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TechCodes
Promoting Inclusivity in STEM to the Next Generation.

Brooklyn, NY - TechCodes was founded on the principles of stimulating innovation and curiosity within the Brooklyn Technical community through computer science. Now, throughout these unprecedented times, TechCodes has expanded this community, internationally for students of all backgrounds. TechCodes is a student-led 501(c)(3) organization that strives for engaging individuals through the use of programming to encourage out-of-the-box problem solving as well as team collaboration and communication. As much as the workload for many students has shifted from creative, collaborative work to dull and independent. At TechCodes, we are determined to confront these issues and create a community where students can share and build off each other, sharing a similar passion for programming.

Within the past month, TechCodes had their first in-person hackathon, Code Overflow. With this event, programmers had 24 hours in order to build a project centered around the theme of education. Within these 24 hours, multiple events took place, such as guest speakers and workshops which aided the participants in the hackathon as well as their careers in software engineering. Programmers throughout the city came together in order to compete and learn from each other, while having fun. Within this, 24 hour hackathon, they were able to build a community as well as learn from each other, while having a once in a lifetime experience. By learning from each other, TechCodes is able to create a community that can rely on each other in the present as well as the future.

This event would not be possible without the help from our sponsors who provided resources that funded our cause. We would like to thank DRW, Princeton and Linode for providing resources that made this event possible. We would also like to give a special thanks to the Sustainable United Neighborhoods, for providing a venue as well as aiding with the preparation of this event as well.

At TechCodes, we believe that each person can become curious and change the world by strengthening their knowledge by attending our guest speaker events, hackathons, competitions, weekly virtual programs, and would essentially be a step in the right direction for them and the future of computer science as a whole. Since everyone is curious in their own right, through our work, we hope that we can revive their interest in programming and that their passion will drive them to excel as the future of computer science unfolds.

A journey of a thousand miles starts with a single step, at TechCode, with your help, we could be that first step. To learn more, visit our website techcodes.org

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