

# Chris LaBarge

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## What I Do

I am a web developer from Albany NY who enjoys building new things with new people. I started coding when I was 24 years old and became instantly hooked. Now, six years later I am still just as enthused and driven as ever. I primarily use Rails for application development and Ruby for workflow solutions & scripting. Although I love the Ruby language and its smaller frameworks like Sinatra, I have also built solutions for customers in C# and worked with languages like GO and PHP. I take pride in my problem solving abilities and communication skills with developers and non-developers alike. I am a hard worker, and would like to apply my knowledge to become an asset for you and your team.

## Tools I Use

**Frameworks:** Ruby on Rails - Sinatra - Hugo

**Databases:** PostgreSQL - MySQL - MongoDB

**Version Control:** git - Github - Bitbucket

**Testing:** Rspec - Capybara - PhantomJS - Selenium

**Front End:** Semantic UI - Bootstrap - JQuery

**Development Environment:** Ubuntu - i3wm - Zsh - Vim

## Experience

November 2016 - PRESENT

**MenuBerry, Albany NY** - [www.menuberry.org](http://www.menuberry.org) - *Creator/Developer*

- Sole developer of Rails + Semantic UI web application
- Restaurant menu app that allows users to create profiles and add content
- Tools used: Rails, Rspec, Capybara, PhantomJS, JQuery, Devise Authentication

December 2017 - PRESENT

**Contract Work, Remote & Local** - *Freelance Developer*

- Static Website development & deployment for small businesses
- Web Scraper development & deployment for data extraction
- Ruby on Rails app for importing, matching, and exporting data

July 2015- September 2016

**Greane Tree Technology, Troy NY** - *Junior Software Developer*

- Worked with small team using agile development for a Rails app
- Took on contract work for existing code bases
- Wrote scripts to solve workflow problems for clients
- Languages used for projects - Ruby, Javascript, c#, GO