



YOUNG REWired STATE

Festival of Code 5-11 AUGUST 2013

"come together to create one thing that you all love and you're all passionate about"

Get involved!

To participate, you must sign up at
<https://youngrewiredstate.org>

Event hashtag: #YRS2013

Festival of Code Centres in Scotland

University of Aberdeen, Dept of Computer Science.
Contact: Bruce Scharlau (b.scharlau@abdn.ac.uk)

University of Edinburgh, School of Informatics
Contact: Ewan Klein (ewan@inf.ed.ac.uk)

sicsa* The Scottish Informatics &
Computer Science Alliance

SICSA Contact: admin@sicsa.ac.uk

About the Festival of Code

The Festival of Code is an annual event for young programmers up to the age of 18 and has taken place in the UK since 2009. It runs with the principles of community, open source and open data and is ultimately about finding and fostering every child interested in teaching themselves how to code. We want to create a network of young people supporting each other through learning and solving real world challenges.

Young Rewired State is led by Emma Mulqueeny (Founder of Rewired State), who is a Mum of two and has recently been voted onto the Wired 100 list and Tech City 100, together with a team of CRB-checked employees, vetted volunteers and part-time staff.

The way it works

Monday-Thursday:

- young people gather in centres across the UK
- we will introduce you to the sources of open data, from government and beyond
- prototype websites and apps are built for presentation at the weekend

Friday:

- everyone travels to Birmingham for an evening of pizza and talks
- stay overnight in designated spaces

Saturday:

- showcasing heats to panels of judges

Sunday:

- heat winners announced
- heat winners present to finale judging panel
- overall winners chosen/awards
- everyone goes home



CODING A BETTER
FUTURE

