



## IRIBE INITIATIVE FOR INCLUSION & DIVERSITY IN COMPUTING

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# Updates & Upcoming Events from I4C

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Hello,

Welcome back!

The Iribe Initiative for Inclusion and Diversity in Computing (aka I4C) aims to create a vibrant, inclusive community of students, educators, and researchers coming together to increase the involvement—and success—of underrepresented populations interested in computing.

This semester, our team of faculty, staff, and students are ready to support you in your academic journey at UMD. Throughout the year, we plan to offer a blend of in person, hybrid, and virtual events and opportunities programming to support you.

I4C has specific resources and support for students who identify as women or non-binary. You can connect through these resources in the following ways:

- [Bi-weekly newsletters](#)
- [DICE Lounge Slack](#)
- [LinkedIn](#)
- [Instagram](#)
- [Twitter](#)
- Come visit us in the DICE Lounge (IRB 1104)

This semester together with **Break Throug Tech** we are offering opportunities, events and programs that aim to propel underrepresented populations into computer science degrees and careers, you can see more information above and you can visit our website [here](#).

We hope that this newsletter is beneficial during your time as a student, and it helps to guide you through different areas of support that exist within the UMD computing community and beyond. If you wish to include information in this newsletter, or if you need any additional support, please email [i4C@umd.edu](mailto:i4C@umd.edu). Please let us know how we can best support you during the Fall 2021 semester.

Join us!

Come meet the staff, student leaders, and other students throughout the next 3 weeks. We will have several in-person social events in the I4C DICE Lounge(IRB 1104). See more below.



Check out these upcoming jobs, scholarships, events, and opportunities.

## Jobs and Scholarships

- **Apply for the Fall 2021 Peer & Alumni Mentoring Program** -Gain peer-to-peer support and engage with students and alumni who have similar interests and career goals. You'll have access to professional development, academic and social events, and be able to network with our I4C Corporate Partners.
  - Peer Mentoring Info Session: September 3, 12-1 p.m. (Virtual)
  - Peer Mentoring Application Deadline: September 15
  - Peer & Alumni Mentoring Kick-Off: September 24, 4-5 p.m. (In-person)



- **I4C Diversity Conference Scholarships, including Tapia, oSTEM, and AfroTech.** [Apply here »](#) Did you already receive a scholarship from another source? Awesome, please let us know in this [form](#).
- **Apply for Sprinternships®** – Applications are open! Sprinternships is a paid mini-internship experience and a series of career development workshops. [More information and application.»](#)

## Events and Opportunities

- **I4C 1:1 tutoring and GSS sessions,** [More information and registration.»](#)



- **The Black Is Tech Conference 2021**, Sep 20, 2021, 12:00 PM - Sep 24, 2021, 7:00 PM. [More information and registration.»](#)
- **Google OnAir** Grow with Google OnAir offers free virtual workshops to help you get the most out of digital tools and. [More information.»](#)
- **Girls Who Code Hiring Summit**, is an event focused on college internships and entry-level technical jobs for women and non-binary people. Sept 15th. [Register here »](#)
- **Meet and Greet:** I4C and BTT, AWC, and Technica Sept 9th, 5:00-6:30pm. [Register here »](#)



## Students organizations

- **The Association for Women in Computing (AWC)** is an organization that aims to provide a diverse social and academic space for students interested in technology. Join their Slack [here](#). You can also follow them on Instagram ([@umdawc](#)) and check out their website [here](#).
- **The UMD chapter of Out in STEM (oSTEM)** is an organization dedicated to the social and professional development of LGBTQ+ students pursuing a STEM degree. They host exciting events from potlucks to Q&A panels throughout the year. To stay up to date with the club, join them [here](#).
- **UMD Hack4impact** Are you interested in social goods and technology? Apply for UMD HACK4IMPACT Partner with nonprofits to engineer, design, and develop [Apply here »](#)
- **UMD Association for Computing Machinery ice cream social**, chat with fellow students while enjoying ice cream. Sept 2nd, 6:00-8:00 PM [RSVP here »](#)
- **Technica**: This past year has kept us physically apart from each other while still keeping us virtually connected. Here at Technica, we are and always have been a family, and now it's time to bring everyone back together. #WelcomeHome. November 13 - 14, 2021 Register [here](#).
- **The XR Club** provides students with cutting-edge resources and opportunities to explore virtual, augmented, and mixed reality through hands-on tutorials, projects, hackathons, game nights, open lab hours, mentor office hours, and more! All students are welcome, regardless of major or experience level. Register on [TerpLink](#) and join their [Discord server](#) to stay updated.
- **Code Black** is a student organization, at UMD striving to increase the success of underrepresented students in the tech industry. Join them [here](#).
- **NeuroTech@UMD** is a new student organization focused on neurotechnologies like brain-computer interfaces (BCIs). For more info, you can check out their [TerpLink](#) page. Also, feel free to reach out to [neurotech.umd@gmail.com](mailto:neurotech.umd@gmail.com) with any questions.

## Employer Spotlight: M&T Tech



- **Employer Office Hours Sept 9th from 10:00-2:00 pm** [RSVP](#)
  - M&T Technology Recruiting Video [M&T Technology Recruiting Video](#)
  - M& T Tech Hub Reveal <https://www3.mtb.com/landing-pages/m-t-tech-hub-reveal>
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