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Removing Full Size Images from the WordPress Media Uploader

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Today we are doing some more customization of the WordPress Admin experience for users. This time we will be working with the media uploader to remove options that could break the site design, then we will look at adding custom image sizes from our theme as options in the media uploader.

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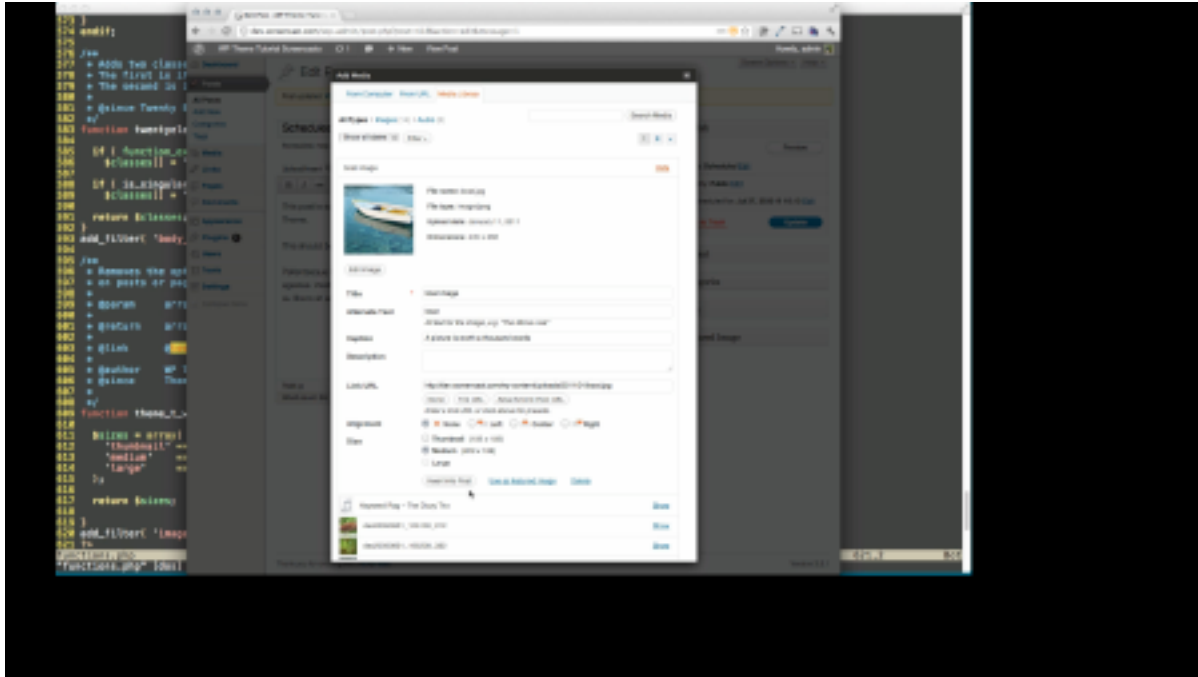
Removing Full Size

One of the options I've never liked in the media uploader is the option to add the image at 'Full Size'. Yes setting `$content_width` and writing proper CSS makes sure that the site doesn't look stupid but why even give the user the option? Let's look at the code.

```
1  /**
2   * Removes the option to even use the 'fullsize' image
3   * on posts or pages.
4   *
5   * @param   array  $sizes  req The array of sizes of images
6   *
7   * @return  array  The new set of available image sizes that we want our user to ha
8   *
9   * @link    http://wp.me/p1Fud2-7d
10  *
11  * @author  WP Theme Tutorial, Curtis McHale
12  * @since   Theme Name X.Y
13  *
14  */
15  function theme_t_wp_set_image_size_options( $sizes ){
16
17      $sizes = array(
18          'thumbnail' => 'Thumbnail',
19          'medium'    => 'Medium',
20          'large'     => 'Large'
21      );
22
23      return $sizes;
24
25  }
26  add_filter( 'image_size_names_choose', 'theme_t_wp_set_image_size_options' );
```

We are using the `image_size_names_choose` hook in WordPress. You can find it in [wp-admin/includes/media.php](http://codex.wordpress.org/Function_Reference/image_size_names_choose). This allows us to modify the default array of image sizes that WordPress provides in the media uploader. All we have to do is pass in only the ones we want, so not 'full' => `__('Full Size')` and now it won't show up as an option for the user to choose.

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