SAKSHYAM BARAL

Founder of Laayo · Full-stack developer

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PROFILE

Self-taught developer. I founded Laayo, food and grocery delivery in Eastern Nepal, and built nearly all of it: three mobile apps, a Go backend, the ops console, payments, live tracking and the servers it runs on. I also run the business. I'm now building Qora, payments for Nepali businesses.

EXPERIENCE

Laayo ..... Jul 2025 – Present

Founder, CEO & Lead Developer, Birtamod & Damak

- Took Laayo from an idea to a registered company and a live delivery service, then opened in a second town.
- Built the customer, restaurant and rider apps, the Go backend, the ops console and the servers.
- Run the business: restaurants, riders, support, payouts and investors.

Qora ..... Aug 2026 – Present

Founder & Developer

- Fonepay QR payments for Nepali businesses: an API, payment links and counter QR.
- Money settles straight to the merchant. Qora never holds it.

Sakshyam.dev ..... Jan 2021 – Present

Independent Developer

- Open-source Discord bots and tools, starred and forked by hundreds of developers.

PRODUCTS

- **Laayo** (laayo.com.np): Food and grocery delivery in Birtamod and Damak. Three apps, a Go backend and live tracking.
- **Qora** (qora.laayo.com.np): Fonepay QR payments for Nepali businesses. An API, payment links and counter QR.
- **Laayo Biz** (biz.laayo.com.np): Tables and KOT, kitchen stations, inventory and accounting. Web, Android and desktop.

LEADERSHIP

Event Manager, JCI Nepal, Birtamod ..... Sept 2024 – Present

Before that, Event Coordinator of The Biggest Education Fest 2025.

Organiser, Ship It 2026 ..... Oct 2026 – Present

Planning a web and app build competition for students, hosted by Laayo. I built its platform.

Event Host & Media Team Lead, Little Flowers' English School ..... Apr 2023 – Jan 2025

Volunteer Tutor, Siddhartha Shiksha Sadan ..... Jun 2025 – Aug 2025

SKILLS

Languages	Go, TypeScript, JavaScript, PHP, Python, Swift, Kotlin, SQL
Frameworks	Next.js, React, Node.js, Laravel, Flask, UIKit, Tailwind
Infrastructure	Linux, Nginx, Docker, Redis, MariaDB, Meilisearch, Cloudflare
Also	AI agents, Realtime voice, Payments, Product, Operations, Fundraising

EDUCATION

Little Flowers' English School ..... 2023 – 2025

+2, Management with Computer Science, Birtamod

CERTIFICATIONS

- Generative AI Professional, Oracle Cloud (2025)
- GitHub Foundations, GitHub
- Node.js: Advanced Concepts, Udemy
- Career Essentials in Data Analysis, Microsoft & LinkedIn

LANGUAGES

Nepali (native) · English (professional)