# **Gerardo Miranda Cespedes**

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# **Software Engineer**

## Web development | Mobile development | Quality Assurance

Working remotely for U.S. companies for seven years. Over ten years of total experience in software engineering with a strong focus on web development. Always looking to improve my communication skills and teaching others. Have worked with a different technology in every single position I have been.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

Flexwage Solutions - Scottsdale, AZ

09/2018 - PRESENT

07/2017 - 08/2018

06/2014 - 07/2017

#### **Ruby on Rails developer**

Maintaining and developing new features for the Flexwage web application using Ruby on Rails

- Develop importers, exporters and processes for client data of more than 20 clients.
- Integrations with third party APIs.
- Customization of the web application for company's partners
- Implemented a highly customizable internal tool (named Urban Llama) to generate thousands of records for testing purposes.

#### Billfire - Scottsdale, AZ

## QA

Executing manual end to end testing of the legacy web application. Automating testing of the new web application using **Selenium WebDriver**.

- Reduced automated tests line count by 50% by implementing a new testing framework.
- Helped writing the test suites for the new web application for the company.

#### Banco Economico – Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia

### System Analyst

Refactoring and maintenance for the internal web application used by the Risk management department using the **.NET framework** 

- Extended internal credit score tool capabilities from 3 years of historic data to 7 years while reducing the processing time from 10+ hours to less than 1 hour.
- Reduced the amount of support calls of internal clients by more than 50%
- Developed specialized tools to analyze payment capabilities of special clients. e.g. agricultural businesses.

# **EDUCATION**

**School of Engineering, U.A.G.R.M.** – *Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia* Degree candidate for Master's degree – Software engineering, September 2016

**Universidad Autónoma Gabriel Rene Moreno** – *Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia* Bachelor's degree – Computer science, March 2014

## **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

- Web development: HTML, CSS, Javascript.
- Manual and automated testing.
- Solid background of software engineering fundamentals.
- Exceptional ability to learn new technologies.
- Most prolific with Ruby on Rails, Flutter and Java.

# **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Toastmasters Club – Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia

#### Public speaking and leadership club

- President for the 2020 2021 period
- VP of education for three periods: 2019 2020, 2022 2023 and 2023 2024.

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

#### **Direct graduation for outstanding academic performance** – U.A.G.R.M.

• Awarded for having the highest overall grade of my generation

# LANGUAGE COMPETENCIES

- Spanish: native language
- English: fluent (speaking, writing, reading)
- Portuguese: basic (speaking, writing, reading)

01/2019 - PRESENT

03/2014