

What the Tech? Learn Basic Electronic Component Function

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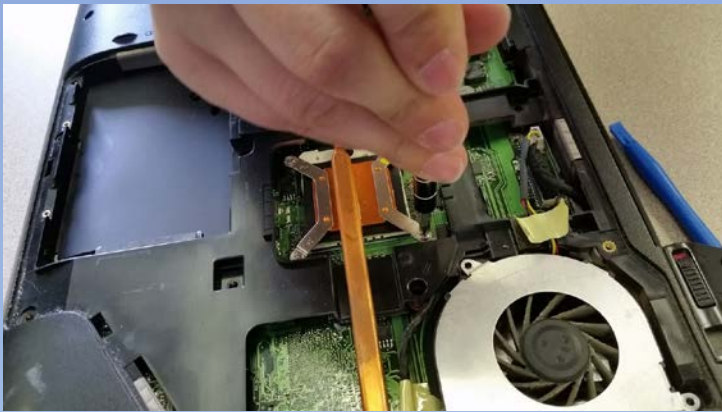
What is the Illini Gadget Garage?

- Project of ISTC technical assistance program, in collaboration with iSchool, School of Art+Design
- Facilitates “do-it-together” troubleshooting & repair for personally-owned electronics & small appliances with electronic components
- Guidance from staff & volunteers + our tools
- Physical workshop on campus with regular open hours
- “Pop-up” repair clinics at other locations on and off campus



Workshop at 1833 S. Oak St. Champaign, IL 61820
(in Research park). Map at
<http://tinyurl.com/guv4n9z>.





Illini Gadget Garage Goals/Benefits

- Extend the useful life of consumer electronic & electrical products
- Conserve natural & human resources invested in product manufacture
- Stem the tide of e-waste generation
- Contribute to campus waste reduction & reduced carbon footprint goals
- Empower consumers to see repair, rather than replacement, as a viable option
- Provide experiential learning for UI students
- Provide related information on recycling, repair, reuse options
- Engage consumers in relevant sustainability discussions with tangible, relatable examples



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