

# William Ward

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dynamic, results-focused student with strong problem-solving and communication skills, adaptable to a variety of audiences. I began my degree pathway at the age of 16 and am currently on track to graduate with an honors degree in Cyber Security just after I turn 19. With a substantial background in computer hardware, web development, and software development, I have successfully collaborated with clients, including local council branches, to deliver impactful web projects. My expertise also extends to research projects, where I have consistently demonstrated the ability to analyze complex issues and devise effective solutions. I believe that sharing knowledge is the best motivation for personal development; as we teach, we learn. This view led me to teach a group of college-aged students cyber skills alongside my peers.

## WORK HISTORY

### Freelance web developer

April 2020 - Present

Permanent | Freelance | Bristol, City of Bristol

- I work directly with clients to both develop and host web projects. I am solely in charge of the entire technical side and due to this have become well versed in many aspects such as security and client work.
- Initial client meetings: Gather their wants and discuss how these can be turned into deliverables.
- Complete the first technical product: Create the web site while managing hosting setup.
- Consistently keep the project up to date: Meeting both security and client requirements goes beyond just the initial creation.

## EDUCATION

### Degree with honours

University of the West of England - 2025

Cyber security and Digital forensics

Currently I am in my third and final year of this degree.

### Higher national diploma (HND)

City of Bristol College - 2023

Computing | Merit

Module list: Emerging technologies Internet of Things (IOT) E-commerce and strategy  
System analysis and design Games engine and scripting Business intelligence (BI)  
Computing research project

### **Higher national certificate (HNC)**

City of Bristol College - 2022

Computing | Distinction

Module list: Programming Networking Professional practice Database design and  
development Security Computer systems architecture Maths for computing Managing a  
successful computing project

## **SKILLS**

Adaptability, Ability To Work Under Pressure, Computer Literacy, Excellent Telephone  
Manner, Customer Relations, Teaching, Patience, Data Analytics, Creativity

## **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

Board games, Building computers, Building websites, Card games, Chess, Computing,  
Cooking, Music, Video gaming, Driving

## **REFERENCES**

References available on request