

# Wake alarm - Using a react-native client in combination with a rust backend.

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*Abstract—*

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## I. INTRODUCTION

The quality and duration of sleep affects the health and well being of individuals. Additionally sleep plays a major role in consolidation of memory [6] therefore it is essential for learning process. Looking at studies on sleep deprivation and disorders it becomes clear that a poor sleep can cause an decrease in both mental and physical performance. [1], [4] Leading up to variouse physical and mental diseases for example type-2 diabeties, anxiety and increased depression. Especially students represent a group that is likely to suffer sever sleep deprivation. In an conducted study 46% of 546 students rated their sleep as failry bad up to very bad. Furthermore 33% of participants reported  $\leq 7$  h of sleep on study days with an average of 6.55 h. [5]

The research surrounding the impact of light on the human circadian clock thereby revelead an relationship between illuminance and alertness in human beings. [2] In addition further research uncovered a link between exposure to more intense light and the feeling of vitality during daytime and everyday situations. [7]

These insights suggests a system that utilizes the effects of light on the human body to improve alertness and mental as well as pyhsical performance during the day. Using these mechanisms within the context of circadian stimulation and sleep, different fields of application become obviouse.

While technological development proceeds there are already attempts utilizing current innovations to harness prior introduced positive effects. One such attempt are wake lights that simulate the sunrise. A study investigating effects on the human body concludes that simulation of the dawn significantly improves performance on attention- and motor-based tasks/skills during the day. [3]

This paper proposes an application implementing functionality to utilize previously introduced advances in research concerning the effects of light on the human body. The application enables a user to obtain controll over a smart lamp to regulate the illumination, color. An additional system

for scheduling of illumination facilitates the simulation of sunrises.

## II. STATE OF THE ART

Currently there is a broad range of commercially available smart lamp devices and such. Each of these devices uses a different technological stack and varies in their capabilities as well as their functionality.

## III. PROPOSED APPROACH

### IV. ARCHITECTURE

#### A. interaction

#### V. CLIENT

#### VI. SERVER

The main tasks of the server are to communicate with clients and to actually drive a led strip or any other kind of light source.

#### A. Light Sources

The server can support different kind of light sources, as long as it implements the `LedControls` trait. Only one implementation of the trait can be used at the same time tho. But it is possible that a specific implementation controls multiple hardware lights. At the current time there are only two implementations that can be used as light sources:

- `LedStrip`

Controls a 4-pin led strip with a 12v pin and one pin for each color(red, green,blue). This cannot be driven directly by the Raspberry Pi and therefore we need to use a extra curcuit board [?] for it. The circuit board allows us to controll each color seperatly by driving the gate pin of a MOSFET's respectivly. We will use the `pigpio` Daemon [?] for this, because we need 3 PWM pins for this and currently available `gpio` libraries for Rust only over up to 2 PWM pins.

*\*\*picture of circuit board\*\**

- `MocLedStrip`

This is used only for testing. It allows us to verify the logic of the led controller without driving any GPIO's of the Raspberry Pi and also allows us to run the server on amd64 architecure for testing purposes.

## VII. RESULTS

## VIII. CONCLUSION

## IX. FURTHER WORK

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