## Hello

# I'm James Warhurst

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#### **PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT / ROLES**

## **The Parts Alliance**, Chester – IT Administrator / IT 1st Line Technician

September 2019 - August 2022

After College I had left McDonald's to work as an IT Admin where I could further develop my IT skills in a professional work environment for the UK's leading car parts supplier. Here, I upheld the integrity of the company's employees' data and access rights to secure their computer systems. I was promoted to the 1st line IT support team where I'd resolve technical software and hardware issues either via phone call or our ticketing system.

## McDonald's, Broughton Shopping Park - Crew Member

March 2018 - September 2019

I worked here part-time while studying IT at Coleg Cambria. I worked on the shop floor taking orders, handling money, speaking with customers, running the lines, etc.

#### **EDUCATION**

## Manchester Metropolitan University, Cyber Security

September 2021- Present

Throughout my IT journey I have developed a passion for learning. I found Cyber Security interesting, which changes day to day, so there are always new skills to learn and apply these skills for good.

## Coleg Cambria, Deeside

September 2017 - June 2019

At Coleg Cambria, I had chosen to study Information Technology (IT) to give me a good foundation to develop my IT skills.

## Connah's Quay High School, Deeside

September 2012 - June 2017

At CQHS I studied all mandatory subjects, for my options I chose to take Computer Science, Business and Engineering.

#### **SKILLS**

Communication Skills

Critical Thinking & Problem Solving

**Team Working** 

### **Diplomas**

Level 3 Diploma in IT - D\*D\*

Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT - DDM

Level 2 Certificate IT Support Technician - Merit

#### GCSE's

English:	C
Mathematics:	C
Numeracy:	С
Computer Science:	В
Business:	В
Engineering:	D

### **Learning Currently**

Networks

Security Auditing

Incident Response

Cyber Security Governance

**Ethical Hacking** 

**Operating Systems** 

Industry and Community Engagement

#### **PERSONAL STATEMENT**

I'm hardworking and proficient with any challenges I'm presented with. I have great problem-solving and analytical skills which I've developed over my career. I have a passion for learning and developing my skills in Cyber Security. Over the years of education and work experience, I have built a great foundation of IT skills and now I've directed my focus towards securing computer systems and networks so I can have a positive impact on my work as this is important to me.

## Units studied 1st year (1st Class)

Databases - SQL

Programming - Java

Security Fundamentals

Forensics

Team Project

**Graduate Skills** 

Mathematics for Computing

### **Outside of University**

**Python Projects** 

Try Hack Me

**Security Content** 

Portfolio website

**CFTs** 

PortSwigger Academy