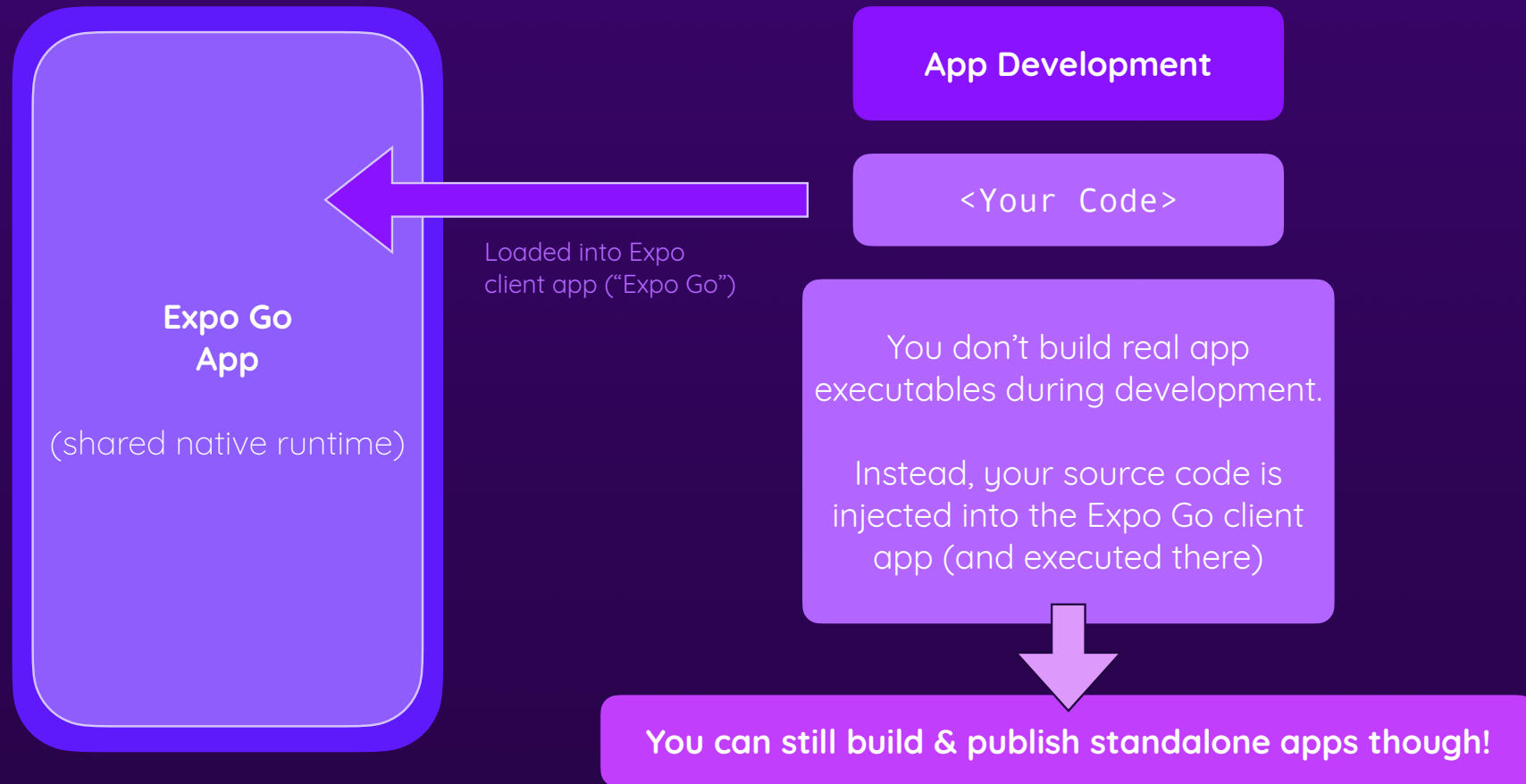


How Does Expo Work?



Building Standalone Apps With Expo

You can still build standalone apps (independent of Expo Go)!



Use EAS Build Service



During Development

Move fast with Expo Go app

Shared runtime loads your code and reflects changes instantly



For Production

Build lean, independent standalone apps that don't need Expo Go

Use EAS (cloud service) to build for all platforms

Alternatives

Used in this course

Expo “Managed Workflow”

Easy to set up & work with

Quick & frictionless development

No or very little configuration required

You can build (cross-platform) standalone apps

Expo “Bare Workflow”

Relatively easy to set up & work with

Convenient development

Some configuration required

You can build (cross-platform) standalone apps

React Native CLI

More complex setup

Convenient development

Can require more configuration effort

Standalone apps are built locally



Managed Workflow vs Bare Workflow

Need more control over native code?



Consider Expo's "Bare Workflow"

Pure React Native App



Optional Expo Packages

Some packages require extra setup steps or configuration