

Introduction

There's an easier way of fetching and merging remote changes into your local repo using the git pull command.

Merging changes with Git pull

The git pull command combines both git fetch and git merge, so it will fetch and merge the latest commit on the GitHub repo into your local repo.

Go to GitHub and make another edit to readme: "Third edit by Lara". Commit it with a message "third edit by Lara".

Come back to the terminal, and type in

git pull origin master

This pulls changes from the remote repo called origin into the local master branch of your repo. Open readme file - it should contain all the recent changes.