### BUILDING AND LAUNCHING A SAAS PRODUCT IN 2 WEEKS A SHOPIFY APP POSTMORTEM

### I WANT TO HELP YOU...

## ...AVOID MY MISTAKES ...EVALUATE SHOPIFY'S APP STORE AS A PRODUCT TEST BED

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## IT'S BEEN SUPER Exciting!

# SHOPEV APP STORE



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## > SHOPIFY : HOSTED E-COMMERCE PLATFORM > SHOPIFY APP STORE: "SAASY WORDPRESS PLUGINS"

### JANE'S SHOPIFY STORE $\leftarrow$ [API] $\rightarrow$ YOUR (WEB) APP

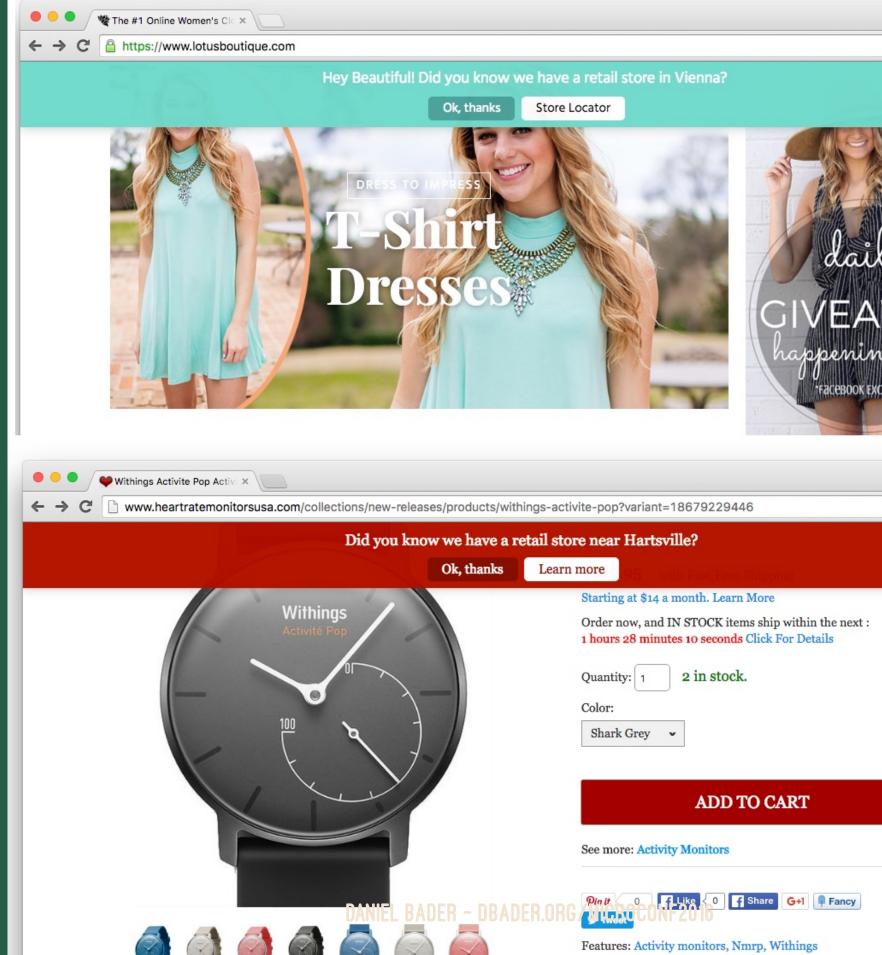
### SHOPIFY...

# ...HANDLES PLUMBING, LIKE BILLING, USER MANAGEMENT, ... ...LETS YOU ADVERTISE IN THEIR APP STORE ...AND TAKES 20% OF YOUR REVENUE

### SHOULD YOU CARE ABOUT SHOPIFY'S APP STORE?

### TEST OUT AN IDEA $\rightarrow$ GRADUATE TO STANDALONE SAAS PRODUCT

## NEARBY STORE NOTIFICATION



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## **I BUILT & SHIPPED IT...** & CHARGED MONEY FOR IT!

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### TOTAL EARNINGS \$31.92





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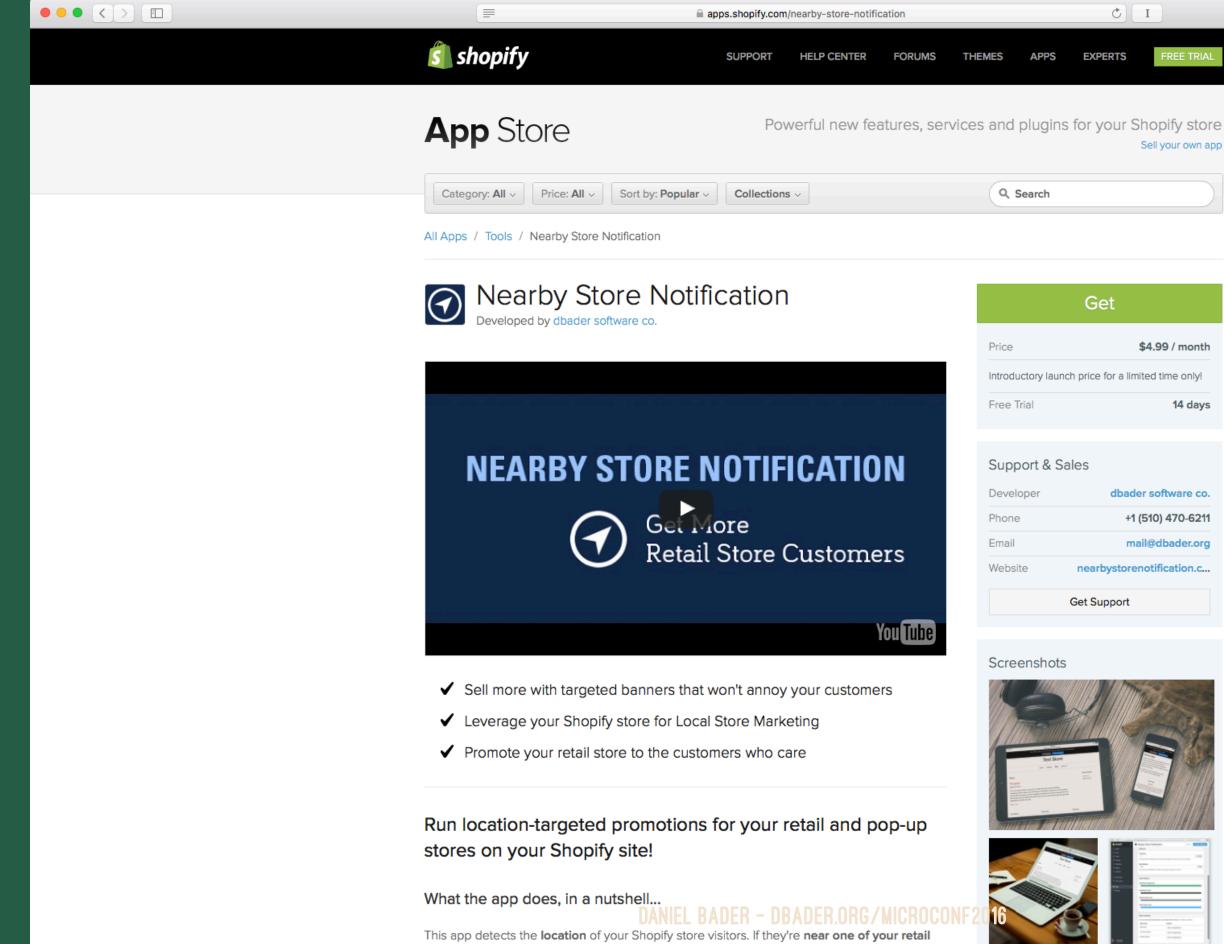


## WHAT WENT RIGHT: ONBOARDING



## WHAT WENT RIGHT: PROGRAMMER RRETING





store locations it shows them a customizable notification

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App Store

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### Welcome to the Shopify App Store

### This app listing is currently published

Congratulations! Your app is listed in the App Store. Merchants can search for it, install it and leave reviews. If you need to unpublish this app, please contact apps@shopify.com.

### A. General

1. App name

Nearby Store Notification

To change this, update the app name in your Partner Dashboard, and then come back to save this form.

2. App icon



To change this, update the app icon in your Partner Dashboard, and then come back to save this form.

Tips for a great app icon:

- Keep the corners square. We round the corners for you when we display the icon.
- Don't use a white background. Use bold colors and patterns that are recognizable.
- Make it simple. Focus on one or two visual elements no one likes clutter.
- Be consistent. The icon and banners for your app should look like they belong to the same brand and product.

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Dimensions: 60px by 60px

Nearby Store Notification in

the App Store

APPS

### A. General

- 1. App name
- 2. App icon
- 3. Category
- 4. Review notification email

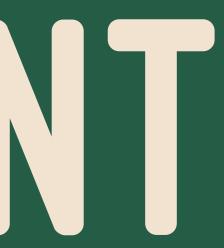
B. App Card

- 1. App banner
- 2. Short description
- C. App Listing
- 1. YouTube URL
- 2. Selling points
- 3. Full description
- 4. Pricing
- 5. Free trial
- 6. Requirements
- 7. Sales and support
- 8. Screenshots
- 9. Integrations
- D. Extras
- 1. Featured banner
- 2. Search terms
- 3. Google analytics code
- 4. Google remarketing code
- 5. Adroll retargeting code

View app listing

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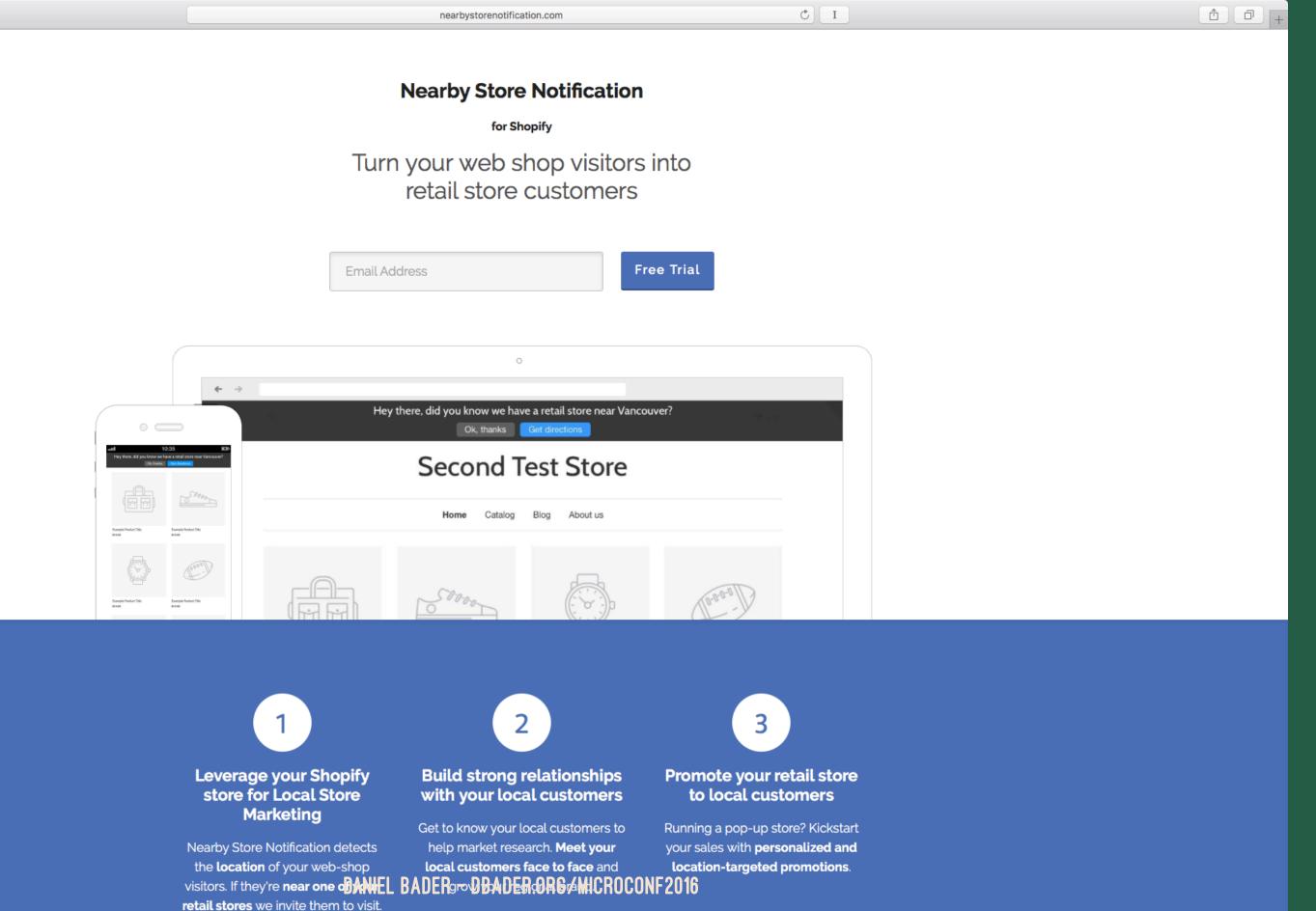
# WHAT WENT



## WHAT WENT WRONG: LANDING PAGE



### retail store customers



### WHAT WENT WRONG:

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