

A background image showing a group of diverse high school students sitting at long tables in a workshop or classroom setting, focused on their work. The image is slightly blurred and has a dark overlay to make the text stand out.

Location: D.C. Metro Area
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Date: June 25th-26th, 2016
Attendees: 400+ Students

DCHacks II

Introduction

DCHacks is the **largest** high school hackathon on the eastern seaboard. *What are hackathons?* Hackathons are 24-hour events in which students get together, learn, and build innovative software and hardware products. Near the end of the event, teams will pitch their projects to a panel of judges. Each product will be evaluated on design, creativity, technicality, and pitch.

The skills and connections gained by the students will stay with them for a lifetime. At DCHacks, first-time hackers are an integral part of the event; these students will go from having no knowledge of programming to building a full-fledged app by the end of the hackathon! Furthermore, in order to assist both novice and advanced hackers, there will be workshops, mentors, and other resources available at the event.

Sponsorship

Sponsoring DCHacks is hands down the most powerful recruiting effort your company can make to hire student interns. The hackathon audience is composed of the best and brightest programmers, engineers, and designers from across the country, and at DCHacks, you can directly interact with these **talented potential hires**.

Your company will also have its **software tools and APIs** *front and center* for students to explore and use in their own projects. DCHacks is an excellent expansion opportunity: we target an audience of elite hackers who will use your product to build the next generation of awesome apps and products.

Lastly, by sponsoring events like this one, your company is promoting computer science and STEM education among high school students. The skills that these students gain and refine will be used to create some of the most powerful applications. By sponsoring, you are essentially building the future of the world.

How you can help

- > Donate money directly to DCHacks. This gives us flexibility to spend money where we need it the most.
- > Sponsor a meal.
- > Send evangelists or engineers to the event to help mentor and inspire students.
- > Sponsor tools for students to use during the event (e.g. subscriptions, hardware).
- > We're always looking for new and exciting additions to the event. Feel free to contact us with any sponsorship ideas or suggestions you may have.

Help us make DCHacks **an incredible experience for learning and creation**. Below you can find our sponsorship packages. Please contact us at sponsor@dchacks.org if you have any questions, wish to sponsor the event, or want to chat with a DCHacks organizer.

Sponsorship Tiers

	Kilo	Mega	Giga	Tera
	\$1000	\$2000	\$5000	\$8000
General				
Mentor On-site	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
API Demo		Yes	Yes	Yes
Reserved Table		Yes	Yes	Yes
Host a Tech Talk			Yes	Yes
Closing Talk			2 min	5 min
Keynote				Yes
Recruiting				
Material Distribution	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Access to Resumes		Yes	Yes	Yes
Recruiters On-site			Yes	Yes
Dinner with Hackers				Yes
Branding				
Logo on Website	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Branded Prize		Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on T-shirt		Yes	Yes	Yes
Co-Hosted by You				Yes
Swag				
Swag Distribution	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes