

Martin Camacho

Software Engineer

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Versatile software engineer with 8+ years of startup experience and a strong record of owning critical application systems end-to-end. Focused on backend and product-facing work across Ruby on Rails, React, Node, and SQL. Comfortable working with infrastructure when needed (e.g., Terraform and AWS), without positioning as a dedicated infra specialist.

💼 Professional Experience

Software Engineer, BuildZoom (YC W13) ☈

04/2021 - 12/2025

New York

- Owned and maintained the checkout system, ensuring high uptime, scalability, and reliable integration with third-party services
- Reduced AWS RDS snapshot storage costs by ~20%
- Contributed across Rails backend, APIs, and infrastructure to support core business workflows
- Role concluded following company acquisition and associated post-acquisition reductions

Teacher Assistant, CCSF ☈

08/2022 - 12/2022

San Francisco

- Assisted Professor Maximilian Luttrell with CS110B: Programming Fundamentals (C++)
- Supported students through code reviews, debugging sessions, and conceptual explanations

Project Lead (Student Engineering Team), Major League Hacking ☈

09/2020 - 12/2020

Remote

- Led and mentored a team of three recent graduates delivering their first production application for a Department of Defense project

Software Engineer, Peerspace ☈

08/2017 - 04/2020

San Francisco

- Improved Google PageSpeed scores by ~10% through performance optimizations
- Took ownership of SEO initiatives, including systems to auto-generate pages at scale and A/B testing

🎓 Education

Math Certification, CCSF

2018 - 2020

Completed all undergraduate math courses offered with a 4.0 GPA

Web Development Bootcamp, App Academy

2016 - 2016

Bachelors of Science in Communication, Florida International University

2008 - 2013

💡 Skills

Ruby

Rails

JavaScript

React

Node

SQL (MySQL)

GraphQL

AWS