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Hello World, `<angular/>` is here

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Hi I am `<angular/>`! What is your name? (Please enter your name into the text box).

Hello `{{person.name}}`! Please to meet you!

We would like to introduce to you a new way of building web applications! All you need is basic working of HTML & CSS and you can declaratively build a web-application in minutes.

Here are the kinds of things yo can do:

- Bring static HTML to life with just a few keystrokes.
- Persist your data in the cloud
- Embed your application in existing web page, such as this blog article

Here is what you need to know:

- Basic Knowledge of HTML & CSS
- Optional: JavaScript if you want to take the application to the next level.

Here is what you DO NOT NEED to know:

- Databases or SQL.
- Back end technology such as Java, Ruby, C# or the likes.
- For most things, you don't even need to be a programmer.

Well `{{person.name}}`, believe it or not, but this page is just a wordpress blog written in few minutes with a text editor. I have than added few extra angular tags to the HTML and the page came alive as

you can see. Let me take you on the tour of what <angular/> can do.

Why don't you tell me what you like to do for fun:

Hobby:

{{person.name}} likes to:

- {{hobby}} [[X](#)]

Now lets save your hobbies:

Great! here is a QR code which if you scan with your iPhone (App: NeoReader) or Android Phone (App: Barcode reader) it will take you back to this page:

{{window.location.href|qrcode}}

Congrats {{person.name}}, you have successfully saved your hobbies to the cloud. To access them later here is a permanent url which you can send to your friends or use to edit your hobbies later:

[{{window.location.href}}](#)

I am sure you are wondering how all of this magic is made. Well, here is a hint, go watch the screen-cast [here](#). Than come back and check the source of this page, as well as the debug view of the internal state of the page here:

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person={{person}}
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<angular/> is still in beta, but we are looking for few brave souls to start building web apps and give us feedback. As a beta user we will work closely with you to help you get started and resolve any issues which you may run into. If interested, sign up on our mailing list (<http://groups.google.com/group/angular>) and send us an email with the kind of application you would like to build.

Happy coding and looking forward to hear from you...

The <angular/> team.

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[igorbrejc.net » Fresh Catch For September 29th](#) // [Sep 29, 2009 at 6:01 am](#)

[...] Hello World, <angular/> is here [...]

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[Fabricio Buzeto](#) // [Sep 29, 2009 at 5:17 pm](#)

Great job.

I'll try some tests in the API, seems quite interesting.



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[Hello world!](#) // [Oct 5, 2009 at 12:41 am](#)

[...] Hello World, is here [...]

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[Dmitry Nikolaev](#) // [Oct 8, 2009 at 5:22 am](#)



Interesting service, Misko!

Maybe my question sound funny but why do You choose Ruby (with Duck typing) instead of Java ащк ыукмук ышву? I think You are static typing guy! 😊

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[Dan Brendstrup](#) // [Aug 11, 2010 at 1:37 am](#)



Entering a hobby throws an exception, so something seems to be broken:

<http://skitch.com/bewildergeist/dtxfx/exception>

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[misko](#) // [Aug 11, 2010 at 8:03 am](#)



@dan, I think you wanted to say \$add instead of add.

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