



I was born on the 21st of May 1987 in Innsbruck. Currently I am living in Berlin, being a father of two children. I speak English and German at the level of a native speaker.

In this resume you will find out how I do the things I love to do. This includes software development, entrepreneurship, giving talks, occassional blogging and hacking Ruby code.

Freelancing is my preferred style of work, but from time to time I like to engage in long term projects. I strive for efficient and simple results, and for those I do not fear taking steep paths. I work best in creative but structured environments alongside like minded people.

Creativity

I love to think in solutions, I love creative new ways, I love to throw ideas around. But in the end, everything that matters to me is a simple yet easy to use product.

Creation

I write well tested, maintainable applications. Having lead a tech startup with more than 100k customers taught me many lessons.

Communication

I do not only speak with computers, but I also love working together with people. I am glad that I have had the chance to be part of some amazing teams. Whenever there is an opportunity to help out, I love to take on the challenge.

Tools of choice

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| Ruby | Redis | Mac OS X | *nix | JavaScript | Occams Razor |
| Sinatra | PostgreSQL | Vim | FreeBSD | Microjs | Empiricism |
| Ruby on Rails | MySQL | Git | Nginx | jQuery | Convention |
| RSpec | Solr | Markdown | HAProxy | Spine | XKCD |

Experience

Bitcoinppi

10/2015, Developer

Bitcoinppi is a platform that calculates a purchasing power index for Bitcoin, based on the BigMac index.

This project is available as open source on Github. The heavy use of PostgreSQL makes this project outstanding in terms of code efficiency.

simplybuy.it

since 05/2015, Founder, Developer

Simplybuy.it is the simplest checkout platform one can use.

I was always annoyed with shop platforms, so annoyed that I set forth to build my own. Simplybuy.it is the simplest approach to a common problem: Checkout a product on the internet. It allows sellers to simply create a link to a checkout page where customers can enter their shipping information. The checkout process is the shortest, best optimized checkout process you can find on the internet.

Opencorporates.com

since 03/2015, Developer

Opencorporates is the worlds largest open company database.

At Opencorporates I was working on their API and an internal reconciliation service. I have also worked on their flexible ETL pipeline that allows measured reconciliation on vague information. This allows their

system to ingest and reconcile more data, from more source than they could have done before.

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| Wooga 01/2012 - 03/2015, Developer | <p>Wooga is Berlins leading Social gaming company.</p> <p>During my long time at Wooga I was working in two game teams. Having built fast, robust and maintainable backends, with more than 2 million daily active users, Wooga was one of the most interesting challenges so far.</p> |
| kreuzwerker 10/2011 - 12/2011, Developer | <p>Kreuzwerker is a software consultancy based in Berlin.</p> <p>I was maintaining existing applications, planning out the Digital Asset Management system for AIDA cruises and some spicy rescue missions.</p> |
| Flat.st 07/2011, Developer | <p>A short but very enjoyable gig for the web's next flatsharing platform. I participated in many discussions about user interaction and I have implemented some vanilla features on a Rails 3 application. I have also introduced RSpec acceptance tests.</p> |
| EuRuKo 2011 06/2010 - 05/2011, Organizer | <p>Previous to the 2010 EuRuKo event the Ruby User Group Berlin decided to organize and design the conference for 2011. I liked the idea to give the Ruby community something back by helping to make this event as great as possible.</p> <p>As a member of the organizing team I co-created the InDesign layout for the fundraising brochure and furthermore hosted the website. During the conference I also had great fun managing the Twitter communication.</p> |
| Palupas since 06/2010, Consultant | <p>I met Mathias Eylers, the founder of Palupas GmbH, at a Start-Up dinner in Berlin. I really liked his idea of customizing flip flops for the general population. His idea was to sell them online, so with my experience I helped him accelerate the launch of the online platform. Since then I have been taking care of the servers.</p> |
| Upstream 08/2009, Developer | <p>Additionally to working together with Upstream on the PaperC platform, I developed features for a project of one of their clients. Unfortunately this project is no longer online, but the code and tests I wrote are still passing.</p> |
| PaperC 02/2008 - 06/2011, Co-Founder, Developer | <p>PaperC was my Start-Up company. I was one of the three founders and had the role of the CTO. Our idea was to virtualize textbooks and specialist literature and thusly making them accessible to everyone. During my time with PaperC I worked together with Upstream Berlin. In 2009 the company won the Start-Up of the year award given by deutsche-startups.de</p> <p>My responsibilities as CTO went from implementing features to keeping the infrastructure healthy. The team size varied a lot since we often worked together with freelancers in our project teams. At its peak the team grew up to 6 people who worked on the platform.</p> |
| lrieder.com Webdesign 01/2007 - 08/2009, Freelancer | <p>The project lrieder.com was my first approach to realize web projects as a freelancer. During that time I was responsible for designing, creating and hosting over 17 sites of small to mid sized companies. I am very happy about this time, because it was one of my first job experiences and because of the many great client relations I took away.</p> |
| REHA institute for autistic and mentally disabled children 10/2006 - 07/2007, Civil service | <p>My alternative civilian service was a very influential time in my life. It was an incredible experience working with disabled children. These children seem so far away from life on first sight, but they feel, live and enjoy life as much as we do.</p> |

Education

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| 2008 | Teammanagement course at the HWR Berlin, as part of the career.contact program |
| 1998 - 2005 | Akademisches Gymnasium Innsbruck/Austria |
| 2001 - 2002 | "Media Design" course at the Media institute of Tirol |
| 1993 - 1995 | Elementary school Igls |
| 1995 - 1997 | Elementary school Volders |

Influential people

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| Rich Hickey | Simple Made Easy Strange Loop 2011 |
| Jim Weirich | Shaving with Occam MountainWest RubyConf 2008 |
| Paul Campbell | “Learn things you are not familiar with to shed new light on what you already know.” Opening Keynote EuRuKo 2011 |
| Chad Fowler | “Stomp cynicism!” Closing Keynote Scottish Ruby Conference 2011 |

I do not want to decorate myself with names. My intention is to honor some witty people from whom I have learned a lot.

Talks I have given

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| Stateful Application Server in JRuby |
| Practical Functional Programming in Ruby |
| Wrapping Apache HTTPClient |
| Cuba Framework |
| Fish a shell for the 90s |
| Bitcoin Why and How |
| PStore not dead |
| Thread gem |
| MySQL Trickery |
| Object Constancy In Visualisations |

Over the time I have become an enthusiastic speaker. I am proud and love to share the work

*I have done with the community. Checkout
Speaker Deck for my slides.*

Side projects

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| Blogging on Github gists as Overbryd |
| Blogging on overbryd.github.io |
| Coworking Hackday |
| Brewing Club Mate at co.up |
| My tiny Code Challenge |
| Building a SheevaPlug NAS |
| Hacking my doorbell (Doorduino) |
| Working on a Boat |

Conferences

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| BaRuCo 2014 |
| wroc_love.rb 2014 |
| BaRuCo 2013 |
| BaRuCo 2012 |
| EuRuKo 2012 |
| Scottish Ruby Conference 2012 |
| EuRuKo 2011 |
| Scottish Ruby Conference 2011 |
| EuRuKo 2010 |
| Scottish Ruby Conference 2010 |
| Rails Underground 2009 |
| RailsWayCon Berlin 2009 |