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## Experience

### Software Engineer

Joyable  
2014-Present

As a full stack developer using **rails** and **angular.js**, I helped this mental health startup grow from 5 to 40 people. I built many user-facing activities, improved **frontend performance**, integrated our payments processor, built the subscription system, wrote the internal admin tools, and drove the transition towards an **SPA**.

### Software Developer

Threadflip  
2013-2014

I did full stack development with **rails**, **coffeescript**, and **backbone**. I worked on user-facing features, internal tools, refactoring, and optimization.

### Software Engineer

Expensify  
2011-2013

I was an early developer at this SAAS Expense Reporting startup. I worked on both the **PHP** backend (bank integrations, a **mechanical turk** system, html receipt parsing) and the heavy **JS** frontend (tiered feature-sets, report permissions, dropbox integration).

### Misc

**Co-ops:** 6 months each at Parse3 (C#), IBM (JS), and GE MDS (Java)  
**Part Time:** 3 years RIT SoFA (PHP), 8 months Rails (Vitame.com, freelancing)

## Projects

### Bub

[github.com/kkuchta/bub](https://github.com/kkuchta/bub)

A rack-based slack bot to manage reserving servers. Built partially as an exercise in building a ruby http service without rails.

### BeanSpeed.com

[github.com/kkuchta/coffeewifi](https://github.com/kkuchta/coffeewifi)

A rails + backbone site for comparing the wifi speeds at nearby coffeeshops. Uses google maps, the yelp api, and a speed-test tool.

### Vimbits.com

[github.com/kkuchta/vimbits](https://github.com/kkuchta/vimbits)

A Rails site for trading snippets of Vim configuration I did to scratch my own itch. Browse 'top', 'hot', 'new', and 'random' vimrc snippets. Has user account, tags, code highlighting.

### Other Projects

SFRentalApp.com, a JS Physics Engine, an infinite-scrolling random Imgur wall, a social-media campaign manager, a crime-rate service called "Danger Zone", a facebook collage maker (on a 5-person team), Ubimenu, mobile menus as a service.

## Education

BS in Software Engineering, 2011  
Rochester Institute of Technology

## Other Interests

Homebrewing, Photography,  
Travel, Rock Climbing