

Jose L. Honorato

Experience

- March 2023 - Present **Technical Lead**, *Stripe - Financial Connections*, Seattle, WA.
- Expanded the product 10x in terms of usage and partner integrations.
 - Collaborated across teams to launch new initiatives, and onboard Stripe's largest merchants.
- August 2019 - March 2023 **Staff Software Engineer**, *Stripe - Latin America Expansion*, Seattle, WA.
- Launched critical initiatives spanning 30+ technical and non-technical teams. Interfaced with regulators and key external partners to launch Stripe in Mexico and Brazil, onboard 200k+ merchants, and process billions in payment volume.
 - Modified stack end-to-end from payments capture to payouts in order to onboard our largest users, considering the region's product, technical, and regulatory needs.
 - As a founding team member, I led the definition of team strategy and vision, oncall norms, technical hiring, among others.
- 2016 - 2019 **SDE - Sr. SDE**, *Amazon.com - Marketplace*, Seattle, WA.
- Lead multi-disciplinary team (engineering, product, operations, compliance) to streamline offline processes into well defined software products. Designed and implemented systems used by 10+ internal teams.
 - Launched a new seller verification process that reduced bad actor complaints by 23 percentage points.
 - Deprecated a critical-path distributed ecosystem in favor of a new service architecture improving flexibility, maintainability, and stability.
- 2012 - 2016 **CTO - Co-founder**, *Beetrack*, Santiago, Chile.
- Co-founded, scaled, and exited a bootstrapped startup with clients in 20 countries. Led design and architecture of web and native mobile apps. Lead engineer for native Android app. Enabled team to use modern technologies such as React, Swift, Elasticsearch, RabbitMQ.
- 2011 - 2012 **Co-founder**, *Satelinx*, Santiago, Chile.
- Hardware design, focused on GPS-tracking devices and satellite communications. Grew company to stable revenue in 12 months. Shipped the first product in 6 weeks (Design + manufacturing + testing).
- 2011 - 2014 **Part-time lecturer**, *Pontificia Universidad Católica*, Santiago, Chile.
- Lecturer for the Computers Architecture course. Theoretical/practical content involving embedded systems, redesigned course to use a modern toolchain.

Education

- 2011 **Master of Science in Electrical Engineering**, *Pontificia Universidad Católica*, Santiago, Chile.
Graduated *Summa Cum Laude*
- 2010 **Electrical Engineering**, *Pontificia Universidad Católica*, Santiago, Chile.

Skills

- Languages: Java, Ruby, Python, Bash
- Others: Payments, AWS, Operations Research/Optimization, Image Processing.

Awards

- Best Electrical Engineer / Best Thesis, *Chilean College of Engineers*, 2012
- Magna Cum Laude Award, *International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine*, 2012
- Best Electrical Engineering Thesis, *EE Department, PUC*, 2011

Extras

- Github: <http://github.com/jlhonora>
- LinkedIn: <http://www.linkedin.com/in/jlhonora>