# Codefest 2018 Suggested Learning Resources

## General Resources

\* Safari Books Subscription

\* Pluralsight Subscription (self-paced learning)

Both subscription can be accessed via <http://learn.cisco.com>

## Git

\* Git Pocket Guide

\* Pro Git - <https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2>

\* Pluralsight Courses

\* Download Git Desktop

## Ansible

\* Ansible Up and Running, 2nd Edition - make sure you use the 2nd edition as it covers the latest versions of Ansible and it includes a section on network devices

## Python

\* There are a lot of books, not sure I have a specific recommenadation. You might check reviews on Amazon for a specific book.

\* Pluralsight learning path

## Javascript

\* Learning JavaScript: JavaScript Essentials for Modern Application Development (O'Reilly)

\* Pluralsight learning path

## Tools

\* Homebrew (package manager for OS X)

\* Postman

\* Good text editor (Atom, Sublime Text, BBEdit) or IDE (Pycharm, Visual Studio Code)

\* Github Account

\* Docker for Mac

\* Vagrant (generally also used with Virtual Box)

\* Macdown (simple markdown editor for Mac)

## Things NOT to do

\* Don't pollute the system Python on your laptop, instead use Python virtual environments for specific projects