

# Ziyad Alruwaished

## Software Engineer - Backend

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### Profile

The kid who always jumped in to fix the teacher's computer or projector, who couldn't resist arguing with the math teacher about "easier ways" to solve problems, and who thrived as a multi-sport athlete. A creative thinker and problem solver, I've always been the go-to for finding smarter solutions—and often referred to as a **"great presenter"** for my ability to turn complex ideas into compelling stories. Now, as a software engineer, I bring these traits to life by building software that makes a real impact.

### Education

**King Saud University**, *Bachelor's degree in Software Engineering* Sep 2021 – Jun 2025  
Demonstrating a **4.66 GPA**, I have a deep understanding of computer science fundamentals and specialize in the software development life cycle, ensuring effective process management from inception to deployment.

**The Charter School of San Diego**, *Middle School diploma* SA, California

### Professional Experience

**Manafa**, *Software Engineer* Jun 2024 – present  
**Riding the journey from a startup to a multi-unicorn**, Manafa has established itself as a leading FinTech company in the region specializing in crowdfunding. Now the **largest supply chain funder in the world**, by funding **Aramco's** supply chain for a start!. As a key member of the team, I contributed to developing investment and funding platforms that manage billions, driving innovation in FinTech solutions.

**Sani**, *Web Developer* Dec 2022 – May 2023  
I specialized in creating custom websites for nonprofits. Working with a dedicated team, we boosted their online presence and effectively supported their missions, later on Sani was incubated by **MISK**

### Volunteering

**Leader of the Technical Committee**, *SSC Students Club* 2022 – present  
I led initiatives to offer valuable courses and workshops to students, including **developing the club's website** using **Next.js** as a resource hub.

### Projects

**Recipeze**  
**Recipeze** is an app that generates personalized recipes based on available ingredients, using Laravel for backend APIs, Blade for web, and Flutter for mobile frontend. Visit: <https://recipeze.app> or **download the app**.

**Dr.ive**  
A versatile object storage API that enables users to store and retrieve data across multiple backends, including Amazon S3, local file storage, and databases. It features secure authentication and allows users to specify storage paths and configurations. A simple client demonstrates the API's features, making it easy to interact with and understand. Visit: **Dr.ive API** or **Client**.

**JOB souq**  
JOBsouq is a live platform, built with **Laravel**, where you can browse and apply for jobs and internships. Employers can create accounts to post job openings, making it easy to connect talent with opportunities

**Jarayed**  
Jarayed is a personalized news platform delivering Arabic podcasts in a Saudi accent using **AI TTS** technologies, along with trending topics tailored to user interests. Check the PoC I built using **React: Jarayed PoC**.

**Places**  
Harnessing the power of **React**, **Redux**, and Google Maps **API**, our platform lets you log in and effortlessly share your favorite spots, creating a vibrant community of travelers and explorers.

**AI Text Summarizer**  
React app utilizing an algorithm to produce concise summaries. Orchestrated deployment with **Docker** and **Kubernetes** for containerized execution, showcasing proficiency in **React**, Kubernetes, Docker, **YAML**, and deployment methodologies.

many more in [GitHub..](#)

### Skills

REST APIs | Go | Laravel | FastAPI | LangChain | Microservices | Linux | Redis | React | Next.js | Cloud Computing | AWS | YAML | JavaScript | PHP | Java | SQL | User Experience | git | Scrum | Problem Solving | Leadership | Communication | Tailwind | English Fluency

### Awards

Winning First place in the **"Sarawat Hackaton"** Where I presented my app **"Manbat"**

### Languages

English — Fluent

Arabic — Native/Bilingual