# Madelyn Kasula

# SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

A community- and collaboration-focused engineer. My ideal day involves learning something new from a teammate, teaching that new knowledge to someone else, having a kind and meaningful conversation about software and coding practices, writing a chunk of code that I'm proud of, lots of coffee, and quality time with my tuxedo cat, Spooky.

## **CONTACT**

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# **LANGUAGES & TOOLS**

CSS	Ruby
Git	Rails
RSpec	JavaScript
Jest	React
Jasmine	React Native
Heroku	Angular
Codeship	HTML

## **EXPERIENCE**

DevMynd

Junior Software Consultant (Apr 2017 - Present) Software Apprentice (Oct 2016 - Apr 2017)

- Build projects from start to finish using mainly Ruby, Rails, React, React
  Native, and any other technologies required to meet the client's needs
- Continuously deploy applications using Codeship and Heroku
- Work with clients to determine needs, then verify client needs and product assumptions by talking to users and subject-matter experts
- Perform project management duties and receive client approval/feedback
- Mentor a Software Apprentice, providing feedback and coaching to eventually become a Jr. Software Consultant

InContext Solutions

Software Engineer (Mar 2016 - Oct 2016) Software Engineering Intern (Jan 2016 - Mar 2016)

- Build, maintain, test, and deploy web/mobile applications and APIs using .NET, C#, AngularJS, Xamarin, TFS, and GoCD
- Lead team best practices as a member of the Release Management Team
- Manage and mentor a Software Engineer Apprentice
- Plan and create solutions in an agile environment

#### **COMMUNITY**

Girl Develop It

Chapter Leader & Instructor (Dec 2015 - Present)

Organize (and sometimes teach) classes, workshops, hackathons, and other events that focus on various programming languages and skills. Other responsibilities include providing career resources, mentoring community members, and creating a judgement-free environment for women and nonbinary people learning to code.

#### **EDUCATION**

Dev Bootcamp

Web Development (Jun 2015 - Nov 2015)

Completed a 19-week intensive web development program that taught Ruby, Rails, HTML/CSS, Javascript (AJAX, jQuery), Git, Heroku, Test Driven Development, and Agile methodologies.

University of Pittsburgh

English Language & Literature (Aug 2010 - Apr 2014)

Completed a Bachelor's degree in English Language and Literature and a minor in Chemistry with concentrations in Gender Theory, Mathematics, and Biology.