

Martin Kaen

Front-end web Developer and FOSS enthusiast living in Buenos Aires

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I've worked in Digital Communications since 2009. I co-founded a start-up in 2015. In 2017 I started to learn web development both with online bootcamps and in-site courses. I'm currently working as a web developer for an IT consulting company. Always learning new skills and digging into Buenos Aires' FOSS ecosystem. Recently started to pursue a 2.5 years technical degree in Software Development.

Work experience

- **Nov. 2022 ~ now: SSR Software Engineer @ AccionaIT [BA, Argentina]**

As Software Engineer for the German lab Boehringer Ingelheim I've worked within the Lectrona Product Team, using an Agile framework and DevOps methodology to maintain an instance of a custom SaaS called SmartSimple. One of the major tasks is to understand and follow-up the business needs and write documentation of every process.

Tech stack & tools: HTML, MySQL, JavaScript, Scrum, Confluence (documentation)

- **Dec. 2020 ~ Nov. 2022: Front-End Dev @ LatinCloud [BA, Argentina]**

As Front-end developer I worked on the main company website's maintenance, promotional banners, landing pages and email templates. Since January 2022, I've helped in Product Design by creating a new control panel interface for the company's clients using Vue.js and the PrimeFlex library. We worked using an Agile framework.

Tech stack & tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, Git, NextJS (React), Figma, VueJS, Scrum

- **Feb. 2018 ~ Dec. 2020: Team Leader & co-founder @ Alpogo.com [BA, Argentina]**

As a start-up founder I had to deal with several topics related to business and product ownership like team assembly, scrum management and clients relationship. In 2018, I began to code in the Front-end alongside more experienced peers within an agile framework. I also created an internal Dashboard for metrics using PHP and MySQL.

Tech stack & tools: HTML, SCSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, PHP, Git, MySQL, Scrum

- **Mar. 2009 ~ Dec. 2017: Digital Marketing [CBA, Argentina]**

Before I shifted my focus to Software Engineering I used to study and work in digital marketing. I studied Communications at Córdoba's University. In 2010, I started working for an ad-agency (rv.com.ar). Around 2014 I left my position at the agency to work as a freelancer for a year until May 2016 when, alongside a great team, we launched a start-up.

Education

2022~2024: [in progress] Software Development Technical Degree - IFTS18

2020: SSH Secure Shell - Udemy

2019: Agile Project Management - Udemy

2018: Professional Webmaster - UTN

2018: Web Developer Bootcamp - Udemy

2017: Plan 111mil programadores Java, OOP, MySQL - Argentina Programa

2009~2013 [unfinished]: Communications Degree - Córdoba National University, UNC

Languages

- Native Spanish
- Advanced English (writing & speaking)

Miscellaneous

I'm a collaborator at the LATAM Free and open source festival **Flisol** where we aim to provide a safe and inclusive environment for people to learn about GNU/Linux. I'm involved with **open source communities** in my city, always looking for ways to improve my skills alongside like-minded people.