

## Job Description

**Job title:** Ruby on Rails Developer

**Reporting to:** Chief Technical Officer

**Location:** London (Clerkenwell)

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HouseTrip.com is an award-winning start-up that's making hotels history. We're Europe's largest holiday apartment booking website, and we're growing like crazy. Our clever guests have realised that for the price of a tiny, soulless hotel room they can have an entire house, or apartment, or castle, or boat... We give them over 10,000 choices in hundreds of destinations across the world, many with unbiased reviews from previous guests – and the list is growing every day. Our guests love that a HouseTrip is an authentic trip, allowing them to live like the locals do. They can shop for produce at the markets and whip up a feast in their very own kitchen, or even put a load of washing on. Plus, our guests feel secure knowing that with HouseTrip, their money is safe every step of the way. They use their credit card to pay online using our secure system, just like they would a hotel room, and they never have to worry about phantom lettings, because we're scam free. It's a revolution!

### Job overview

We're looking for **Rails Developers** with all the usual-suspect skills, MySQL, Linux, Git and, very importantly, Test Driven Development (RSpec, Cucumber, Selenium...) the one and only thing we're a bit anal about.

We need you because over the coming year we're taking our start-up Rails app and making it into a distributed, world-class application which means you'll be extending Rails by using cool things things like MongoDB, node and elasticsearch.

You will work closely with the business and pair a lot so be prepared to put down those headphones and spend a lot of time talking & listening.

The business has a lot of ambition and a wide range of plans so there'll be lots variety as well as hard work.

You don't have to be a bleeding-edge Rails developer, we're just looking for people that love the web & would enjoy working with us.

**Profile**

## Problem solver

- Agile approach to problem solving
- Efficiently diffuses problems as they arise
- Helps and leads others in problem solving

## Personal Effectiveness

- Takes responsibility to ensure successful results meet or exceed expectations
- Eye for detail
- Demonstrates a strong work ethic and committed to seeing tasks through to completion

## Can manage complexity

- Energised by change
- Can focus on objectives in a multi-threaded task flow

## Innovative

- Embraces creativity
- Optimise processes, product & technology

## Required education

- Degree-level or equivalent
- Fluent English (essential)
- One other major European language (desirable)

**To apply, please send your CV (ref: RoR Developer) to Sandrine Inaudi -Talent Manager, [recruitment@housetrip.com](mailto:recruitment@housetrip.com).**

And we'd love to see a link to your Github account, links to your blogs, details of any OpenSource contributions...