

Abdul Raafay Shahid

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Links

raafay.world/projects
github.com/rraafays

Technologies

Rust
Java
C#
Typescript
Javascript
Python
C
C++

Languages

English: Native
Spanish: Intermediate
Urdu: Beginner
Punjabi: Beginner

Passions

Martial Arts, Muay Thai,
Cooking, Painting,
Technology Restoration,
Motor Mechanics, Digital
Minimalism

Education

BEng Software Engineering
**Sheffield Hallam
University**
2020 - present

A-Level Computer Science
(C), Maths (C), Economics
(D)

**Notre Dame Catholic Sixth
Form College**
2018 - 2020

GCSE Computer Science
(A*), Maths (7), English
(6 5), Combined Science (6
5), Geography (6), Spanish
(5), IT (B)
Allerton High School
2013 - 2018

About

Raafay "Raf" Shahid is a passionate and versatile software engineer with a deep-rooted love for programming that began at the age of 13. Raf is a confident and sociable individual with a strong technical foundation and a broad range of interests.

Outside of software engineering, Raf has been practicing Muay Thai for over a year, enjoys cooking both at home and professionally, and has a long-standing passion for painting. He also restores vintage and modern technology and is learning motor mechanics from his father. Committed to digital minimalism, Raf ensures a balanced and focused approach to both his personal and professional life.

Notable Projects

FRMWRK: reproducible laptop system

September 2024

Doro: pomodoro timer written in rust

July 2023

Socks: multi-threaded socket based chat

January 2023

SHU Bank: small-scale online banking

November 2022

Personal Website: projects & passions showcase

July 2022

SHUber: Uber-inspired taxi application

February 2020

Work Experience

Placement Software Engineer: Cognitran Limited

August 2023 - August 2024

Pizza Chef: Ecco Pizzeria

August 2022 - February 2023

Voluntary Technician: AALFY

August 2021 - December 2022

Front of House: Friesday

August 2021 - July 2022