

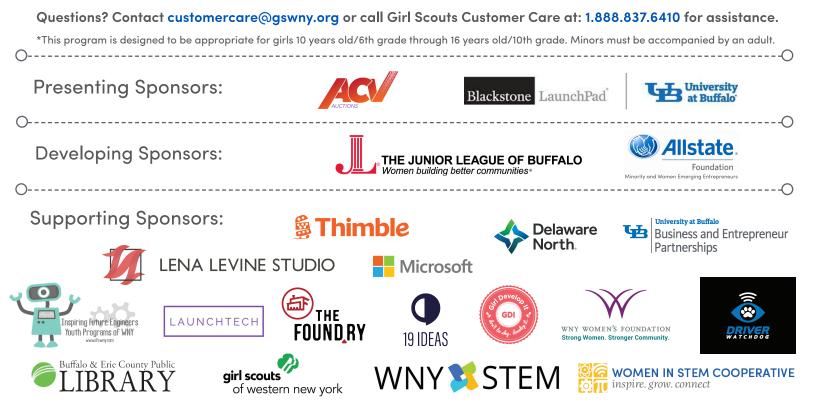
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April 14, 2018 10 AM – 2 PM

FREE PROGRAM includes food & swag

Buffalo & Erie County Public Library 1 Lafayette Square, Buffalo NY 14203 register at:

https://tinyurl.com/GirlsGetIT18



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Presented by the Organizing Committee for Girls Get IT Saturday, April 14, 2018, 10 AM – 2 PM Buffalo & Erie County Public Library ~ FREE PROGRAM, includes food & swag ~

Calling all Girl Founders for a screening of She Started IT

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http://www.shestarteditfilm.com/about-the-film/trailer

Blackstone LaunchPad at UB, a campus-based entrepreneurship center, is teaming up with leaders in the WNY area to host Girls Get IT in an effort to increase female engagement in STEM fields and entrepreneurship. The Girls Get IT event is scheduled for Saturday, April 14, 2018 at the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library.

Schedule of Events:

- 10:00 11:00 a.m. Film Screening of *She Started IT*, a documentary that highlights female presence in the field of technology startups
- 11:00 Noon Talk back discussion with WNY female founders in tech
- Noon 2:00 p.m. Interactive demonstrations & lunch

Bring yourself, we'll take care of the food & swag for a memorable event! Plan to...

- Explore opportunities in computing and technology sectors through hands-on activities
- Grow your network with other girls interested in IT
- Engage with WNY female founders and professionals in tech

Is there a fee to register?

No, the program is free!

Who should participate?

This program is designed to be appropriate for girls 10 years old (or 6th grade) through 16 years old (or 10th grade) but all are welcome to attend. Minors must be accompanied by an adult.

Will lunch be provided?

Yes, lunch will be provided for all program attendees.

Register to attend as a student or as a school group: http://tinyurl.com/GirlsGetIT18

Transportation:

Limited transportation grants are available to school districts, boys and girls clubs, etc. If interested, contact Hadar Borden, program director, at (716) 645-8175 or <u>hborden@buffalo.edu</u>.

Questions, contact:

Contact <u>customercare@gswny.org</u> or call Girl Scouts Customer Care at 1.888.837.6410 for assistance.

Girls Get IT is a collaboration between Blackstone LaunchPad at UB, ACV Auctions, 19 IDEAS, the Allstate Foundation, the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, UB College of Arts and Sciences, Delaware North, Driver Watchdog, The Foundry, Girl Develop IT, Girl Scouts, Inspiring Future Engineers, Junior League of Buffalo, LaunchTECH, Lena Levine studio, UB Office of Business & Entrepreneur Partnerships, UB School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Women in Science & Engineering (WiSE), WNY STEM, and the WNY Women's Foundation.