

Peter Hechler

✉ peter.hechler@gmail.com

☎ (914)419-9542

🏠 137 Herkimer St, Brooklyn, NY, 11216

Projects

Imgir | *Full Stack*

[Live](#) • [GitHub](#)

Web-app based on Imgur (Ruby on Rails, JS, React-Flux.)

- ❑ Built according to Flux architecture, implementing faster and more efficient UX rendering.
- ❑ Prevents malicious users from editing others' content by enforcing user association in back-end.
- ❑ New comment form appends itself to comment react component, based on click event target.

Defend Your Fries | *Full Stack*

[Live](#) • [GitHub](#)

Browser game *Defend Your Castle* with a modern spin (JS, HTML5 Canvas)

- ❑ Streamlined rendering with HTML5 Canvas' lightweight, efficient framework.
- ❑ Implemented physics engine through tracking mouse movement and time of click and release to create a velocity, alongside basic acceleration downward to simulate gravity.

Feels Train | *Back End*

[GitHub](#)

Lightweight MVC framework, built using Ruby.

- ❑ Creates routes through metaprogramming, resulting in DRY structure.
- ❑ Sets up security for an app using JSON to encrypt and decode cookies.

Skills

Ruby	JavaScript	React.js	HTML	Git
Ruby on Rails	jQuery	SQL	CSS	RSpec

Experience

Fulbright Scholar

2014 - 2015

English Teaching Assistantship

Münster, Germany

- ❑ Instructed over 500 German middle and high school students in American culture and language.
- ❑ Lead two separate intensive English courses for Oxford Exam preparation.

Reavis Parent Lehrer LLP

2012

Legal Assistant

New York, NY

- ❑ Transcribed recordings, providing critical evidence for the case, which the firm won.
- ❑ Consolidated inventory, decreasing file retrieval time by 30%.

Education

App Academy

February 2016-April 2016

1000- hour Full Stack Web Development Course with 3% acceptance rate

New York, NY

Heavy focus on pair programming

Dickinson College

2010 - 2014

B.A. in German and Philosophy

Carlisle, PA

GPA 3.6, Cum Laude, Dean's List, Departmental Honors in German, Wieland Endowed Prize for Excellence in German