Stop relying on tropes

Speak out!

Be you, regardless

Discourages learners

Discourages Inclusivity

Stymies diversity efforts

The idea of meritocracy

The great excuse that is "Culture Fit"

The media stereotype of the developer (and why some desperately cling to it)

How we can help break up the hegemony and fanaticism

The effects of fanaticism on tech

Homogeny as a product of fanaticism

Software Art Thou?
Fanaticism talk

It's been nearly two years since I've given this talk, and while many things have changed, very little has changed on the subject of fanaticism.

Definition of Fanaticism

How fanaticism permeates all facets of tech

Fewer and fewer people groan at the mention of Microsoft, and for good reason!

But we still fight over frameworks

We still have idols

We're still pretty awful to each other

Our Code

Our Ideas

Our Culture

Our Future