

# Computer Optimization and Repair Seminar



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## Seminar Description

Join instructor Darrell Fortae, owner of Everlast Software, LLC, to learn the tools and techniques that computer experts use to fix and optimize computers. The Computer Optimization and Repair Seminar Series is made up of five seminars, each ranging from four to 12 hours. The majority of topics will be applied to Windows based computers, but some concepts are universal and will apply to Macintosh, Linux and mobile devices.

## Registration Information

Payment is due at the time of registration.

To register, call 217.524.6749 or email [cctc@llcc.edu](mailto:cctc@llcc.edu).

*If you would like to set up a special session for your employees, call 217.785.0477.*

## Location

LLCC-Capital City Training Center  
130 West Mason  
Springfield, IL 62702

## Cancellation Policy

Cancellations must be made 10 business days before the start of class. If less than five business days, the full course fee will be charged. Substitutions may be made at any time before the class begins.

## Computer Repair – Backups, Cloning and Data Recovery Seminar

Oct. 2 (four hours) • 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • \$75 • Novice Level

In this class you will learn what types of data threats/disasters exist; how to determine the health of your hard drive; where, when and how to backup data; what types of physical media exist for backups; how to clone an entire Windows system while it is up and running; how to clone any disk (including Mac OS X and Linux); how to recover deleted files and much more! You will also receive hands-on training.

## Computer Repair – Operating System Seminar

Oct. 4 (four hours) • 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • \$75 • Intermediate Level

In this class you will learn the difference between Windows processes and services, how to reset the Windows password for any local account, how to boot externally with a flash drive to repair operating system problems, how to recover deleted files, how to fix out of memory/low memory errors, how to copy files that are in use (locked by Windows) and much more! You will also receive hands-on training.

## Computer Repair – Malware Removal Seminar

Oct. 11, 16 & 18 (12 hours) • 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • \$225 • Advanced Level

*Attendees will receive a flash drive with the utilities that will be used during this seminar.*

In this class you will learn how to identify and stop haywire processes, how to find and remove malicious software that even antivirus software can't find, how to see if hackers are logged in to your computer and how to deal with them, how to boot from a flash drive to repair an offline infected computer, how to find what process has a file open (can't be deleted) and much more! You will also receive hands-on training.

## Computer Optimization – Operating System, File System and Network

Oct. 23 & 25 (eight hours) • 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • \$150 • Intermediate Level

*Attendees will receive a flash drive with the utilities that will be used during this seminar.*

In this class you will learn how to identify performance bottlenecks with your computer (CPU, memory, disk and network), how to identify and stop haywire processes, how to identify and stop resource hungry processes and services, how to configure Windows to get a performance boost, how to minimize corporate spying and telemetry collection, what disk defragmentation really is and what you need to do about it, how to format a drive for optimal performance, various ways to compress data on your drives to save disk space and much more! You will also receive hands-on training.

## Computer Optimization – Hardware Upgrades

Oct. 30 (four hours) • 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • \$75 • Novice Level

In this class you will learn the performance differences between a hard disk drive and a solid state drive, how to add RAM to a laptop or desktop; how to determine the health of your hard disk drive, how to gather hardware specifications on your computer and what they mean, how to format your drives for optimal speed, how hard drive adapters can be used to set up new drives, what the difference is between internal and external drives and ports and much more! You will also receive hands-on training.

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