

PAUL WARING

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Experience

Direct Fleet Insurance Services Ltd

Director: October 2010 - Present

Technical Manager: March 2009 - Present

- Responsible for managing and developing online trading platform for fleet insurance.
- Formulate and agree long term strategy as member of the Board.
- Co-ordinate outsourced work with external contractors.
- Developed full-cycle accounting system for automated invoicing and credit control.
- Developed full-cycle claims system, from initial accident report to calculation of loss ratios.

Paul Waring (Self Employed)

Freelance IT Consultant: February 2002 - Present

- Bespoke programming projects.
- Initial web design services for small companies.
- Maintain and develop existing web sites.
- Host sites and email accounts for clients.

University of Manchester

Teaching Assistant: October 2007 - June 2008

- Responsible for dealing with student queries in laboratories and marking work.

University of Manchester

Vacation Student: June 2006 - August 2006

- Member of the Quator research team.
- Responsible for linking together existing parts of software to create a complete system.

Independent Power Engineering Contractors (IPEC) Ltd

Software Developer: July 2005 - September 2005

- Developed customised Linux distribution for monitoring of electrical substations.
- Maintained and developed web-based data analysis software.
- Day-to-day maintenance of office desktop machines and server software (including web and DNS services).

Education

University of Manchester

September 2007 - September 2009

- MPhil in Computer Science.

University of Manchester

September 2006 - August 2007

- MA in Ancient World Studies (Classics and Ancient History).

University of Manchester

September 2003 - June 2006

- 2.1 BSc (Hons) in Computer Science.
- Degree course accredited by the Institution of Engineering and Technology and the British Computer Society.

Holy Cross Sixth Form College

September 2001 - June 2003

- **A levels:** Computing (A), Mathematics (A), Economics (A), Law (A), General Studies (B).
- Subject Award for highest mark in year group (Computing).

Saint Gabriel's RC High School

September 1997 - June 2001

- **GCSEs:** 4 A*'s, 4 A's and 1 B, including Mathematics (A*) and English Language (A).

Skills

Operating Systems: Linux (various distributions, particularly Debian), Windows 2000/XP

Computer Languages:

- Proficient in PHP, HTML, XML, Java, SQL
- Familiar with C, C++, Perl

Tools and Systems:

- Proficient in Apache, MySQL
- Familiar with Postfix, Subversion

Professional bodies

Professional member of the British Computer Society (MBCS).

Professional member of the Institution of Engineering and Technology (MIET).

Member of the Chartered Insurance Institute.

Interests, activities and positions of responsibility

Chairman and Director, UKUUG Limited, September 2008 – Present.

Trustee and Director, Manchester Environmental Resource Centre Initiative Ltd, December 2008 – December 2010.

Director and Company Secretary, Manchester Friends of the Earth Limited, July 2008 – May 2009.

Committee Member, Association for History and Computing UK, October 2007 – October 2010.

Council member, UK Unix Users Group (UKUUG), September 2007 – Present.

Joint Coordinator, Manchester Friends of the Earth, December 2006 – April 2009.

Chairman, University of Manchester Computer Society, September 2004 – September 2005.

System Administrator, University of Manchester Computer Society, June 2004 – September 2005.