## Online Seminar Series on Programming in Mathematics Education

## Friday, June 19, 2020, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm EDT

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Mapping a Way Forward for Computing and Mathematics: Reflections on the UCL ScratchMaths Project

In England, computing (including a sizeable component of programming) is compulsory for all students from age 6 to 16 years old. In this talk, we briefly describe the UCL ScratchMaths research project, which started in 2014, and developed a 2-year curriculum for 9-11year olds in England aligned to the mandatory national computing and national mathematics primary curricula. We will share the project's findings derived from its internal and external evaluations, reflect on limitations, offer what we judge to be exemplary tasks and finally, suggest fruitful next steps for research and practice.



Professor Dame Celia Hoyles, Chair of Mathematics Education (UCL), and Emeritus Professor (UCL) Richard Noss's research focuses on the design of computer-based environments for the learning of mathematics. They are co-directors of the ScratchMaths project investigating teaching programming to support elementary students' computational and mathematical thinking.

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