Ruby on Rails Course 2009

Further Resources

Here are some resources that may come in handy if you're planning on using **Ruby** or **Ruby on Rails** in the future.

Ruby

Official website: http://www.ruby-lang.org/
Official documentation: http://www.ruby-doc.org/
Programming chalenges: http://rubyquiz.com/

Ruby on Rails

Official website: http://rubyonrails.org/
Official documentation: http://api.rubyonrails.org/
Official blog: http://weblog.rubyonrails.org/
Official guides: http://guides.rubyonrails.org/
Free screencasts: http://railscasts.com/
Recent blog posts: http://planetrubyonrails.com/
Rails workshops: http://rubyonrailsworkshops.com/
Handy cheatsheets: http://www.addedbytes.com/cheat-sheets/ruby-on-rails-cheat-sheet

Common

Searchable documentation: http://apidock.com/
Five minute bi-weekly podcast: http://ruby5.envylabs.com/

Notable Hosting Providers

Linode: http://www.linode.com/

Linode is a hosting provider based in the US who offer Virtual Private Servers at very affordable rates and they have excellent data connections to Europe.

Heroku: http://heroku.com/

Heroku offers highly scalable, easy to use hosting for Rails applications. They also have a limited free plan suitable for small applications.

Brightbox: http://www.brightbox.co.uk/

Brightbox is a UK-based hostimg company that specializes in Rails hosting.

Code Repository Hosting

GitHub: http://github.com/

Very good hosting for Git repositories. Free for open source projects and paid plans are available if you require private repositories. Widely used for Rails and Ruby projects.

CodaSet: http://codaset.com

Git hosting and integrated ticket management. Codaset is currently in public beta, and the final pricing has not yet been published. The developer has given assurances that there will always be a free plan available.

RubyForge: http://rubyforge.org/

Hosting for open source Ruby projects. All projects must be approved by the administrators. CVS, SVN, or Git repositories can be used.

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