

# Maksym Mikhno

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## Profile

A creative and self-starting Front-End Developer with experience dating back to 2019, currently augmenting practical skills as a second-year Computer Science student. Passionate about building intuitive, responsive, and engaging websites that blend clean code with strong visual design. Proficient in modern front-end technologies including JavaScript, React, and SCSS, with foundational knowledge of PHP and the WordPress CMS ecosystem. Eager to contribute to a dynamic digital agency like Itineris and grow my skills in creating complex, high-performance web solutions.

## Education

**BSc (Hons) Computer Science** | University of Dundee (*Expected Graduation: 2028*)

- Relevant Modules: Physical Computation, Algorithms & Data Structures, Web Authoring.

**A-levels & GCSEs** | Emmanuel College, Gateshead (*Completed: 2024*)

## Technical Skills

- **Front-End:** HTML5, CSS3, SCSS, JavaScript (ES6+), React.js, JSX, JQuery, CSS Animations, Adaptive & Responsive Design
- **Back-End & CMS:** PHP, MySQL, WordPress
- **Tools & Workflow:** Git, Webpack, BEM Naming Convention, Command Line, Visual Studio Code

## Selected Projects

**SmartCookieWifi** | [Live Link](#) A multi-page website for a commercial entity, built with a focus on professional workflow and optimization.

- Implemented the BEM naming standard for a maintainable and scalable CSS architecture.
- Utilized SCSS as a preprocessor and configured Webpack to bundle assets and streamline the development process.

**Go Surf** | [Live Link](#) A visually dynamic, single-page site designed to demonstrate a strong understanding of user interaction and front-end animation.

- Developed hand-coded CSS animations to create an engaging user experience.
- Used the JQuery library to simplify DOM manipulation and manage responsive elements.

**React Clicker** A simple web application built to solidify core concepts of the React.js framework.

- Explored component-based architecture, state management, and JSX syntax as a foundation for building more complex interactive websites.

**Adaptive Design Principles** | [Live Link](#) A project focused entirely on the core principles of creating a fully responsive and accessible web layout.

- Demonstrates a strong understanding of clean HTML structure, modern CSS, and mobile-first design to ensure a seamless experience across all devices.

## Professional Experience

**Web Developer (Part-Time)** | Dundee University Students' Association (DUSA) *September 2024 - Present*

- Maintain and update the main DUSA website, developing new components and features to enhance the student experience.
- Ensure all web content is responsive, accessible, and consistent with the DUSA brand guidelines.

**Freelance Web Developer** | Remote *2021 - Present*

- Developed and deployed multi-page commercial websites from concept to completion for small business clients, such as the **SmartCookieWifi** project.
- Implemented modern front-end workflows using tools like SCSS and Webpack to create optimized, performant, and maintainable codebases.