# Lab 8: Project Management

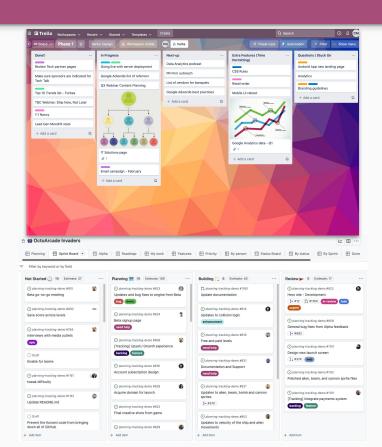
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### Project Management: Kanban Boards

 Kanban boards are a great tool for managing and assigning tasks!

 Your team <u>must</u> use either Trello or Github Projects to plan and allocate work



#### Git Commands

#### **Branches**

List existing branches

```
git branch -a
```

Make a new branch & switch to it

```
git checkout -b new_branch
```

Switch to main branch

```
git checkout main
```

View branch's staged & unstaged changes

```
git status
```

#### **Updating**

Get latest version from parent branch

```
git pull
```

Get latest version from different branch

```
git pull origin main

What is origin?

What is main?
```

Stage, Commit, Push changes to Github

```
git add -A
git commit -m "commit msg"
git push origin branch-name
```

#### Git Shortcuts

Stage ALL files and commit

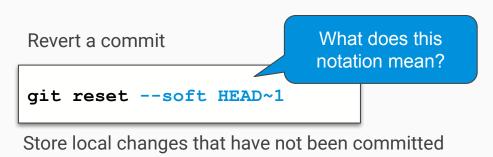
```
git commit -a -m "message"
```

Un-add all files

```
git reset
```

Un-add a file

```
git reset <file-name>
```





Retrieve local changes from stash

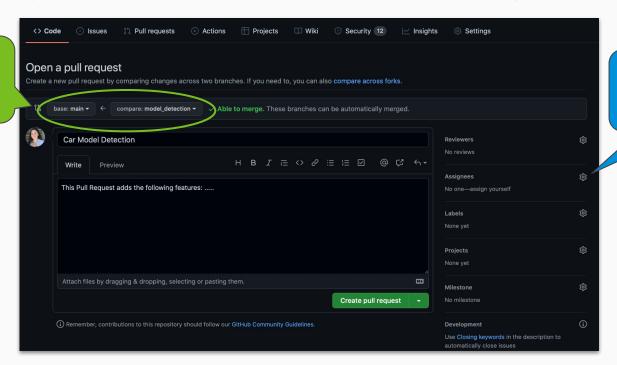
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git stash pop What data structure does this resemble?
```

And MUCH more... <a href="https://git-scm.com/docs/git#\_git\_commands">https://git-scm.com/docs/git#\_git\_commands</a>

#### Git Best Practices

 Never commit changes directly to the main branch! Make changes on a different branch, make a pull request from your branch to the main branch, and once approved merge your branch to main

Select what branch you want to merge into main

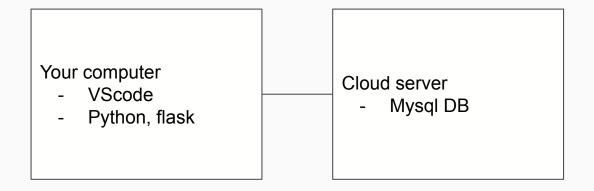


Assign your teammates as reviewers

# Development Environment

- Getting started with Visual Studio Code <u>Guide</u>
  - Installation steps, setting up LiveShare
- VS Code's Flask <u>Tutorial</u>
- Extensions to install:
  - LiveShare, Python, MySQL, Git Project Manager

# Testing/Deployment Environment



Cloud server will be setup next week

Can start creating schema now in sqlite

# Group Work Environment

Some rules to make a good group environment:

- Have a communication plan (we recommend the setup discord channel)
- Let all voices be heard and be respectful
- Help each other
- Don't do too little... don't do too much
- Talk with the professor if you have issues

### Demo!

### Phase 1 Timeline

Week	Status Check	Recommended Milestones
1 (March 18- March 24)	March 18	Read specs, defined & distributed tasks among team, complete ER Diagram
2 (March 25 - March 31)	March 27	SQL script for setting up db, login/logout functionality Progress on functionality (may lack styling or interaction between components)
3 (April 15 - April 21)	April 3 : Preliminary Demo	Most major functionality should be complete; Minimal bugs / missing features
4 (April 22 - April 26)	April 10: Final Demo	Full working project!

# Activity

- 1. Accept the Github assignment for Phase 1:
  - a. One team member create a new team and the other team members join
- 2. Clone the repository to your local computer
- 3. Discuss the below items. Each team member create a new branch and make a pull request adding a section in README.md about the following:
  - a. branch team\_rules: Describe the expectations and rules for your team members (i.e. "Group members will respond within 48 hours", "All work will be agreed upon and distributed evenly")
  - b. branch **project\_planning**: Describe what tools your team will use for communication and planning (Google Calendar, Trello, etc.). Provide a link to your project board.
  - c. branch code\_review\_process: Describe the code review process your team will follow (i.e. "All pull requests must be approved by 2 other team members before merging")
- 4. Review the pull requests and merge all 3 branches to main
- 5. Begin working on your project board and reading through the project specs!

#### Kanban Boards Setup (one student follow the steps)

Trello: Create an account -> Create a workspace -> Create a board

Github: Navigate to your team's github repository->projects-> link a project -> Create a new project -> Click on view all -> Choose a Kanban Board

- Name it based on your team's name

Inside the board, make sure you have these columns:

- To Do, In Progress, Code Review, Done

Start adding items!

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