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"Google" Summer of Code"

with:

Leslie Hawthorn Open Source Program Manager Google, Inc.

The *Google Summer of Code* is an annual program designed to introduce students to the world of open source software development. Google awards stipends to students who successfully complete a free software / open-source coding project during the summer.



The program invites students who meet their eligibility criteria to post applications that detail the project they wish to perform. These applications are then evaluated by the corresponding mentoring organization. Every participating organization must provide mentors for each of the project ideas received, if the organization is of the opinion that the project would benefit them. The mentors then rank the applications and submit the ranked list to Google.

About the speaker:

Leslie Hawthorn held various roles at Google prior to joining the Open Source Programs Office in March 2006. She manages the Google Summer of Code program and the Open Source Developers at Google Speaker Series. She also facilitates open source community meetings and hackathons at Google's Mountain View, California, USA headquarters. Proud to be known as Google's geek herder, Leslie holds a B.A. in English Language and Literature from the University of California at Berkeley.

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