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## Web Presence

- **Github:** <https://github.com/charlietanksley>
- **Homepage:** <http://www.charlietanksley.net>
- **General Programming Blog:**  
<http://www.charlietanksley.net/blog>
- **L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X Blog (group blog):**  
<http://www.charlietanksley.net/philtex>

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## Work History

### **Sourcescape, Dec. 2011–Feb. 2012: Part-Time Internship**

Wrote tests, refactored, and wrote production code on a Rails application for a benefits payment/management company.

### **Clemson University, Aug. 2010–Present: Lecturer in Philosophy**

Taught introductory courses in logic and ethics to 140 students per semester. Researched possibility and the relationship between objects and their parts.

### **University of Virginia, Aug. 2009–May 2010: Visiting Researcher**

Researched (wrote and delivered papers on) and taught a 400-level, senior seminar on the persistence of objects through time and the relationship between objects and their parts.

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## Development Skills

### Languages

- Ruby

### Web Frameworks

- Sinatra
- Padrino
- Rails
- Wordpress

### Markup Languages, Pre-processors, & Tools

- HTML
- CSS
- Compass
- Sass/Scss
- Haml
- Slim
- Susy (responsive grid)

- Goldilocks (responsive framework)

### Development Tools

- Git
- L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X (typesetting system)
- Rspec (testing framework)
- Riot (testing framework)
- BDD/TDD with Cucumber & Rspec

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## Education

- 2009: Ph.D. in Philosophy, University of Virginia
- 2004: M.A. in Philosophy, Texas A&M University
- 2002: B.A. in Philosophy, Samford University

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## Recent Projects

### Moxie Academy—[www.moxieacademy.com](http://www.moxieacademy.com)

**description** Moxie Academy is the front-end for an on-line course. The course content includes both text and videos, so the outward facing site must display both (and the admin interface must allow the administrator to interact with both).

**responsibilities** all coding (front-end and back-end), design, and graphics

**technologies** Ruby, Padrino, Compass, Sass, Susy (responsive framework), DataMapper, Slim, Heroku

### ThePhilosopher.me—[www.thephilosopher.me](http://www.thephilosopher.me)

**description** ThePhilosopher.me was designed with one goal: to enable non-technical people (philosophers!) to create simple, informative, topical, personal sites. Since the most important facts about philosophers are their contact information and publications, this application aims to make it as easy as possible to create a page with both. The publication data comes from an external source via screen scraping (to obviate the need for time-consuming data entry).

**responsibilities** idea, all coding (front-end and back-end), design, and graphics

**technologies** Ruby, Sinatra, MongoDB, Mongoid, Compass, Sass, Susy, Haml, Heroku, MongoHQ

### Fierce Love—[www.fiercelove.me](http://www.fiercelove.me)

**description** Fierce Love is an umbrella site for a series of courses offered by a life-coaching team. At present, the site is written on top of WordPress. The current course has lessons that are text, video, and/or audio. The site uses custom roles to display content to users at the appropriate time in their course.

**responsibilities** all coding (front-end and back-end), design, and graphics (save main logo)

**technologies** PHP, WordPress, Compass, Sass

### Joy Tanksley's Coaching Site—[www.joytanksley.com](http://www.joytanksley.com)

**description** A business site and blog for a life coach.

**responsibilities** all coding (front-end and back-end), design, and graphics

**technologies** StaticMatic (Ruby static site generator), WordPress, Haml, Compass, Sass, jQuery

### My Personal Site—[www.charlietanksley.net](http://www.charlietanksley.net)

**description** My personal site.

**responsibilities** all coding (front-end and back-end), design, and graphics

**technologies** MiddleMan (Ruby static site generator), Compass, Scss, Goldilocks Responsive Framework, Slim, Whiskey Disk (for deployment)

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## OSS Contributions

### thumblemonks/riot

- 2011-09-13 remove mention of deprecated exists from README (1b90c5e)
- 2011-09-13 add deprecation warning to exists macro (7201941)
- 2011-09-03 remove mention of any macro from README (cc99cd9)
- 2011-09-03 add deprecation warning to any macro (9b1510c)
- 2011-09-03 remove discussion of not! from README. (3877864)

- 2011-08-22 remove depreciated not! assertion macro (64bc72f)

### rubinius/rubinius

- 2011-10-15 update String#squeeze and #squeeze! specs for 19 (e804060)
- 2011-10-15 patch String#squeeze for 19 (7acb876)

### davetron5000/methadone

- 2012-01-22 add features to ensure gemspec consistency (998ec00)
- 2012-01-21 update gemspec dependencies due to bundler changes (0cc4b68)