

Aidan Follestad

A young and professional software developer with many talents and a passion for all things Google. I started around the age of 12 or 13!

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EXPERIENCE

Target, Minneapolis, MN — Android Engineer

November 14th, 2016 - PRESENT

I'm an Android engineer on the flagship Target app team.

SkillFitness LLC, Minneapolis, MN — Mobile Solutions Developer

July 2015 - PRESENT (> 1 year)

I was the one and only Android, iOS, Web, and Backend developer.

SkillFitness LLC, Minneapolis, MN — Android Consultant

June 2015 - July 2015 (1 month)

I was contracted to bring the SkillFitness platform from being an iOS exclusive, to being cross platform with Android.

Ricco Solutions LLC, Bloomington, MN — Lead Android & iOS Dev

June 2013 - July 2015 (2 years)

I was an intern, developing various applications such as CoupCash.

Jimmy John's, Minneapolis, MN — Sandwich Artist

November 2012 - January 2013

I made sandwiches, online orders, did some cashiering, etc.

Lush MOA, Bloomington, MN — Stocker

November 2011 - January 2012

My first job, doing stock in the back room. I got my first nice smart phone while I was here!

EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie, WI

August 2014 - June 2015 (1 year)

I only attended for a year. I took many high level classes due to already having skills, such as Computer Science II, Data Structures &

SKILLS & PLATFORMS

Android Design &
Development

iOS Design & Development
(not preferred)

Web Design & Development
(HTML, CSS, JavaScript...)

Backend Development
(Node.js, ASP.NET...)

Playing the drums (I love
music!)

Snowboarding

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS,
Kotlin, Objective-C & Swift,
C++, C#, Python, and
probably others.

SPOKEN LANGUAGES

English

Mandarin Chinese (I'm a bit
rusty)

Algorithms, and Calculus.

Central Senior High School, St. Paul, MN

August 2010 - June 2014

I graduated from high school here. I took many classes for credits, such as Computer Science, Web Design, and Digital Imaging.

PROJECTS

Polar Dashboard — *A dashboard template*

Polar Dashboard is a dashboard template used by many Android themers (people who make icon packs, widget packs, etc.). It's open source on GitHub!

Polar Request Manager — *A request management service*

Polar RM is an icon request management service that acts as a companion to Polar Dashboard. It's a subscription-powered service. It runs as a subdomain on my site: <https://polar.aidanfollestad.com>

Cabinet — *My most popular project, no longer published*

Cabinet was a very, very popular file manager for Android that I made. It began to take too much time out of my life so I had to stop maintaining it and unpublish it.

Nock Nock — *A simple app to monitor your web servers*

A simple app that monitors your web servers on an interval to make sure they are up and running. Has some cool validation features too. It's on Google Play and GitHub.

PhotoAffix — *Stitch multiple photos into one*

A simple app I made because people like to stitch multiple framed screenshots into one photo when shared on social media. It's on Google Play and GitHub.

Boid for Twitter — *A Twitter client from back in the day!*

This was one of the first *major* projects I worked on. I worked on a small team with people from the UK as the lead developer. You can find info about it by searching the name on Google.

Material Dialogs — *A popular library for developers*

Material Dialogs is a library I made to solve backwards compatible Material Designed dialogs on all Android versions. It has a very easy-to-use API. It's on GitHub, with over 7,000 stars.

There are quite a few other projects and apps by me

Please check out my website and GitHub page!

<https://aidanfollestad.com>, and <https://github.com/afollestad>