

Ada Lovelace (1815-1852)



Software pioneer who was critical to the invention of the Internet, wrote several books covering topics like network routing



Grace Hopper (1906-1992)



Computer scientist, software developer and programmer who developed on-board flight software for NASA's Apollo space program



Margaret Hamilton (b. 1936)



First computer programmer, helped develop the operating instructions for Charles Babbage's Analytical Engine



Ayanna Howard (b. 1972)



Computer scientist, Yale Ph.D, and United States Navy Rear Admiral who pioneered computer programming.



Radio Perlman (b. 1951)



Robotics professor at Georgia Tech, developed robots for NASA that have been on Mars



Sister Mary Kenneth Keller (1913-1985)



First woman to receive a PhD in Computer Science, developer of BASIC (Beginner's All-Purpose Symbolic Instruction Code)