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4.1 Creating or Uploading files on GitHub

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4.2 Editing Files

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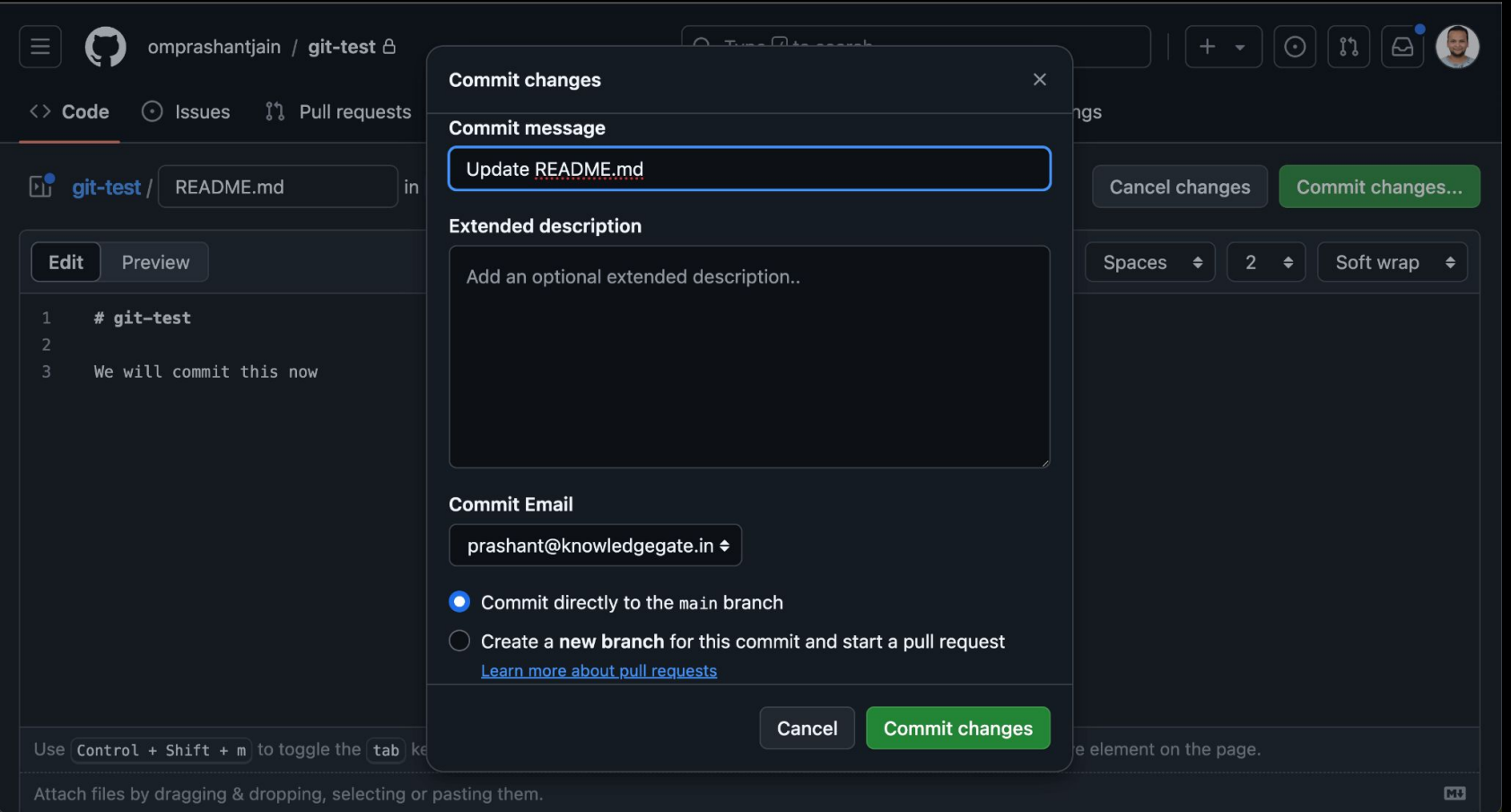

4.4 Viewing commit history

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Commits on Sep 6, 2024

Class #46
omprashantjain committed yesterday — 4879d0e

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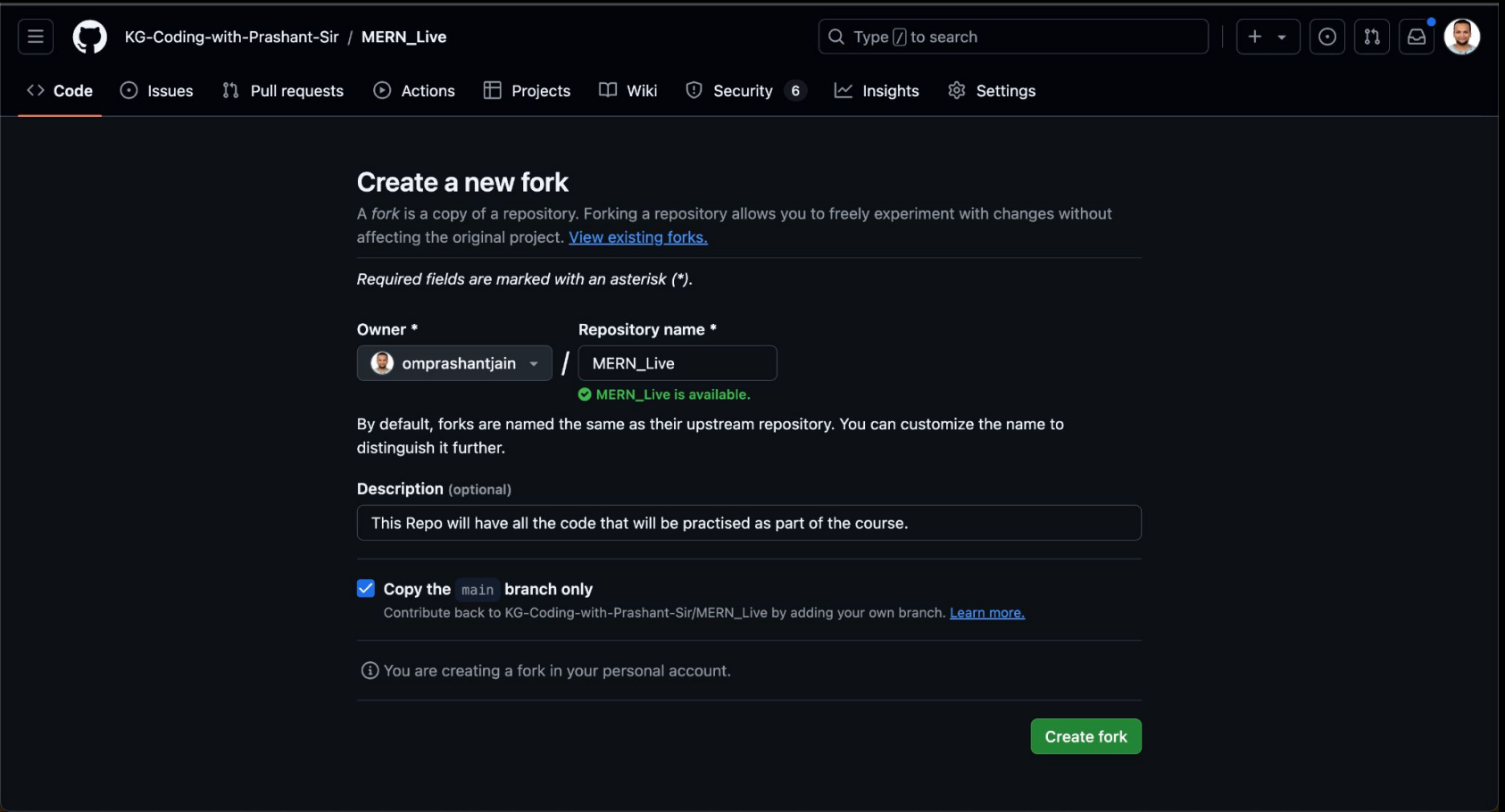

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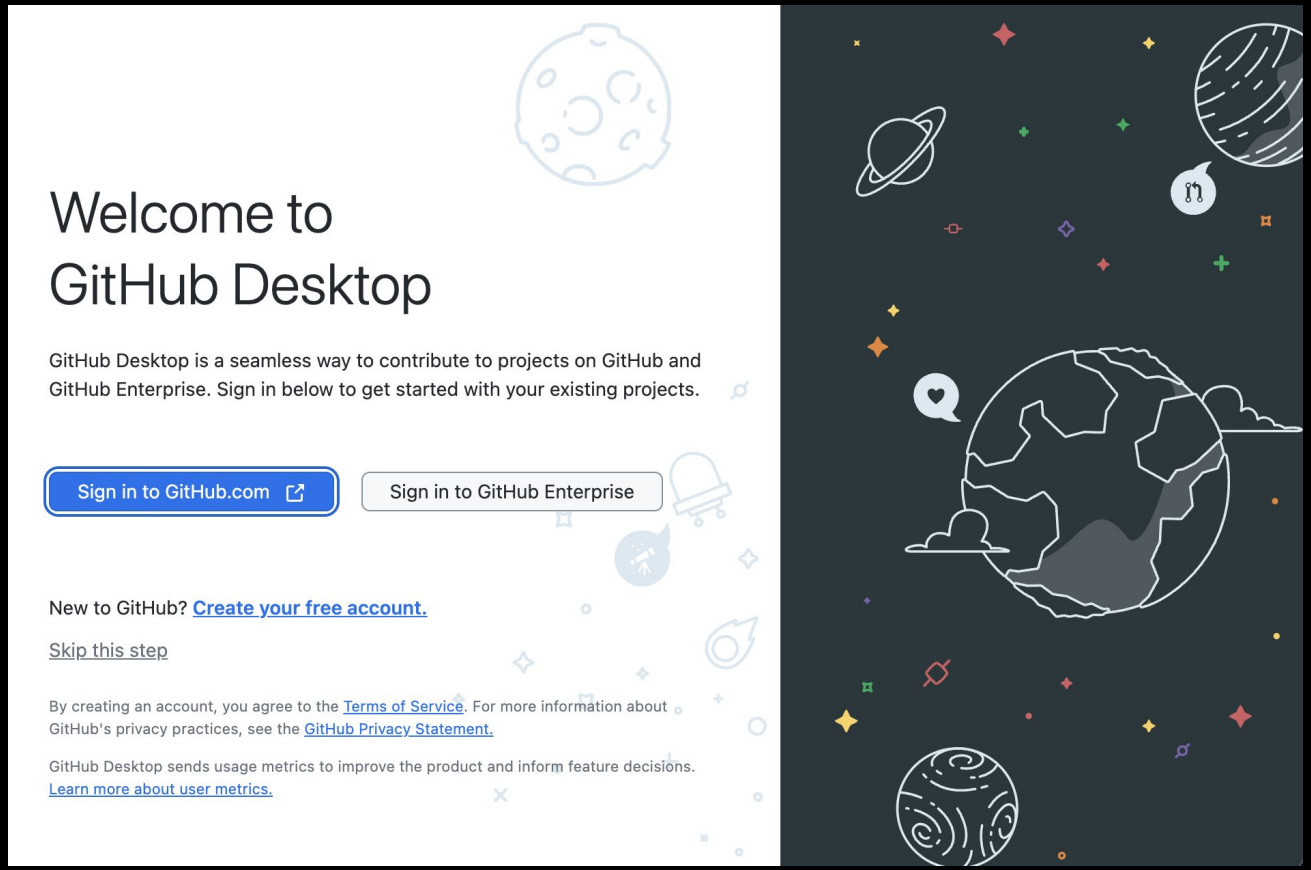

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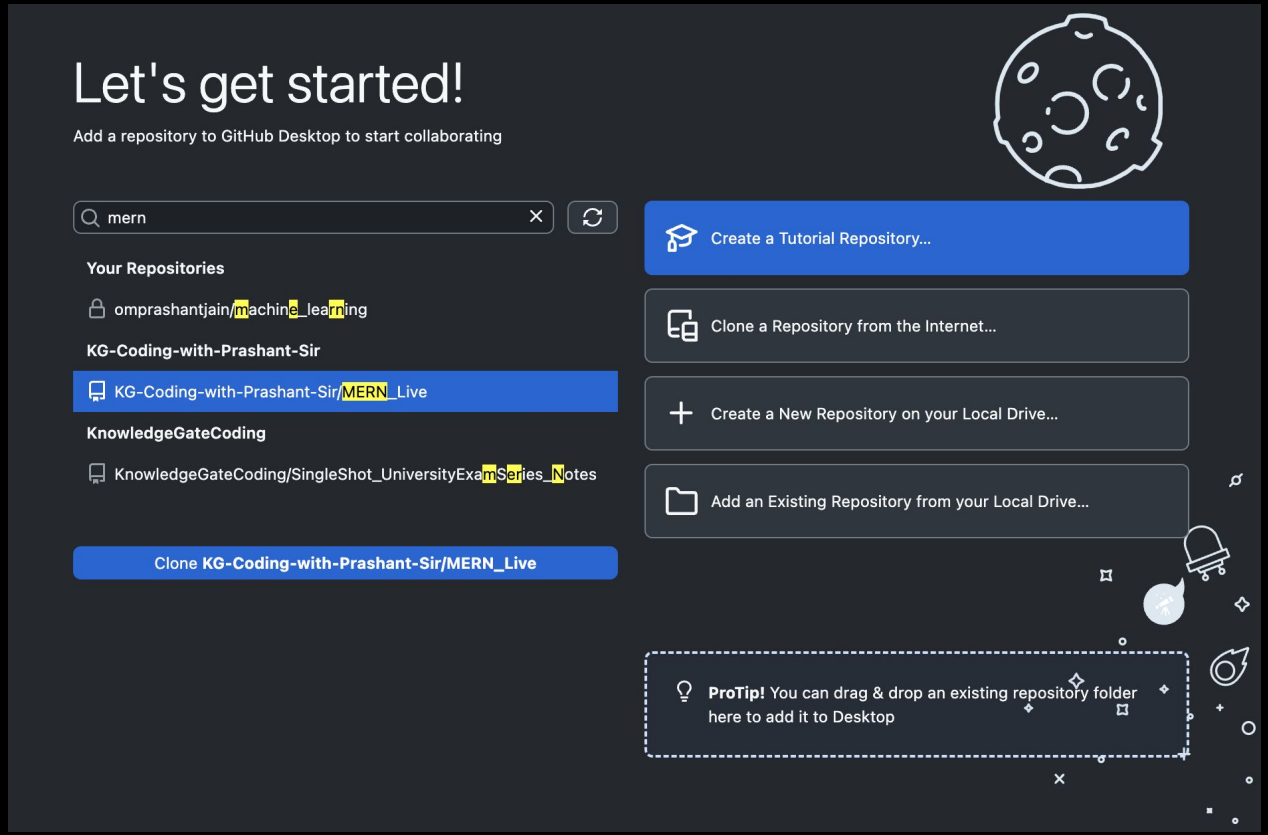

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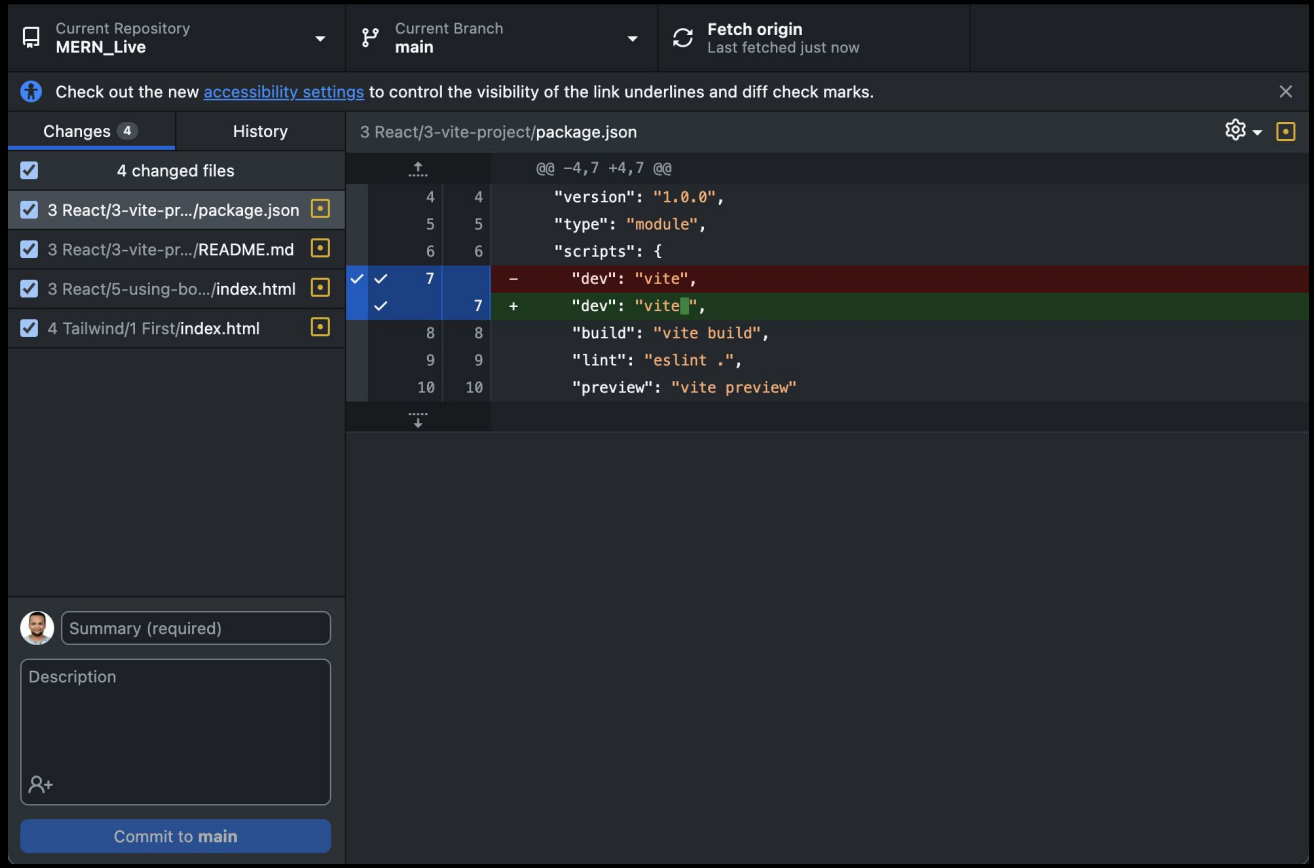

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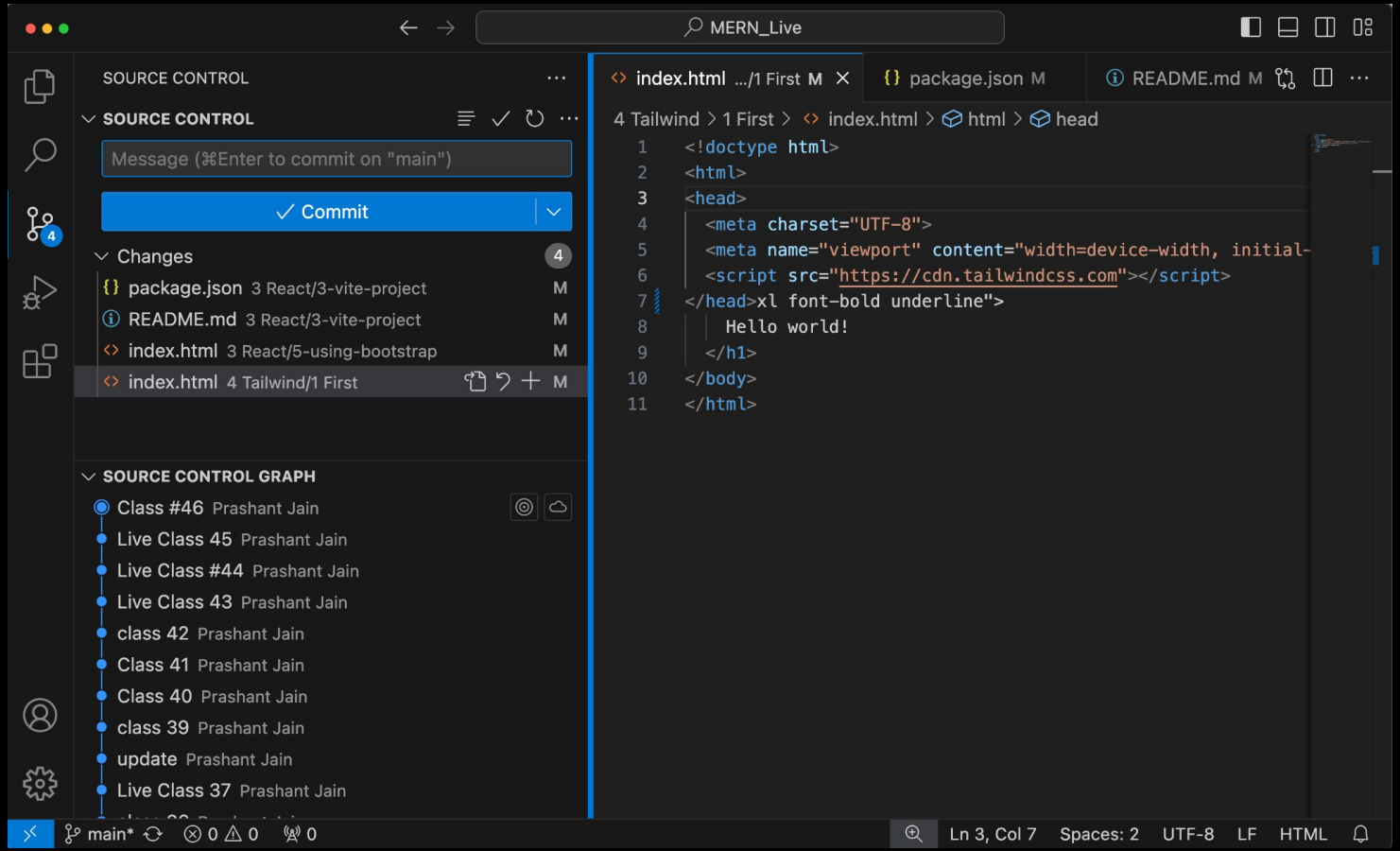

5. Essential Git Commands

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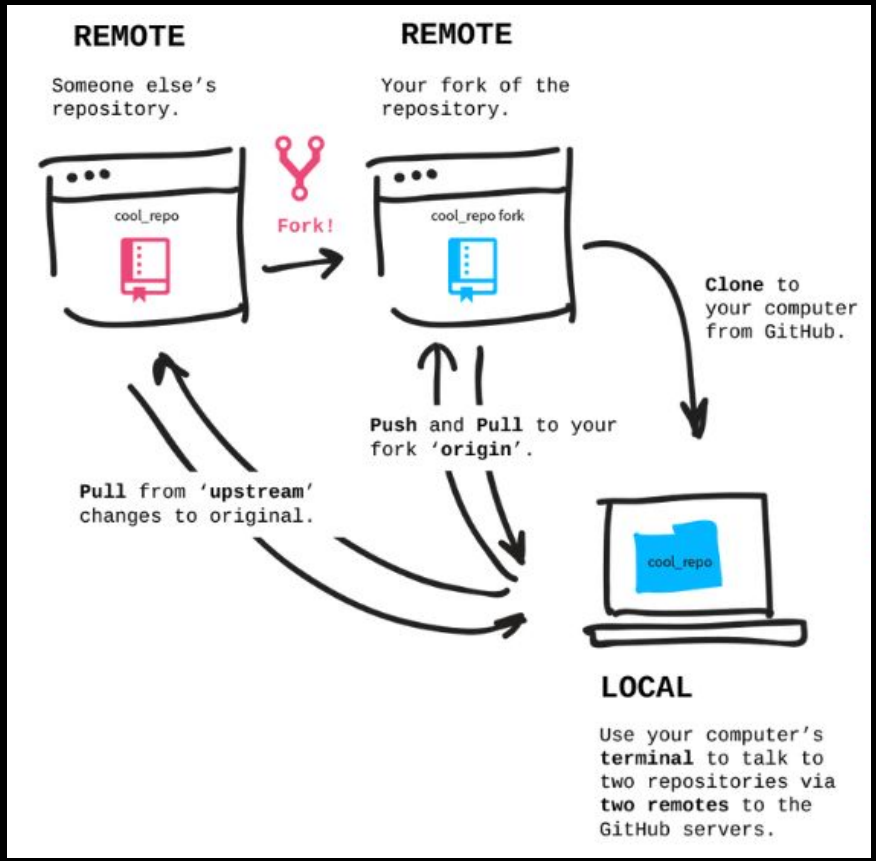
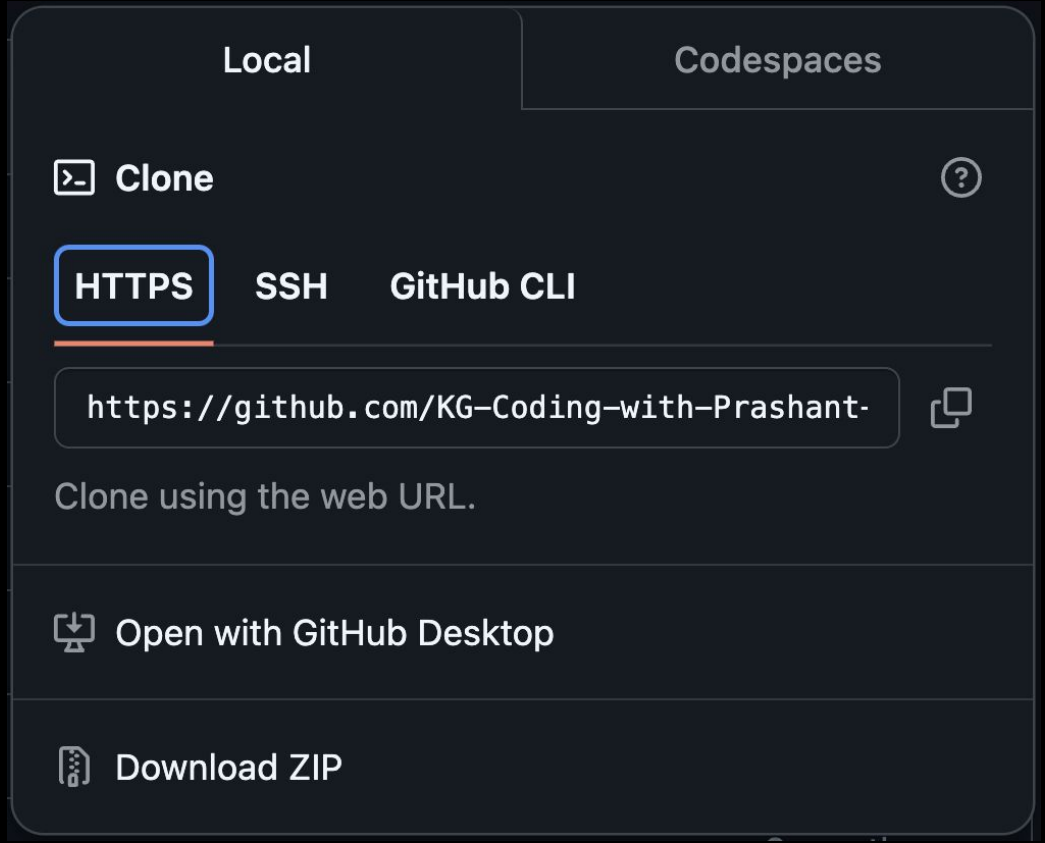
5.1 git clone



- Creates a local copy of a remote repository.
- Downloads all files, branches, and commit history.

5.1 git clone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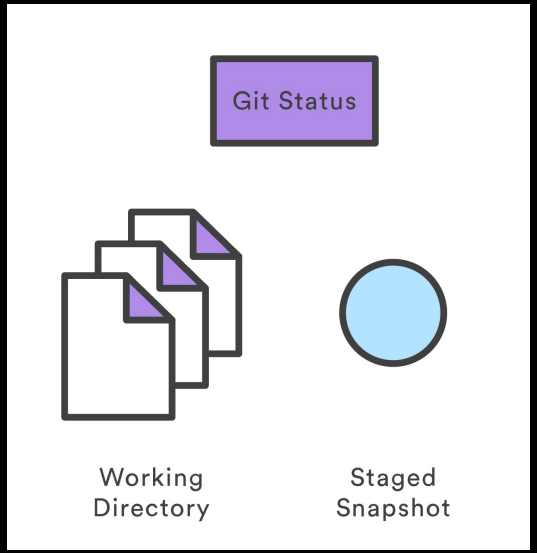
5.2 What is Working Directory

The **desk** where you're actively working on a draft of a book or project. The drafts and notes on your desk are not yet published or saved in the library.

- The current state of your project files on your local machine.
- Shows the files you're actively working on.
- Changes here are not tracked until added to the staging area.
- It reflects a specific snapshot or branch of the repository.

5.3 git status

```
# On branch main
# Changes to be committed:
# (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)
#
#modified: hello.py
#
# Changes not staged for commit:
# (use "git add <file>..." to update what will be committed)
# (use "git checkout -- <file>..." to discard changes in working directory)
#
#modified: main.py
#
# Untracked files:
# (use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)
#
#hello.pyc
```

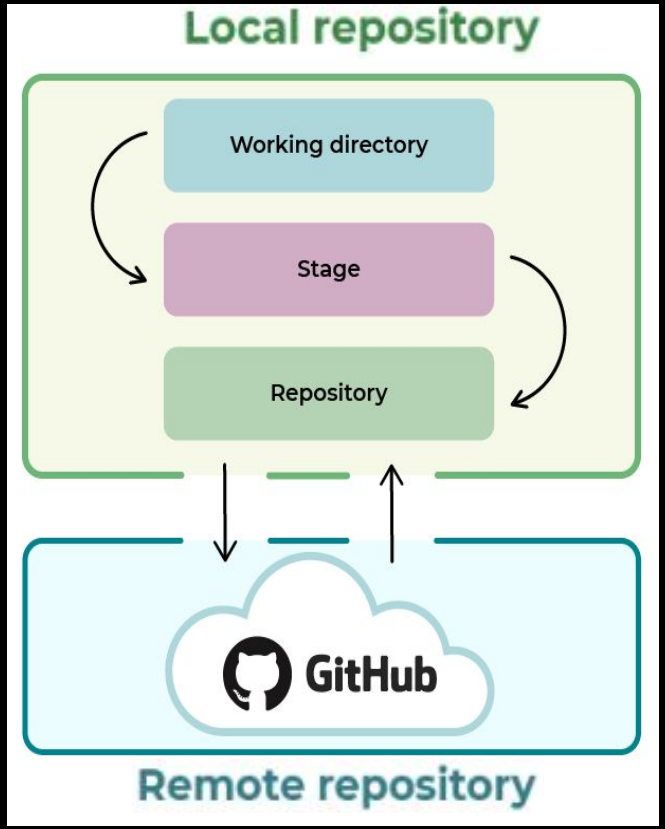


- Displays the current state of the working directory.
- Shows changes that have been staged, unstaged, or not tracked.

5.4 What is Staging Area

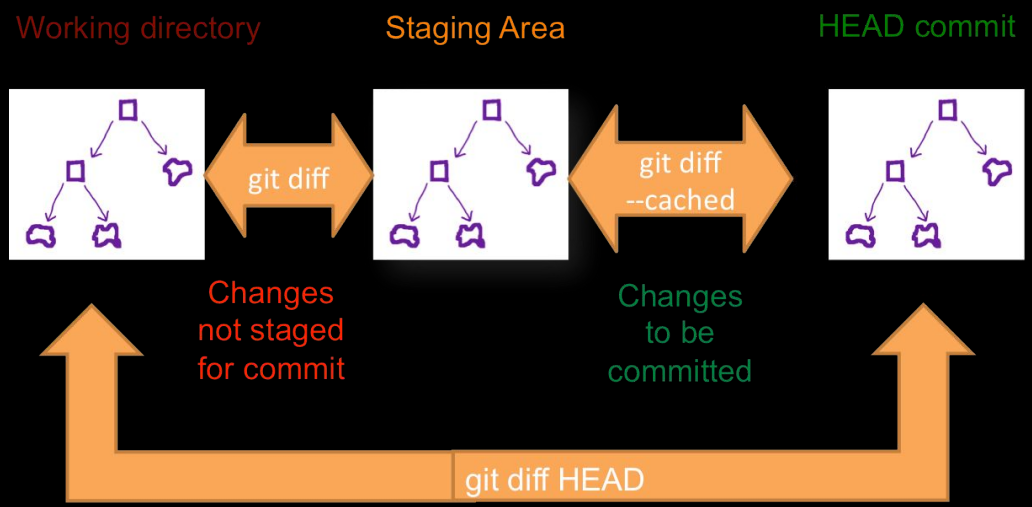
A **clipboard** where you place specific pages you want to review before finalizing a document. You might choose only a few changes to add for the next version of the book.

5.4 What is Staging Area



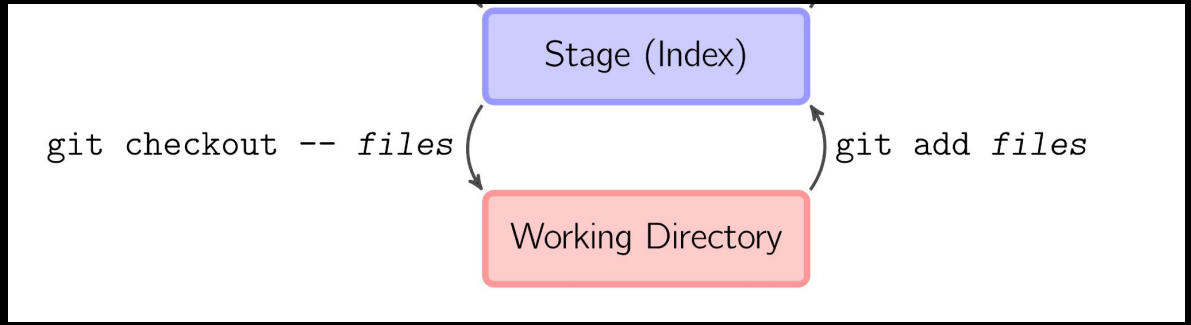
- Also known as the "index" or "cache"
- A intermediate area between the working directory and repository
- Holds changes that are ready to be committed
- Allows you to selectively choose which changes to include in the next commit
- Acts as a preview of your next commit

5.5 git diff



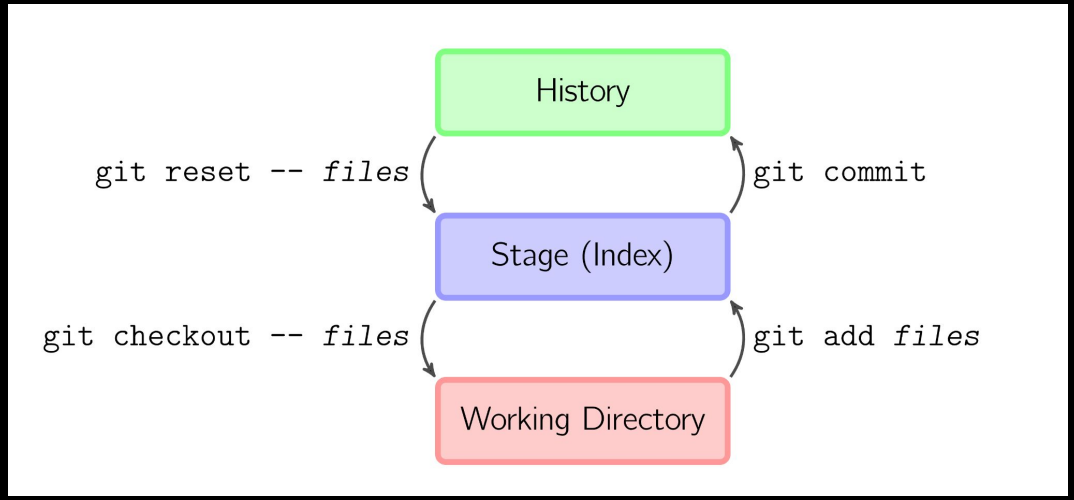
- Shows the differences between two states of a repository.
- Can be used to view changes between:
  - Working directory and staging area (uncommitted changes).
  - Staging area and last commit (staged changes).
  - Two different commits or branches.
- Useful for reviewing changes before committing or pushing them.

5.6 git add & git checkout



- git add
  - Stages changes to be committed.
  - Can add individual files or all changes with `git add`
- `git checkout`
  - Replaces the contents of the working directory with the version from the target branch or commit.

5.7 git commit & git reset



- git commit
  - Records the staged changes in the repository's history.
  - Requires a commit message describing the changes.
- git reset
  - Undoes changes by moving the current branch pointer to a previous commit. Modes (--soft, –mixed, –hard)

5.8 git log

Along with the ordinary `git log` information, include which files were altered and the relative number of lines that were added or deleted from each of them.

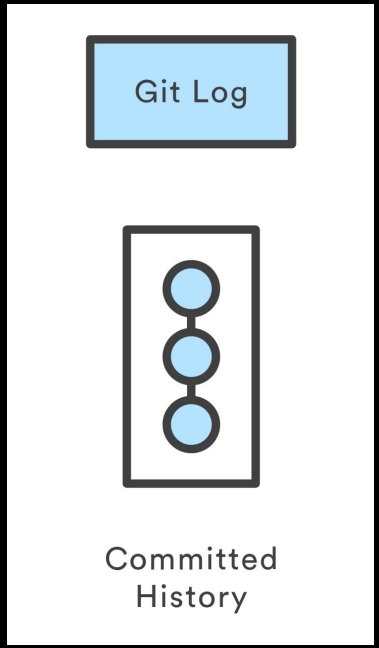
```
git log -p
```

Display the patch representing each commit. This shows the full diff of each commit, which is the most detailed view you can have of your project history.

```
git log --author="<pattern>"
```

```
git log --author="John Smith" -p hello.py
```

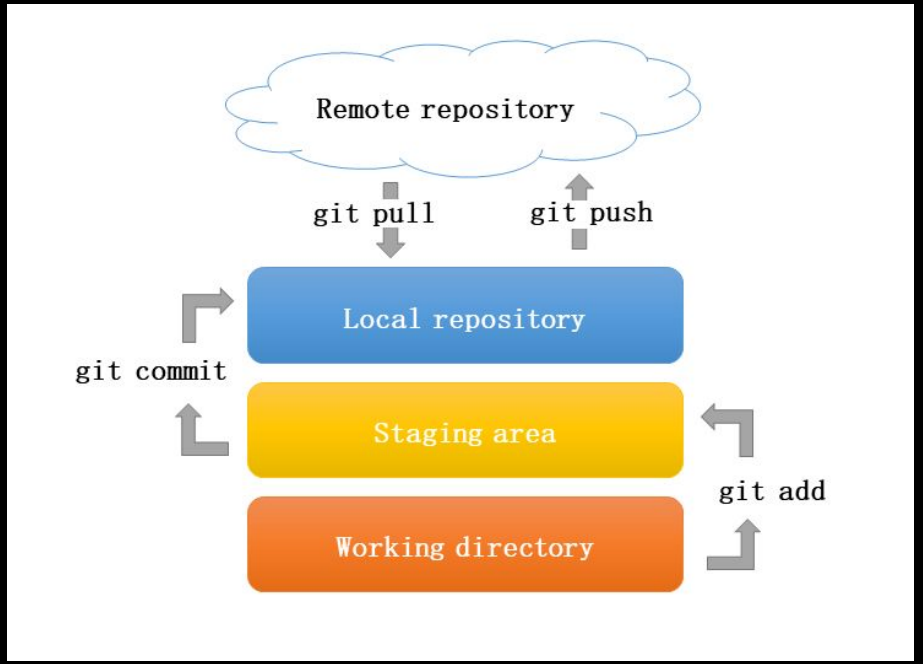
This will display a full diff of all the changes John Smith has made to the file `hello.py`.



- Displays the commit history of the repository.
- Shows commit messages, authors, and timestamps.

5.9 git push & git pull

- git push
  - Uploads local commits to a remote repository.
  - Typically pushes to a specific branch.
- git pull
  - Fetches and merges changes from a remote repository into the local branch.
  - Combines `git fetch` and `git merge`.



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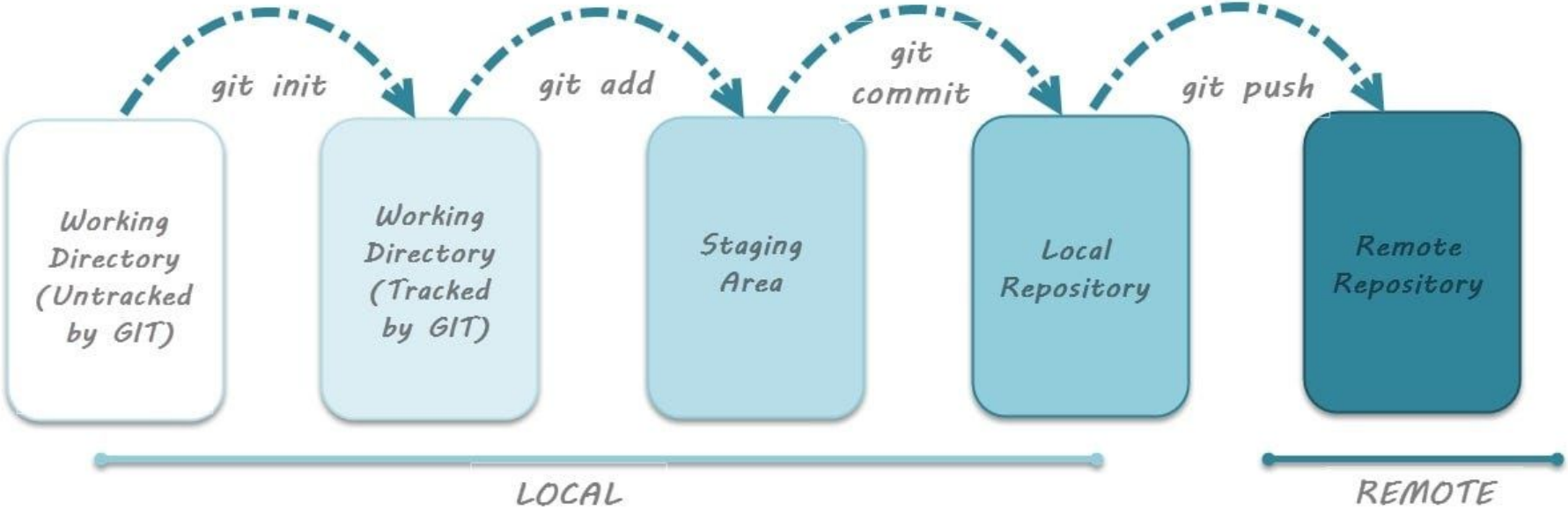
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