

## Education, occupation and interests:

I'm software developer, trying to get a career in finance. I studied software engineering, I was always good in maths and scientific fields. In high school I discovered programming and since it seemed more practical than maths, I went for it. Also, I've always enjoyed problem solving, brain teasers, etc, so algorithms seemed very relatable. I also considered to study maths with statistical focus, as I played lots of card games and their random nature was always interesting. Quant research of financial markets seemed interesting too. Apart from that I could study pretty much any scientific field like chemistry, molecular biology or physics but they just seemed less practical. Right now I'm quite interested in cosmology and quantum physics and I'm spending much of my free time watching videos about these - perhaps it's worth to mention that I learned about those topics myself, to pretty advanced level without any supervision, just by my curiosity.

In school I liked the topics I mentioned above, apart from biology as my teachers were often uninspiring. I didn't like history classes as they were rarely taught in an interesting way. Nowadays I'm really interested in war history and watch lots of documentaries on that topic. Another subject didn't like was literature classes as I hated the subjective judgement of my work.

I love rock music, it's very important for me. Mostly classics, bands like Black Sabbath, Guns N Roses, Pink Floyd, Queen, Nirvana, Alice In Chains, The Killers, Metallica, AC/DC, and many more. I also like quite niche rock genre called stoner rock, my favourites bands as of now are 1000mods, Tuber and Monkey3. I like singing, we often go for karaoke with friends, I used to sing in a local band.

I watch lots of movies and tv series, mostly criminals and sci-fi. My favourite motives are existentialism and time travel. Some of my favourite movies are "Predestination", "The Dark Knight", "Avengers: Infinity War", "Lord of the Rings" trilogy and "The Wolf of Wall Street". My favourite tv series are "Westworld" (season 1 only) and "Chernobyl".

My ideal holidays are ski trip with a group of friends or 5 star hotel with great food by the Mediterranean sea.

## Personal features:

Kind but of strong will, quite rebellious, my first word ever spoken was "No". When I was young I was kind of a leader, wishing to become one at work later when I get more experience.

I like to be motivated by passions and interests, not by duty and needing something to be done (this feature is very important for me and both my mother and grandma are like this so it's likely genetic). In order to accept something I'm told to do, I need to understand it.

Very sociable and energetic as a kid, less so these days, I got more introverted. Very active as a kid, very calm after puberty.

Very dedicated when I care about something, and I'm effective in getting what I want. At the same time it's hard to motivate me to do things that I don't want to do.

Patient, responsible, strong minded, persistent, practical, stubborn, like to be in control.

Loving and caring about my close ones. I have few friends but really good ones.

Intellectual and also emotional.

## Philosophy:

I'm always trying to maintain balance, in almost every quality a human can have. For a simple example, I believe that being too good or too evil are both equally harmful. Being too selfless makes us vulnerable and easy to use, being too selfish makes others leave us after realising it. Same with trusting people too much or too little, political views, level of openness, introvert vs extravert and virtually every possible aspect that describes us. I believe aiming for balance is what makes us grow internally. Why it's never possible to achieve it in all aspects? Because our lives and our environments twist that balance as our circumstances are just a subset of what a life could be. But we need to adapt. For instance our jobs usually force us to have particular features apart from raw skills and getting rid of what we need would mean fighting the essential balance between practicality and idealism. Also, I don't want this to sound like I try to flatten my identity completely. Being too normal in too many aspect is just abnormal in itself. Trying to find what is the right balance is tricky too. For instance I believe more than average intelligence is definitely desired feature.

Another thing that I find very important in life is to have purpose and follow it without compromising happiness in the long run. This is another important balance disruptor, but it's essential driver of evolution. I always try to think about it when I'm about to make an important decisions in my life. Self-awareness, authenticity and being honest with myself is also important, as lying to myself would distort the whole balancing act and what I really want from life.

## Physical features:

White, soft skin. Light brown thin perfectly straight hair, dark brown eyes, thick brown eyebrows, larger than average lips and nose but not huge. Long neck. I have a quite slender body type, I've never been overweight and I eat quite a lot. All is great even when I don't work out at all for months. My parents are like this as well so it's likely genetic.

## Food:

Thai is my favourite cuisine, I love stir fries, moderately spicy dishes and spring rolls. Also, all kinds of dumplings, pancakes, pizza. From sweets I like ice cream but nothing else.

I like dairy products, chicken, white fish and vegetables, In general I always eat boiled, fried or baked food. Rarely anything raw or cold, only salads. When it comes to carbs, protein and fat metabolism I have mostly balanced diet, worth to mention that I did some genetic tests and apparently my metabolism of carbs is really good.

Favourite vegetables in order: onion, garlic, potatoes, carrot, broccoli, zucchini.

## Health:

I try to live relatively healthy lifestyle, as it's much easier to prevent diseases than it is to cure them and we seem to be progressing into times of doctors being less and less available. Besides, our wellbeing depends on how we treat our bodies, so I think it's really important.

I started suffering from IgG allergies when I was around 16 years old. It gradually went away within following 5 years but it's probably worth to watch out for that. The allergies included gluten, milk and eggs. The symptoms after eating those products back then were chronic gut pains and headaches which were getting progressively worse if I kept eating those products. The healing process involved elimination of those products and consuming various probiotics to heal gut flora. Right now everything is resolved and I eat those things normally. Keep in mind these were just IgG allergies, nothing serious like celiac disease or lactose intolerance, I was tested for those.

I had some allergies, mostly to dust, pollen and mould. They were moderately strong when I was a kid, I was getting hay fever especially when in the countryside, but nothing life threatening. Right now I don't see any effects at all, last time I remember I had any reaction was when I was 19.

I was having migraines when I was in high school and university. They were not very frequent, yet still annoying, around 10-15 times per year. Herbal medicine from Butterbur and Feverfew helped me and after taking it for 2 years. Nowadays I still have some but the frequency dropped to around 3-5 per year and intensity got better too, I often don't even need to take medications.

## Animals:

My grandma always had cats and I always liked them. My family had a dog which I decided to adopt [REDACTED] we found her [REDACTED] alone, miserably scrawny. We got another dog after she passed.

I'd like to have a British blue shorthair cat someday when I stop moving around the world and settle to start a family. I like them as they have very dense coat and supposedly are friendly.

Feel free to reach out when you grow up, I will be very happy to talk.