

# Peter Hechler

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## Projects

### ~~Image~~Stack

Live ● [GitHub](#)

Image-hosting app based on Imgur (Ruby on Rails, JS, React/Flux)

- ❑ Allows for scale by storing uploaded images in the cloud with AWS S3.
- ❑ Built with RESTful Rails backend serving JSON API to a React/Flux frontend.
- ❑ Optimizes load time by dynamically resizing images with Paperclip and ImageMagick.

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A single-page Todo app (Ruby on Rails, JS, React/Flux, Sass)

- ❑ Appends and focuses blank todo form at the end of each list for rapid todo creation.
- ❑ Compiles consistent and semantic CSS through Sass mixins.

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[GitHub](#)

Lightweight MVC framework (Ruby, RSpec)

- ❑ Uses Ruby metaprogramming to dynamically handle requests, leading to DRY code.
- ❑ Eases future development and maintains reliability through full test coverage.

## Skills

Ruby	JavaScript	React.js	HTML5	Git	Python
Ruby on Rails	jQuery	SQL	CSS3	RSpec	C++ (learning)

## Education

### App Academy 2016

February 2016 - April

1000 hr Full Stack Web Development Course with 3% acceptance rate  
Heavy focus on pair programming, best practices, and OOP.

New York, NY

### Dickinson College

August 2010 - May 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

## Experience

### Fulbright Scholar

August 2014 - June 2015

English Teaching Assistantship

Münster, Germany

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

### Reavis Parent Lehrer LLP

June 2012 - August 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%.