



## COMPUTER SECURITY – PART III of X

Briefly today, a particular problem has gone long unnoticed in the computer and information security world. AUP. What is AUP? It stands for acceptable use policy. The Internet in 1993 when commercialized professed AUP as a stronghold for command & control @ the ISP / MEGAPOP over Ethernet at OC-192+. The world should return to that model. It is Superior. My accordian effect living philosophy of local versus central control never departs us.

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Today we learned about ICT - Information and communications technology (Wikipedia, 2011). This is a global initiative that was shared at the TMCC IT advisory meeting at Redfield Campus in South Reno in collaboration with BATECH and California CCC (COECC, 2011). Mountain Computers is an advisory member to this institution. This is part of a NSF nationwide grant that seeks to provide funding for research and collaboration towards a new era of education and technology for the student and the workforce. If you are an employer, you should look into the ICT initiative in your area and how to find employees both right out of college or university and those in the existing community focused on ICT Professional certificates to enhance their existing job skill sets and professional development goals.

## END OF YEAR DONATION SUGGESTIONS & REMINDERS

Mountain Computers end of year donations to non-profits are as follows based on our mission and vision:

1. One's alma matre - Oregon Institute of Technology, specifically, Computers Systems Engineering Dept.
2. Lifelong Learning mission - our choices are Wikipedia in lieu of Washoe County Library System without outlet.
3. Help those treated unjustly through the legal channels - our choice is Washoe Legal Services, Reno NV
4. Help those with dependency problems; no one is exempt - our choice is Bristlecone Family Resources, Reno NV
5. Help children and parents at a very specific level of need - our choice is For Kids Foundation, Reno NV

In years past, Mountain Computers has donated time & resources without note. This year, we decided to share. In years past, our resources were limited and we responded to requests. However in review; those requests were not in line with our vision and mission as a public and private organization. The people we serve need our direct support and in turn must be in line with our vision and mission locally and globally. We hope to expand in future years.

## REFERENCES

COECC, 2011 ; on the worldwide web; [http://www.coecc.net/Environmental\\_Scans/ict3\\_scan\\_sfbay\\_11.pdf](http://www.coecc.net/Environmental_Scans/ict3_scan_sfbay_11.pdf) & <http://www.coecc.net/>

Wikipedia, 2011 ; On the worldwide web ; <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ICT>

## BUILD TO ORDER PC - PART VIII

This week we will report two build to orders computers delivered.

1) Biz Order - i7 3.4Ghz core, P8Z68V Pro/Gen3 board, 2TB SATAIII HDD, 16GB DDR3 RAM, 750W P/S, Windows 7 Professional 64 bit. A fierce system. Windows 7 OS installed < 11 minutes, assembly & OEM All & Tune-up - 4 hours; ~\$1650.

2) Customer provided parts for a BTO; existing case, and needed assistance with removal of old parts and assembly to POST and then operating system load (8 hours). Good parts: i5 core, 8GB DDR3 RAM, existing 250GB SATAII 7200 Hard drive, 850W P/S, GTX 550 PCIex monster video, monster fan, and Windows 7 Professional 64 bit. \$150 build charge, and had to upgrade IDE DVD-RW to SATAII type since board did not offer IDE. +~\$26.



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