





Where: HRBB, Room 229

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## What does it include?

- C/C++/Java programming
- Programming problems
- Mini-Lectures on special topics

## I like it when you dereference me.

"Hey there, Baby. I'm \*p. I'm a little bit old, some might even call me mature. You know, it's nice to be dangling, but it's better to be null if I can't have any. My interests include pointing at objects and giving others the ability to insert them into more complex structures, if you know what I mean. Give me an address, I know you want to take me, initialize me, dereference me and throw me away, like I'm a piece of garbage waiting to be collected."

Like pointers? There are many kinds of people in the world, but we all know that it can all be reduced to the following: person->canCode()? true: false. If you evaluate to a non-zero integer, then you should **come to our ACM ICPC Programming contest practice**. Don't think that you're good enough? You may be surprised; with enough practice, you too can go to the ACM ICPC Regionals and **Beat the hell outta t.u.** We did it last year and we can do it this year, but we need your help.

Win great prizes and be the envy of you->potentialPartner()! Don't call delay()!