



Today's Lesson

Programming Zero
to
Parallel Hero
...in Six Hours



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CALENDAR

July
2 weeks



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Summer Scholars

Summer Scholars participants spend two intense weeks in one of the programs of study listed below. Each class is limited to 20 students, keeping the classes small and the personal attention from Notre Dame faculty high.

The coursework is both rigorous and rewarding. Students will complete work for their track outside designated class times, as they would in any college setting. Yet there is ample time to enjoy the social facets of college life, especially those unique to Notre Dame. Our participants praise the program for its capacity to bring them out of their comfort zone with challenging academics, as well as inspire and excite them by providing a taste of what college life can be in all aspects. Students are eligible to receive one college credit upon completion of a program track.

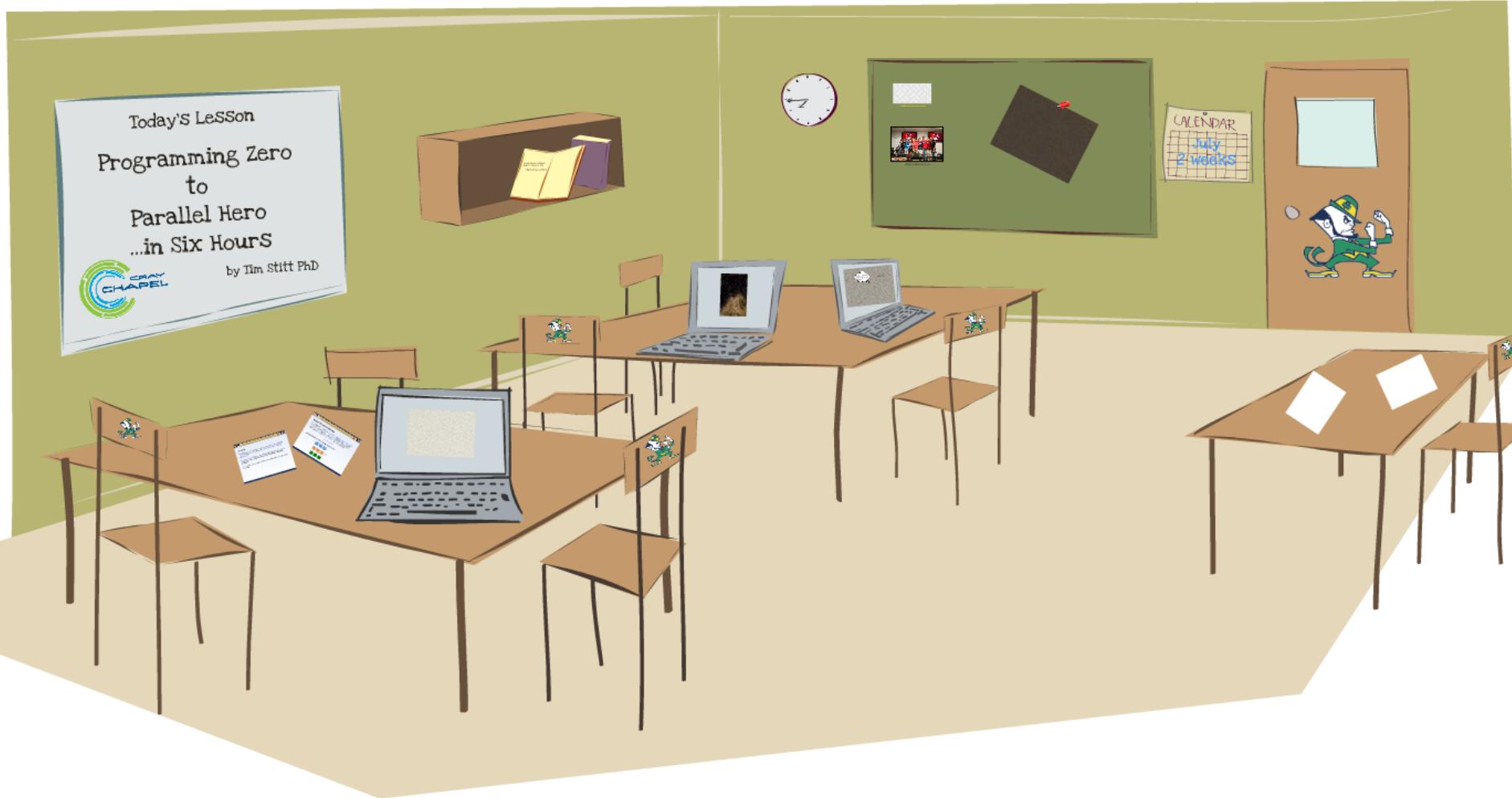
Program Date: June 28 - July 12, 2014



<http://precollege.nd.edu/Summer-Scholars/>



Summer Scholars Group 2011

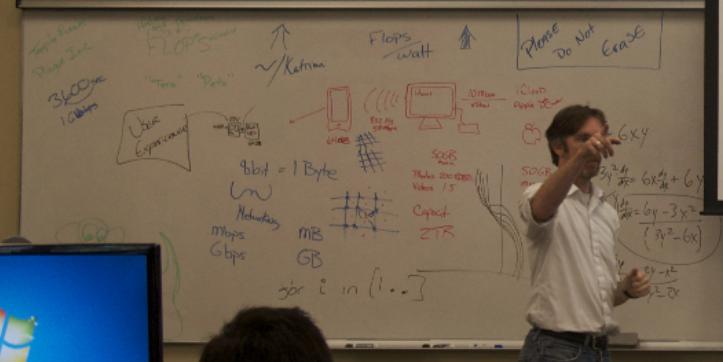


ALL PRESENTATIONS WILL BE HELD IN ROOM 302 (JORDAN HALL OF SCIENCE) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
July 1-12, 2013 – Research Computing Expeditions					
1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
9:00 – 9:10 <i>Welcome</i> (Dr. Jarek Nabrzyski)	9:00 – 10:00 <i>Research Computing Software</i>	9:00 – 12:00 Field Trip to Union Station Data Center		9:00 – 12:00 <i>Research Computing Software</i> <u><i>(LAB)</i></u>	
9:10 – 10:15 <i>Research Computing Intro</i>	Operating Systems for High-Performance Computing Environments (Rich Sudlow, Steve Bogol)			Programming Supercomputers Part I (Dr. Tim Stitt)	
Research Computing: The Third Pillar of Science (Dr. Tim Stitt)					
10:45 – 12:00 <i>Research Computing Hardware</i>	10:15 – 12:00 <i>Research Computing Application</i> <u><i>(LAB)</i></u>		NO CLASSES		
Essential HPC Hardware and Communications (Dr. Paul Brenner)	Student Projects (Dr. Paul Brenner)				
LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH	
1:15 – 2:30 <i>Research Computing Application</i>	1:00 – 1:45 <i>Research Computing Hardware</i>	1:00 - 4:00 <i>Cluster Building</i> <u><i>(LAB)</i></u>		1:00 – 4:00 <i>Research Computing Software</i> <u><i>(LAB)</i></u>	
Animation, Rendering and Visual Effects on Clusters (Ramzi Bualuan)	HPC File-systems and Storage (Serguei Federov)	How To Build Your Own HPC Cluster (Rich Sudlow, Steve Bogol)		Programming Supercomputers Part II (Dr. Tim Stitt)	
2:45 – 4:00 <i>Research Computing Application</i>	2:00 – 4:00 <i>Research Computing Application</i>				
“Finding genes associated with complex diseases and traits with HPC” (Patrick Miller, Dan McArthur)	Numerical Weather Prediction and Hurricane Modeling. (Dr. Ed. Bensman)				

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8th 09:00 – 12:00 <u>Research Computing Application (LAB)</u> A Introduction to Mathematical Modeling in MATLAB (Aaron Donahue)	9th 9:00 - 12:00 <u>Research Computing Software (LAB)</u> A Crash Course in Python Programming (David Pettifor)	10th 9:00 - 18:30 Argonne National Lab Tour and Navy Pier Visit	11th 9:00 – 10:30 <u>Research Computing Application</u> High Performance Computing in Finance and Economics (Dr. Jeff Thruk)	12th 9:00 – 10:00 Tour of Nano-Fabrication Facility. (Yaakov Sloman) 10:00 – 11:00 (AGR-CRC) Project Reports	13th STU-DENTS DEPART
LUNCH 1:00 – 2:30 <u>Research Computing Software</u> GPGPU Programming/Visualization (Chris/James Sweet)	LUNCH 1:00 - 4:00 <u>Research Computing Application (LAB)</u> Agent-Based Modeling with Repast (Dr. Paul Brenner)		LUNCH 1:00 – 2:15 <u>Research Computing Application</u> High Performance Computing in Fluid Mechanics (Dr. Aleks Jemcov)		NO AFTERNOON CLASSES
 2:45 – 4:00 <u>Research Computing Application</u> Particle Physics on the Grid: The CERN CMS Experiment at Notre Dame (Prof. Mike Hildreth)			2:30 – 4:00 <u>Research Computing Application</u> Tour of Education Technology Lab (Paul Turner)		



Procedures, by example

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- Example to compute the area of a circle

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def area(radius: real): real {
    return 3.14 * radius**2;
}

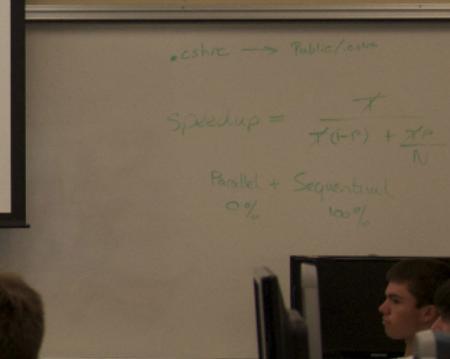
writeln(area(2.0)); // 12.56
```

Argument and return types can be omitted

- Example of argument default values, naming

```
def writeCoord(x: real = 0.0, y: real = 0.0) {
    writeln((x,y));
}

writeCoord(2.0); // (2.0, 0.0)
writeCoord(y=2.0); // (0.0, 2.0)
writeCoord(y=2.0, 3.0); // (3.0, 2.0)
```









WOW..that actually
worked...and it was
Simple!

Chapel...WTF!



Chapel Cluster Challenge

The STREAM benchmark (<http://www.cs.virginia.edu/stream/>) is a well-known measurement technique for evaluating high-performance computers. The STREAM benchmark performs the following simple mathematical operation on three (3) one-dimensional arrays:

$$A = B + \alpha \bullet C$$

Example (with 3 element arrays and $\alpha=2.0$)

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} B & \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} & & & \\ & + & + & + & \\ C & \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} & \times 2.0 & & \\ & = & = & = & \\ A & \begin{array}{ccc} 3 & 6 & 9 \end{array} & & & \end{array}$$



Challenge:

Parallelize the (non-parallel) Chapel implementation of the STREAM benchmark stored in the source file </usr/local/chapel/challenge/stream.chpl>.

The winner will be based on the best timing achieved for the problem using your cluster. (*Note: the elegance of your solution will also be important*).

Your entry should consist of wallclock timings obtained across 1,2 and 4 Locales.

Compete at XSEDE12 Student Programming Competition

- Chapel language of choice