What I did notice whilst researching the history of the internet is that it had advanced so fast that at the blink of an eye the internet had cemented itself as a support beam for life today. This was at a rate to fast for society where our interest and inventions outshone our ability to govern its powers, resulting in a drastically diminished rate of advances in internet history. Most recent landmarks in internet history and in particular since 2012 is the opposite to invention with the implementation of control. It is a funny thing the internet, it has had the biggest effect world wide on humans than any other invention or natural disaster. The internet is not something to be undermined, it is not under any one person’s control and its capabilities are endless, capabilities I believe we are yet to see.

Honourable mentions:

-Deep sea underground cables. One youtube video will make you appreciate the effort involved in the installation of these cables.

-Google, what I admire about google is that they mark 20 years since being released this year and regardless of the advances in technology, ultimately google looks and operates the exact same way the user has intended for since day dot. I love simplicity in websites, and here you have the most well-known website in the western world and it has to be the simplest of them all.

-Tim Berners creation of mark-up language. Officially coming up with the idea mid 1980’s and publishing in late 1990, this invention would have to be the most relevant long lasting invention in internet history.