



# RAEES VAN DER SCHYFF

## PROFILE

I am a friendly guy who likes a challenge. I enjoy communicating problems effectively in order to achieve the desired outcome for everybody involved. I aspire to create analytically creative solutions to real world problems.

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## WEBSITE

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## HOBBIES

Hiking  
Trail Running  
Surfing  
Forex Trading  
Guitar

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Junior Software Engineer - MIP Holdings (Pty) Ltd

January 2023 – Present

Multithreaded application development for businesses such as Discovery, Hollard, etc. Heavily relying on OOP and following Agile Methodologies. Programming in Progress 4GL. I learnt to work with Jira as part of the software development life cycle.

### Admin and Delivery - A & I Lounge Suites

2016 – 2022

Part time work for my family-owned furniture business. I dealt with customers and suppliers, collecting and delivering furniture.

## EDUCATION

### Self Studying Software Development

2020 – Present

HTML, CSS, Javascript, React, Python

Using Google, YouTube, LinkedIn Learning, and Coursera

### University of Cape Town

2017 – 2021

BSc. Civil Engineering (INCOMPLETE)

Coursework encourages, strong problem solving skills, teamwork and attention to detail

### Darun-Naim

2016

1 year intensive Arabic course

### Star College Cape Town

2011 – 2015

Matric

## KEY SKILLS & CHARACTERISTICS

- Interpersonal & Communication Skills
- Problem Solving
- Attention to detail
- Teamwork
- Leadership
- Microsoft Excel
- Microsoft Word
- AutoCad
- Civil3D
- VSCode
- Python
- Progress 4GL