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WORK EXPERIENCE

Top Rated Full Stack Developer

June 2025 - Present

upwork.com/freelancers/rafayexalter

Remote

Built SaaS platforms with Next.js, Stripe/Polar.sh billing, and Prisma ORM; delivered custom API integrations, scraping, and automation. Provided WordPress (malware removal, migrations, custom themes/plugins) and Shopify (theme debugging, Liquid fixes, store redesign/optimization) services to global clients.

Shopify App Dev

July 2025 - August 2025

Zoorix

Remote

Developed an AI Chat Agent Shopify app, hosted on Cloudflare Workers with Hyperdrive, integrating scalable AI-driven customer support.

Full Stack Dev - Working Student

January 2024 - March 2024

leasyro GmbH

Berlin, Germany

Developed Next.js + TypeScript solutions with secure authentication (NextAuth.js), crafted responsive UI with Tailwind/ShadUI, and managed GitHub/GitLab version control.

Quality Assurance - Working Student

October 2023 - December 2023

shyftplan GmbH

Berlin, Germany

Conducted functional, usability, and API testing with Postman, Cypress, and Cucumber; managed Jira workflows and ensured product quality.

Full-stack Developer

January 2021 - August 2022

Cloud Enterprise Business Solutions (CEBS) (Pvt.) Ltd

Islamabad, Pakistan

Built full-stack applications with Next.js, Node.js, and Prisma; developed REST APIs, managed PostgreSQL/MySQL/MongoDB, and optimized performance with AWS S3 and responsive UI/UX design.

Software Developer

February 2016 - Present

fiverr.com/rafayexalter

Remote

Delivered 300+ global projects, specializing in WordPress/Shopify customization, SEO optimization, performance improvements, and page design with Elementor and Gutenberg.

Languages

- Deutsch (A1), Englisch (C1)

PERSONAL PROJECTS

- **linkr.sh**: A URL shortener that enables users to create, manage, and share custom short links.
- **xsavr**: A dedicated X/Twitter post archiver built with Next.js, featuring a Python API on AWS Lambda for data and free media downloads.
- **Simplent**: Developed a minimalist WordPress theme using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, and PHP.

EDUCATION

Dadabhoj Institute of Higher Education

B.Sc. of Computer Science

January 2016 - January 2021

Karachi, Pakistan

SKILLS

Programming Languages

- Javascript, Typescript, PHP, Python

Technologies & Tools

- Next.js, Node.js, React, Prisma ORM, Tailwind CSS, ShadCN/UI
- PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB, schema design, query optimization, migrations
- AWS (S3, Lambda), Cloudflare Workers & Hyperdrive, serverless deployment & edge compute
- Stripe & Polar.sh, subscription billing and SaaS payment flows
- Shopify (Liquid, app development), WordPress (themes, plugins, malware remediation)

Soft Skills

- Python automation & web scraping (pandas, BeautifulSoup, Selenium)
- SEO optimization, technical audits, performance improvements, on-page strategy
- Independent project delivery, scoping, execution, and client communication across 300+ freelance projects