

What about the project?

What you need to do

Project

- Choosing a project
- Documenting the project
- Choosing a contribution
- Submitting that contribution

Choosing the project

- Find a project that is at least 3 years old
- It should have at least 3 or more active developers
 - A mailing list

Document the project

- What is the objective of the project
- What is the history of the project
- What is its organization
- What software toolkit does it use?
 - Language
 - Tools
 - Version control, etc
- What are its software engineering methods
- How are decisions made:
 - Who decides what goes into the project
 - Conflict resolution

Your contribution

- What your contribution is
- How did you decide what to do
- Document your submission and acceptance process

Conclusions

- Your opinion on the project and its specifics
 - Organization
 - Methods
 - Tools
 - People