

## Rodrigo Moran

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**Senior Software Engineer** with 8+ years of experience in backend systems specializing in Java, Go, and Python. Highly adaptable with a proven ability to move between teams and technologies. Experienced in designing resilient systems, developing serverless functions, automating CI/CD pipelines, API design, managing clusters, and creating data pipelines.

## Work Experience

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### Ippon Technologies USA, Senior Software Engineer

Jun 2019 - Jul 2024

#### Capital One, Contract · 4 mos - Senior Software Engineer

- Led redesign of a Java service to improve the resiliency and reduce engineering overhead by 20%
- Collaborated with team and senior leadership to understand the scope and requirements
- Documented findings, outlined a solution, and prepared a low-level design document to be reviewed

#### CIBT, Contract · 4 mos - Senior Software Engineer

- Modernized their data platform by integrating the Snowflake data warehouse
- Developed Python scripts to extract and transform data from over 20 global databases
- Integrated Snowpipes to automate data ingestion into Snowflake from AWS S3

#### The Motley Fool, Contract · 2 yrs - Senior Software Engineer

- Optimized complex SQL reporting and automated data pipelines using Apache Airflow
- Built and maintained AWS Lambda functions in Python and contributed to shared libraries
- Migrated and maintained 150+ AWS Lambdas from CDK to Serverless framework
- Created CI/CD pipelines using GH actions to reduce deployment time and enforce team standards
- Managed and scaled Apache Airflow on EKS to run more than 5000 tasks per day across 350+ dags

#### QOMPLX, Contract · 1 yr 10 mos - Software Engineer

- Designed and implemented over 10 Java API endpoints for writing DDL and DML CQL statements
- Achieved 80%+ code coverage for unit and integration tests, conducted performance testing using Gatling
- Guided teammates with API design standards, pagination, limiting payload size, and unifying naming
- Steered the use and development of custom Kubernetes operators to self-manage deployments and manifests
- Powered an Event Driven Architecture by creating 5+ AWS Lambda functions using Python

#### Capital One, Contract · 4 mos - Software Engineer

- Developed an AWS Lambda function using Go to automate the removal of outdated records ensuring compliance
- Delivered a bulk deletion feature in a fraud detection application using Scala

### Perfect Sense Digital, Software Engineer

Feb 2018 - May 2019

- Engineered a platform-level plugin for Calendar events according to RFC specifications
- Created a custom frontend gallery module using ES6 JS and CSS

### Ippon Technologies USA, Software Engineer Intern

Jun 2017 - Aug 2017

### Gallium Technologies, Software Developer

Nov 2015 - May 2017

## Projects

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### IpponGPT Slack Chatbot

Jan 2024 – Apr 2024

- Shipped an LLM and Langchain-powered Slackbot to our internal Slack using the Bolt framework
- Integrated RAG layer utilizing 100s of internal documents to provide context and improve response accuracy
- Enhanced understanding and relevance by introducing prompt routing and short-term memory

### Vivify Android Alarm Clock

Jun 2016

- Built and shipped a Spotify alarm clock to 100s of users on Google Play Store, currently unlisted
- Crafted an API wrapper around Spotify's Web API using Retrofit

## Education

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### Virginia Commonwealth University

Dec 2017

Bachelor of Science (B.S) in Applied Mathematics, Richmond, VA

## Skills, Technologies, and Languages

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- API design, CI/CD pipelines, cloud infrastructure, data pipelines, DevOps, unit tests, data engineering, serverless, LLM
- AWS, Kubernetes, Docker, Snowflake, Cassandra, Spring Boot, Apache Airflow, PostgreSQL, Langchain
- Go, Java, Python, JavaScript, SQL, NoSQL, HTML, CSS, Scala