

Writing a Blog Post

The [project website](#) is build with [Jekyll](#). To write a blog post, follow these steps:

1. **Check out flink-web.** Check out the *asf-site* branch of the *flink-web* repository (<https://git-wip-us.apache.org/repos/asf/flink-web.git>).
2. **Write your post:**
 - a. In the `_posts` directory, create a new file for your post.
 - b. Follow the same **file naming scheme** as the existing posts, e.g. *DATE-TITLE.md*, and use the following **template** for your post (including the "---"):

```
---
layout: post
title: "Your title"
date: 2015-05-01 10:00:00
author: "Your Name [OPTIONAL]"
author-twitter: "Your Twitter handle w/o the @ [OPTIONAL]"
excerpt: "Post excerpt for preview [OPTIONAL]"
categories: blog
---
```

YOUR POST

You can use [GitHub Flavored Markdown](#) for your post. Some tips:

- **Important:** Make sure to correctly set the *date* tag in the preamble of your post.
 - The *author* tag is optional. If you don't set it, no author will be displayed.
 - The *author-twitter* tag is optional. It will only be displayed if you also set the author tag.
 - The *excerpt* tag is optional. If you don't provide one, the first paragraph of your text will be used as the excerpt. This is important for the blog overview page.
 - When writing your blog post, use **hierarchical heading levels**. Start with level two headings, e.g. `## YOUR HEADING`. Don't let the layout influence which type of heading you use (if you are not satisfied with the layout, start a community discussion about it).
3. **Build website.** Build the website with the included build script. This will create the complete project page including your new post using Jekyll in the *content* directory.
 4. **Push changes.** Commit the changes (including the *content* directory) and either push it directly to the repository or ask the community to review and push your post.