

# Omar Zumaya

Laredo, Texas, United States

956-333-6100

✉ [omarzumayajr@gmail.com](mailto:omarzumayajr@gmail.com)

in <https://linkedin.com/in/omar-zumaya-50a55a267>

🐙 <https://github.com/Omar4589/>

👤 <https://omar4589.github.io/MyPortfolio/>

## Skills

Languages	Front-end	Back-end	Tools & Libraries
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• HTML</li><li>• CSS</li><li>• JAVASCRIPT</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• React</li><li>• Tailwind CSS</li><li>• MaterialUI</li><li>• Apollo Client</li><li>• HandlebarsJS</li><li>• EmailJS</li><li>• JWT Decode</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• NodeJS</li><li>• ExpressJS</li><li>• MongoDB</li><li>• Mongoose ODM</li><li>• MySQL</li><li>• Sequelize ORM</li><li>• Apollo Server</li><li>• GraphQL</li><li>• Express Session</li><li>• JWT</li><li>• Heroku</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• NPM</li><li>• Git</li><li>• Github</li><li>• Cloudinary</li><li>• DayJS</li></ul>

## Projects

### YARDGEMS, PROJECT LEADER - 2 WEEKS (BOOTCAMP PROJECT - FULL STACK)

A community-driven platform designed to streamline the yard sale experience. The application eliminates the tedious need to drive around in search of yard sales by providing a centralized platform where users can find and list yard sales in their area - <https://yardgems-15b0faee737f.herokuapp.com/>

- Led server setup using [NodeJS](#) and [ExpressJS](#)
- Utilized [React's context API](#) for efficient global state management
- Integrated [GraphQL API](#), enhancing data querying and mutation processes
- Implemented [JWT](#) to ensure secure user authentication
- Facilitated the addition of an image upload feature using [Cloudinary](#) to improve user engagement

### MEAL MAPPR, DEVELOPER - 2 WEEKS (BOOTCAMP PROJECT - FULL STACK)

A digital meal planning application designed to simplify nutrition tracking. Offers a recipe search and save feature, enabling users to easily plan meals and monitor nutritional intake. - <https://mealmappr.herokuapp.com/>

- Styled application elements with [Tailwind CSS](#) to enhance the user interface
- Integrated dynamic recipe search feature via [3rd party API](#) to enrich user experience
- Developed [RESTful API](#) endpoints to extend app functionality

## Projects - continued

### **ESCAPE ME, SOLE DEVELOPER — ONGOING (PERSONAL PROJECT - FULL STACK)**

*A customizable booking system initially designed for escape room businesses. Features an admin portal for comprehensive management of bookings, users, and escape room details. Scalable for other business types. - <https://escape-me.herokuapp.com/>*

- Responsible for the end-to-end development
- Set up the server architecture using [NodeJS](#) and [ExpressJS](#)
- Implemented [Express Session](#) middleware to ensure secure authentication and authorization
- Utilized [HandlebarsJS](#) for efficient rendering of views
- Established a [MySQL](#) database using [Sequelize](#) ORM to manage data storage
- Crafted [RESTful API](#) endpoints to facilitate CRUD operations
- Styled the application using [Tailwind CSS](#), focusing on a user-friendly interface

## Education

UTSA School of Data Science

Coding Boot Camp - Full Stack Web Development (MERN)

Jan 2023 - July 2023

## Work Experience

### **Field Representative / Vanguard Field Strategies / Jul 2023 – Sep 2023 (3 mos)**

I served as a Field Representative contributing to the success of key initiatives for a Super PAC. My role encompassed grassroots mobilization, data collection, and strategic outreach. I excelled in engaging with diverse communities, effectively communicating campaign messages, and meeting organizational objectives, all while adhering to the highest ethical standards.

### **Samsung Certified Advisor / Best Buy / 2016 – Jul 2023 (6 yrs)**

As the Samsung Certified Advisor, I was the go-to expert for Samsung products within the Home Theatre category. Over a span of 3 years, I led this project and was responsible for driving sales revenue and educating both customers and employees on the latest Samsung technology. My role was not just sales-focused; I was a brand ambassador who successfully built a personal brand around trust and expertise, consistently delivering results year over year.

### **Freelance Photographer / Omar Zumaya Photography / 2019 – 2022 (3 yrs)**

As a freelance photographer, I specialized in concert/live music, studio, and portrait photography. My work is characterized by a unique blend of creativity and technical skill. I've successfully managed all aspects of my photography business, from client acquisition to post-production, leveraging my proficiency in Adobe Photoshop and Lightroom.

## Licenses & Certifications

Coding Boot Camp Certification - UTSA School of Data Science

July 2023