

Appendix D

Improving the collaborator recommendation algorithms

Table D.1. Social and technical features for improving the collaborator recommendation algorithms. Besides, participants cited freely other features, such as professional experience level and previous communication. Besides, they suggested the developers who participated in issues and complementary technologies.

	#	%
Programming language	19	95
Source code (libraries, APIs, features)	15	75
Communication in the project forums	13	65
Professional experience level	12	60
Language	11	55
Followers and following	6	30
Location	3	15
Gender	1	5