NEW YORK (November 17, 2022) — Today, All Star Code has announced changes to its organizational leadership and board of directors. After devoting nearly a decade towards helping young men of color acquire financial independence and social mobility through the power of code, Christina Lewis, All Star Code's founder, is departing All Star Code's board and leadership team to focus on future entrepreneurial and philanthropic endeavors.

All Star Code is grateful to Christina for her immense contribution to improving access, equity, and advancement for young men of color across the technology industry.

The remaining board members will work alongside All Star Code's leadership team to work toward bringing in new, independent, and diverse perspectives to help strengthen the organization's governance and continued pursuit of its mission. All Star Code Executive Director Danny Rojas has assumed full responsibility for all day-to-day operations and will oversee the nationwide expansion of All Star Code's programming.

"We greatly appreciate Christina's work in building and shaping everything All Star Code has become," said Rojas. "We wish her all the best with the next phase of her impactful work and look forward to continuing to develop All Star Code into one of the nation's leading tech education and advancement catalysts for young men of color."

Since 2013, All Star Code has graduated over 1,300 young men of color from its program, with 95% of graduates attending two or four-year colleges with the majority studying computer science or a CS-related field. However, despite the program's success, Black Americans remain only 7% of the tech workforce, while only 8% of tech jobs are held by Hispanic and Latino Americans. There remains significant work to be done to close the racial equity gap in the technology industry. All Star Code is committed to working toward making that happen.

Learn more about All Star Code's mission, leadership, and current board of directors here.

About All Star Code
All Star Code is a nonprofit organization founded in 2013 that empowers young men of color with the skills, networks, and mindsets needed to pursue careers in technology. Its goal is to close the tech entrepreneurship gap in the United States by developing a pipeline of diverse talent. Headlined by its flagship six-week Summer Intensive program, All Star Code exposes talented students to the technology industry through a culturally responsive computer science curriculum that places focus on entrepreneurial skills and a growth mindset.

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