

Henry Sloan van Wagenberg

Junior Ruby on Rails Developer

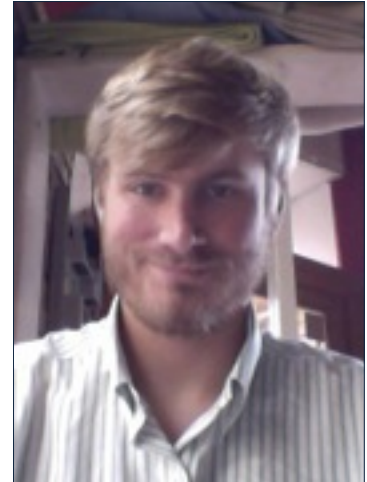
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Personal

Last Name van Wagenberg
First Name Henry
Birthdate 16.02.1985
Birthplace Maryland, United States
Nationality American
Languages Native English, B2 Fluency German, Beginner Mandarin Chinese



Goal I have worked in Rails either independently on my own projects or as a member of a team (on the Crowd911 product, see below) for one year. In the winter of 2013 I fulfilled a longstanding plan to move to Berlin, a city I find full of opportunity and promise. I am keen to contribute to new Rails projects and to continue learning.

Employment SmartLogic.io GmbH, Febr. - July 2014

Experience *Managing Director, Berlin Office*

Led foundation of the Berlin office of US-based SmartLogic. SmartLogic supports startups with external development teams and consulting focusing on Ruby on Rails.

[White Cheetah](#) - [Crowd911](#), April - Sept. 2013

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Jr Rails developer for Colorado-based Crowd911, an enterprise solution for emergency alert management. Participated in daily stand-ups, sprint planning process and agile workflow using Pivotal Tracker, git and Github. Paired with developers on the following using RSpec TDD: creating alert message actions via Rails Controller, customizing Active Admin, customizing JSON outputs to our mobile dev team, using Rails models to structure our database for alert severity and many-to-many table relationships between crowds and alerts. Mentored by Hewlett-Packard developers. Selected as "tech guy" to represent the product at 2013 San Francisco TechCrunch Disrupt.

RateMyStudyAbroad.com, August 2010 - April 2013

Co-Founder and Director

Founded, raised funds, managed developers and designers, and led sales to create independent study abroad site with 5,000+ student reviews. Forged strategic partnership with GoAbroad.com, the largest abroad directory in the world 2011- 13. Moved to GoAbroad's Philippines office for 7 months. Managed team of 7 Filipino PHP Symfony developers. Managed 3 sales interns

in Colorado HQ. Drove with a bus across North America to sell review software product to universities. Small successful exit. Customer interviews - <http://tinyurl.com/qa2vfr9>

Philosophy Year, July 2009 - July 2010

Self-Study Project

I committed one year of my life to studying Greek and Roman philosophy, beginning with the Pre-Socratics, Plato and Aristotle. Waited tables and bartender in the evening to fund my self-study project

Mimeo.com, September 2008 - February 2009

Account Executive

80 phone calls per day articulating and selling New York, NY based Mimeo.com's online print and logistics solution

Presidential Personnel, The White House, Fall 2007

Intern

Took phone calls, escorted candidates, prepared resume summary documents, attended West Wing staff meetings. Presidential Personnel advises the president on cabinet and other senior staff personnel decisions

Democratic Progressive Party (DPP), Taipei, Taiwan, Summer 2005

Intern, International Department

Overhauled and reformatted English newsletter for governing party of the Republic of China. Assisted with visits from foreign press, representatives and scholars

Gyldensteen Estates, Bogense, Denmark, Summer 2002

Broccoli Cutter

Cut broccoli in broccoli fields. Gyldensteen is one of the largest agricultural producers in Denmark

Education BA English Literature, Minor Economics - 2007

Davidson College, North Carolina, GPA 3.33

Tall Ship Sailor/Deckhand & Oceanography Student - 2007

USS *Robert Seamans*, Sea Education Association, Woods Hole, Massachusetts

German Language Immersion & Semester Study Abroad - 2005

Universität Würzburg, Würzburg, Germany

Intensive 1st year Mandarin Chinese - 2004

Middlebury College, Vermont

Academic Honor Council, Davidson College, 2006-2007

Experience/ *Honor Council Student Solicitor*

Awards The Davidson student body annually elects two students to serve as student solicitors for the college's honor council. Integrity and the Honor Code are part of the college's student culture. Matriculating students pledge not to lie, cheat or steal.

DAAD German Undergraduate Fellow, 2005*Stipendiat / Fellow*

The German academic exchange service (DAAD) awards paid fellowships annually to 55 highly qualified American undergraduates to study in Germany

Freeman Foundation Asian Grants, 2004 and 2005*Award for Asian-related Study*

The Freeman Foundation twice awarded me generous grants to facilitate my study of Mandarin Chinese at Middlebury College (2004) and in Taiwan (2005).

Certificate DSH: Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang - 2005

Passed the DSH oral and written German language exam. The DSH certifies that I speak and write German at a university level.

**Volunteer/
Community RailsGirls Berlin Volunteer Instructor**

Since early 2014, I've taught women programming and Ruby on Rails introductions as a volunteer RailsGirls instructor.

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References

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