

Academy of Computing and Information Technology (ACIT)
Subsidiary of Steadfast Christian Academy

Background:

- ❖ R. Derek Otieno has been a CIS (Computer Information Systems) college professor for over 28 years. Most of these years were served as an adjunct professor, while actively engaged in the technology industry.
- ❖ He has been teaching computer classes at the high school level for the past 6 years.
- ❖ He has been an AP Computer Science Reader for ETS (Education Testing Service) since 2005.

Mission:

- ❖ To be of service to the home-schooling parents as well as private schools by providing quality online pre-AP as well as AP Computer Science classes. The current course offerings may be found at www.acit.us.com .
- ❖ To increase awareness and enrollment of home schooled students in AP Computer Science.
- ❖ To increase participation of home schooled students in the annual Web Challenge web design contest (<http://www.webchallenge.org>). Web Challenge is a state-wide contest in the state of Georgia among high school students, and is managed by TAG (Technology Association of Georgia). I have secured approval, from the Web Challenge director Mr. Wayt King, for my online students to participate in this contest even though they are from across the country.
- ❖ To work closely with Georgia Tech's College of Interactive Computing outreach program to increase participation of home schooled students in their summer programs.

You are invited to take a look at the current course offerings and email us at dotieno@bellsouth.net or dotieno@acit.us.com to let us know your interests, give us your feedback, and ask any questions. You may also call me directly at (678) 677-2517.