

# Saif Hamad Algarawy

A digital nomad, keen to learn and introduce new culture to the region.  
Gained considerable amount of work experience and enthusiastic about technology.  
Excellent team player and an excited and optimistic person.

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Education

2013 - 2018  
Dhahran, Saudi Arabia

**Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering**  
**King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals**  
Bachelor's degree in Software Engineering.

Aug 2016 -  
Dec 2016  
Tucson, AZ, USA

**Exchange Student, Computer Science**  
**University of Arizona**  
Exchange program, for the fall semester of 2016.



Work  
Experience

Oct 2022 -  
Dec 2022  
Doha, Qatar

**fischerAppelt Qatar** • *Event Services Executive*  
**FIFA World Cup Fan Fest™, Qatar 2022**

- Managing and leading over 30 employees all over the event services points:
  - Information Centers
  - Lost & Found
  - Lost Children Facility
  - Children Registration Kiosks
  - Accessibility Services
  - Accessibility Platforms
- Training & deploying the teams for each point

Mar 2021  
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

**Zeez Animation** • *Voice Actor*  
**Animation studio and content production house that produces kids and family cartoons**

- Acting a major character in a multi-series kids cartoon.
- Script editing and enhancing.

Dec 2020 -  
Mar 2021  
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

**Meshbak Studio** • *Project Coordinator & Photographer*  
**Creative design studio based in Riyadh**

- "انتم راس مالنا" campaign for the Social Development Bank; Visited beneficiaries across 7 cities, conducted photoshoots, and prepared comprehensive reports.
- "Reef" project for the Ministry of Environment, Water & Agriculture; Coordinated the project and led the photography/videography team across 5 cities.

Sep 2020 -  
Jun 2021  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Cartier - Richemont SA LLC** • *Special Events Page Boy*  
**A French luxury goods conglomerate which designs, manufactures, distributes, and sells jewelry and watches.**

- Welcoming VIP clients.
- Representing Cartier in their occasions.
- Pose in Khobar boutique as their icon.

Mar 2018 -  
Present  
Saudi Arabia

**Freelancer** • *Graphic Designer*  
Dynamic Freelance Graphic Designer.

- Delivered over 15 projects to various clients;
- Conceived and developed original ideas from the ground up.
- Improved existing designs and offered clients alternative solutions.

Oct 2017 -  
Present  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Saudi Nomad** • *CEO, Founder & Expert Guide*  
A start-up company that brings backpacking to Saudi Arabians by providing extraordinary backpacking trips through out the world.

- Developing and articulating the company's mission, vision, and values.
- Creating and implementing the company's strategic plan.
- Monitoring financial performance and ensuring profitability.
- Establishing a well-organized work structure.

Jul 2017 -  
Aug 2017  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**indielabs** • *Software Engineering Trainee*  
A Saudi company specialized in developing apps and websites.

- Developing and reviewing SRS documents.
- Developing Web Applications.
- Testing and validating products under/post production phase.

Mar 2017 -  
Sep 2017  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Parker's Restaurant** • *Host*  
An international fine dining restaurant with a magical story that requires a special key which grant the guests their entrance.

- Welcome guests and assign seating for them.
- Observe and maintain the quality of service provided to the guests throughout the whole visit.
- Deliver food from the kitchen to the tables when needed.

Jul 2015  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Registrar** • *Web Crawler Developer*  
A bot for automated courses registration, specialized in checking closed sections and register it once open. Designed specifically for KFUPM students.

- Developed the entire bot using Java, JavaScript.
- Developed a new algorithm for registration and checking closed sections.

Oct 2013 -  
Nov 2013  
Dhahran, Saudi Arabia

**Pure Colors Exhibition by Centre Pompidou Mobile**  
• *Art Explainer*  
During iThra Knowledge program by Saudi Aramco. The exhibition introduces modern art from a new angle.

- Delivered guided tours.
- Worked as an Arabic/English translator.

Jul 2013 -  
Aug 2013  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Holiday Inn** • *Pastry Chef*  
4-star hotel with a rating of 8.0 according to booking.com

- Worked in the Pastry.
- Daily supervision of the banquet during Iftar in Ramadan.
- Led a team of two.

Jun 2013 -  
Jul 2013  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Park Inn by Radisson** • *Assistant Chef*

The winner of the 2015 TripAdvisor's Travellers' Choice Award and the winner of the 2015 Saudi Excellence Tourism Awards for best 4-star hotel in Saudi Arabia.

- Worked in the Hot kitchen.
- Daily supervision of the lunch buffet.

Jan 2013 -  
Feb 2013  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**SRAK Young Engineering Program** • *Trainer*

Community service program by SRAK company (Owned by Shell and Saudi Aramco) to teach kids (6-14) about the basic principles of mechanical engineering, robotics and assembling houses.

- Mechanical engineering trainer.
- Learned how to communicate with people of all ages.

Jun 2012 -  
Aug 2012  
Khobar, Saudi Arabia

**Ali A. Tamimi Trading & Contracting Co.** • *Data Entry*

A company in a variety of fields, including industry, power, water, oil, and gas.

- Converted the hardcopy records to soft copies.
- Responsible for updating and tracking the attendance records.
- Managed incoming and outgoing letters for ARC department.



Skills

**General Skills:**

Teamwork • Leadership • Problem Solving • Determination • Trilingual (writing/reading/speaking in Arabic, English, and Spanish) • Communication • Eagerness to Learn

**Technical Skills:**

Java • Python • PHP • JavaScript • HTML • CSS • MySQL • JSON • XML • AJAX • Illustrator • Photoshop • Final Cut Pro

**Courses & Electives:**

Software Project Management • Product & Brand Management • Database Systems • Fundamentals of E-Commerce • Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence • Cloud Computing • Six Thinking Hats

**Operating systems:**

Mac OS X • Windows • Linux (Ubuntu, RedHat and Fedora)



References

**Saleh Alshebil**

Assistant Professor of  
Marketing

**King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals**

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