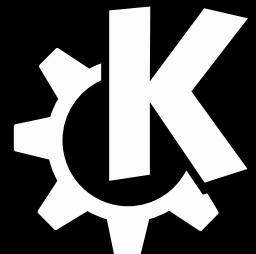


# Working professionally with KDE



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# What do you need from KDE?

# What is a KDE product team after?

# Coordinate with the community

You can always fork... 

... but please do not fork.



# Shared responsibilities

*Helping the Community help  
you help them*

# Talk to people

Be clear

# Be transparent

# Be reliable



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In 2017 marketing contractors  
started

# The Big difference

# Challenge

# Opportunity

# Working with the Community

# Make a living

# How do I help?

**Help the contractors like fellow  
community members**

**Work with them, embrace their goals**

**Don't assume they know things because  
of their position**

**Don't assume they have magical powers**

**Don't keep yourself from taking tasks  
because they are around**

Apply to the positions as they  
appear

# Reach out!

# A collective opportunity



# What's next?



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