

# Matthew Ross Meakin

From itsmateo.wtf, the personal knowledge base.

mateo@basemate.app

basemate.app · beora.care

github · fweekshow

**Matthew Ross Meakin** (also *Mateo*; b. Los Angeles) is an American founder and self-taught engineer. He is founder and CEO of [Basemate](#)<sup>[2]</sup>, a messaging network for stablecoins on Base, currently in Circuit Accelerator and previously Base Batches 002, Coinbase's onchain accelerator.<sup>[3]</sup> He is also founder and CTO of [Beora Care](#)<sup>[1]</sup>, a HIPAA-compliant clinical platform for behavioral health.

He entered addiction treatment as a patient on scholarship after homelessness on Skid Row, advanced through every clinical and operational role at the facility, taught himself to code, and became its chief technology officer.

Current work

[ EDIT ]

|                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2023 – present | <div><b>Founder &amp; CEO — Basemate</b></div> <div>CIRCUIT ACCELERATOR · BASE BATCHES 002 · XMTP · BASE L2</div> <div>Text a Mate number and a wallet is created — send USDC to any phone, earn ~5%, swap and save, no app or seed phrase. Live on iMessage, RCS, and Base App; <b>12K+ users</b>. Also shipped two official Coinbase onchain agents, live at Base Camp and DevConnect.</div> |
| 2024 – present | <div><b>Founder &amp; CTO — Beora Care</b></div> <div>CAREWIKI + BEORA IOS · TYPESCRIPT · LANGCHAIN · VERTEX AI</div> <div>AI platform for addiction recovery programs. Three-tier PHI architecture enforcing 42 CFR Part 2; human-in-the-loop review with clinician trust graduation. Built from lived experience, not a case study.</div>                                                    |
| 2023 – present | <div><b>Interventionist &amp; sober companion</b></div> <div>SELF-EMPLOYED · LOS ANGELES, CA</div> <div>Private 1-on-1 recovery support for high-profile clients — crisis intervention, treatment placement, post-discharge continuity.</div>                                                                                                                                                  |

Career

[ EDIT ]

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2021 – 2024 | <div><b>Chief Technology Officer — Evergreen Fund</b></div> <div>LOS ANGELES, CA · PREVIOUSLY DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS, MED ROOM MANAGER, TECHNICIAN</div> <div>Entered as a patient on scholarship; never left. Advanced technician → med room manager → director of operations → CTO in three years. Owned all technology; ran DEA-compliant controlled-substance inventory.</div> |
| 2019 – 2023 | <div><b>Transportation captain &amp; driver</b></div> <div>TEAMSTERS HOLLYWOOD LOCAL 399 · LOS ANGELES, CA</div> <div>On-set logistics and multi-vehicle transportation for <i>The Matrix Resurrections</i>, <i>Grace &amp; Frankie</i>, and national Walmart campaigns.</div>                                                                                                     |

Community & early life

[ EDIT ]

Founder of **Overdose LA**, street-level harm reduction in Los Angeles — food, naloxone, clean equipment. Left high school at sixteen for the art department on HBO's *Deadwood*; attended CalArts thereafter.

REFERENCES

- <sup>^</sup>1. [beora.care](#)
- <sup>^</sup>2. [basemate.app](#)
- <sup>^</sup>3. [base.org/build/base-batches](#)
- <sup>^</sup>4. [github.com/fweekshow](#) · [LinkedIn](#)

Matthew Ross Meakin

MATEO · FOUNDER · LA



SPEAKING · BASE BATCHES 002

BASED

Los Angeles, CA

OCCUPATION

Founder, CEO

money in texts · behavioral health · AI

KNOWN FOR

Basemate

Beora Care

Overdose LA

SOBER SINCE

2021 · 5+ years

STACK

TypeScript · Next.js

XMTP · iMessage · Base L2

Coinbase CDP · Postgres

LangChain · Vertex AI

CONTACT

mateo@basemate.app

[basemate.app](#)

[beora.care](#)

[github](#) · [fweekshow](#)

[linkedin](#)