



# HACK THE BURG

SOOTLAND'S LARGEST HACKATHON

## PRIVACY POLICY

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# HackTheBurgh XII customer privacy notice

This privacy notice tells you what to expect us to do with your personal information.

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## Contact

Email @ [team@hacktheburgh.com](mailto:team@hacktheburgh.com)

## What information we collect, use, and why.

We collect or use the following information **for student education and welfare**

- Names and contact details for students
- Pronoun preferences
- Dietary requirements (including vegetarian, vegan, gluten free and halal requirements)
- Photographs
- Account access information
- CVs of attendees
- T-shirt sizes
- Year of study or alumni status
- Age
- Your place of study

We collect or use the following information **for information updates or marketing purposes:**

- Names and contact details
- Marketing preferences
- Photographs
- Website and app user journey information
- IP addresses
- Records of consent, where appropriate
- T-shirt sizes

We collect or use the following information **for recruitment purposes:**

- Contact details (eg name, address, telephone number or personal email address)
- Employment history (eg job application, employment references or secondary employment)
- Education history (eg qualifications)
- CVs
- Alumni status & year of study

We collect or use the following information to to **pass onto our sponsors** who may wish to recruit from attendees of HackTheBurgh XI:

- Names and contact details for students
- Pronoun preferences
- CV documents
- University and year of study

## Lawful bases and data protection rights

Under UK data protection law, we must have a "lawful basis" for collecting and using your personal information. There is a list of possible lawful bases in the UK GDPR. You can find out more about lawful bases on the ICO's website.

Which lawful basis we rely on may affect your data protection rights which are in brief set out below. You can find out more about your data protection rights and the exemptions which may apply on the ICO's website:

- Your right of access - You have the right to ask us for copies of your personal information. You can request other information such as details about where we get personal information from and who we share personal information with. There are some exemptions which means you may not receive all the information you ask for. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to rectification - You have the right to ask us to correct or delete personal information you think is inaccurate or incomplete. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to erasure - You have the right to ask us to delete your personal information. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to restriction of processing - You have the right to ask us to limit how we can use your personal information. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to object to processing - You have the right to object to the processing of your personal data. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to data portability - You have the right to ask that we transfer the personal information you gave us to another organisation, or to you. [You can read more about this right here.](#)
- Your right to withdraw consent - When we use consent as our lawful basis you have the right to withdraw your consent at any time. [You can read more about this right here.](#)

If you make a request, we must respond to you without undue delay and in any event within one month. To make a data protection rights request, please contact us using the contact details at the top of this privacy notice

# Our lawful bases for the collection and use of your data

Our lawful bases for collecting or using personal information to provide services and goods are:

- Consent - we have permission from you after we gave you all the relevant information. All of your data protection rights may apply, except the right to object. To be clear, you do have the right to withdraw your consent at any time

## Where we get personal information from

Directly from you

## How long we keep information

We keep your data on file, for up to 365 days from the 1st of November 2025.

## How long we keep information

Others we share personal information with

- Other relevant third parties:
- Contact details and CVs will be shared with our sponsor companies.

## How to complain

If you have any concerns about our use of your personal data, you can make a complaint to us using the contact details at the top of this privacy notice. If you remain unhappy with how we've used your data after raising a complaint with us, you can also complain to the ICO.

### **The ICO's address:**

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House

Water Lane

Wilmslow

Cheshire

SK9 5AF

Helpline number: 0303 123 1113

Website: <https://www.ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint>

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