

I built a website



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History

On Drupal.org for 9 years 3 weeks

Documentation At least 1 edit

Drupal Contributions:

Drupal 8 core maintainer of the Batch API.

Drupal events:

DrupalCon Barcelona 2015
DrupalCon New Orleans 2016
DrupalCon Vienna 2017
Drupal Europe 2018

Credited on 29 issues fixed in the past 1 year

- [GoToWebinar](#), 1 issue
- [Flex Slider](#), 1 issue
- [Drupal core](#), 13 issues
- [Drupal core](#), 4 issues
- [Link](#), 1 issue
- [Easy Breadcrumb](#), 1 issue
- [Charts](#), 6 issues
- [Examples for Developers](#), 1 issue
- [Views Menu Node Children Filter](#), 1 issue

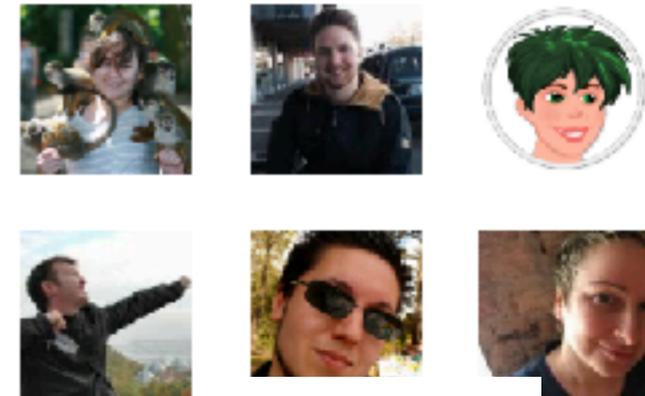
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Projects



John Cook helps support and grow the Drupal community with the [Drupal Association](#).

My mentors:



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3 people list John Cook as a mentor

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Current Role(s):

Drupal Developer

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Professional Info

Companies Worked For
[Curve Agency](#), [CTI Digital](#)

Personal Info

Gender: male



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Jul 10



Drupal Yorkshire @DrupalYorkshire · Jul 11

This month [@JohnAlanCook](#) will be showing us **10 possibly dubious tools & modules for D8** for site building. buff.ly/2maKrHk

**I installed Drupal...
You'll never guess
what happened next**



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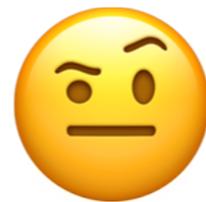


Demo!

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10 modules and tools of dubious quality for Drupal 8 site building



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Tool 1: Composer

<https://getcomposer.org/>

“Composer is a tool for dependency management in PHP.”



- `composer require vendor/package:version`
- `composer remove vendor/package`
- `composer install`
- `composer update vendor/package \`
—with-dependencies

Tool 2: Drupal Composer Project

<https://github.com/drupal-composer/drupal-project>

```
composer create-project \  
drupal-composer/drupal-project:8.x \  
project-directory
```



- Installs Drupal in **web** directory
- Tells composer to put modules and themes in the correct place
- Creates **files** directory and **settings.php** file

Tool 3: Drush

Starter

\$0.00

Per month

75 Built in commands

1000+ Commands in contrib

 Your custom commands

GET STARTED

Standard

\$0.00

Per year

75 Built in commands

1000+ Commands in contrib

 Your custom commands

GET BUSY

POPULAR

Premium

\$0.00

Forever

150 Built in commands

1000+ Commands in contrib

 Your custom commands

GET FUNKY

Module 1: Install Profile Generator

[https://www.drupal.org/project/
install_profile_generator](https://www.drupal.org/project/install_profile_generator)



- Turns current configuration into a profile
- Maintains configuration export functionality
- Can be removed after use

Module 2: Paragraphs

<https://www.drupal.org/project/paragraphs>

“Paragraphs is the new way of content creation!”



- Creates structured content
- Consistant styling

Module 3: Leggodt

<https://www.drupal.org/sandbox/johncook/2890232>



- Not really a module
- Simple content paragraphs
- Set of template, JavaScript, and CSS files along with
- Layout paragraphs
some configuration

Module 4: Default content

https://www.drupal.org/project/default_content

“... a way to ship default content as well as configuration.”



- Uses Drush to export content to a module
- Multiple content modules possible
- Might require Better Normalizers module for some entities. (https://www.drupal.org/project/better_normalizers)

Module 5: Webform

<https://www.drupal.org/project/webform>



- Custom forms built by the site owner
- Send emails to many recipients
- Can interface with 3rd party services

Tool 4: Git

<https://git-scm.com/>

“the stupid content tracker”
— man git



- git clone|add|commit|push
- version controll
- collaborative development

Tool 5: Demo Script

```
php ./core/scripts/drupal
```

or

```
drush core-quick-drupal [profile]
```



- Install Drupal locally *without* server set-up
- install [profile] – install using the profile
- server – start the built-in server
- quick-start [profile] – install and start the server

 **Bonus Modules** 

Field type modules

- Block Field
- Contact Formatter
- Viewfield
- Video Embed Field

Seo

- Metatag
- Pathauto

Views

- Views Autocomplete Filters
- Views Menu Children Filter

Other

- Honeypot
- ShareThis
- Twitter Block
- User Default Page

Project Review

- Config Ignore
- Media



