

# Thomas Countz

## Rails Developer

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### About

I am inspired by knowledge, spurred by an impetus for expression, and channeled by technical precision. I aim to build meaningful experiences through clean elegant code, collaborate with peers and co-creators to express new ideas, and to enrich and maintain products and services that solve problems with dependable solutions.

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### Experience

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#### AgileVentures.org / Ruby on Rails Developer

MAR 2017 - CURRENT

We serve several clients and our fellow developers to produce maintainable, robust, and efficient code. With AgileVentures, I contribute to OS projects, attend SCRUMs and practice agile methodologies, TDD and BDD with RSpec and Cucumber, and use continuous integration with Github and waffle.io. Having access to multiple teams and codebases allows me to stay flexible and communicative while both exercising creativity and relying on established conventions.

#### Peanuts / Personal Ruby on Rails Project

DEPLOYED - FEB 2017

[https://thomascountz.github.io/portfolio/1\\_project/](https://thomascountz.github.io/portfolio/1_project/)

Agile-built Rails application. MVP planning and issue management with Waffle, version control and CI with Github and Semaphore, TDD/BDD with RSpec and Capybara, styling integration with Twitter's Bootstrap, and deployment with Heroku.

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### Education

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#### The Odin Project

AUGUST 2016 - CURRENT, ONLINE

Full-stack curriculum covering HTML, CSS, Javascript (and frameworks), Ruby, Rails, Sinatra, MYSQL, and Agile methodologies

#### Ruby on Rails Tutorial

DECEMBER 2016 - CURRENT, PRINT BOOK

De facto standard for learning the Ruby on Rails framework. Updated for latest conventions and framework version.

Deployed at: <https://thomas-sample-app.herokuapp.com/>