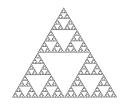
# Noah Kantrowitz

Software Engineer



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# **Profile**

Passionate programmer perpetually pursuing pragmatic perfection.

# Experience

#### Operations Engineer, Balanced; San Francisco, CA - 2013-2014

Improved Chef usage and trained the engineering team in Chef tools and workflows. Built a Jenkins-based CI/CD pipeline, speeding product deployment and allowing greatly improved testing of all aspects of the deploy process.

#### Lead Web Developer, Opscode; Seattle, WA - 2011-2013

Architected and lead the next-generation web interface for Enterprise Chef. Maintained all Opscode web properties including opscode.com and community.opscode.com. Implemented new Chef cookbooks to support Python applications.

### Operations Programmer, Cryptic Studios; Los Gatos, CA - 2008-2011

Maintained game patching systems and internal version control tools. Built a game launcher and integrated installer system. Ported legacy game infrastructure to standards-compliant web services using Django. Built Chef configurations for Python and PHP applications.

### Open Source Developer; The Internet — 2006-Present

Operations Lead for the Python Software Foundation, supporting all PSF services and running the Infrastructure Staff team. Also active in the Chef, JavaScript, and Python web communities.

## **Education**

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; Troy, NY — BS of Computer Science, May 2008

## **Expertise**

Apache, Bash, C, Chef, Django, Git, JavaScript, Linux, Postgres, Python, Thought Leading

### **Skills**

Well versed in many programming languages. A passionate advocate of software engineering practices, and very familiar with many common tools and environments. Experienced with all major operating systems and numerous software stacks, from kernel hacking to web APIs.

#### Referrals

Available on request.