

# Benjamin Schachter

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## Technical Skills:

- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React/Redux, Angular.js, Git/Github, Agile/Scrum, QA, Project Management Products

## Experience:

**Recurse Center**, New York, NY

*The Recurse Center is a free, self-directed, educational retreat.*

Participant

11/16-02/17

- Built a variety of small projects using JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Node.js, P5.js, React.js, D3.js and AWS.
- Improved my programming skills by pairing, being mentored and helping others.
- Worked with staff on implementing pairing stations to further encourage participants to work together on projects and problems.

**DramaFever**, New York, NY

*The largest online video distributor of international televised content on demand with professional subtitles.*

Project Manager

07/15-11/16

- Implemented Front-End bug fixes in Django application.
- Manage day-to-day operations of internal tools, front-end and marketing projects.
- Collaborate with development, design and product teams to execute features.
- Serve as an Agile Coach by spreading Agile practices, values and principles with distributed teams.
- Help teams identify and remove bottlenecks, and continually optimize processes.
- Work with the project team to approve overall process and communication companywide.

## Other Experience:

**Avatar New York (Digital Agency)**, New York, NY

Project Manager

04/14-12/14

**Blue State Digital (Digital Agency)**, New York, NY

Project Management Intern

01/14-03/14

**Green Charge Networks (Clean Technology Start-Up)**, Brooklyn, NY

06/12-01/13

Research and Finance Project Coordinator Intern

## Education:

**Purchase College, State University of New York**, Purchase, NY

**Graduated:** 05/2012

**Major:** Economics **Senior Thesis:** Economics of Climate Change

## Certificates:

- Coursera: Single Page Web Applications with Angular.js, HTML, CSS and JS for Web Developers.
- Scrum Alliance: Certified Scrum Master, Certified Scrum Product Manager.
- Google Analytics: Individual Qualification

## Achievements & Interests:

- Co-founded "Shack Attack" record label; produced (5) albums, 50+ events.
- Coordinator of Finance of the Purchase Student Government Association (elected position)- Managed a budget of of \$730,000 reaching an above average savings rate of 15%.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place at Intel/ Android Hack-a-Thon.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place at Stripe/CardFlight Hack-a-Thon