#DialMForMentor

PyCon 2017

DIAL M FOR MENTOR

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Hello!

Who am I?

@mariatta

Who are you?

M is for Mission Possible

On a mission:

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On a mission:

- To improve yourself

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On a mission:

- To improve yourself
- To take on new challenges
- To level up your skills

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M is for Motivation

EFFORT?

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M is for Moving On

STORY: GIVE UP

EFFORT: XS

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M is for Moving On

I gave it my best shot

I’m not meant for this

It’s just too hard

It’s not worth trying

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M is for Moving Forward

STORY: REACH OUT FOR HELP

EFFORT: XL

M is for Mansplainer

My questions are stupid

M is for Mansplainer

myth

My questions are stupid

REAL

Finding a mentor is hard

Only newbies need help

myth

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REAL

Nobody's perfect

I'm wasting people's time

myth

I'm wasting people's time

REAL

Mentors learn from you too

I don't deserve any help

myth

I don't deserve any help

REAL

Impostor Syndrome

I'm a failure for needing help

myth

I'm a failure for needing help

REAL

Asking for help is not a failure

myths

Delay and prevent you from reaching out

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M is for Mentor

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pip install pyladies
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slackin.pyladies.com

Meetups and Python User Groups

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Open Source Project Maintainers

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Python Core Mentorship

pythonmentors.com

Now what?

Commitment

Respect

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It’s your own story

Mentors are there to support you

M is for Mojo

It’s your responsibility to follow through

Take credit for your own work

M is for Mentor

Thank your mentor

M is for Mentor

Mentor others

M is for Mediocre

btw..

Who am I?

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PyLadies Vancouver organizer

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PyCascades Conference organizer

Vancouver, BC January 22-23, 2018

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Python contributor

CPython, Dev Guide, python.org

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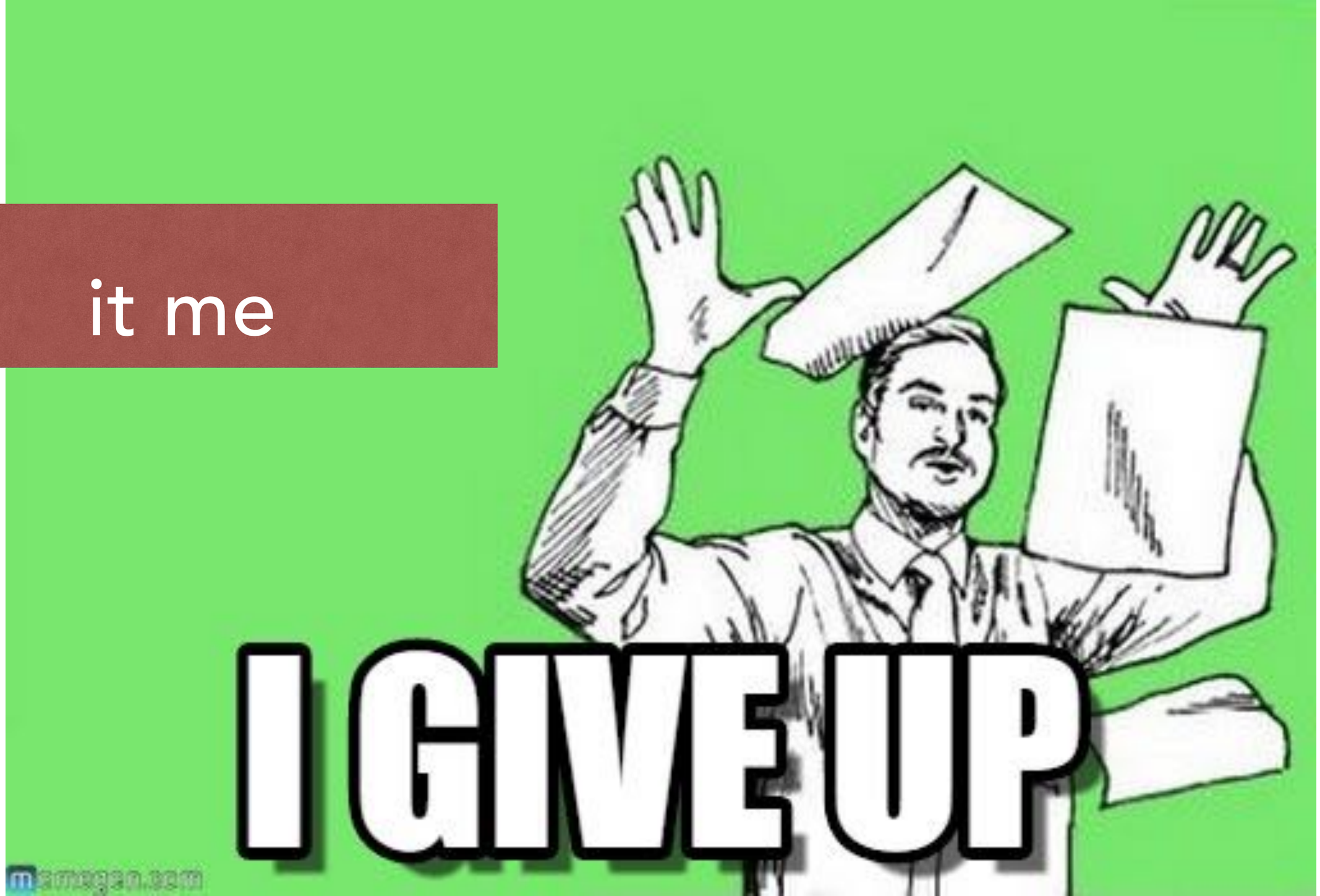

it me

I have stupid questions

I’m wasting people’s time

I don’t deserve to be helped

I’m a failure for needing help

Guido van Rossum

@gvanrossum

Following

Replying to @mariatta @pyladies

Impostor syndrome is real. I can guide you at guido@python.org.

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Python contributor

CPython, Dev Guide, python.org

REAL

Python is **20+** years old

REAL

2017: 1st woman in Developer Log

REAL

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DevGuide PR **#98**

btw..

Who am I, again?

Python Core Developer

Python Core Developer

IT ME

M is for Mission Accomplished

Thanks!

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