

# Why I am Passionate About Perl

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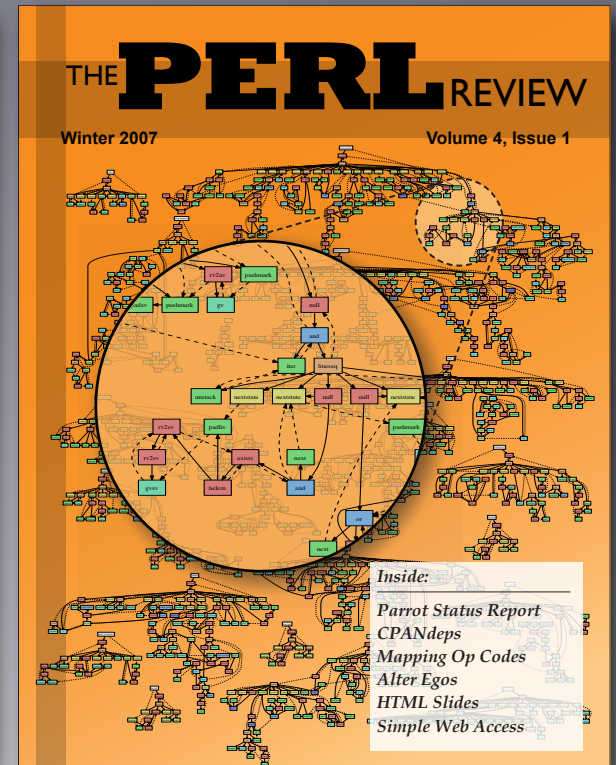
- Selected topics for the working programmer based on *Mastering Perl*
- Mostly not about syntax or wizardly tricks
- Not for masters, but people who want to control Perl code
- Not necessarily the way to do it, just the way I've done it
- Create "professional", robust programs that people can use
- We'll cover
  - \* profiling
  - \* benchmarking
  - \* logging
  - \* lightweight persistence

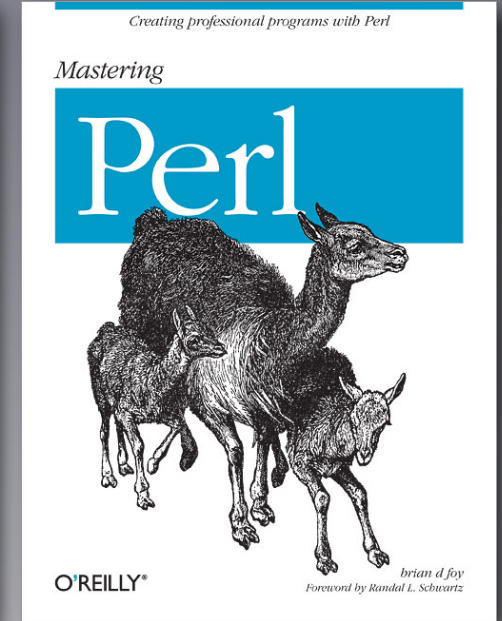
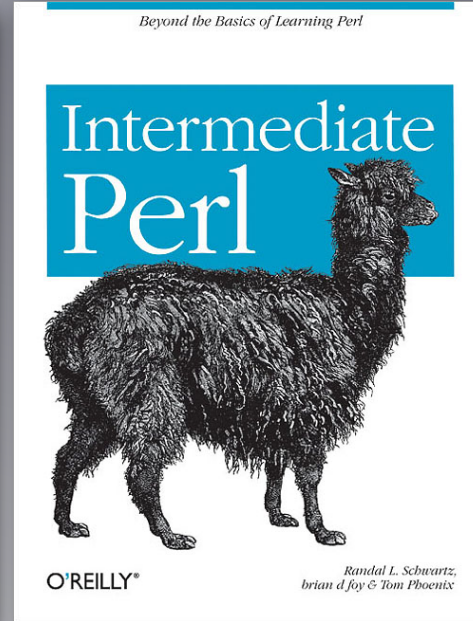
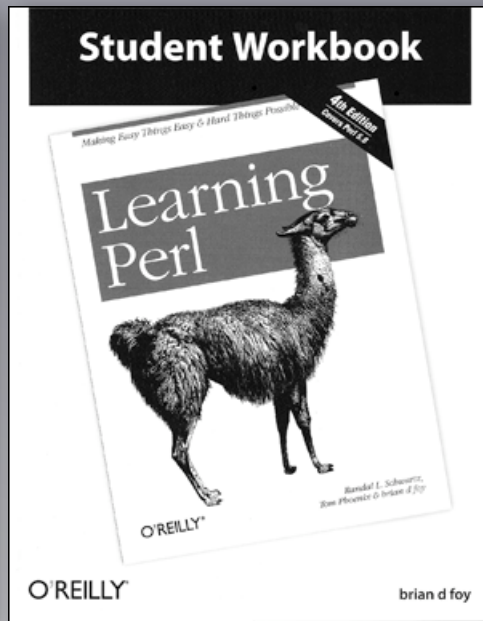
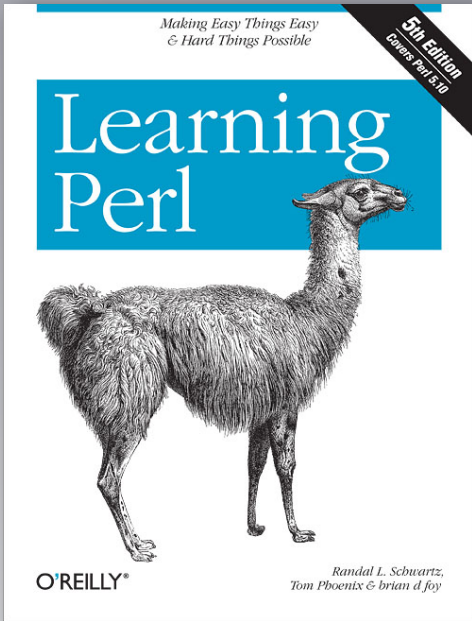
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## **You are Perl**

People have a hard time understanding you, but you are always able to help them with almost all their problems.



### **You are PHP**

You enjoy the World Wide Web. You are constantly changing the way you do things, and this tends to confuse people who work with you.

The Ruby logo, consisting of the word 'Ruby' in a large, white, bold, sans-serif font, centered on a solid red rectangular background.

# Ruby

### **You are Ruby**

You are the new kid on the block. You don't get much respect. You like breaking down barriers and making life easier.



### **You are Smalltalk**

You like to treat everyone the same way, but this lack of individuality makes everyone feel like objects.

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- **The person who introduced me to Perl showed me that...**
- **I first starting using Perl to...**
- **I kept using Perl because...**
- **I can't stop thinking about Perl...**
- **I'm still using Perl because...**
- **I get other people to use Perl by...**
- **I also program in ... and ..., but I like Perl better since...**





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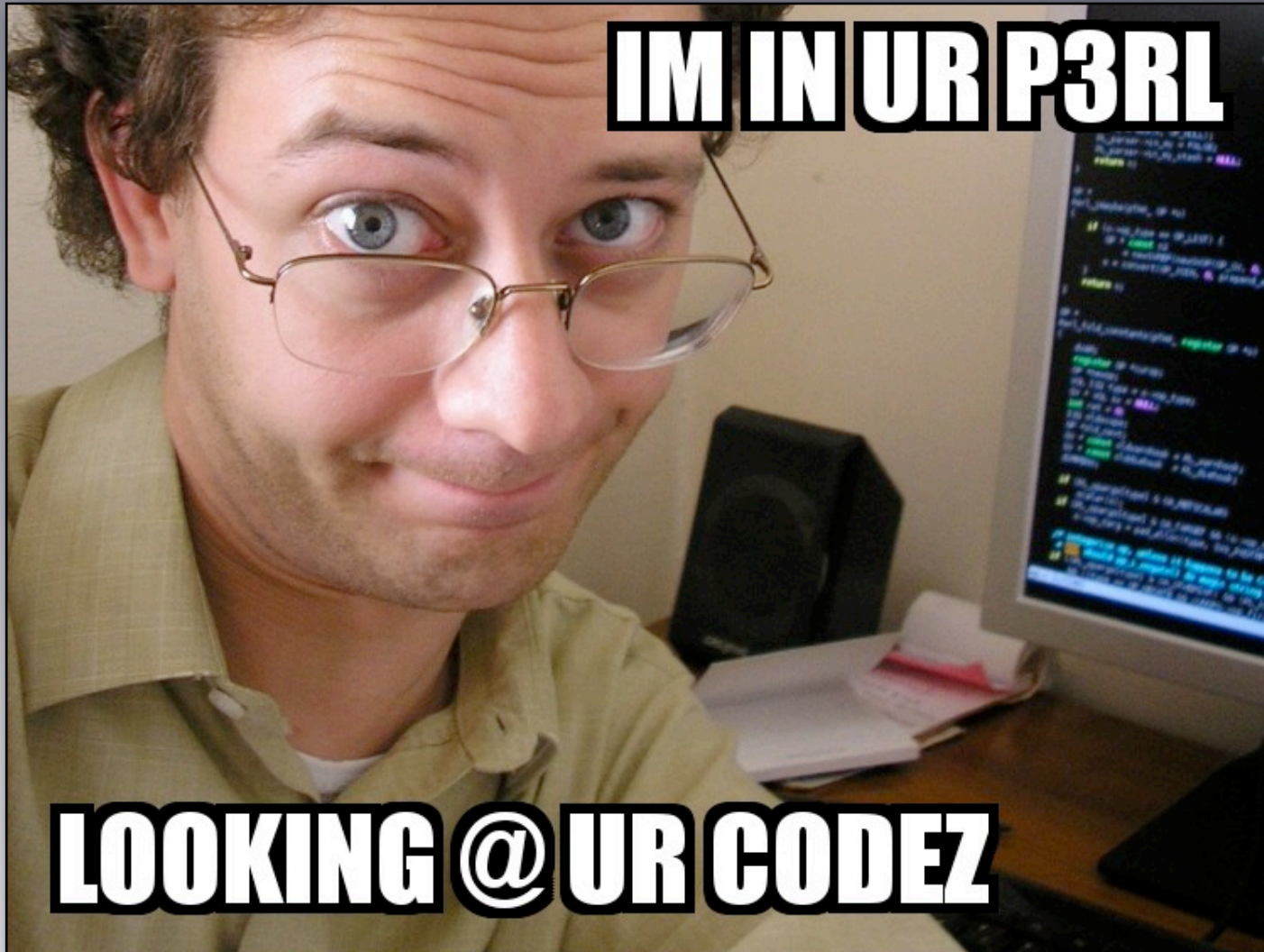


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