# Soc Virnyl S. Estela

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I am aiming to become a software developer and engineer to gain professional experience in order to actively contribute to the open source ecosystem. I also want to build relationships between technology and people to bridge the gap between users and software.

## **Technologies**

### Languages

- Python
- Rust
- SOL
- Julia
- Crystal

#### Tools

- Git
- RPM Spec
- Typst
- VSCode
- Neovim
- Vim
- Kakoune

#### Education

### B.Sc. Biology, Major in Microbiology

Cum Laude

Mindanao State University - IIT

**Aug** 2018 - Jul 2022

Philippines

## DOST Philippine Science High School Scholar Philippine Science High School - CMC

May 2012 - May 2018

Philippines

• Proficiency in Biology (1.5), and Computer Science (1.25).

# Personal Projects

#### Hyperskill

☐ Jun 2020 - Jan 2021

GitHub

A repo of all my old Python puzzle solutions, and projects during JetBrains and Hyperskill's open beta test for their code learning platform. This allowed me to learn Python libraries such as Django, SQLAlchemy and of course, some of Python's standard libraries such as argparse and itertools.

# Open Source Experience

# **Packaging**

openSUSE

🗂 Jul 2022 - Present

openSUSE

I am a maintainer for various openSUSE packages for Zig, Julia, Juliaup, Wezterm, Zola, Zellij, Helix and 20+ more packages. This taught me about RPM with the mentorship of William Brown from SUSE.

## Rust Rewrite of OBS Service Cargo Vendor openSUSE

Aug 2023 - Present

GitHub

OBS Service Cargo Vendor vendors all crates and dependencies for Rust projects locally, used for packaging Rust software in openSUSE. Rewrote from Python to Rust, enabling better error handling and improving performance.

### Interests

- Contributing and giving back to open-source
- Teaching people about open source software.
- Learning fingerstyle guitar during my free
- Reading web comics.

#### Rypper

Jul 2022 - Present

Codeberg

An alternative package manager for openSUSE written in Rust. Currently, it is able to read repometadata files in XML format, and repoconfig files in INI format. This is checked through several unit tests for validity or invalidity. Paused in hopes to contribute first to rpmrepo\_metadata and rpm-rs.

## Hare bindings for Libnotify

Mov 2022

O SourceHut

Experimented with Harelang bindings and libnotify. The project is now considered ready for usage as it contains a clone also for the notify-send tool.

#### 0tap

**July 2023** 

Codeberg

A client library written in Rust for OpenBuildService. Currently a work in progress.