

# Nairaland View with Golang

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The *Golang* application `source.go` takes in a Nairaland thread link and generates a pdf document `new-nairaland-page.pdf` showing the posts on the thread, with their metadata such as the comments, names of commenters, date of creation of thread etc.

The application accepts its input (thread link) through the command line. A default link has been provided, which can be used by just pressing *Enter* in the prompt.

Successive outputs are printed to show the stages of the program that were run successfully.

Intermediate html files were also generated. They are only used by the program, but they can still be inspected. They are:

`webpage.html`: existing web page of the Nairaland thread

`new-nairaland-page.html`: new version of the web page

The *Golang* source code and the intermediate and final output files all lie in the current working directory.

To run the application, use the following code outline:

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CD "directory where the source code is"
go run source.go
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Note that the *main* program imports the following libraries, which all have to be installed for it to run (*Golang* itself should have been installed too, obviously):

- `fmt`, `io/ioutil`, `net/http`, `log`, `golang.org/x/net/html`, `strings`, `bytes`, `io`, `text/template`, `github.com/ConvertAPI/convertapi-go`, `github.com/ConvertAPI/convertapi-go/config`, `github.com/ConvertAPI/convertapi-go/param`

More features will be added in the future.

Take a look at the gallery below ;)

Why You Should Learn A Skill In Nigeria - Career - Nigeria posted by Stancy23

This is Nigeria. Only a few are not involved in this battle because they have a skill. The rest are still having the entitlement mentality that the government owes them a good job mean while they owe themselves a better life by learning a skill that will enable them accomplish their goals and be a blessing to others in the process.

Who told you you don't have a skill? You have it in you but don't you do because you have not searched yourself. Once you do, you will know what to focus your energy on in terms of learning a skill that will build you and enable you reach your potential.

Gone are the days when white collar jobs were waiting for you after graduation or completion of NYSC. Right Now if you don't have a skill, you will be left behind. Meaning you're #OYO

Dear comrade, go and learn a skill or upgrade on the already existing one e get why.

What is your opinion on this? Share your view let's learn together. You can follow me on any social media platform with the name below

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Posted **8:56am**



Hndrrxxx

We was young you was on the swing , I was playing with sticks

In the trap, listening for the brakes on a Crown Victoria  $1\frac{1}{2}\text{â€} \text{â€} 1\frac{1}{2}$



...and don't just learn any skill. Go and learn a tech skill, your future self will thank you for it 



The5DME

Before you venture into any skill, you need to make sure it fits into this two criteria:

- 1) Your skill tends to serve foreigners, hence you're paid in foreign currency (preferably the USD- for obvious reasons);
- 2) Your skill tends to target the rich, although minority population of Nigeria, as a vast majority of Nigerians are poor.

Not adhering to these two rules will lead to tears. Just my own little contribution.



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Stacy23:

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Yes the government owes us a job! Worldwide, it is the job of the government to create jobs. They have failed, that does not mean they should be absolved of blame. Yes, young Nigerians should learn a skill, but must never accept as normal the failure of their leaders to do what is right. Trump, Obama, etc all brag about the jobs they created while in office. The developed countries are taking our best engineers, doctors, nurses etc and we are advocating artisanship? Why are all their graduated not artisans? Which first world country attained first world status through SMEs? Which? We may do artisanship in our desperation to survive, but we must never think it is normal for engineers and doctors to become carpenters and tailors.





**ameh99**

People will still complain even if learning a skill is free

Poverty is the closest thing to laziness

The time and resources you waste on NL is enough to get you started

You have almost everything you need on the internet but rather you are always online bashing one politician or the other

I got the foundation of my skills from the internet before I began to search for practical knowledge

And when I did meet with who was really ready to put me through practicals it was quite easy for me and didn't actually cost me much because I came with a little knowledge of my own  
Today, I have people under my pay role

To climb up that ladder,,

You need to serve to be served

Humility, patient, manners, sincerity and above all fear of God..



**SunMusk**

You can learn forex trading without money and programming with out money and even graphics designer. Don't let no money issue stop you. Use your phone well.....

**2Ways:**

Is it not money the use in learning a Skill?

After learning the skills are you using toilet paper to buy the necessary tools for the skills you learnt?



**Timagex**

I can say that, photography saw me through school and helped me in a lot of ways. If you wish to learn the art of photography, hit me up. 📷