Subject: Google Summer of Code

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Hello all

Google Summer of Code is a program that awards with money students that work in approved Open Source projects.

To participate in it first the open source project has to apply to it as a "mentor organization".

The deadline for this is this Friday 12.

Main things to do are:

- Open a "ideas" page in web
- Fill the mentor organization questionnaire

There is few time and few opportunities to be approved but some of us think that we would have to try it.

If you can help please answer to this post ASAP.

We have only 4 days, so we have to be very constructive talking ONLY about "Applying to GSoC as a Mentoring Organization". Please put other discussions in other posts.

If you cannot participate this week but you have an idea for a project please post it, including:

- Project description
- Experience required to do it

Do not forget that there is few time to do the project ("summer of code") so please be specific including only projects to be finished in short time.

Some links:

- Google Summer of Code 2010 FAQ
 http://socghop.appspot.com/document/show/gsoc_program/google /gsoc2010
- "ideas" page examples:
- -- https://svn.boost.org/trac/boost/wiki/soc2009
- -- http://wiki.winehq.org/SummerOfCode
- -- http://wiki.wxwidgets.org/Development: Student Projects
- Selection criteria

http://socghop.appspot.com/document/show/program/google/gsoc 2009/orgcriteria

Advices for mentor organization
 http://code.google.com/p/google-summer-of-code/wiki/Advicefo rMentors

- Mentoring How To http://people.gnome.org/~federico/docs/summer-of-code-mentor ing-howto/index.html
- Mentoring experiences
- -- http://arstechnica.com/open-source/news/2008/01/netbsd4-inte rview.ars/8
- -- http://blog.musicbrainz.org/?p=310
- -- http://my.bzflag.org/gsoc/bzflag_gsoc2007_post_mortem.pdf