The Open Source Initiative ® (OSI), stewards of the Open Source Definition that sets the foundation for the open source ecosystem, is excited to announce Stefano Maffulli as its first Executive Director. The appointment is a key step for the transformation of OSI into a professionally managed organization, a process that the Board of Directors started in 2020.

After an expansive search led by OSI’s purpose-built staffing committee, the Board of Directors appointed Maffulli, an experienced international leader in enterprise and open source environments. OSI is grateful to Deb Nicholson, interim general manager, for her outstanding work in this transitional year.

“Bringing Stefano Maffulli on board as OSI’s first Executive Director is the culmination of a years-long march toward professionalization, so that OSI can be a stronger and more responsive advocate for open source,” says Joshua Simmons, Board Chair of OSI. “We can now deprecate the role of President transitioning to Chair of the Board with confidence about OSI’s future.”

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1. **I'm back with qutebrowser** [5]

   Back in August, I wrote about how I was tired of QtWebEngine and that I was switching to Firefox with Vimium to emulate a similar mouse-less workflow. Well. That didn't last long.

   It took me about a week before I was back with qutebrowser again. The Vimium addon is a good addon (for what it is), but it's simply not good enough for me. While I could use keybindings for a lot of things, unfortunately, some basic things didn't work at all.

2. **What are Chrome DevTools** [6]

   You may occasionally need to make adjustments to your website and check the results simultaneously. For this purpose, Google has created a utility that is pre-installed in the Google Chrome browser. Chrome DevTools or Chrome Development Tools permit users to repair bugs in their code without leaving the opened current tab.

3. **Debugging Python C extensions with GDB** [7]

   Many popular Python modules are written in the C language, and bugs in C extensions can cause nasty crashes that Python's error-catching mechanism won't catch. Fortunately, numerous powerful debuggers—notably, the GNU Project Debugger (GDB)?were designed for the C language. In Python 3.9, developers can use these to debug Python programs, and particularly the C extensions included in Python programs.

   This article shows how to use the improved Python debug build in Python 3.9. I'll first discuss how we adapted Python to allow developers to use traditional C debuggers, then show you how to use the debug build and GDB to debug C extensions in a Python program.

4. **Bash if-else Statement** [8]

   While working in Bash, you may need to add conditions in your script. Depending on whether a programmer-specified boolean condition turns out to be true or false, Bash conditional
statements perform specified operations based on the conditions. These conditional statements
are utilized to execute specific sections of your shell program.
The if, if-else, if-elif-else statements are used in Bash scripts for executing blocks of code
based on a condition outcome, just like they work in any other programming language.

This article will go through the fundamentals of the Bash if-else Statement and will show you
how to utilize these conditional statements in your Bash script. So let's start!

Source URL: http://www.tuxmachines.org/node/155413

Links:
[8] https://linuxhint.com/bash-if-then-else-example/