

# Igor Guerrero

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## Skills

Programming in Python, Ruby, C#, C/C++, Java, Rust, Nim, Haskell and many more. Linux, I daily drive NixOS, AI / machine learning, Management of development teams, interviewing and hiring, Software Architecture, UI/UX, designing for web and mobile.

## Experience

**Sr Software Engineer**, Classic – Remote US

Sep 2022 – Present

<https://www.classic.com/>

- Helped develop and maintain both frontend and backend systems for one of the largest classic automobile websites, utilizing Python (Django) and Elixir (Phoenix).
- Engineered solutions to manage terabytes of auction data from classic cars worldwide, leveraging PostgreSQL to optimize data handling and storage
- Solved complex big data challenges and optimized frontend performance, contributing to the platform's scalability and user experience.

**CTO, Sr. Software Engineer**, HODL Wallet – Remote US

Feb 2018 – July 2023

<https://hodlwallet.com> <https://github.com/hodlwallet>

- Led the development of an open-source, decentralized Bitcoin digital wallet, designed to enhance user privacy and security while adhering to Bitcoin standards (BIP32, BIP39, BIP141).
- Architect of a light client that ensures users have complete control over their data, aligning with the philosophy of making users their own bank.
- Grew HODL Wallet to ~30K users with a highly secure, native mobile application ecosystem (iOS in Swift, Android in Java), now advancing the platform using C# and Xamarin.
- Interview developers to help grow a 5 person team.

**CTO, Sr Software Engineer**, Bitstop – Miami, FL

Feb 2018 – July 2022

<https://bitstop.co>

- Managed all technical operations for a leading Bitcoin ATM network, securing the financial data of ~60K customers and ensuring \$1.2M in Bitcoin transactions were safeguarded at all times.
- Developed and maintained a microservices architecture, leading key services such as Bitcoin pricing, billing, and KYC, while also contributing to frontend development using VueJS and React
- Played a crucial role in scaling the company's technical infrastructure to support significant growth in a highly competitive market.

**Software Engineer**, Octopi – Miami, FL

May 2017 – Feb 2018

<https://octopi.co>

- As the first engineer, architected and developed maritime port software to automate vessel cargo and gate operations, significantly improving efficiency in vessel planning.
- Built a Ruby-based system that automated cargo positioning within vessels, which was pivotal in the acquisition of Octopi by Navi, a global leader in ship terminal operations software.
- Octopi was acquired by industry leading Navis

**Sr Software Engineer**, LifeWallet – Miami, FL

May 2016 – Feb 2017

<https://lifewallet.com>

- Engineered a HIPAA-compliant backend in Ruby for a health tracking platform, enabling secure storage and management of patient health data.
- Contributed to the successful deployment of LifeWallet in Miami Baptist Hospital, enhancing patient care through secure and award-winning technology solutions.

**Sr Software Engineer**, BrightGauge – Miami, FL

Feb 2014 – Dec 2016

<https://www.brightgauge.com>

- Developed client reporting software using Python (Django) and Cassandra, focusing on scalable data storage and real-time querying capabilities.
- Provided key contributions to the frontend in Angular and conducted Python and JavaScript training for the development team, driving overall technical excellence.

**Sr Software Engineer**, 1Sale – Miami, FL

May 2013 – Feb 2014

<https://www.1sale.com>

- Maintained and enhanced a high-traffic, Ruby-based e-commerce platform, ensuring PCI compliance while delivering new features that supported \$160M in annual revenue.
- Led initiatives to hire and train new talent, contributing to the growth and sustainability of the engineering team.

**Software Engineer**, Senzari – Miami, FL

Mar 2010 – May 2013

<https://www.crunchbase.com/organization/senzari>

- Developed a music recommendation engine using Python (Django) and PostgreSQL, powering a web-based single-page application that gained a partnership with MTV Spain.
- Built an embeddable JavaScript-based music player that expanded the platform's reach to multiple websites, contributing to the startup's growth and visibility.

**Cofounder, CTO**, Frequent – Miami, FL

Mar 2010 – May 2013

<https://www.fivestars.com>

- Co-founded a restaurant loyalty management startup, leading all aspects of development, from design to deployment, using Python (Django).
- Successfully managed the acquisition by FiveStars (YCombinator), expanding their platform to serve ~150 restaurants in the Miami area.

I've been programming professionally since 2006, ask for more info.

## Projects

### Open Source Developer

[github.com/igorgue](https://github.com/igorgue)

- Notable contributions and projects can be explored on my Github <https://github.com/igorgue>, where I actively maintain and collaborate on various repositories.
- Currently I'm focusing on developer tools around Neovim contributing to LazyVim, developing their SQL integration.
- For a comprehensive overview of my work, including presentations and personal projects, please visit my personal website: <http://igorgue.com>

## Education

**Universidad Centroamericana** – Dropped out of systems engineering degree

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