.io/signup>



03

## Download and install Python (include pip)

If you plan to use the computers in our classroom (Room 4402, Computer Barn A), or the ITSC Virtual Barn <https://itsc.hkust.edu.hk/services/academic-teaching-support/facilities/virtual-barn> you can skip this step since the required software is already pre-installed on those machines.





# Download and install Python

<https://www.python.org/downloads/>

## Windows



**Tick this before  
clicking "Install Now"**





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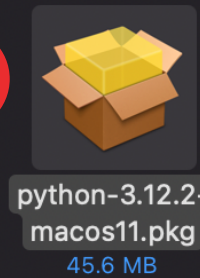
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**Mac**



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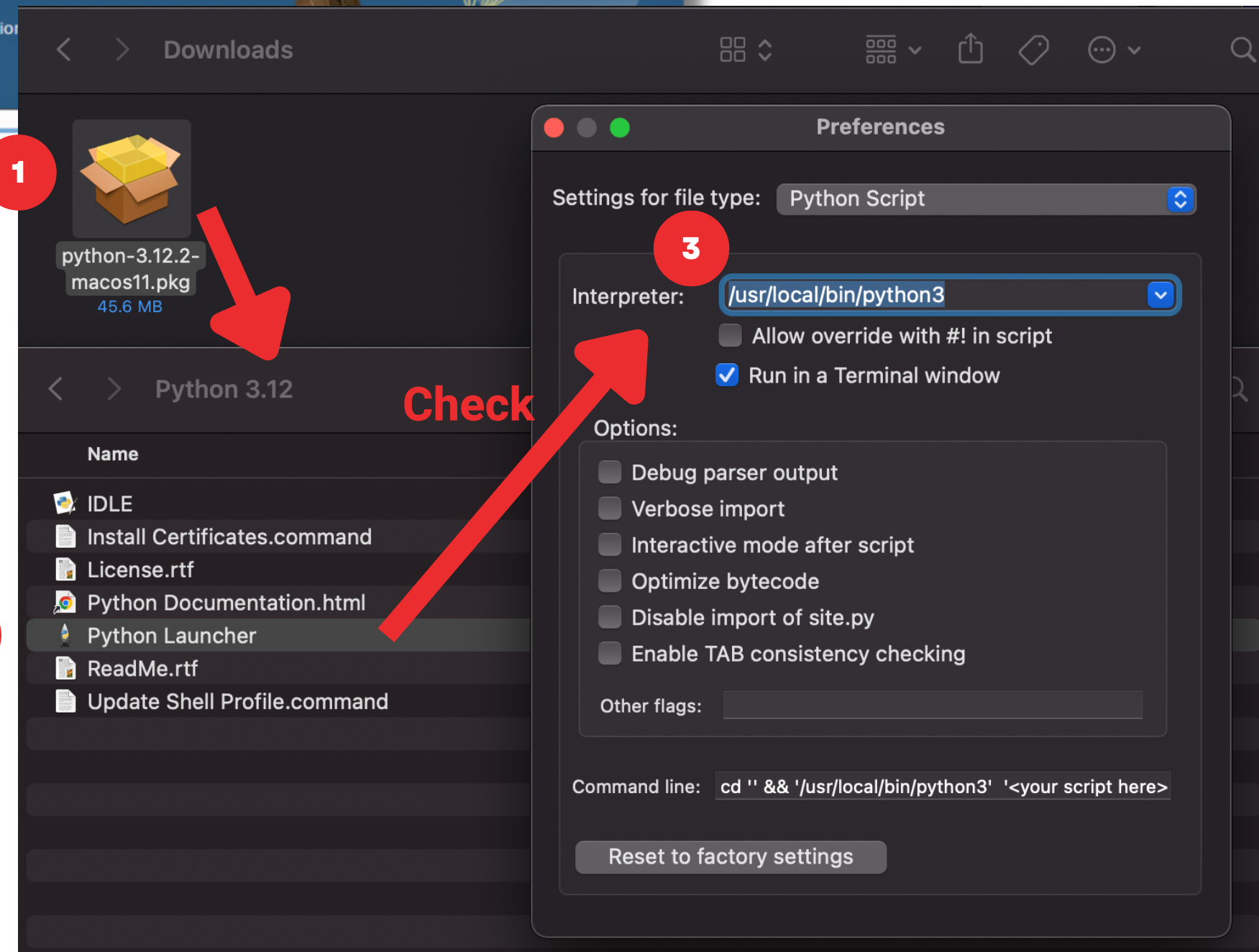
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**Check**

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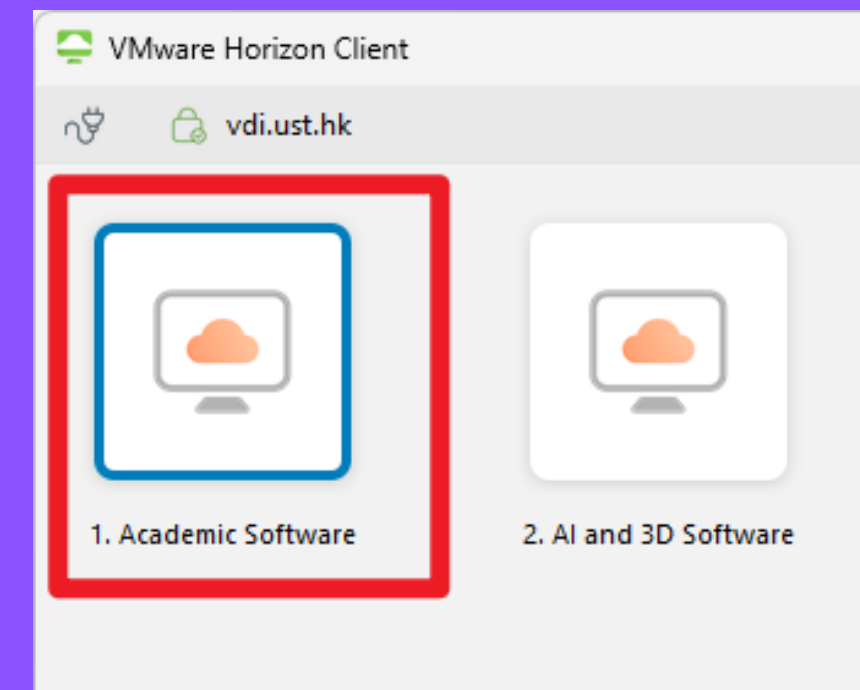
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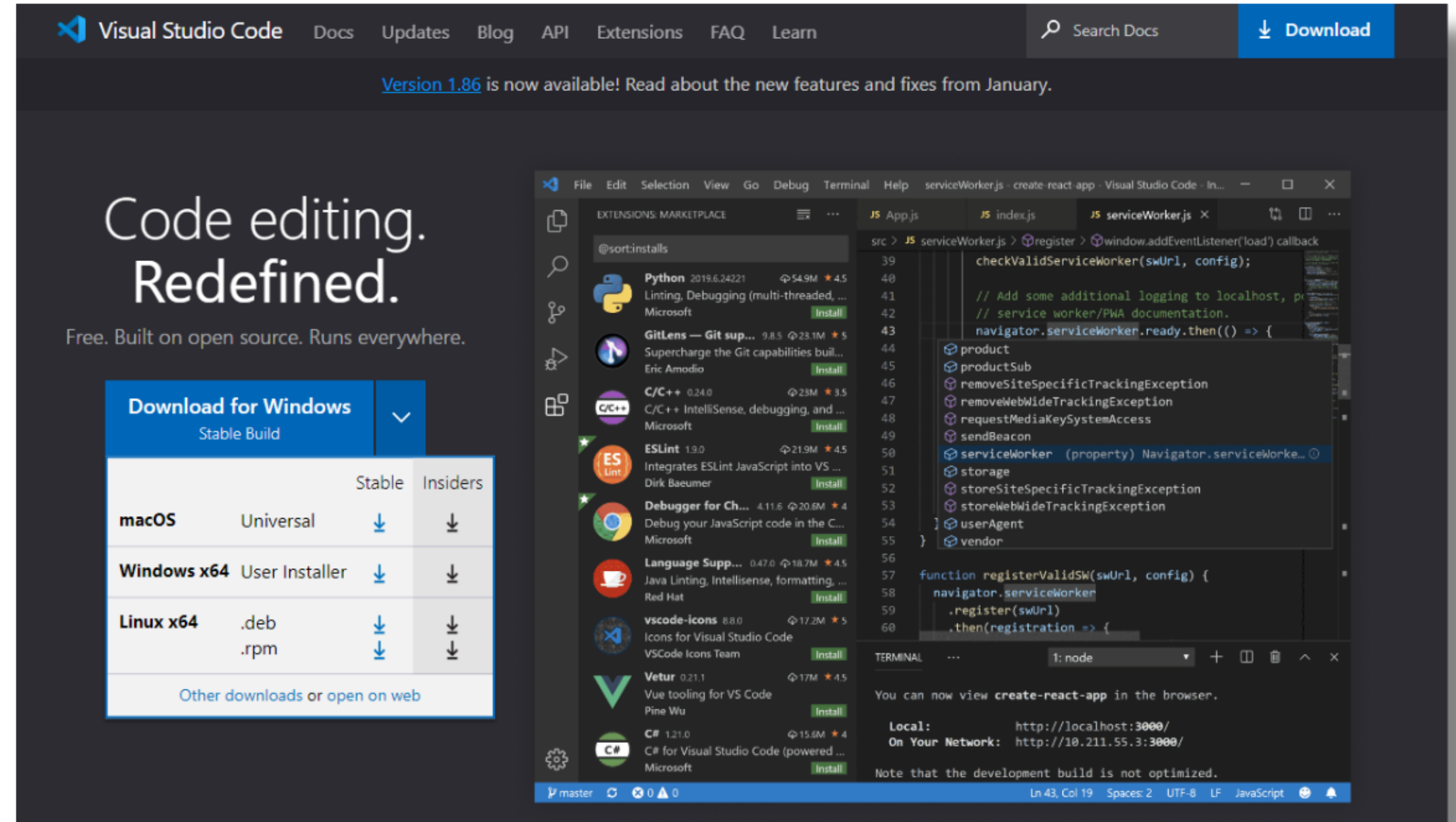
## Download a code editor “Visual Studio Code” (VS code)

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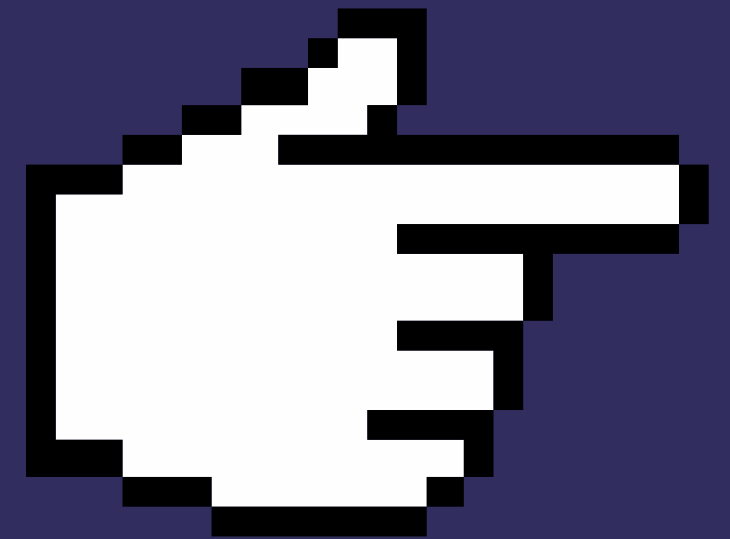
# Download and install VS Code

<https://code.visualstudio.com/>

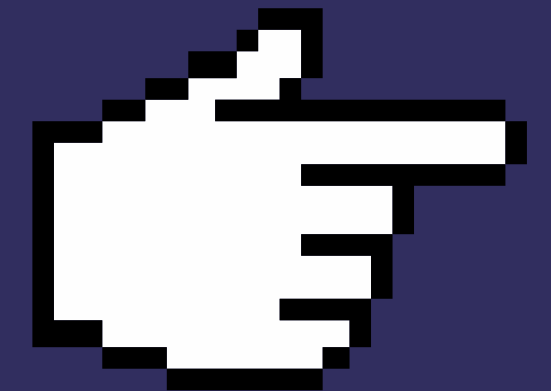
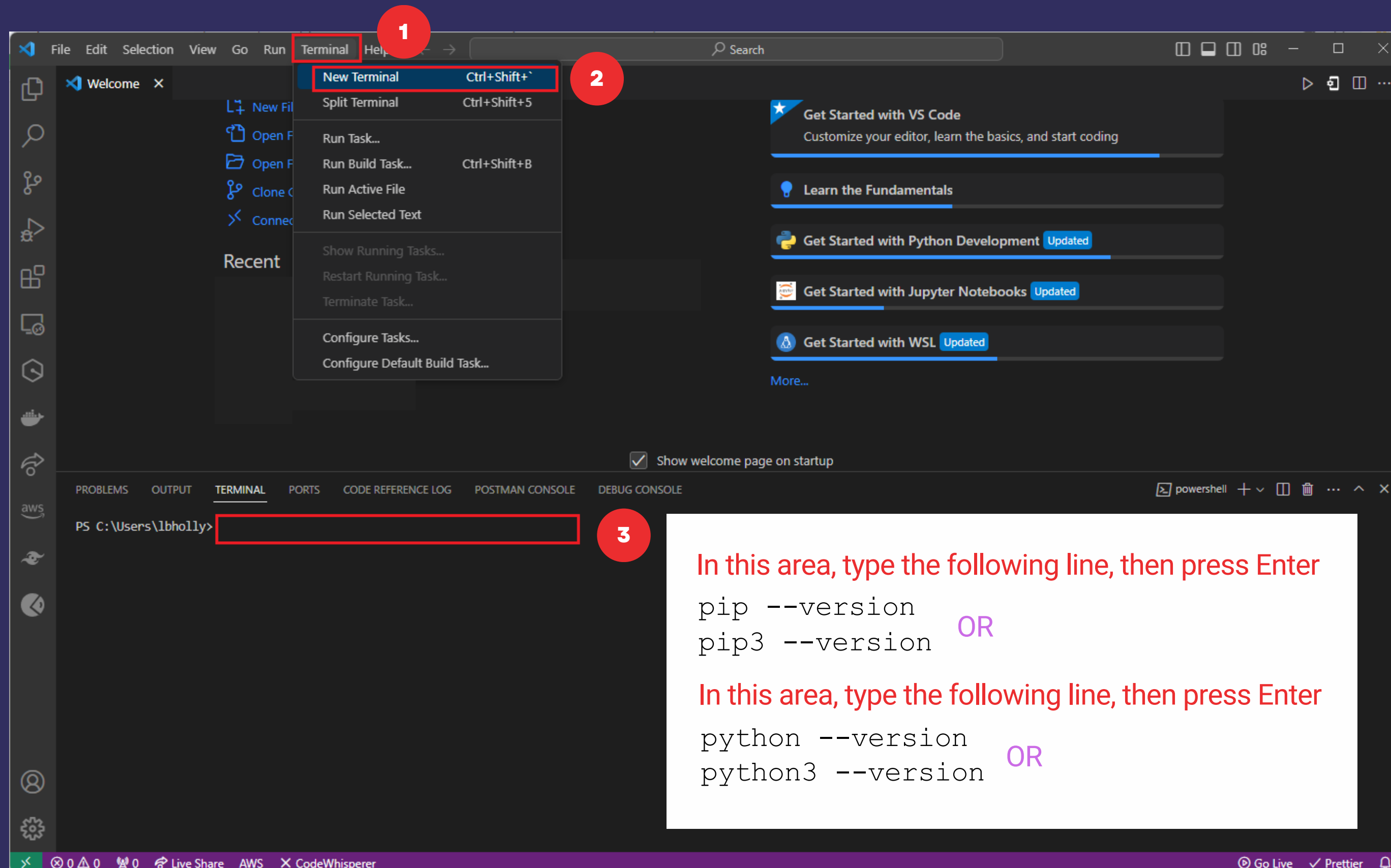


**Final Step**

**Please open your VS Code,  
and check if this works**



# Open the terminal in VS Code



Go to the next slide,  
see if you got the  
similar output



The `xxxx --version` command will check the **version of package** installed on your system. If it shows the version number without any errors, it means they are installed successfully on your machine.

## Examples:

### Windows

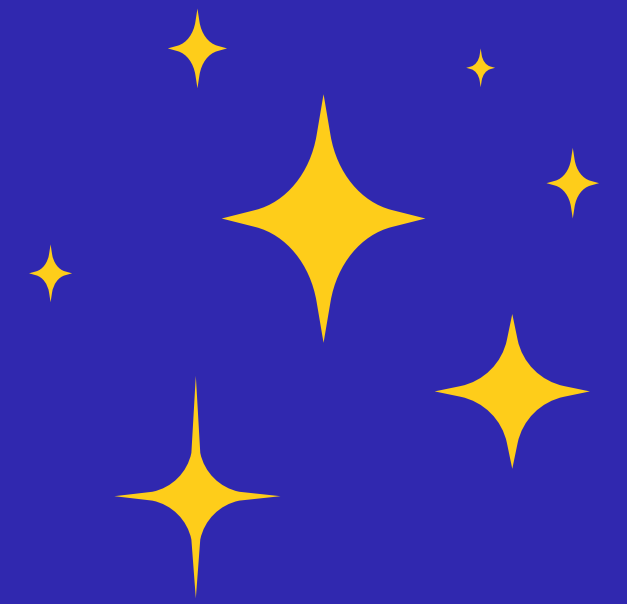
```
PS C:\Users\lbholly> pip --version
pip 24.0 from C:\Users\lbholly\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python312\Lib\site-packages\pip (python 3.12)
PS C:\Users\lbholly> python --version
Python 3.12.2
```

### Mac

- holly-demo-ac@Hollys-Air ~ % pip3 --version  
pip 24.0 from /Library/Frameworks/Python.framework/Versions/3.12/lib/python3.12/site-packages/pip (python 3.12)
- holly-demo-ac@Hollys-Air ~ % python3 --version  
Python 3.12.2



# Congratulations!



**Your machine is now ready for our class on 22 Mar 2024 (Fri)**

Get ready to build a website using purely Python together on the coming Friday. See you!

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# Optional reading



<https://digitalhumanities.hkust.edu.hk/tutorials/learn-python-from-zero-for-absolute-beginner-3-create-website/>

The article above demonstrates how to create a website using Python with Streamlit and GitHub.

No worries if you don't have a chance to read it beforehand. In our class, we'll go through the steps from scratch together in more detail and explore additional features of Streamlit that go beyond what've covered in the article above.

See you on the coming Friday!

