



All Your Fonts Are Belong To Us

This talk presents an insider's account of how Pango works hard to choose the best fonts and glyphs for rendering your text, in whatever language it is...

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Behdad is an Iranian who grew up loving programming and typography. In high school, he was introduced to data structures and algorithms, and after a couple years of studying these concepts, he ended up pursuing a computer engineering B.Sc. program at Sharif University, Tehran. It was around this time when he found the true way of Unix, as well as Free Software, GNU, and GNOME projects.

Six years later, he's finishing his M.Sc. in computer science at the University of Toronto. He's become an expert in bidirectional scripts (like Arabic) and the Unicode standard, and would like to see Pango eventually used in a multilingual, internationalized, full-fledged print-quality desktop publishing system one day. He also dreams of a world where GNOME rocks on every desktop and laptop, and where he doesn't have to report bugs every other day.

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English	Talk

Easy Databases with Glom

Learn how quickly you can build easy-to-use database systems with Glom. The tutorial will lead you through the creation of a small database system, creating tables, fields, relationships, layouts, and reports. We will quickly add real functionality without writing code or SQL.

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Murray Cumming is a freelance software developer from the UK who has settled in Munich, Germany. Murray maintains the GNOME C++ bindings (gtkmm) and the Glom database application, and is grateful that GNOME has made them possible. He has also been a GNOME Foundation board director and a member of the release team. He tries not to get in the way, and tries to keep learning. You can buy his time.