

Developer Collaboration Workflow Sequence

Based on my review of the user guide, here are the specific workflows for developer collaboration:

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Developer 1 (Initial Setup)

```
# 1. Create new project and set up repository
mkdir research-project
cd research-project

# 2. Initialize complete research compendium
zzrrtools --dotfiles ~/dotfiles

# 3. Set up version control and push to GitHub
git init
git add .
git commit -m "Initial zzrrtools setup"
git remote add origin https://github.com/[TEAM]/project.git
git push -u origin main

# 4. Start development work
make docker-rstudio # → RStudio at http://localhost:8787

# 5. Add packages and do initial analysis
# (In RStudio container)
# install.packages("tidyverse")
# install.packages("lme4")
# renv::snapshot()

# 6. Quality assurance and commit
exit # Exit container
make docker-check-renv-fix # Validate dependencies
make docker-test # Run package tests
make docker-render # Test paper rendering

# 7. Commit changes with CI/CD trigger
git add .
git commit -m "Add initial analysis and dependencies"
git push # → Triggers GitHub Actions validation
```

Developer 2 (Joining Project)

```
# 1. Clone existing project
git clone https://github.com/[TEAM]/project.git
cd project

# 2. Set up environment (structure already exists)
make docker-build          # Build container with existing dependencies

# 3. Start development immediately
make docker-rstudio        # → Consistent environment with Dev 1

# 4. Sync with latest packages and add new work
# (In RStudio container)
# renv::restore()          # Get Dev 1's packages
# install.packages("ggplot2") # Add new package
# renv::snapshot()         # Update environment

# 5. Quality assurance workflow
exit                        # Exit container
make docker-check-renv-fix  # Update DESCRIPTION with new packages
make docker-test           # Ensure tests still pass

# 6. Commit with automated validation
git add .
git commit -m "Add visualization analysis with ggplot2"
git push                   # → GitHub Actions validates changes
```

Developer 1 (Continuing Work)

```
# 1. Sync with Developer 2's changes
git pull                  # Get latest code and renv.lock updates

# 2. Rebuild environment with new dependencies
make docker-build        # Rebuild container with Dev 2's packages

# 3. Validate environment consistency
make docker-check-renv-fix # Ensure all dependencies are properly tracked

# 4. Continue development with updated environment
make docker-rstudio       # → Environment now includes Dev 2's packages

# 5. Add more analysis work
# (In RStudio container)
# renv::restore()         # Ensure all packages from Dev 2 are available
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# Continue analysis with full package environment

# 6. Enhanced collaboration workflow
exit                                # Exit container

# 7. Use enhanced GitHub templates for pull request
git checkout -b feature/advanced-models
# Make changes...
git add .
git commit -m "Add multilevel models for nested data"
git push origin feature/advanced-models

# 8. Create pull request using enhanced template
# GitHub automatically provides:
# - Analysis impact assessment checklist
# - Reproducibility validation
# - Automated CI/CD checks
# - Paper rendering validation

```

Key Collaboration Features (rrtools_plus Integration)

Automated Quality Assurance on Every Push:

- **R Package Validation:** R CMD check with dependency validation
- **Paper Rendering:** Automated PDF generation and artifact upload
- **Multi-platform Testing:** Ensures compatibility across environments
- **Dependency Sync:** renv validation and DESCRIPTION file updates

Enhanced GitHub Templates:

- **Pull Request Template:** Analysis impact assessment, reproducibility checklist
- **Issue Templates:** Bug reports with environment details, feature requests with research use cases
- **Collaboration Guidelines:** Research-specific workflow standards

Seamless Environment Synchronization:

```

# Any developer can sync at any time:
git pull                                # Get latest changes
make docker-build                       # Rebuild with updated dependencies
make docker-rstudio                     # → Identical environment across team

```

Data Management Collaboration:

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# Structured data workflow for teams:
data/

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```
raw_data/           # Dev 1 adds original datasets
derived_data/       # Dev 2 adds processed data
metadata/           # Both document data sources
validation/         # Automated quality reports
```

This workflow ensures **perfect reproducibility** across team members while providing **automated quality assurance** and **professional collaboration tools** integrated from the rrtools_plus enhancement framework.