

Application

Postmark or fax deadline: February 26th, 2010

Please mail or fax the completed application, one teacher letter of recommendation, and your one-page essay to:

Dr. Sebastian van Delden
Division of Math and Computer Science
USC Upstate
Spartanburg, SC 29303
Fax #: 864-503-5930

Contact Dr. van Delden if you do not receive within one week of submitting your application an e-mail confirming receipt of the application.



To motivate high-achieving, Upstate South Carolina high school students with a proven record of accomplishment to explore the possibilities of a career in the exciting fields of computer science and information technology.

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Gender: Male [] Female []

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Home address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Student's cell phone: _____

Student's email (required for confirmation of receipt of application):

Parent/guardian's email: _____

Parent/guardian's cell phone: _____

Name of high school: _____

Grade: Freshman [] Sophomore [] Junior []

List your highest scores:
PSAT or SAT Verbal: _____ PSAT or SAT Math: _____ ACT Composite: _____

T-shirt size: S [] M [] L [] XL [] XXL [] Check here for fitted t-shirt style: []

Interests and activities

Check your top three career/occupational interests from the following list of options:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business/Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Food services/Hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> Public health administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Public/Media relations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Creative/Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Journalism | <input type="checkbox"/> Sales |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal | <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific research |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing | <input type="checkbox"/> Security intelligence & analysis |

List any high school computer science-related classes or workshops you have taken:

List three colleges you are considering attending:

State your career cluster and, if applicable, your career major:

Along with this completed application, please submit the following:

- 1) A one-page essay on the following topic: *How information technology might impact my career.*
- 2) One teacher letter of recommendation.

To be completed by a guidance counselor

Counselor's name: _____ Phone: _____

1) Applicant's class rank: _____ in a class of _____ students.

2) Applicant's current GPA: _____.

3) Has this applicant taken honors, advanced placement or IB courses? Yes: No:

Signature: _____

Email: _____

Parental Permission Form

This program is held on the campuses of Furman University and USC Upstate. It incorporates three Saturdays from approximately 8:30 am until 4 pm depending on the itinerary. By signing this form you are indicating that you are the primary caregiver of the child named on this form and that you give your permission for that child to attend the Upstate Information Technology Camp. Your signature also means that you acknowledge that you, as a parent or primary caregiver, are responsible for the transportation of your student to and from the program. You further acknowledge that for any reason you may be called upon to pick up the student at an earlier time if necessary.

If your student is selected for this program, a detailed description of events planned for those days will be mailed prior to the scheduled weekends. You will also be asked to sign another permission slip that will outline the rights and responsibilities of the Furman and USC Upstate program staff and attendees.

Parent/guardian name (printed): _____ Phone: _____

Parent/guardian name (signature): _____