How to Run Sustainable and Effective Computing Summer Camps
Barbara Ericson from Georgia Tech will lead a webinar and two workshops this fall. She is the Director of Computing Outreach and has been running non-residential computing summer camps since 2004. These camps are financially self-sustaining and achieve statistically significant changes in students’ attitudes toward computing and their knowledge of computing concepts.

Who can attend?
Workshops are open to college and university faculty or staff, non-profits that run camps at colleges and universities, and high school computing teachers. People can participate in person or attend remotely using Blackboard Collaborate (webinar software). To attend remotely you will just need a browser and a connection to the Internet.

What will I learn?
- What to consider when starting or expanding computing summer camps for 4th-12th graders
- Equipment/tools that can be used in camps
- Details on how to run, advertise, and evaluate the camps
- How to apply for up to $4,999.99 in seed funds. We have a total of $45,000 in seed funds for equipment for the camps thanks to a generous gift from Oracle and funds from NSF. Only those from ECEP partner and associate states (AL, CA, CT, GA, IN, MA, MD, NH, PR, SC, TX, and UT) can apply for the seed funds for equipment.

Cost?
These workshops are free and we have limited funds to reimburse for up to $100 in expenses for travel to the workshop for people (only from partner and associate states) who live more than 30 miles away.

How do I apply?
Please fill out an application at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HTRASC15

WEBINAR
October 28, 2015
8PM - 9PM EDT

WORKSHOP 1
@ University of Texas in Austin
November 21, 2015
10AM - 3PM CST
(Lunch will be provided)

WORKSHOP 2
@ University of Maryland, Baltimore County
December 6, 2015
12PM - 5PM EST
(Lunch will be provided)