

Part 1 of building a “Serverless” Slackbot is to define the [serverless](#) configuration.

I will build on this and share more of the actual lambda and how to handle a nested request and eventually build a simple slackbot that executes this function.

A simple serverless.yml definition to define a Lambda function and pull API_KEY and API_SECRET from SSM Parameter Store, so you can safely manage the secret sauce.

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# Read the docs https://serverless.com/framework/docs/  
service: litwicki-lambda
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provider:  
  name: aws  
  runtime: nodejs6.10 #we'll change this later  
functions:  
  getCredits:  
    handler: handler.litwicki  
    events:  
      - http:  
        path: litwicki  
        method: get  
        cors: true
```

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custom:  
  API_KEY: ${ssm:/path/to/ApiKey~true}  
  API_SECRET: ${ssm:/path/to/ApiSecret~true}
```