

BRONZEVILLE HERITAGE HUNT

Games have always been an important part of our social lives, but now with the advent of social media and mobile devices, they are more useful as a social tool than ever. Our IPRO recognizes this, and believes that traditional games like the ones we grew up with have the potential to not only engage a community, but advance it in ways we had never before thought possible. Our team has thus taken two games that a lot of people have tried, crossword puzzles and scavenger hunts, and put them together in order to help people better understand the Bronzeville area, helping IIT students better understand the community we should be closer to, and help promote the area's major cultural and historical heritage as the Black Metropolis.

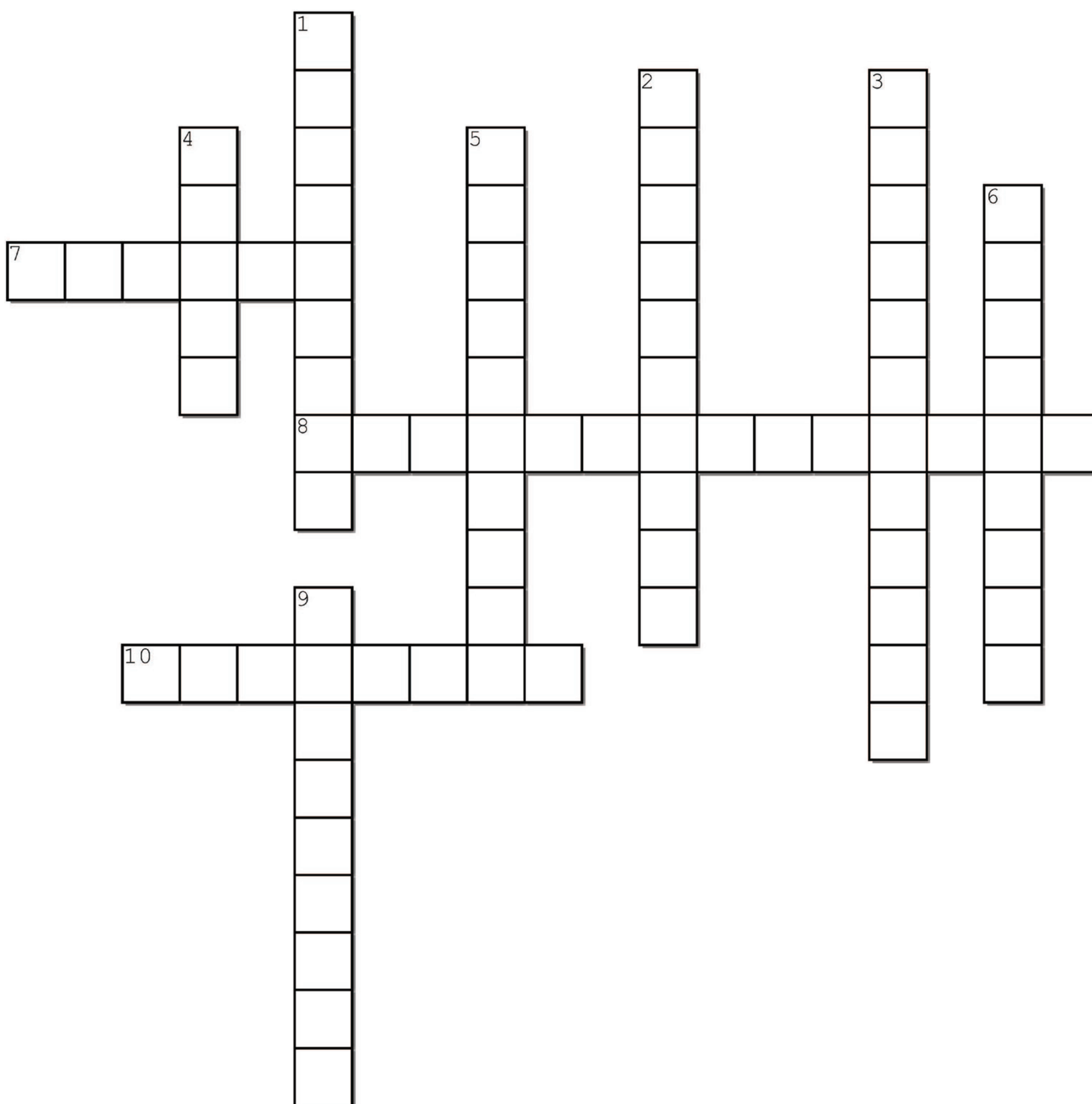
While we began the semester knowing little about the area, research, interviews, and the help of our instructors, Jim McKay and Jodi Houlihan, we learned so much more about the character and background of Bronzeville than any of us were aware of, and the surveys we conducted showed even many fourth-year students, who had been here a while, were unaware of the rich background of the neighborhood that's right in our campus' backyard. We thus developed our game, the 'Bronzeville Heritage Hunt,' as a means of getting people to not only explore Bronzeville, but learn about its history, and exactly what the neighborhood has to offer, in a curated fashion so it doesn't just feel like you're wandering around. Each month, there will be a new puzzle right here in Tech News, with new locales to check out, and new experiences for you to have. Give it a shot, and remember: the first team (or person!) to make it through and turn it into a Tech News representative will get their picture displayed with the next puzzle!



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Rules of "The Bronzeville Heritage Hunt"

- 1.) You start with a clue that will bring you to a certain location in Bronzeville.
- 2.) Once you travel to that location, you then scan the QR Code found next to the clue in the newspaper. This QR Code will give you an image that you must find at the site. Take note that the image will have a blackened out word.
- 3.) Once you find what the image is displaying at the site, you look for that blackened out word. That's the answer for the puzzle!
- 4.) Be the first person of each month to finish the entire puzzle to get your picture displayed in Tech News!
- 5.) Don't be afraid to use Google - but if you don't have to, that's an accomplishment all by itself!



Across

7. Once you'd get insurance here, but now it's a center where every Bronzeville visitor can get information.
8. This Chicago Public Library branch is just filled with busy bees.
10. While this bronze giant's a doughboy, he's not the Pillsbury type.

Down

1. If Anthony Overton was John Rockefeller, this would be his Rockefeller Center.
2. After his verbal battles with Lincoln, the Little Giant rests here.
3. This hall once held two different clubs, but a DJ wouldn't have liked it much.
4. This church of musical pioneers is a shell of what it once was.
5. Less is more in this building, except in terms of glass.
6. This traveler is forever heading North, but at least he won't go barefoot.
9. Louis Armstrong and Benny Goodman once played here; now the headliners are Black and Decker.



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