

Welcome!



- Please introduce yourself, organization, and Collaborative in the chat box.
- What do you hope to get out of today's Collaborative Community Meeting?

May 9, 2018

Agenda

- Welcome
- Presentations by our Champions Board Members
 - Alberto Avalos and Daisy Madrigal (on behalf of Antonio Tijerino), Hispanic Heritage Foundation
 - Tiffany Brown, Urban Arts Collective and AIA
 - Jenn Behrens, KUMA and Verato
- Questions & Discussion
- Community Updates
- Closing

Welcome and Sharing



Hispanic Heritage Foundation: Coding as a Second Language



Alberto Avalos,
Innovation and Technology
Program Manager



Daisy Madrigal,
Coding as a Second Language
Coordinator



Code as a Second Language

A Hispanic Heritage Foundation Latinos On Fast Track (LOFT) Initiative

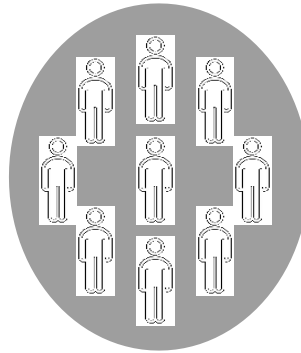
CSL Goals



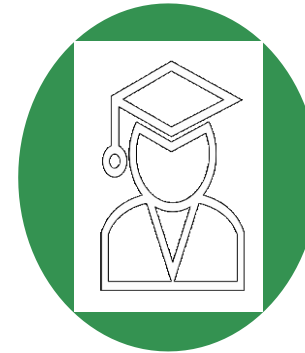
More graduates
with computer
science degrees



Increased pipeline
of Latinos in
STEM



Leverage
technology for
social impact



More students
attending college



Increase Grade
Point Average
(GPA)

Other CSLPrograms



LOFT Coder Summit– Cultivates and mobilizes ecosystem of Latino software engineers. Educates and arms participants with the appropriate skills for a job in the tech industry via workshops and mock interviews.



Hacking Careers in Tech – Through HACT, youth, who have been exposed to computer science and other fields, are able to connect with tech professionals and “hack” in an interactive way at what an actual career in the industry consists of and the path to get there (half-day sessions driven by the students’ questions, curiosities, perspectives and thought-process therefore creating a “hacking” energy)



LOFT Labs – Cultivates the ecosystem of Latino entrepreneurs and place on path become pipeline to more mature incubators



Video Game Challenge – Minority youths across US are challenged to develop video games and apps to address social issues impacting their communities, brought to Washington, DC, to present to top influencers at White House, Congress and thought- leaders and supported through grants and LOFT Labs

Mobile App Challenge – Minority youths across the country are challenged to develop apps and mentored through LOFT Network and supported through LOFT Labs to encourage Latinos to innovate, create content, and be tech entrepreneurs

Creating an Ecosystem



**CSL Jams, Boot
Camps, Academies,
App Challenges,
Hacking a Career, etc.**
(introduction to tech
fields across country for
students)



**Coder Summits,
LOFT LAB, LOFT
Network and other
events**
(connecting actual
programmers to each
other, resources, and
padrinos y madrinas)



LOFT SOURCE
(identify, prepare,
connect and place
members of the
network into
workforce)





Code as a Second Language

Urban Arts Collective, American Institute of Architects



Tiffany Brown,
Co-Founder – Urban Arts Collective
American Institute of Architects Representative

TIFFANY D. BROWN

Architectural Designer | Adjunct Professor | Community Engagement Extraordinaire

**Diversity in Architecture:
Battle for our Communities**
National Girls Collaborative Leadership

THE STATISTICS

[109, 748]

17,850

2,136

402

TOTAL LICENSED

LICENSED WOMEN

LICENSED AFRICAN AMERICANS

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**“CITIES HAVE THE CAPABILITY OF PROVIDING FOR
EVERYBODY, ONLY BECAUSE, AND ONLY WHEN, THEY
ARE CREATED BY EVERYBODY.”**



OUR DUTY AS PROFESSIONALS



AIA K-12 WORKING GROUP

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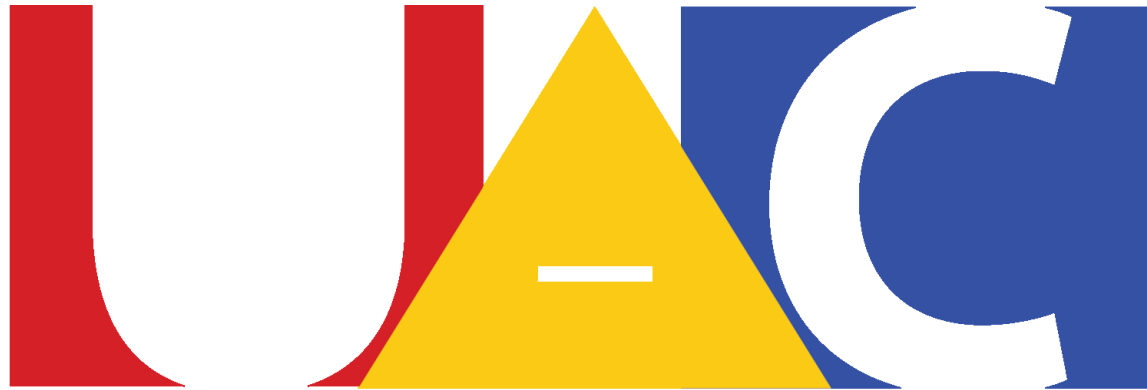
ARCHITECT AS ACTIVIST
SOCIAL ARCHITECTURE
EXPOSURE TO OUR YOUTH



Questions for Tiffany



The American Institute of Architects



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KUMA and Verato



Jenn Behrens,
Partner and Executive Vice President of Privacy for Kuma,
and Chief Privacy Officer for Verato

Cybersecurity and Privacy

KUMA 



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Community Updates

- Opportunity to submit a CSforAll Commitment
- Push for new newsletter subscribers:
 - Looking for exemplary resources on making #STEM education more equitable? Sign up her for the @NGCProject Newsletter: <https://bit.ly/2vufwgr>.
 - As a proud Leadership Team Member in the @NGCProject network, I encourage you to sign up for their newsletter, which is filled with valuable information and updates: <https://bit.ly/2vufwgr>.
 - In order to see more #WomeninSTEM and #WomeninTech, we must first support #GirlsinSTEM and #GirlsinCS. Join the movement by receiving the @NGCProject Newsletter: <https://bit.ly/2vufwgr>.

Next Meeting



Next Collaborative Leadership Teams Meeting:
June 13th