Codestellation

Fall 2015

SPONSORS AND MENTORS

What is Codestellation?

Codestellation is a bi-annual hackathon held at Brandeis University and organized by BITMAP.

Our first event took place last spring and was one of the largest computer science events that ever occurred at Brandeis. With 30% women attendees, 50% first-timers, and 100% great hacks, Codestellation Spring 2015 was a huge success. The Codestellation Team is excited to be back for another semester, this time expanding our event to both beginners and seasoned veterans.

If you are an individual, company, or organization that values stepping out of your comfort zone to learn new things and supporting the community of makers, we would love to partner with you.

Why sponsor?

Hackathons have exploded in popularity recently, and it seems like every school is hosting one. With all the choices, why should you sponsor Codestellation?

We believe what sets Codestellation apart from other hackathons is its dedication to strengthening the maker community through inclusivity and diversity. Spending time on a project, creating something out of nothing, and finally seeing the hours of work pay off is a great feeling. Meeting new people in the maker community that empower you to keep learning and growing is a great feeling. When hackathons are reduced to prizes and only the very best programmers are celebrated, those that don't feel comfortable or welcome in those environments are unlikely to attend or join the community.

Codestellation is about strengthening that community and making it available to everyone again. We are looking for sponsors that share our core values of inclusivity and community. If this sounds like you, consider sponsoring us. The sponsorship tiers we've outlined on the next page go into further detail about what perks you will receive for each sponsorship amount. These tiers are only a template to jump off from - we are very willing to change things around and make it work for everyone.

Mentorship

If sponsorship isn't an option but you would still like to get involved, we urge you to consider mentoring. Anyone with technical experience can be a mentor, as long as they are willing to answer questions and give help during the event. Mentors are very valuable to attendees and really make Codestellation the event that it is.

For individuals that are interested in mentoring, the application is on the same eventbrite link as general registration. If you sign up to be a mentor, send us a quick email (or we'll send you one after we get your application) to say hello!

If you are a company that is unable to sponsor but would like to send mentors, send us an email. We'd love to have awesome engineers at our event repping the company they work for even if sponsoring hackathons might not be within the budget of that company.

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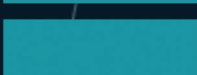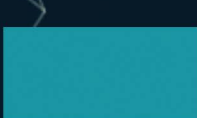
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Presentation					✔
NAMING RIGHTS					
Sponsor special event				✔	✔
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Sponsor a meal					✔