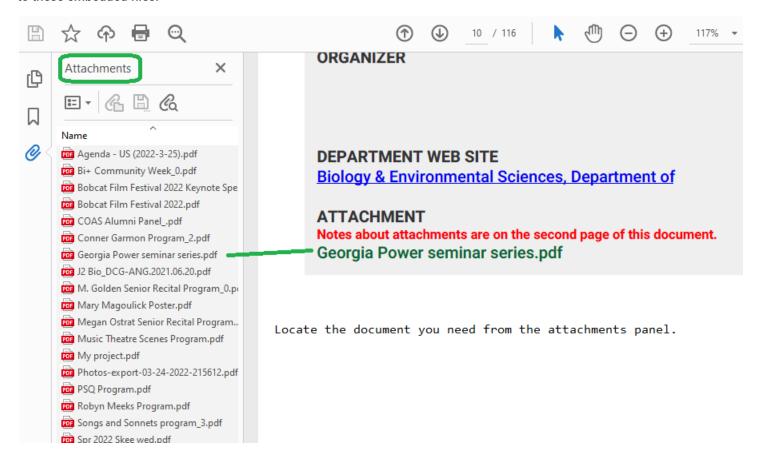
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# **Announcements Posted Wednesday September 1, 2021**

# Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects Presentation and Open Forum - Thursday, September 2

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Wednesday September 1, 2021

The campus community is invited to attend the presentation and open forum for Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects Candidate, Dr. Rick Roberts, on Thursday, September 2 from 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. in Library 302. The candidate will speak for 25-30 minutes on the following topic: "Building capacity for grants and sponsored projects within a public liberal arts institution while creating a culture of compliance."

The presentation will be streamed live via WebEx:https://gcsu.webex.com/gcsu/j.php?MTID=m9c582a52021056d73393d918e39e9605

Meeting Number: 2623 387 0865

Password: TTm7DUKgP22

The candidate will take questions immediately following the presentation.

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# **Bobcats Vax! Vaccination clinics on Thursday and Friday**

Student Health Services: Wednesday September 1, 2021

Student Health Services will host two vaccination clinics this week. On both Thursday and Friday (Sept. 2-3), we will be offering walk-in vaccination clinics at the clinic on West Campus for any member of the Georgia College campus community between the hours of 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. No appointment is necessary. These clinics are open to all students, faculty and staff.

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#### **Inclusive Excellence Faculty Research Grants - Application Period Open**

Center for Teaching & Learning: Wednesday September 1, 2021

The purpose of this grant program is to provide funding for Georgia College faculty to conduct research on topics regarding inclusive excellence in the discipline and beyond. Faculty can address inclusive excellence in a variety of ways including examining underserved populations; researching the effect of educational, economic, health, and environmental disparities; analyzing public policies and their impact on the social world; investigating historical events; evaluating effective and inclusive teaching; discovering the roles specific learning outcomes includes or excludes our learners; identifying the impact the use of technology has on certain populations; and recognizing the student's agency in successfully matriculating through the coursework. The submission deadline is September 17, 2021. For more information, please see the Program Announcement.

Grant amount: Up to \$4,000.00

Application Period Open: September 1 to 5 p.m., September 17

Winners Announced: October 5th, 2021

Award lasts until May 1, 2022 (all funds must be expended by May 1, 2022).

For assistance, contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at ctl@gcsu.edu or (478) 445-2520.

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#### Call for Proposals - Inclusive Excellence Grants - Deadline September 17, 2021

Center for Teaching & Learning: Wednesday September 1, 2021

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Grant Amount: Up to \$4,000. All funds must be expended by May 1, 2022.

Application Deadline: September 17, 2021

Winners Announced: October 5, 2021

For more information, please visit our program page.

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#### **Workforce Recruitment Program Student Registration Now Open Until October 11th**

Center for Georgia Studies: Wednesday September 1, 2021

Are you interested in working in the government for the summer or after you graduate? If so, the Career Center would like to tell you about a great opportunity for Georgia College & State University students!

#### **Workforce Recruitment Program**

The Workforce Recruitment Program for College Students with Disabilities (WRP), coordinated by the U.S. Department of Labor and the U.S. Department of Defense, is a recruitment and referral program that connects federal and select private-sector employers with highly motivated college students, graduate students, and recent graduates with disabilities who are eager to demonstrate their abilities in the workplace through summer or permanent jobs.

If you are interested in applying to the program and interviewing with a representative from WRP, please visit <u>WRP.gov</u> and click "Students Register Now!" to get started! Please use a computer or tablet and not a mobile device.

#### Eligible students must:

- have a disability and be eligible under the Schedule A hiring authority
- be a United States citizen or national
- be currently enrolled in a degree program on a substantially full-time basis OR have graduated with a degree on or after April 1, 2019.

Please note that new and returning WRP applicants must register and complete an application each program year to continue to participate. Use a computer or tablet to register and complete the application.

For more information or questions about WRP, please contact: Lizz Giordano at<u>Elizabeth.giordano@gcsu.edu</u> or call 478-445-8696. You can also contact <u>career.center@gcsu.edu</u> or call 478-445-5384.

Registration will close October 11. All application materials must be uploaded to the WRP site by October 13 at 11:59pm PST. No late applications will be accepted. You will need time to get your registration approved, gather your resume and transcript, and complete your application, so please don't delay!

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# Learning Center hosts Open House Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday for students, faculty, and staff!

The Learning Center: Wednesday September 1, 2021

Join the Learning Center for its Open House this Wednesday and Thursday (Sept 1, & Sept 2nd) from 11am-2pm. Please join us to learn more about our services, meet our student staff, chat with possible faculty representatives from each of our discipline tables, and potentially win some giveaways. The entire GC community is welcome to this event and can drop in any time between 11 am and 2 pm on the set days.

Did you know the LC hires approximately 150 student employees each academic year or that we offer peer-led workshops and bootcamps for students? You can learn all this and more, AND get some freebies! No RSVP required, just drop into the Learning Center, 2nd floor of the Library, across from the print desk.

\*Popcorn, drinks, and prizes



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## Faculty Research Grants Round I - Application Period Open

Center for Teaching & Learning: Wednesday September 1, 2021

The call for Faculty Research Grant proposals for Fall 2022 Round I opens September 1, 2021, with a deadline of 5 p.m. on September 17, 2021. Applicants should read the <u>guidance provided by Academic Affairs</u>. For more information, please see the <u>Program Call for Submissions</u>.

Grant Amount: Up to \$5,000.00

Application Period Open: September 1 - September 17

Winners Announced: October 5

Award lasts until May 1, 2022 (all funds must be expended by this date).

For assistance, contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at ctl@gcsu.edu, or call (478) 445-2520.

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#### **Interim Title IX Coordinator**

Legal Affairs: Wednesday September 1, 2021

We are pleased to announce that, effective September 1st, 2021, Sally Chapman in the Office of Student Life will be taking on the role of Interim Title IX Coordinator. Serving as a Title IX hearing panelist since 2019, Sally will serve the campus community well in this interim period.

In the interest of complying with responsibilities under Title IX, University System of Georgia policies, and Georgia College policies, any report of sexual misconduct to a responsible employee must be reported to the Title IX Coordinator as soon as practically possible. This immediate and direct reporting to the Title IX Coordinator ensures complaints are being addressed promptly and adequately, and most importantly, that parties receive essential resources. The Sexual Misconduct Policy can be found <a href="here">here</a>. For more information on filing a complaint, please contact Sally at (478) 445-8638, or visit the Title IX webpage - <a href="Filing a Title IX Complaint">Filing a Title IX Complaint</a>.

Sally Chapman

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# Check out this week's edition of the Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs Newsletter

Women's Center: Wednesday September 1, 2021

Check out this week's edition of the <u>Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs Newsletter</u> for more information on our new mentorship program - RISE, our third annual Feminist Leadership Academy, our inaugural Sex[Ed] Fest, and more!

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## **Staff Council Accepting Nominations for Finance and Administration Opening**

Staff Council: Wednesday September 1, 2021

Staff Council is now accepting nominations for the upcoming Academic Year. Two year terms began on July 1, 2021 and run through June 30, 2023 If you're looking for ways to give back to your fellow staff, want to learn more about Georgia College and meet people from different areas of campus, Staff Council could be the opportunity for you.

We have an opening for the Finance and Administration Division. To nominate yourself or a colleague please send the name to staff\_council@gcsu.edu. All nominations must receive approval from their supervisor before serving.

In its representation of all staff employees, the Georgia College Staff Council aims to promote better understanding, increased cooperation and open communication among all constituent groups on campus. While performing this duty, the Staff Council will endorse and adhere to the mission and goals of Georgia College. Please visit <a href="https://www.gcsu.edu/staffcouncil">https://www.gcsu.edu/staffcouncil</a> to learn more.

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## Call for Proposals - Faculty Research Grants Round I - Deadline September 17, 2021

Center for Teaching & Learning: Wednesday September 1, 2021

The Faculty Research Small Grant Program provides seed funding up to \$5,000 for faculty research projects. Funds can be used for supplies, equipment, software, or travel expenses incurred in carrying out the research. Faculty Research Grant Committee members individually read and rank research proposals using a rubric to make funding decisions. The calls for proposals are every fall and spring semester.

Grant Amount: Up to \$5,000. All funds must be expended by May 1, 2022.

Application Deadline: September 17, 2021

Winners Announced: October 5, 2021

For more information, please visit our Faculty Research Grants website.

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# **Announcements Posted Thursday September 2, 2021**

# Celebrating the "U" in Community: Featuring Matinee showing of "Mooz-lum" and conversation with Director Qasim Basir

Cultural Center: Thursday September 2, 2021

September 9, 2021 | Magnolia Ballroom

Movie Showtimes: 12:00 PM & 3:00 PM

Conversation with Oasim Basir: 6:00 PM

Are you aware of the unique diversity that you add to our community? At Georgia College we respect and celebrate each other, so that all may feel welcome. Sometimes the transition to college for those that are deemed "different" is not so pleasant and can even be scary. Join us for an matinee to watch the feature film, "Mooz-lum" directed by Qasam Basir, about a new first-year student and his transition to his new community that offers both acceptance and resistance based upon his background. Then join us for a conversation with the Director of the film, Qasim Basir at 6:00 PM! It's an opportunity you don't want to miss. Get a jumpstart on learning how "U" are essential to our inclusive CommUnity! Hosted by the Cultural Center and Office of Inclusive Excellence

Qasim Basir is an award-winning filmmaker who grew up between Ann Arbor and Detroit. Qasim went on to

study at Clark Atlanta University and Wayne State University where he graduated with a degree in criminal justice & prelaw. At the age of 17, during his senior year at high school, Qasim took his first film class, and there is where his journey began. Running around Detroit filming on the streets, in the projects, and on campus, and with the intrigue and inspiration of film, he spent time, (wherever he could) reading any book that he could get his hands on. Qasim Basir's first feature MOOZ-LUM was originally a short film which entered into the One Nation Film Competition, where Danny Glover was one of the judges. MOOZ-LUM is a coming-of-age tale about a young Muslim boy going to college around the September 11 attacks. Danny Glover's company (Louverture films) then reached out to Qasim with interest of his short becoming a feature, and with much time and effort, MOOZ-LUM the feature film was made, and went on to win Best film at Urbanworld Film Festival, and was also nominated for an NAACP Image Award as well as 3 Black Reel Awards. MOOZ-LUM stars included Nia Long, Evan Ross & Danny Glover. The film was released theatrically in 2011 and went on to platforms via Starz, Netflix and Amazon. The film gained international recognition, opening in over 25 countries. Adding to the relevance of MOOZ-LUM, the US Government invited Qasim to host screenings in Rome, Milan, Padua and other cities to open dialogue surrounding immigration disparities. Globally, Qasim has been a key speaker and presenter for his

Qasim Basir, then went on to write and direct his second feature film DESTINED, starring Cory Hardrict, Jesse Metcalfe, Margot Bingham, Hill Harper, Zulay Henao and La La Anthony. DESTINED premiered at the 2016 LA Film Festival, and has garnered numerous accolades including Best Director and Actor at the 2016 American Black Film Festival and Best Narrative Feature at Urbanworld that same year. DESTINED was released theatrically. in the Fall of 2017 and on VOD platforms early 2018. Basir recently directed and co-wrote A Boy, A Girl, A Dream, starring Omari Hardwick and Meagan Good. The film had its world premiere at the 2018 Sundance Film Festival. A Boy, A Girl, A Dream follows two people who meet on the night of the 2016 Presidential election and sharing their feelings of panic, despair, anger, and hope in the face of a radically changing nation. After Sundance, A Boy, A Girl, A Dream was picked up by Samuel Goldwyn with a September 2018 release nationwide to rave reviews, spending months at 100% on Rotten Tomatoes.

Next up, Qasim was brought on to direct the film "Hawk", which follows the true story of supreme underdog Andrew Hawkins, who gained entry into the NFL after faking his height, weight and social status to earn a multimillion-dollar contract with the Cleveland Browns. Shooting later this year. A daily ambition for Qasim is to keep growing and getting better with your creative expression and keep people around you who will challenge you. Currently in the works, Qasim is developing a few films as well as a TV show.

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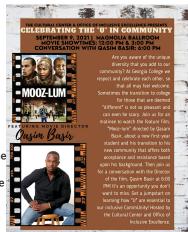
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feature film MOOZ-LUM at many esteemed Universities and Colleges.



# **3D Modeling Workshop**

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Thursday September 2, 2021

This workshop allows for students to learn some basic 3D Modeling that they can then use to print a 3D object of their own creation. The workshop will cover how to get around in a 3D space, common tools, and how to model a simple design using a modeling program.

- This will be in room #241 on the 2nd floor of the library.
- Register at:
  - o https://gcsu.libcal.com/event/8142261

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#### New Georgia College English lecturer named inaugural 'Athens Poet Laureate'

English, Department of: Thursday September 2, 2021

Dr. Jeff Fallis was recently named the first Poet Laureate of Athens by the Athens Cultural Affairs Commission.

Fallis—a newly-hired lecturer in Composition and World Literature at Georgia College—will hold the position for two years, until 2023.

"It's an amazing honor, but also a well-deserved one. This is a real tribute to the power of Dr. Fallis' writing, and it's a reminder of the importance of creative writers and creative writing to the quality of our lives," said Dr. Matthew Pangborn, professor and chair of Georgia College's English Department.



Traditionally, renowned poets were appointed for life as a member of the British royal household. Today, highly regarded poets are given honorary positions by a government body or institution to compose poems for special events.

Fallis has lived in Athens for "most of the last 25 years" and knows the community well. After getting a master's in creative writing from the University of Virginia, he got his Ph.D. at the University of Georgia. He currently commutes every day to Georgia College from Athens, so he'll be able to continuing teach and fulfill his duties as poet laureate.

"My poems lately seem to be about music, dogs, trees, walking, absence and presence, and the body," Fallis said. "I believe that poetry is important, because it reminds us of how strange and durable language is, and because it both reminds us of our past and allows us a way to imagine new futures."

Fallis was chosen from a group of nine applicants compiled of administrators, educators, librarians and local poets. Commission members said they based their decision on "excellence in craftsmanship, vision for the position, professional achievement in the field of poetry and a history of actively elevating the visibility of poetry in the community."

The idea for the program was sparked by young poet laureate, Amanda Gorman, who read her poem, "The Hill We Climb," at President Joe Biden's inauguration. The Athens Cultural Affairs Commission is funding the position with hopes it'll "further enhance the profile of poets, poetry and literary arts in the (Athens) community and beyond."

As poet laureate, Fallis will give readings and conduct workshops in Athens. He'll work to install poetical verse permanently in public city spaces, he said, so "poetry can become even more of a concrete part of its citizens' lived, everyday experience."

"Athens is known internationally for its music and visual arts scenes, but its literary and poetic worlds have perhaps been comparably overlooked. I hope to draw attention to Athens's poetic and literary past, present and future as poet laureate," Fallis said, "and I especially want to bring poetry to segments of the Athens community that might have had less access and exposure to poetry."

Fallis is recognized for his live poetry readings in Athens. He helped sponsor the "VOX Reading Series" and wrote an introductory essay for "The Collected Poems of John Seawright." He's author of works in magazines and journals. These include "American Poetry Review," "James Baldwin Review" and "The Oxford American."

Fallis will support and generate poetry with guest appearances throughout Athens. The first is scheduled for Sept. 25 at a Red Cross Community Safe Cookout "Pop Up Park," sponsored by the Athens Clarke County Leisure Services Department.

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# **Dining Services Hours - Labor Day Weekend**

Dining Services: Thursday September 2, 2021

The MAX will be open:

Saturday, September 4 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday, September 5 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday, September 6 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

MAX on the Go will be open:

Saturday, September 4 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Sunday, September 5 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Monday, September 6 - 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Chick-fil-A, Subway and Books & Brew will be closed September 4-6.

Updated: 2021-08-31

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Dining Services

## New Diversity Action Plan: "Advancing Diversity at Georgia College: 2022-2025"

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Thursday September 2, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to share with the University community for review and feedback our New Diversity Action Plan: "Advancing Diversity at Georgia College: 2022-2025." The Chief Diversity Officer and a 35-member Diversity Action Plan Steering Committee were charged last September by President Dorman to develop a New Diversity Action plan for the University, following the successful implementation of our first Diversity Action Plan from 2014-2019.

This new Plan represents a year of work by the Diversity Action Plan Steering Committee and the review and feedback of University leadership. We invite you to please review the New Diversity Action Plan and provide your feedback using the response links attached to the Plan by October 1. We hope to present the final Plan in November of this year, with the official implementation of our New Diversity Action Plan to begin January 2022.

Updated: 2021-09-01

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**ATTACHMENT** 

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

New Diversity Action Plan Advancing Diversity at Georgia College.pdf

# **3D Printing Workshop**

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Thursday September 2, 2021

This workshop will show you how to request 3D prints for class demonstrations or just for fun, details on the printing process and how you can find files, and it will also discuss some resources if you'd like to create your own 3D models.

- This will be at the 3D Print Desk on the 2nd floor of the library.
- Register at:
  - https://gcsu.libcal.com/event/8142200

Updated: 2021-09-01



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Ina Dillard Russell Library

#### REMINDER: Dinner with 12 Strangers: A New Building Community Initiative from OIE

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Thursday September 2, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to announce "Dinner With 12 Strangers", a new "building community" event at Georgia College. During the fall semester there will be three Dinners that will include a delicious meal, fun ice-breakers, personal introductions, and an engaging conversation about how we can make Georgia College a more welcoming community for all. Twelve selected individuals from all areas of campus will be invited to be one of the twelve strangers who meet for dinner. The Dinners will be hosted from 5:30pm to 7:00pm on three nights during the fall semester: September 16th (Summerlin House), October 21st (Cultural Center) and November 18th (Mayfair Hall). If you are interested in being a guest at one of the three Dinners this fall, please send your name and a short statement about why you would like to participate in this community building event to <a href="mailto:oie@gcsu.edu">oie@gcsu.edu</a> by September 3rd. Dinner guests will be selected by the Office of Inclusive Excellence and notified at least two weeks before the dinner is scheduled. Thank you for participating in this exciting new building community program.

Updated: 2021-09-02

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Inclusive Excellence, Office of

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. DW12S Invitation A8.pdf

# **Announcements Posted Friday September 3, 2021**

### Final Request for 2020 Clery Crime Statistics from Campus Security Authorities

Public Safety: Friday September 3, 2021

Each year, Georgia College releases an Annual Security and Fire Safety Report that includes a disclosure of crime statistics for the previous three years. The institution is working diligently to finalize our annual report, which will be released by the end of September. These statistics are also reported to the Department of Education.

Crime statistics are compiled from a variety of sources, including, reports from Public Safety, reports from local law enforcement agencies, Title IX reports, student conduct reports, and reports from Campus Security Authorities or CSAs. While our CSAs routinely provide us with reports throughout the year, please consider this a final request for any incident reports occurring within the 2020 calendar year (January 1st through December 31st) that have yet to be reported to institutional authorities for inclusion in our upcoming statistical disclosure.

The following is an excerpt on CSAs from the Clery Act Appendix within the Federal Student Aid Handbook:

While not defined in statute, regulations provide that CSAs include: (i) campus police or security department personnel; (ii) individuals with
security-related responsibilities; and (iii) individuals or organizations identified in institutional security policies as an individual or organization to
which students and employees should report criminal offenses. The definition at § 668.46(a)(iv) states that a CSA also includes an official "who
has significant responsibility for student and campus activities, including, but not limited to, student housing, student discipline, and campus
judicial proceedings."

These designations may include student employees, such as our dedicated team at Residence Life. CSAs are determined by job duties, not job titles. Duties often change, especially amid circumstances like what we have all experienced in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. If you have been designated as a CSA, please submit your reports to <a href="mailto:publicsafety@gcsu.edu">publicsafety@gcsu.edu</a>. Your submissions by Wednesday, August 8th are greatly appreciated. If you have questions or concerns regarding a change in duties, or your status as either a CSA or non-CSA, please feel free to follow up with Chief Brett Stanelle via the contact information below.

Thank you for your commitment to keeping our campus informed. Please look for upcoming announcements regarding this year's completed report.

Updated: 2021-09-03

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Public Safety

## **Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Services**

Student Life, Office of: Friday September 3, 2021

Hillel at Georgia College invites all of the GC community to join us for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services at First Presbyterian Church in downtown Milledgeville. Though Milledgeville has a small but mighty Jewish community, the nearest synagogue is in Macon. To allow our community to observe the high holy days nearby, Reverend Susan Balfour has graciously extended her parish, located at 210 S. Wayne St., for these days.

Rosh Hashanah service will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, September 7. Rosh Hashanah is the two-day observance of the Jewish New Year.

Yom Kippur service will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, September 16. Yom Kippur, or Day of Atonement, is the holiest day of the year in Judaism.

All are welcome! Many thanks to Rev. Balfour and the First Presbyterian congregation for this beautiful gesture of interfaith community.

Updated: 2021-09-03

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Student Life, Office of

# **Daniel Wallace on Flannery O'Connor's fiction**

Andalusia: Friday September 3, 2021

Daniel Wallace, author of "Big Fish" will discuss Flannery O'Connor's fiction.

Thu, Sep 9, at 8 P.M.

Virtual event

Register at https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/8d583e1c1d2b4b7e96a6f98db4f7bc1c

Updated: 2021-09-08

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#### Opening Soon: First Peer Feedback on Teaching (PFoT) Request Period

Center for Teaching & Learning: Friday September 3, 2021

The goal of Peer Feedback on Teaching (PFoT) is to provide support to help you improve the quality of learning in your classroom. Deliberate, continuous improvement of one's teaching is one of the great joys of being a professor, and our trained observers enjoy the opportunity to work with you as you develop yourself. We utilize a strengths-based method to help you discover and build upon your skills in the classroom. For more information on PFoT, please visit our website.

For Fall Semester, PFoTs are offered September 7th through September 24th and again on October 11th through October 29th for both in-person and synchronous online courses. If you are interested in scheduling a PFoT, please contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at (478) 445-2520 or <a href="mailto:ctl@gcsu.edu">ctl@gcsu.edu</a>. Please provide a week's notice or more for scheduling.

Updated: 2021-09-03

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Center for Teaching & Learning

# **Announcements Posted Monday September 6, 2021**

# Calling all pre-law students!

Accounting, Department of: Monday September 6, 2021

Are you interested in law school? Do you want to get involved with a pre-law organization on campus? Well then, mark September 10th from 12:30pm-1:30pm on your calendar. We plan to reboot Phi Alpha Delta, a pre-law fraternity open to all students regardless of major.

Attend in person at the back porch of Atkinson or attend virtually via WebEx at: https://gcsu.webex.com/meet/nicholas.creel

Contact Professor Nicholas Creel at Nicholas.Creel@gcsu.edu or Trinity March at trinity.marsh@bobcats.gcsu.edu for more information.

Updated: 2021-08-30

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Accounting, Department of

# **Martin Lammon Reading Series**

English, Department of: Monday September 6, 2021

Come one, come all, to the Martin Lammon Reading Series on September 9th at 8PM! Listen to some talented MFA students read their creative work. The details are below and in the attached graphic.

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Fiction: Courtney Schmidt

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Creative Non-Fiction: Jonathan Smith

Looking forward to seeing everyone there! Bring the virtual noise!

Stay safe, best wishes,

Tim C.

Updated: 2021-09-03

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE English, Department of

# **Dining Services Hours - Labor Day Holiday Hours**

Dining Services: Monday September 6, 2021

Dining Services will have adjusted hours today as Georgia College observes Labor Day.

The MAX is open 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

MAX on the Go is open 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Chick-fil-A, Subway and Books & Brew are closed.

Regular operating hours for all locations will resume on Tuesday, September 7.

Updated: 2021-08-31

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE English, Department of

# **Announcements Posted Tuesday September 7, 2021**

# The College of Health Sciences and GC Medical reserve Corp (MRC) to provide COVID-19 testing and flu shot clinics

College of Health Sciences: Tuesday September 7, 2021

As we move into flu season, the CoHS and MRC will conduct multiple testing and flu shot clinics throughout September and into November. All COVID-19 testing is free, and students can receive vaccines for free. The flu shot is \$20 for faculty and staff. See the dates below to find a time right for you to get your flu shot!

- Sept. 9 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 14 1-3 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 15 10:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m. HSB Skills Lab Flu shot
- Sept. 16 9:00 a.m. 12 p.m. & 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 21 1-3 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 22 10:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m. HSB Skills Lab Flu shot
- Sept. 23 9 a.m. 12:00 p.m. & 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 28 8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 30 9 a.m. 12 p.m. & 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Oct. 19 8 a.m. 12 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Nov. 30 9 a.m. 12 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot

Updated: 2021-09-09

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# Times Talk Wed. Sep. 8 noon; "The U.S. and China-Trouble Ahead for the World's Most Important Relationship."

American Democracy Project: Tuesday September 7, 2021

Please join us via Zoom for our 2nd Times Talk conversation on Wed. Sep. 8 from noon-12:50 pm with Dr. James Schiffman, Associate Professor of Mass Communication on "The U.S. and China: trouble ahead for the world's most important relationship."

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://gcsu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJctdeqsrTMtE9XvQXcYiZAqHiBy5U66y-Ne After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

The following article will be referenced during the discussion.

https://www.nytimes.com/2021/08/25/world/asia/china-coronavirus-covid-conspiracy-theory.html



Hear a short introduction to this week's Times Talk on the Why This Times Talk podcast: https://soundcloud.com/wrgc/wtttp-the-us-and-china-trouble-ahead-for-the-worlds-most-important-relationship. You can hear a longer conversation on the topic at 8 p.m., Tuesday, September 07th on Georgia College's public radio station, WRGC 88.3 FM.

Times Talk is celebrating 16 years of informed, insightful, and lively campus community-wide discussion of current and significant events as reported in the New York Times. Join the discussion, just bring your brain! Brought to you by the American Democracy Project at Georgia College and the Ina Dillard Russell Library.

Updated: 2021-09-07

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American Democracy Project

# **Dining Services Operating Hours Beginning 9/7**

Dining Services: Tuesday September 7, 2021

Beginning Tuesday, September 7, Chick-fil-A, Subway and Books & Brew will have new service hours.

Chick-fil-A

Monday - Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

Subway

Monday - Thursday: 10:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday: 10:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

Books & Brew (Russell Library)

Monday - Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Updated: 2021-09-07

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**DEPARTMENT WEB SITE** 

**Dining Services** 

# **OIE September 2021 Newsletter**

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Tuesday September 7, 2021

Updated: 2021-09-07

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#### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

**Inclusive Excellence, Office of** 

## Register for the 3rd annual Feminist Leadership Academy!

Women's Center: Tuesday September 7, 2021

Join us for our 3rd annual Feminist Leadership Academy!

This 2-day event will include group sessions, community building and identity workshops, with more detailed logistical information to come soon. FLA will bring together students interested in discovering and exploring feminism, and to empower them in fostering connections on campus and in the community. This will allow for expansive conversations around intersectionality, feminism, growing communities of women and exemplifying these values in daily life. FLA will continue to provide historical context about the cultural norms that have limited women's participation in leadership roles. We will continue our conversations on the importance and impact of intersectional feminism and how to continue the work of feminist organizing on-campus!

This year's FLA will be on September 17th-18th. Applications are due 9/9 by 11:59 p.m. Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/femlead2021">http://bit.ly/femlead2021</a>



Updated: 2021-09-07

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Women's Center

# The Den is NOW Open

Student Organizations & Clubs: Tuesday September 7, 2021

The Den is everyone's favorite on-campus hangout. The Den has a variety of amenities, games and services that makes it a great place to spend some time whether you're just between classes or if you want somewhere fun to hang out tonight. Hours for the Den are as follows:

Sunday: 1pm - 9pm

Monday - Friday: 10am - 9pm

Saturday: closed

The Den is located in the Student Activities Center on the first floor. Come see us today!

Updated: 2021-09-07

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE
Student Organizations & Clubs

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Updated: 2021-09-07

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## Diversity 360 Program: Navigating Corporate America as P.O.C.

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Tuesday September 7, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence, in collaboration with University Advancement and Career Services, will present the first Diversity 360 program called Navigating Corporate America as P.O.C. The virtual program will be held September 22 at 4pm. The Zoom Link is <a href="https://tinyurl.com/4wnenuxw">https://tinyurl.com/4wnenuxw</a>.

Navigating the workplace has its challenges; but, as a person of color, it can bring additional issues. Beyond overt discrimination, which many still encounter, there are psychological costs to being one of just a few POCs in a predominantly White environment. According to a 2019 study by Coqual, "while corporate America offers the promise of a stable income, benefits and opportunities to travel, many Black professionals aren't getting a sense of belonging, trust and respect."

A panel of underrepresented alums will share their experiences, successes and challenges in the workplace since graduating from GC. They will offer their knowledge, wisdom and expertise with our students of color as they prepare to embark on their career journey. The event will also provide students the opportunity to network with our esteemed panel in this virtual village. Students interested in attending this event must register at <a href="https://gcsu.joinhandshake.com/events/809950/share\_preview">https://gcsu.joinhandshake.com/events/809950/share\_preview</a>.

Updated: 2021-09-07

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Inclusive Excellence, Office of

# This week's Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs Newsletter

Women's Center: Tuesday September 7, 2021

Check out this week's edition of the <u>Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs newsletter</u> featuring info on our 3rd annual Feminist Leadership Academy and upcoming 4-week Koru Mindfulness course.

Updated: 2021-09-07

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**DEPARTMENT WEB SITE** 

Women's Center

# **Announcements Posted Wednesday September 8, 2021**

# A Dialogue Between Continents: Dr. Francisco Cabán, guest violinist and Dr. Owen Lovell, faculty pianist

Music, Department of: Wednesday September 8, 2021

Tuesday, Sept. 14 A piano and violin recital, "A Dialogue Between Continents," will be at 7:30 p.m. in Max Noah Recital Hall at Georgia College. Guest artist and violinist Dr. Francisco Cabán will be featured, accompanied by faculty pianist Dr. Owen Lovell. Diverse music from the Baroque, Romantic and 20th Century was chosen from countries like Mexico, Argentina, Germany, Russia and England. Compositions will be performed "like a conversation between the players," Lovell said. Cabán is a professor of violin at the Puerto Rico Conservatory of Music in San Juan. This concert marks the inaugural performance of the Department of Music's new Steinway model D concert grand piano in Max Noah Recital Hall. A \$5 donation is encouraged. All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the GC Department of Music through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email music@gcsu.edu or call 478-445-8289.



Updated: 2021-08-30

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### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Francisco Caban, violin Recital Program.pdf

# **Announcements Posted Thursday September 9, 2021**

## **Call for Spring 2022 Supplemental Instruction Support**

The Learning Center: Thursday September 9, 2021

The Learning Center is now accepting requests for Supplemental Instruction support for spring semester 2022. Individual faculty members or departments may request this direct academic support service for the students enrolled in their course(s). The Learning Center is planning to support a number of student SI Leader positions for spring using the peer-led Supplemental Instruction model:

Supplemental Instruction Leaders (SIs) are undergraduate students assigned to a section(s) of particular, often introductory, course. A primary goal of the SI program is to increase enrolled students' successful completion of historically difficult classes. SIs attend all class meetings, take notes, coordinate with faculty as needed, and serve as models to those students currently enrolled in the section. The SIs lead regular, peer-facilitated study sessions, outside of class time, to discuss course concepts, review or practice material, and help strengthen students' study skills. SI Leaders host peer collaborative learning experiences which also promote involvement and inclusion into our culture of learning.

As undergraduates, Supplemental Instruction Leaders are not responsible for grading course work, preparing exams, teaching new material, or assigning grades. These responsibilities belong only to the faculty or graduate assistants who are hired by the University to teach the course and who are listed as the instructor of record.

You can find additional details about the criteria we use for the SI Partner Courses attached as well as the below link overview document titled 'What is Supplemental Instruction'. link: <a href="http://www.gcsu.edu/success/docs/What\_is\_Supplemental\_Instruction.docx">http://www.gcsu.edu/success/docs/What\_is\_Supplemental\_Instruction.docx</a>

It's time now to plan for SIs for the Fall 2021 semester. If you would like to request SI support for sections in your department or have your faculty members make a direct request, please submit requests via the following online Qualtrics form by COB, Monday, September 13th. We realize this is a rapid turn-around but would like the additional time for recruiting an excellent pool of student candidates. If teaching assignments have not been confirmed for spring but you would like to keep this support option open, please request an SI Leader with course assignment pending. We are happy to adjust.

Please fill out this short Request Survey here: https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_0DSCNyoPRLBT3n0

All academic disciplines are eligible to apply for SI Leader positions; the Learning Center will continue to hire, train, and supervise the SI Leaders as well as survey faculty partners and the participants at the end of the semester. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Allocation decisions will be announced to recipient departments on or about September 16th, allowing time for us to recruit, collaborate, and identify candidates for the best matches for our SI Leaders. We will partner with you in identifying SI Leaders this month and early October; students selected as SI Leaders can utilize Priority Registration to ensure their availability to audit your course section so the sooner we work on this, the better!

Updated: 2021-09-08

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE The Learning Center

# Calling all pre-law students!

Accounting, Department of: Thursday September 9, 2021

Are you interested in law school? Do you want to get involved with a pre-law organization on campus? Well then, mark September 10th from 12:30pm-1:30pm on your calendar. We plan to reboot Phi Alpha Delta, a pre-law fraternity open to all students regardless of major.

Attend in person at the back porch of Atkinson or attend virtually via WebEx at: https://gcsu.webex.com/meet/nicholas.creel

Contact Professor Nicholas Creel at Nicholas.Creel@gcsu.edu or Trinity March at trinity.marsh@bobcats.gcsu.edu for more information.

Updated: 2022-01-11

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Accounting, Department of

# **KOGNITO: Conversations that Change Lives**

Counseling Services: Thursday September 9, 2021

Counseling Services is pleased to offer KOGNITO, a simulation platform that helps you develop communication skills to effectively manage challenging conversations concerning mental health issues, conversations that change lives. Learn more about this training and how to take it on Counseling Services-Kognito Page.

Now available at GCSU





To learn more and take the training, visit Counseling Services Webpage.

Updated: 2021-09-08

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# **Center for Testing - Senior Exit Exam Deadline Approaching**

Center for Testing: Thursday September 9, 2021

September 13, 2021 is the deadline to register for an appointment to take a senior exit exam during fall semester. After that date, there will be a \$25.00 late fee. To see if your major tests with the Testing Center, and to see how to register for a date and prepare, click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> and click "Senior Exit Requirement." Feel free to call or come by the Testing Center with any questions.

Updated: 2021-09-08

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Center for Testing

# **PeopleSoft Online Payment Request Training**

**Business & Accounting: Thursday September 9, 2021** 

The final two fall sessions of mandatory training for all employees using the PeopleSoft Online Payment Request system will be held next week. Please choose a session to attend by emailing <a href="mailto:daphne.campbell@gcsu.edu">daphne.campbell@gcsu.edu</a> with the date you plan to attend. The sessions will be held in the Library, room 119, on Tuesday, September 14, 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m., and Thursday, September 16, 2:00-3:00 p.m. If you have any questions please contact Daphne Campbell at 445-6093 or <a href="mailto:daphne.campbell@gcsu.edu">daphne.campbell@gcsu.edu</a>.

Updated: 2021-09-08

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Business & Accounting

# **Announcements Posted Friday September 10, 2021**

# **Galileo Tips and Tricks for Faculty (Online Workshop)**

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Friday September 10, 2021

The GALILEO for Faculty workshop on Sept. 14 at noon will update faculty on the new Galileo interface and search options. Tailored for new and returning faculty the workshop will instruct faculty on the basics of Galileo. Faculty will learn how to find our eBook collection, online newspapers, and scholarly articles; explore our streaming media databases; learn where to find research guides and online tutorials, along with how to contact their liaison librarians.

Learning Objectives include:

Learners will summarize the various search options in GALILEO.

Learners will illustrate how to conduct searches for peer-reviewed articles and eBooks.

Learners will discuss the various streaming media options available within GALILEO.

Please register at: https://gcsu.libcal.com/event/8131056

Updated: 2021-09-09

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Ina Dillard Russell Library



# Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. - Kappa Eta Chapter Holds Formal RUSH

Fraternity & Sorority Life: Friday September 10, 2021

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.-Kappa Eta Chapter will hold a formal RUSH on Sunday, Sept 26th, 2021. This event will be virtual. Interested students should review the attached document carefully and follow the instructions reflected. Those students who meet all the requirements as outlined, including submission deadlines, will be sent the link to participate in this event. Questions and/or concerns should be directed to Tracy Butts, Graduate Advisor at <a href="mailto:tracy.butts@gcsu.edu">tracy.butts@gcsu.edu</a> or extension 478-457-4140. Thank you in advance for your interest and cooperation. Kappa Eta looks forward to hearing from you!

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# DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

Fraternity & Sorority Life

### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

Approved-RUSH Flyer Fall 2021.pdf

# Movie "Big Fish"

Andalusia: Friday September 10, 2021

Outdoor showing of the film, Big Fish, directed by Tim Burton and with Ewan McGregor, Albert Finney, Billy Crudup, and Jessica Lange in collaboration with Allied Arts of Milledgeville. Tuesday, Sept. 14 at 8:30 PM, Front Lawn of Georgia College Campus, bring your blankets and lawn chairs. Rain site - A&S Auditorium.

Updated: 2021-08-18

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Andalusia

# Faculty Research Grant Reviews Ending on Sept. 15

Grants & Sponsored Projects, Office of: Friday September 10, 2021

Applications for Georgia College's Faculty Research Small Grant (FRG) Program are now open for the Fall 2021 semester. The deadline is Friday, Sept. 17, 2021 at 5pm.

All submissions require review by the Office of Grants & Sponsored Projects (OGSP) prior to submitting the final FRG application on GeorgiaView. Documents to submit for review include the application and budget templates located on GeorgiaView and quotes for any requested hardware, software, equipment, supplies, lodging, and/or travel.

The application review period is Sept. 1 to 15. The OGSP will not review applications received after Wednesday, Sept. 15, 2021 at 5pm.

For questions related to the review, please email grants@gcsu.edu.

For additional details and guidelines on the FRG Program, please visit the Center for Teaching and Learning and Academic Affairs.

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Grants & Sponsored Projects, Office of

## **Public Safety message: Entering autos**

Public Safety: Friday September 10, 2021

Hello Faculty, Staff, and Students,

In the early morning hours of Thursday, September 9th, 2021, a group of individuals went to several apartment complexes within the city for the purpose of committing thefts from unlocked vehicles. Georgia College was not immune from these activities, and several vehicles at West Campus were unlawfully entered. Public Safety has received reports from some of our campus community members, and investigations into these incidents remain ongoing. Public Safety would like to take the opportunity to reinforce some crime prevention tips that may be useful on and off-campus.

- · Keep doors to classrooms, labs and building secure when they are not in use. Avoid propping doors open, especially at the residence halls.
- · Do not provide access to campus buildings or facilities for unauthorized persons.
- GC policy prohibits giving your keys or access control cards to unauthorized persons.
- When possible, park in well-lit areas that are frequently traveled by other persons.
- · Keep your vehicle doors and windows secured.
- . Keep valuables out of sight inside your vehicle. Put your property in the trunk if you have one, or take your belongings with you.
- Maintain a list of your valuables including the make, model, and serial number of each item. This allows law enforcement to enter stolen property
  into state and national databases, and makes it easier to identify your property if it is recovered.
- Do not leave your property unattended, even if it is just for a short period of time.
- If you see something, say something. Report loitering or suspicious persons immediately by calling Public Safety at (478) 445-4400 or by dialing 911 to contact local law enforcement.
- Be sure to download the RAVE Guardian app to stay connected with Public Safety. For more info, see theattached flyer.

Thank you for staying safe by being informed.

Updated: 2021-09-10

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### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

**Public Safety** 

### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

RAVE Guardian.pdf

## **Constitution Day Welcome & Debate**

Accounting, Department of: Friday September 10, 2021

Provost Costas Spirou will kick off Georgia College's Celebration of Constitution Week (Sept. 17-23) and Constitution Day (Sept. 17) with an official welcome followed by a structured student debate in the Old Governor's Mansion Education Room at noon on Friday, Sept. 17.

### **Constitution Week Events:**

Monday, Sept. 20: Join a lunch discussion about free speech and social media in Terrell Hall 301 at noon. That evening, the Department of Music will present a Trax on the Trail Concert at 6 pm in Magnolia Ballroom.

Tuesday, Sept. 21: Meet at the HUB at noon for a discussion on the US Constitution and immigration. The Usery Forum on Leadership is that evening in Peabody at 5 pm.

Wednesday, Sept. 22: An online Times Talk will take place at noon regarding Native American treaties, and an all-star panel will convene at 6 pm that evening in the A&S Auditorium to discuss COVID & The Health of Democracy.

Thursday, Sept. 23: The week concludes with an online session on abortion at noon and the Supreme Court Review panel that evening at 6 pm in the A&S Auditorium.



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# DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Accounting, Department of

### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Con Week Flyer 2021.pdf



## **COVID-19: Resources & Reminders for Employees**

Human Resources, Office of: Friday September 10, 2021

Employee Relations would like to remind employees to follow the established Decision Path if they have had indirect contact with someone who has recently tested positive, direct contact with someone who has tested positive, or is personally symptomatic or confirmed positive. Step #1 is to notify your immediate supervisor! Once your supervisor contacts x4236 or employeerelations@gcsu.edu and makes us aware of your situation, we will call you to discuss details and recommend a plan of action following existing CDC and GaDPH guidelines.

As a general reminder, please see the information below regarding COVID-19 testing options in the Milledgeville/Baldwin County area; this information is available on the Human Resources' intranet under the COVID-19 tab if you ever need to reference it:

- Baldwin County Health Department (Mondays & Fridays from 8:00 AM 12:00 PM)
- CVS Pharmacies (Two locations: S. Wayne Street & Columbia Street)
- MedLake Lab (Monday-Friday from 8:30 AM-3:45 PM by appointment only)
- Southeastern Immediate Care
- . Most primary care doctors' offices offer testing as well (if you are already a patient)

You may also search for testing sites by zip code here: https://dph.georgia.gov/castlight-location-finder

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### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

**Human Resources, Office of** 

# **Announcements Posted Monday September 13, 2021**

## **GC Shelter Buddies Cat Cafe Fall Social**

The GIVE Center: Monday September 13, 2021

Hey bobcats! Come out to GC Shelter Buddies Cat Cafe Fall Social Wednesday, September 15th, from 6 to 8. The social is at the Revelry Flats clubhouse, and we will be providing food and drinks. There will also be some adoptable cats from the Baldwin County Animal Shelter looking to find their forever homes. If you attend, you can also enter a raffle to win a PetSmart gift card. Hope to see you there!

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**DEPARTMENT WEB SITE** 

**The GIVE Center** 

# **Express Line: Irwin to MSU**

Parking & Transportation: Monday September 13, 2021

To alleviate campus parking concerns, GC Parking and Transportation will be running an express line shuttle from the Irwin Street parking lot to the Maxwell Student Union.

The express line will run a continuous loop from the Irwin Street lot to the Maxwell Student Union, and back again; with departures from Irwin Street every fifteen minutes. The route will run Monday through Thursday 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. The Irwin Street lot is designated as a perimeter lot, has 498 parking spaces, and is open to all students, faculty, staff, and guests.

For additional information on available parking lots for all designations, please review our interactive parking map.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Parking & Transportation

## **Fall Voice Honors Recital**

Music, Department of: Monday September 13, 2021

Friday, Sept. 17 Eleven Georgia College students will perform in this year's "Voice Honors Recital," accompanied by faculty pianists Drs. Lev Ryabinin and Hue Jang. The recital will be at 7:30 p.m. in Max Noah Recital Hall. The student singers are Taylor Luiz, Madison Golden, Lila Finke, Tyler Harris, Allison Crane, Addison Resh, Malayya Fahyim, Kelley Monahan, Campbell Ransom, Mallory McDonald, and Erin Lamb. This concert will also be livestreamed on <a href="mailto:facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment">facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment</a>. A \$5 donation is encouraged. All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the <a href="mailto:GC Department of Music">GC Department of Music</a> through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email <a href="music@gcsu.edu">music@gcsu.edu</a> or call 478-445-8289.



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### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

Music, Department of

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

Fall Voice Studio Recital Program\_0.pdf Fall 2021 Voice Honors Notes\_0.pdf

# **Open Enrollment 2021**

Human Resources, Office of: Monday September 13, 2021

Open Enrollment will take place October 25 - November 5, 2021. Mark your calendars now!

A virtual benefits fair with live presentations and chat will be offered during the first week of Open Enrollment, October 25 – 29. We encourage all employees to attend the fair to learn about the changes to the benefit plans for 2022. Enrollment in benefits for the 2022 plan year will take place via OneUSG Connect. Active employees will begin receiving Open Enrollment information in late September – early October by mail and e-mail directly from the USG.

Details about key changes to benefits for 2022 are available on the <u>USG - Benefits</u> website, but will also be circulated via FrontPage in the coming weeks.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Human Resources, Office of

# **Georgia College Public Safety Welcomes New Officer**

Public Safety: Monday September 13, 2021

The Georgia College Department of Public Safety is pleased to welcome Reserve Police Officer Josh Kent to the team. He is depicted in the photograph after being sworn in by Chief of Police Brett Stanelle. Officer Kent has dedicated his life to service. He comes to Georgia College with 13 years of law enforcement experience and 15 years in the military. He remains active with the US Army National Guard. In addition, he is pursuing a bachelors degree in Theology. Officer Kent brings vast experience, as well as extensive skills and qualifications to our team. The Department is proud that he chose to add GC Bobcat to his resume. He will spend the next few weeks in field training, so please be sure to welcome him to the Georgia College community if you see him around campus.



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Public Safety

## Jazz at the Magnolia (Allied Arts and Georgia College Department of Music)

Music, Department of: Monday September 13, 2021

TICKETS NOW ON SALE FOR JAZZ AT THE MAGNOLIA.

MILLEDGEVILLE- Saturday, September 18, 7:30 pm Allied Arts and the Georgia College Music Department have teamed up to bring the community Jazz at the Magnolia, as an In Person and also as a Live-Streamed Community

Fundraiser Event, featuring pianist Louis Heriveaux, as well as the Georgia College Faculty Jazz Quartet. The concert will take place on September 18st at 7:30 p.m. at the Magnolia Ballroom in downtown Milledgeville on the Georgia College Campus. A \$20 Ticket for the In-Person concert includes refreshments. Or a \$15 donation will get you on the list for a link to watch the performance virtually. For an additional donation of \$10, you will receive access to the May 1 Jazz at the Magnolia performance and corresponding Zoom Chat, which you can view at your convenience. All of these options can be purchased by visiting Allied Arts at milledgevillealliedarts.com or by calling 478-452-3950. The proceeds will be used to support Allied Arts and the GC Music Department through the GCSU Foundation, Inc.

The Georgia College Faculty Jazz Quartet was formed in fall 2019. It has performed as part of the concert series and hosted Amici Jazz Jams, as well as other community events. Performers include Don Parker, vibes/drums; Chris Enghauser, bass; Andrew Allen, saxophone, and Mia Eaton, drums.

Pianist Louis Heriveaux, a 2013 graduate of Georgia State University with a Bachelor of Music, Concentration in Jazz Studies, has over 25 years of experience as a jazz musician. He also has worked as a producer and studio

engineer in a variety of genres, such as jazz, Pop Hip-hop and R & B. After graduating, Heriveaux taught jazz combos at GSU and taught in the middle school jazz program called Rialto Youth Jazz for Kids. Heriveaux spent two years touring with Columbia Recording Artist jazz guitarist Russell Malone, with performances all over the United States (Carnegie Hall), France, Amsterdam, Spain, and Turkey. Louis also went on a US based tour with vibraphonist Jason Marsalis, the youngest Marsalis musician, a family member of "jazz royalty" including Dizzy's in New York and SFJAZZ collective in San Francisco jazz. Most recently he has spent time recording and touring with bassist Rodney Jordan.

Currently, Heriveaux has been playing mostly in the southeast region of the United States in clubs, restaurants, festivals and concerts with Atlanta-based artists, as well as traveling artists passing through, such as Mace Hibbard, Melvin Jones, Russell Gunn, Rodney Jordan, Bob Reynolds, Jimmy Heath, Eric Vaughn, Bobby Broom, Jeannie Bryson, Curtis Lundy, Bobby Watson and many more. Pre-pandemic, Louis performed regularly at Houston's, an upscale restaurant in Atlanta.

In Fall 2021, Heriveaux plans to pursue a Master of Music with a concentration in Jazz Studies at Georgia State University. He hopes to share his academic experiences and his musical experiences including his unique perspective with college students in the future.

About Allied Arts: Allied Arts is a 501(c) 3 organization whose goal is to make quality arts opportunities available and accessible to those we serve in the Milledgeville and Baldwin County area through a wide array of art experiences. You can contact them at 478-452-3950 or by visiting the Marlor House at 201 N Wayne. St, Milledgeville, GA.

The Georgia College Department of Music provides a liberal arts-oriented education in music that prepares students to embark on rewarding career paths within the field of music and beyond while emphasizing the cultivation of critical thinking skills and global perspectives. For more information about our program and performances, please email music@gcsu.edu or call 478-445-8289 or visit our website: music.gcsu.edu

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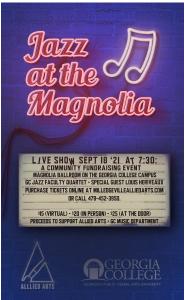
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Jazz at the Magnolia Fall 2021 Press Release 9.18.2021.pdf



# **Flannery O'Connor Book Discussion**

Andalusia: Monday September 13, 2021

Thursday, September 16 at 4:30pm and 7:00pm (Eastern) Dr. Bruce Gentry leads an online discussion of "Wise Blood", Ch. 1-7. Cosponsored by Allied Arts of Milledgeville and The Georgia Writers Museum. Register <a href="here">here</a>

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<u>Andalusia</u>

# Walking Wednesday- September 15, 2021

Human Resources, Office of : Monday September 13, 2021

Enjoy some fresh air and join GC Walking Wednesdays!

The group will meet in the courtyard by the campus Chick-fil-A at 9am and the walk will continue for 30 minutes.

Walking outside has major health benefits for your body and mind. It not only lowers your risk for heart disease and cancer, but it can prevent memory loss and improve your mood.

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# **Water Pressure Disruption and Discoloration**

Facilities Management: Monday September 13, 2021

The City of Milledgeville experienced a pump failure yesterday afternoon and has since resolved the issue. Communication of the issue has been distributed across campus but with the temporary fluctuation in water pressure, discoloration within in the water system has occurred. Allowing the faucet to run for a few minutes will help in the effort to clear the overall system. Facilities Operations is continuing to monitor the situation and will give updates as provided to the University.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Facilities Management

# **Announcements Posted Tuesday September 14, 2021**

## KEPRO: EAP available 24/7, 365

Human Resources, Office of: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Mental health and well-being is on the forefront of our minds quite a bit these days, whether it's personal or concern for a colleague or family member. The University System of Georgia is partnering with KEPRO to provide employees and their household/family members with a comprehensive Employee Assistance Program (EAP). Services are confidential at no cost.

Employees can visit <a href="https://usg.mylifeexpert.com/login">https://usg.mylifeexpert.com/login</a> or call 1-844-243-4440. The company code is USGcares. Any info an employee shares with Kepro is confidential. Initial calls are free to any USG employee who works 20+ hours per week AND anyone who lives in the same household as the employee. Employees who utilize this service will be connected with a trained, licensed clinician to discuss any issues/concerns/questions they may have. Kepro's services are available 24/7, 365 days a year and include:

### Counseling and Well-being

- . Up to 4 sessions, per counseling issue
- Telephonic Counseling
- 24/7/365 toll-free access to licensed clinical caring professionals

### Work/Life Balance

- Financial Consultation
- Legal Consultation

#### Resources & Referrals for:

- · Child Care
- Elder Care
- Special Needs
- Daily Living and Concierge
- Academic
- Adoption
- Management & HR Consultation
- Pet Services
- Relocation

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**Human Resources, Office of** 

# The Help Hub is Here for You!

Academic Advising Center: Tuesday September 14, 2021

The Academic Advising Center is proud to present the Help Hub! The Help Hub is staffed with advising professionals prepared to assist students with curriculum questions, course registration, campus resources, and more. The Help Hub is located in Room 206 of the Academic Advising Center on the 2nd floor of Lanier Hall and available Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. No appointment needed. We look forward to seeing you!

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

**Academic Advising Center** 

## Free USG Virtual Suicide Prevention Conference and QPR training

Conferences: Tuesday September 14, 2021

On behalf of the 2021 University System of Georgia (USG) Suicide Prevention Conference Committee, you are invited to this year's virtual conference hosted by Georgia Southern University and sponsored by USG's Mental Health Initiative. Mental health is an important component of overall health and is critical to prioritize in every stage of life, particularly as we maneuver the known and unknown aspects of COVID-19. In fact, in June the Centers for Disease Control released a report indicating that 1 in 4 adults aged 18-24 surveyed experienced



suicidal ideation related to the pandemic in the last 30 days. We invite you to join us for two days this fall to address mental health and suicide prevention as we "push through the pandemic."

On the afternoon of September 30 from 2:15-4pm, QPR Training will be offered. QPR stands for Question, Persuade and Refer – the 3 simple steps anyone can learn to help save a life from suicide.

The committee is very excited and has been working hard to prepare a great line up of speakers and sessions that will be helpful to all USG members. This meeting will provide you the opportunity to hear from experts at Active Minds, Healthy Minds Network, Jed Foundation and leaders in college student mental health and suicide prevention. Please see the link below to register for this year's conference. We Are All in This Together!

We Are All In This Together . . . Pushing through the Pandemic

#### **REGISTER NOW!!**

When: September 30th and October 1st

Where: Virtual-Zoom

Cost: Free to University System of Georgia Institutions

Who should attend: Administration, Faculty, Staff and Student Leaders

Check out our conference website: USG 2021 Suicide Prevention Conference

Respectfully,

2021 USG Suicide Prevention Conference Planning Committee

Shay Little, Chair - GA Southern University

Joyce Jones - University System of GA

Cori Loftis - University System of GA

Lacy Till - University System of GA

Tonya Coleman - Gordon State College

Jodi Caldwell - GA Southern University

Jacqueline Caskey-James - Fort Valley State University

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# **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**<a href="mailto:conferences">Conferences</a>

# **Staff Council Monthly Meeting: September 21**

Staff Council: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Staff Council will hold its next monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 21 at 3 p.m. Meetings are open to any staff member who would like to attend.

An online link to the meeting is available at https://gcsu.webex.com/meet/elizabeth.giordano.

Updated: 2021-08-24

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**Staff Council** 

# 12th Annual Academic Expo

Academic Advising Center: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Join us for the 12 Annual Academic Expo, Wednesday, September 29th, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Centennial Center. Explore majors, minors, certificate programs, campus resources, and more. Open to all students.

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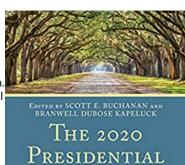
**Academic Advising Center** 

## New book by chair of Government and Sociology

Government & Sociology, Department of: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Dr. Scott Buchanan, department chair of Government and Sociology, has co-edited a book titled "The 2020 Presidential Election in the South." The volume analyzes the political trends at work in the 2020 presidential election in the South. The book, published by Lexington Books, features chapters written by political experts in the field of Southern Politics. Dr. Buchanan's book is the most recent in a series of volumes that dates to 1984, and the series is among the most prestigious academic studies on presidential elections in the American South. In addition, Dr. Buchanan has recently written a chapter on South Carolina politics in a separate book, which will be published later this year.

Professor Buchanan started at Georgia College in July 2020, after having taught for one year in Helsinki, Finland, as part of the Fulbright program. From 2009-2020, he also served on the faculty at The Citadel in Charleston, South Carolina. Prior to 2009, he was on the faculty at Columbus State University.



ELECTION IN THE SOUTH





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Government & Sociology, Department of

## **Updated Guidelines on the Campus Glass Recycling Program**

Sustainability, Office of: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Dear Bobcats,

The Office of Sustainability would like to make you aware of a recent change to our guidelines for the campus glass recycling program. We will no longer accept glass bottles or containers that exceed 4" in diameter. For example, a 30 oz. stainless steel tumbler measures 4" in diameter at the top of the container. Glass containers exceeding 4" in diameter are not compatible with our glass crushing machine and result in unnecessary workplace risks for our staff. We are happy to continue collecting your glass bottles and containers 4" in diameter or less in the glass recycling bins on campus. You can view bin locations on the interactive campus map. We thank you for your cooperation and your support of the campus glass recycling program. With your help, we have been able to divert almost 4,000 pounds of glass waste since the start of this calendar year. If you have any questions or concerns, please email recycle@gcsu.edu.

Updated: 2021-09-14

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Sustainability, Office of

## **Call for Spring 2022 Supplemental Instruction Support**

The Learning Center: Tuesday September 14, 2021

We have extended our deadline!

The Learning Center is now accepting requests for Supplemental Instruction support for spring semester 2022. Individual faculty members or departments may request this direct academic support service for the students enrolled in their course(s). The Learning Center is planning to support a number of student SI Leader positions for spring using the peer-led Supplemental Instruction model:

Supplemental Instruction Leaders (SIs) are undergraduate students assigned to a section(s) of particular, often introductory, course. A primary goal of the SI program is to increase enrolled students' successful completion of historically difficult classes. SIs attend all class meetings, take notes, coordinate with faculty as needed, and serve as models to those students currently enrolled in the section. The SIs lead regular, peer-facilitated study sessions, outside of class time, to discuss course concepts, review or practice material, and help strengthen students' study skills. SI Leaders host peer collaborative learning experiences which also promote involvement and inclusion into our culture of learning.

As undergraduates, Supplemental Instruction Leaders are not responsible for grading course work, preparing exams, teaching new material, or assigning grades. These responsibilities belong only to the faculty or graduate assistants who are hired by the University to teach the course and who are listed as the instructor of record.

You can find additional details about the criteria we use for the SI Partner Courses attached as well as the below link overview document titled 'What is Supplemental Instruction'. link: <a href="http://www.gcsu.edu/success/docs/What\_is\_Supplemental\_Instruction.docx">http://www.gcsu.edu/success/docs/What\_is\_Supplemental\_Instruction.docx</a>

It's time now to plan for SIs for the Fall 2021 semester. If you would like to request SI support for sections in your department or have your faculty members make a direct request, please submit requests via the following online Qualtrics form by COB, Friday, September 17th. We realize this is a rapid turn-around but would like the additional time for recruiting an excellent pool of student candidates. If teaching assignments have not been confirmed for spring but you would like to keep this support option open, please request an SI Leader with course assignment pending. We are happy to adjust.

Please fill out this short Request Survey here: https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_0DSCNyoPRLBT3n0

All academic disciplines are eligible to apply for SI Leader positions; the Learning Center will continue to hire, train, and supervise the SI Leaders as well as survey faculty partners and the participants at the end of the semester. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Allocation decisions will be announced to recipient departments on or about September 20th, allowing time for us to recruit, collaborate, and identify candidates for the best matches for our SI Leaders. We will partner with you in identifying SI Leaders this month and early October; students selected as SI Leaders can utilize Priority Registration to ensure their availability to audit your course section so the sooner we work on this, the better!

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE The Learning Center

### **Tunes from the Trail: A Constitution Week Concert**

Music, Department of: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Monday, Sept. 20 As part of Georgia College's annual "Constitution Week," a lively production of political campaign music will be presented at 6 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom. "Tunes from the Trail: A program featuring music from U.S. Presidential Campaigns, 1840-1964" will showcase well-known campaign songs like "Tippecanoe and Tyler Too," "I'm Just Wild About Harry" and "Hello Lyndon." Trax on the Trail, a website cofounded by faculty member Dr. Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, is hosting this concert along with the Constitution Week Committee. Student performers include sopranos Sophia Clark and Erin Lamb and Tyler Harris, tenor. Dr. Jennifer Flory will conduct the Max Noah Singers and faculty member Lev Ryabinin will accompany on piano. A \$5 donation is encouraged. This concert will also be livestreamed on <a href="mailto:facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment">facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment</a>. All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the <a href="mailto:GC Department of Music">GC Department of Music</a> through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email <a href="music@gcsu.edu">music@gcsu.edu</a> or call 478-445-8289.



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Music, Department of

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Constitution Week Concert Large Program.pdf

### Photo Contest Open to All Students! Submit by Sep. 24, 2021!

International Education Center: Tuesday September 14, 2021

The International Education Center is excited to announce the theme for this year's Photo Contest: Finding Sanctuary in Chaos. The contest runs until Sep. 24, 2021. Winners will be announced during International Week, on Oct. 18th. There will be prizes!

- Deadline to submit photos: Sep. 24, 2021
- . Open to Georgia College students
- The contestant must have taken the photo(s).
- · Amateur photographers only no professionals
- Photographs can be of any place, person or thing that relates to the theme.
- . Photos do NOT have to be from an international location.
- Photos can be made with any device: phone, point and shoot, digital cameras, or drones.
- · Students may submit one to five photos.
- File size cannot exceed 10 MB per photo.
- · Tell your friends!

For complete details and to submit your photos, visit the Photo Contest Website.

Email questions to gcsustudyabroad@gmail.com. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram: GCSUstudyabroad.

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**International Education Center** 

#### **ATTACHMENT**

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# University Senate Meeting this Friday, September 17 at 3:30 PM

University Senate: Tuesday September 14, 2021

Please be reminded of the University Senate meeting this Friday, September 17 at 3:30 PM via WebEx. You may find the agendance.

Thank you,

**Shea Council** 

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#### **ATTACHMENT**

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Agenda - US (2021-09-17).pdf

### **Boren Scholarship Alumni Talk and Virtual Campus Visit**

National Scholarships Office at Georgia College: Tuesday September 14, 2021

On September 21 at 5PM in Humber-White 206, Dr. Amir Moheet, Georgia College's Paul D. Coverdell Visiting Scholar for Fall 2021, will be speaking to Georgia College students both about the Boren Scholarships and Fellowships, which funds language study abroad, and about jobs in the federal government. Dr. Moheet spent a year in Turkey on a Boren Fellowship studying Turkish and Persian. Following his experience abroad, he worked for the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Refugee, Asylum and International Operations Directorate.

On September 22 at 4PM, we will be holding a virtual info session with Jeff Cary, Boren Awards Outreach and Recruitment Manager, who will be talking about how to put together competitive applications for the Boren, as well as about potential career opportunities for Boren Scholars. You can join us on Zoom <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

Boren Scholarships provide funding for undergraduate and graduate students to study critical needs languages in world regions vital to U.S. interests. Boren Scholars and fellows are academically ambitious individuals who intend to pursue careers in federal national security. Recipients are required to work in the federal government for a minimum of one year after graduation and are given special hiring privileges to help them get these jobs.

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# **Announcements Posted Wednesday September 15, 2021**

### Reminder: Diversity 360 Program: Navigating Corporate America as P.O.C.

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Wednesday September 15, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence, in collaboration with University Advancement and Career Services, will present the first Diversity 360 program called Navigating Corporate America as P.O.C. The virtual program will be held September 22 at 4pm. The Zoom Link is <a href="https://tinyurl.com/4wnenuxw">https://tinyurl.com/4wnenuxw</a>.

Navigating the workplace has its challenges; but, as a person of color, it can bring additional issues. Beyond overt discrimination, which many still encounter, there are psychological costs to being one of just a few POCs in a predominantly White environment. According to a 2019 study by Coqual, "while corporate America offers the promise of a stable income, benefits and opportunities to travel, many Black professionals aren't getting a sense of belonging, trust and respect."

A panel of underrepresented alums will share their experiences, successes and challenges in the workplace since graduating from GC. They will offer their knowledge, wisdom and expertise with our students of color as they prepare to embark on their career journey. The event will also provide students the opportunity to network with our esteemed panel in this virtual village. Students interested in attending this event must register at <a href="https://gcsu.joinhandshake.com/events/809950/share\_preview">https://gcsu.joinhandshake.com/events/809950/share\_preview</a>.

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### Opportunities Abroad Fair Sept. 20 - 24; Register Now!

International Education Center: Wednesday September 15, 2021

The GC Opportunities Abroad Fair, Sept. 20-24, 2021, is your one-stop shop to explore study abroad, international internships and Border-Free programs! Learn more and Register for the Fair HERE so you can participate! Registration opens Sept. 15. Once the Fair opens on Sept. 20, you can join live info sessions with program directors, find us tabling at the A&S Fountain, access content about all of our programs around the world, meet some of our exchange partners, and get your questions answered.

Meanwhile, how can you learn more about GC international opportunities?

- The online <u>Study Abroad Catalog</u> provides a quick look into ALL of your program options. We have programs in over 60 countries and on every continent, including Antarctica!
- Program Discovery allows you to search using any keyword.
- Watch a recorded Study Abroad Information session.
- Attend a Drop-in Advising session. We hold them every Monday through Thursday at 2 PM. No appointment needed!
  - $\circ~$  Mondays and Tuesdays in Chappell Hall 102  $\,$
  - o Wednesdays and Thursdays in Teams

Don't Forget - Register to join the Opportunities Abroad Fair!



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International Education Center



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### National Times Talk Sep 17 from 1-2 pm on The Constitution

American Democracy Project: Wednesday September 15, 2021

You are cordially invited to join faculty (including several from GC) and students from sea to shining sea in the National Constitution Day Conversation on Friday, September 17 from 1-2 p.m. ET. Designed to reach across differences, this hour-long event, hosted by AASCU's American Democracy Project and the New York Times, creates a space for open discussion of the U.S. Constitution. This national facilitated dialogue will feature an informal and amusing Kahoot: Constitution Edition, followed by dedicated time to discuss your thoughts & feelings on the U.S. Constitution with other people from the world of higher education. We will provide access to information about the U.S. Constitution, but you need not be an expert to enjoy this event and to share in the lively conversation. Open and free to all higher education students, faculty, and staff. Bring your classes and student organizations, and join us for this national dialogue. Register Now.



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### Flu shots are available at Student Health!

Student Health Services: Wednesday September 15, 2021

Influenza season is quickly approaching and Student Health wants to make sure you are vaccinated. Starting today, Wednesday, September 15, flu shots are available at Student Health on a walk-in basis to all students. Flu shots are free and are available Monday through Friday at the clinic on West Campus from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you have any questions, please call Student Health at 478-445-5288.

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### **Constitution Week: Immigration and Constitution Lunch Discussion**

Accounting, Department of: Wednesday September 15, 2021

Tuesday's celebration of Constitution Week includes a discussion on the United States Constitution and Immigration. Georgia College's Drs. James Daria, Assistant Professor, Department of Government and Sociology, and Amir Moheet, Coverdell Visiting Scholar will be discussing their knowledge and experiences of immigration and the reality of immigration in this country.

Amir Moheet, Ph.D. in Political Science, is currently teaching a course on global migration at GCSU. His Global Migration course explores substantive public policy questions of human mobility, including the role that international law, violence and war, citizenship, anti-immigrant politics, and racism play in producing policy outcomes across the world. Emphasizing the normative aspects of policy, the course centers the causes and consequences of migration policy through empirical and theoretical investigations that bring to bear broader ethical implications for democracy, society, and migrant reform.

James Daria, Ph.D. is a cultural anthropologist specializing in issues of migration, race, and labor across the U.S.-Mexican border. He is currently working on a book about indigenous Mexican farmworkers picking our food under conditions of modern slavery. At GCSU Dr. Daria teaches a number of classes on migrant, refugee, and human rights issues. His research interests include Im/migration, Farm Labor, Popular Music & Culture, and Mexico & Latin America.

Come join us at 12 noon on Tuesday, September 21, for this lunch discussion to enjoy food and facts.

Location: The Cultural Center (in Room 103 of The H.U.B. at Blackbridge Hall)

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Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Con Week Flyer 2021\_1.pdf

### **September 2021 CTL Newsletter**

Center for Teaching & Learning: Wednesday September 15, 2021

Please see the attached September CTL Newsletter for more information on:

- . Department Spotlight The Learning Center Brings Mindset to Its Student Staff
- Constitution Week
- News from the CTL Peer Feedback on Teaching Request Period Now Open; Call for Proposals Inclusive Excellence Research Grants Application Period Closes September 17; Call for Proposals Faculty Research Grants Round I Application Period Closes September 17; SRIS Marking Classes in Banner for Fall 2021 Now Open; Request for Proposals Affordable Learning Georgia Grants, Round 20; Save the Date Open Education Resource (OER) Webinar with David Harris, Editor in Chief at OpenStax
- · GeorgiaVIEW Updates Assignment Evaluation Experience; Discussions; Update Browser to Display Textbox
- Transformative Experiences and Essential Learning Outcomes Workshops
- . News from IT
- Upcoming CTL Workshops
- . CTL Workshops for the Fall Semester

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**Center for Teaching & Learning** 

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

CTL Newsletter September 2021.pdf

### **Jazz Jam Session: Lawn of The Depot**

Music, Department of: Wednesday September 15, 2021

Come out and enjoy our GC Jazz Jam Session Tuesday, Sept. 21, 7-9 pm on the lawn of the GC Depot, presented by Jazz at Georgia College. Hosted by our faculty and student jazz musicians, the GC Jam Session is open to all members of the community interested in working on their jazz and improvisation skills. As last year was a bit of a challenge, we are happy to now be able to invite our community back out to play with us. Bring your instrument if you want to play or come just to enjoy the live music on the lawn at The Depot. We hope to see you there!



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### **Reminder: Fall 2021 Graduate Research Grants**

The Graduate School: Wednesday September 15, 2021

The Graduate School is now accepting applications for the fall 2021 cycle of the Graduate Research Grants program. Georgia College graduate students are encouraged to apply for funding to support registration costs associated with the presentation of their own original scholarship at professional academic conferences.

Graduate Research Grants will be made in the following category:

Category 1: Grants will be awarded that support student presentations of original scholarship or research conducted with a faculty mentor at professional virtual academic conferences (international, national, regional and state level) in the student's discipline. Grants will also cover costs of research in the student's discipline. There is a maximum of \$400 per grant for virtual conference fees. Incomplete applications will not be considered. The deadline to apply is October 15, 2021.

Students seeking funds to support attendance at academic conferences in their field of study should apply through the SGA student travel fund.

For more information and the application, please visit The Graduate School website at <a href="https://www.gcsu.edu/future-students/graduate/graduate/graduate-opportunities">https://www.gcsu.edu/future-students/graduate/graduate/graduate/graduate-opportunities</a>

Completed applications may be mailed to: The Graduate School | Attn: Parris Story | CBX 107 | Milledgeville, GA 31061.

Completed application may be hand-delivered to: The Office of Graduate Admissions | McIntosh House | 1st Floor, Office 106.

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# **Announcements Posted Thursday September 16, 2021**

# Internal job opportunity for Administrative Assistant II for Information Technology

Human Resources, Office of: Thursday September 16, 2021

Georgia College announces an internal job opportunity for Administrative Assistant II for Information Technology

Current full-time, benefit eligible employees of Georgia College are able to apply. This internal posting will receive applications through September 23.

Applying to jobs as an internal applicant can be done directly through OneUSG. Please follow this job aid for step-by-step instructions How Do I Apply For Internal Jobs? (ESS Job Aid)

If you are prompted to "Login" when clicking on the link above please follow these simple steps:

- Visit <a href="https://usg.service-now.com/usgsp">https://usg.service-now.com/usgsp</a>
- · Click Login, then Login using SSO
- · Click Knowledge, then OneUSG Connect Knowledge

Questions regarding the application process can be directed to GCSUCareers@gcsu.edu

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**Human Resources, Office of** 

## **Important COVID Testing Information for Thursday**

Student Health Services: Thursday September 16, 2021

The location has been changed for the COVID-19 testing clinic today for students, staff and faculty from 9 a.m. – noon and 1 p.m. – 4 p.m. It has been moved to 211 Health Sciences Building. All COVID-19 testing is free.

Student Health Services is also conducting their weekly walk-in COVID vaccination clinic today on West Campus from 9 a.m. – Noon and 1 p.m. – 4 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Student Health Services

# Andalusia Interpretative Center groundbreaking and Integrated Science Complex ribbon-cutting events

President, Office of the: Thursday September 16, 2021

Please join President Steve M. Dorman on Wednesday, September 29th as we break ground for the new Andalusia Interpretative Center and cut the ribbon for the newly constructed Integrated Science Complex.

Andalusia Interpretative Center groundbreaking Andalusia, 2628 N. Columbia St. 10 a.m.

Integrated Science Complex ribbon-cutting 141 W. Montgomery St. 1 p.m.



PRESIDENT STEVE M. DORMAN INVITES YOU TO JOIN THE

Break ground for the new Andalusia Interpretative Center

-and-

Cut the ribbon for the newly constructed Integrated Science Complex

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2021

GROUNDBREAKING

10:00 a.m. | 2628 N. Columbia Street.

RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY 1:00 p.m. | 141 W. Montgomery St.



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#### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

President, Office of the

#### **ATTACHMENT**

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### NCUR 2022 @home Abstract Submission Portal is Now Open!

GC Journeys: Thursday September 16, 2021

Save the Date: April 4 - 8, 2022 | Virtual



CUR is excited for another year of the National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR). We can't wait to share important details, deadlines, and more with you in the coming weeks. CUR has been working diligently on preparing an amazing, interactive, and meaningful experience for all students and mentors. Due to the increase levels and community spread of the Delta variant and campus travel restrictions, NCUR will remain virtual. This year, however, will be planned out a little differently. Please note the following:

Some of the many new offerings:

- NCUR will be providing programming spread out over a week's time that includes primary education taking place in learning discipline-specific cohorts
- All accepted students, including those poster and visual art image submissions, will have the opportunity to present to a cohort group for 10-15
  minutes.
- This year, NCUR will take place on a new platform integrated with Zoom.
- A new addition this year is adding an opt-in competitive element for presentations.
- Registration options for family and friend's passes will be available.
- Graduate Fair meet-up hours will be separate from presentation times to prevent conflicts. There will also be interactive game activities with prizes.

#### **UPCOMING DEADLINES TO NOTE**

September 15, 2021Abstract Submissions Open

October 20, 2021Early-Bird Abstract Submissions and Opt-in for Competition Deadline

Week of November 15, 2021Early-Bird Abstract Submission Decision Notifications

Week of November 15, 2021Registration Opens

November 19, 2021Regular Abstract Submission Deadline (Not eligible for competition aspect)

December 20, 2021Discounted Registration Deadline for Accepted Abstract's Submitted during Early-Bird Submission Round

Week of January 10, 2022Regular Abstract Submission Notifications Sent

January 31, 2022Discounted Registration Deadline for Accepted Abstracts Submitted During Regular Submission Round

March 21, 2022Final Registration Deadline for All (Credit Card payment only after February 7, 2022)

April 1, 2022NCUR 2022 @home Orientation

April 4-8, 2022Main NCUR 2022 @home event

April 11, 2022Celebratory Reflection and Award Ceremony

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#### **Mental Health Resources Available**

Student Life. Office of: Thursday September 16, 2021

We know the last year has been challenging and you have had to deal with more stress than usual. We want to remind you that you are not alone—there are a number of mental health resources available for you. Whether you are on campus, studying from home or studying abroad, GC Mental Health is here for you, offering support options to meet you where you are.

Through GC Mental Health, you have access to the following:

- A 24/7/365 mental health support line for in-the-moment support from counselors and guidance with next steps, regardless of time of day or your location – Call 833-855-0085 to reach the 24/7 support line
- Free telehealth or off campus face to face counseling sessions. These are available to you no matter where you are (on or off campus, any state
  or internationally) and no insurance necessary.
- One-on-one personal assistance to help navigate any challenges or barriers you may face in reaching mental health support. This includes
  assistance with accessing mental health providers, specialty providers, housing and food supports and or other services that will help support
  your academic success.
- Assistance with Mental Health Medication. Have questions about a prescription? Need help managing your treatment? You have access to an
  online prescribing clinic for evaluation and management of mental health medications. To access these services, call the 24/7 support line at
  833-855-0085 or contact the counseling center.
- "The Wellness Hub" which includes articles and videos on mental health and wellness topics including: Mental and Emotional Health, Fitness and Nutrition, Academic Performance, Stress Management, Healthy Relationships and more – To access the Wellness Hub go to gcwellnesshub.com.
- NEW Meditation and Mindfulness App You now have access to a Headspace subscription for free. It helps with building coping and resiliency
  skills and offers more than 1,000 hours of mindfulness and mental well-being content. To learn more about Headspace and download the appgo
  to gcwellnesshub.com.

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# **Announcements Posted Friday September 17, 2021**

### Usery Forum on Leadership: Media Literacy and the Future of Democracy

Leadership Programs: Friday September 17, 2021

On Tuesday, September 21st, at 5 p.m., Georgia College Leadership Programs will host a panel of distinguished journalists for a discussion of "Media Literacy and the Future of Democracy." The event will mark the first in the Usery Forum on Leadership series for the 2021-22 academic year.

Panelists include Richard T. Griffiths, vice president and senior editorial director (ret.) at CNN, Rose Scott, host and executive producer at WABE Atlanta, and Greg Bluestein, political reporter for the Atlanta Journal-Constitution.

The nonpartisan event will be hosted by Georgia College's Office of Leadership Programs, in collaboration with the Council of Public Liberal Arts Colleges (COPLAC) and the American Democracy Project.

Panelists will explore the current state of media literacy in the United States and in Georgia and offer insights on the symbiosis between the media and democracy.

Dr. James R. Schiffman and Dr. Harold Mock will moderate the discussion. Schiffman is associate professor of journalism at Georgia College, and Mock is director of leadership programs and assistant professor of history.

The event will feature interactive exchange with Georgia College students. "As a liberal arts institution, we teach our students in the classic tradition of leadership for the public good," says Mock. "That involves preparing students for thoughtful and engaged citizenship and active dialogue with thought-leaders in public life."

The event is free and open to the public and will be held in Peabody Auditorium in Milledgeville. To join this discussion on Facebook Live, please visit <a href="https://fb.me/e/EKawOBF3">https://fb.me/e/EKawOBF3</a>.

For more information visit www.gcsu.edu/inspire.

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# **Announcements Posted Monday September 20, 2021**

### Piano Studio Recital: Jazz Inspired

Music, Department of: Monday September 20, 2021

Sunday, Sept. 26 Georgia College will hold a Piano Studio Recital, "Jazz Inspired," at 3 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom at the Student Activities Center. Dr. Owen Lovell will lead students from the Georgia College Piano Studio program in a concert of jazz-inspired solo pieces. Students were challenged to learn and memorize a new composition in six weeks, an achievement that requires work ethic and discipline. They'll perform less-known jazz by women and other underrepresented composers. Students will be joined on stage by faculty pianists, piano studio alumni and prospective piano majors. Performances will be on the rebuilt 1889 "Burrell" Steinway model A grand piano in Magnolia Ballroom. This concert will also be livestreamed at facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment. A \$5 donation is encouraged. All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the GC Department of Music through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email music@gcsu.edu or call 478-445-8289.



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#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Piano Studio Recital 9.26.2021 program\_0.pdf

# Check out this week's Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs newsletter!

Women's Center: Monday September 20, 2021

Check out this week's <u>Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs newsletter</u> including info on our upcoming Diversity in Gaming event and a recap of our 3rd annual Feminist Leadership Academy.

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#### **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

Women's Center

### Photo Contest Still Open to All GC Students! Submit by Sept. 24

International Education Center: Monday September 20, 2021

The International Education Center is excited to announce the theme for this year's Photo Contest: Finding Sanctuary in Chaos. The contest runs until Sept. 24, 2021. Winners will be announced during International Week, on Oct. 18th. There will be prizes!

- Deadline to submit photos: Sept. 24, 2021
- . Open to Georgia College students
- The contestant must have taken the photo(s).
- · Amateur photographers only no professionals
- Photographs can be of any place, person or thing that relates to the theme.
- Photos do NOT have to be from an international location.
- Photos can be made with any device: phone, point and shoot, digital cameras, or drones.
- . Students may submit one to five photos.
- File size cannot exceed 10 MB per photo.
- · Tell your friends!

For complete details and to submit your photos, visit the Photo Contest Website.

Email questions to gcsustudyabroad@gmail.com. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram: GCSUstudyabroad.

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**International Education Center** 



### **Presidential Transition Committee Update**

Information Technology: Monday September 20, 2021

In June, a Presidential Transition Team was created to assist in the onboarding of the new President. The overall intention was to ensure that our incoming president would have a smooth transition during the first 100 days and to assist in reviewing priorities and campus needs. This team will also offer guidance regarding which events, activities and engagements require the president's attention during the very busy initial months of onboarding. It is our intention that this transition team can help prioritize meetings with individuals both on and off campus. This team will also help schedule relevant introductions across campus, in our community and with associations and organizations that are important to Georgia College.

The Transition Team members include:

Susan Kerr, Chair of Committee Caroline Attaway Frank Baugh Lauren Easom Gretchen Krumdieck Hasitha Mahabaduge Omar Odeh Mary Beth Pennington Holley Roberts Joel Robinson Sara Stallings Monica Starley

President Cathy Cox will arrive on campus October 1. Please know the transition team and the President's office will assist to guide her activities scheduled for the first 100 days. President Cox has already indicated that this will include introductions to campus and a listening tour across campus. If you would like more information about the work of the transition team, please feel free to contact Susan Kerr (susan.kerr@gcsu.edu) directly.

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### COVID-19 testing and flu shot clinics

University Communications: Monday September 20, 2021

As we move into flu season, the College of Health Sciences and GC Medical reserve Corp will conduct multiple testing and flu shot clinics throughout September and into November. All COVID-19 testing is free, and students can receive vaccines for free. The flu shot is \$20 for faculty and staff. See the dates below to find a time right for you to get your flu shot!

- Sept. 21 1-3 p.m. 211 Health Sciences Building COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 22 10:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m. HSB Skills Lab Flu shot
- Sept. 23 9 a.m. 12:00 p.m. & 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 28 8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Sept. 30 9 a.m. 12 p.m. & 1-4 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Oct. 19 8 a.m. 12 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot
- Nov. 30 9 a.m. 12 p.m. Parks Memorial Sidewalk COVID-19 tests and flu shot

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**University Communications** 

### **Job Opportunity for Accounting Clerk for the Business Office**

Finance & Administration: Monday September 20, 2021

Georgia College announces an open position for Accounting Clerk in the Business Office

Current full-time, benefit eligible employees of Georgia College are able to apply. This internal posting will receive applications through September 24

Applying to jobs as an internal applicant can be done directly through OneUSG. Please follow this job aid for step-by-step instructions: How Do I Apply For Internal Jobs? (ESS Job Aid)

If you are prompted to "Login" when clicking on the link above please follow these simple steps:

- · Visit https://usg.service-now.com/usgsp
- Click Login, then Login using SSO
- · Click Knowledge, then OneUSG Connect Knowledge

Questions regarding the application process can be directed to GCSUCareers@gcsu.edu

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Finance & Administration

### **Constitution Week: Supreme Court Review**

Provost & Academic Affairs, Office of the: Monday September 20, 2021

Learn more about the Supreme Court's recent rulings with the following scholars and professionals:

- . Matt Roessing, Lecturer, Terry College of Business, UGA
  - o Prof. Roessing was instrumental in expanding Georgia College's Constitution Week events
  - He will discuss Mahanoy Area School District v. B.L. (USSC Opinion)
- Jeffrey Kessler, Co-Executive Chairman, Winston & Strawn
  - o Mr. Kessler is one of the world's leading antitrust, sports law, and trial lawyers
  - He will discuss a case he argued before the Supreme Court, National Collegiate Athletic Association v. Alston (USSC Opinion)
- Stephen Bradley, Superior Court Judge, Ocmulgee Judicial Circuit
  - o Judge Bradley served as the District Attorney for years prior to joining the bench in this area.
  - He will discuss juvenile sentencing and federalism with Jones v. Mississippi (USSC Opinion)
- · Rahul Garabadu, Voting Rights Attorney, ACLU
  - o Mr. Garabadu's involvement in democracy and voting rights spans the globe.
  - He will discuss Brnovich v. Democratic National Committee (USSC Opinion)

For more information, please visit our website by clicking here.

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Provost & Academic Affairs, Office of the

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### **CONSTITUTION WEEK 2021**

SUPREME COURT REVIEW



### **The Second Annual Peacock Symposium**

Andalusia Institute: Monday September 20, 2021

Daniel Wallace, the J. Ross MacDonald Distinguished Professor of English at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and director of their Creative Writing program, will join us Tue, Sept. 21, at 7:00 P.M in A&S Auditorium for a reading and evening lecture open to the general public but live-streamed to our virtual audience. Wallace has written six novels (Big Fish, Ray in Reverse, The Watermelon King, Mr. Sebastian and the Negro Magician, The King and Queens of Roam, and Extraordinary Adventures), one children's book (The Cat's Pajamas), and one coloring book (with Emily Wallace, Roadside Attractions) as well as numerous short stories and essays. "Big Fish" was made into a movie (directed by Tim Burton) in 2003 and then into a Broadway musical in 2013. In 2019 he won the Harper Lee Award for a living, nationally recognized Alabama writer who has made a significant lifelong contribution to Alabama letters.

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### **Reminder: Visiting VIP Notification form**

University Events & Protocol, Office of: Monday September 20, 2021

If your department has invited or plans to invite, an elected official, distinguished guest, or VIP to campus, please complete the Visiting VIP Notification form. The Office of University Events and Protocol is an available resource to assist with these campus visits and should be informed when an invitation has been extended and accepted.

The Visiting VIP Notification form can be found under GC Signatures or foundhere.

For the purposes of this form, VIPs and dignitaries are defined as (but not limited to):

President of the United States or spouse
Current (or former) Heads of State or spouse
University System of Georgia Chancellor, Vice Chancellor or Board of Regents
Members of the United States Congress (senator or representative)
Ambassadors
Milledgeville and Baldwin County elected officials
Presidents of universities, colleges, and accrediting agencies
Chief Executive Officers of major organizations
High profile academics and invited speakers
Senior public servants – military
Significant members of the public

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# **President's and Provost's University Senate Reports**

University Senate: Monday September 20, 2021

All,

President Dorman's and Provost Spirou's university senate reports from the meeting on Friday, September 17, 2021 can be foundhere. If you should need anything, please let me know.

Thank you,

Shea Council

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**University Senate** 

### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document.

Reports - President and Provost (2021-09-17).pdf

### Student Technology Fee Innovation Grants - Fall 2021 | Application Deadline: October 4

Information Technology: Monday September 20, 2021

Do you have an innovative technology research project in mind? Do you need funding? A portion of the Student Technology Fee has been reserved to fund your innovative research projects.

To support the initiatives of the University, the Provost, CIO and Student Technology Fee Advisory Committee (STFAC) updated the grant guidelines to support research and capitalize on the impact of the grant. STF grants should support technology-based research opportunities that show student impact. Each grant must also include a plan to disseminate the research results so others can benefit from this innovative work.

The grant is not designed to provide ongoing funding and must be used within the fiscal year budget guidelines. The grant is not designed to fund cameras, iPads or computers. STF provides a bulk quantity of cameras, iPads and computers for checkout through Russell Library.

All grant proposals must have the approval and quote(s) from Information Technology. The Director of Technology Support Services, Sonny McKenzie, will assist you with pricing and help to ensure your project can be implemented. Please send your request to <a href="mailto:sonny.mckenzie@gcsu.edu">sonny.mckenzie@gcsu.edu</a> with STF Grant noted. Once you have a well-researched plan with a budget, please complete the Student Technology Fee Grant Request Form: <a href="https://georgiacollege-bsucw.formstack.com/forms/student\_technology\_fee\_grant\_request\_form">https://georgiacollege-bsucw.formstack.com/forms/student\_technology\_fee\_grant\_request\_form</a>

After you complete your submission, a confirmation email will be sent. Please don't hesitate to contact us with your concerns and suggestions.

The deadline for application submission is October 4, so start planning! The STFAC will provide written notification of fund disbursement by October 29. If you have any questions, please contact the committee at <a href="mailto:stf@gcsu.edu">stf@gcsu.edu</a>.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Information Technology

# **Announcements Posted Tuesday September 21, 2021**

### The GC Opportunities Abroad Fair is This Week!

International Education Center: Tuesday September 21, 2021

The GC Opportunities Abroad Fair, Sept. 20-24, 2021, is your one-stop shop to explore study abroad, international internships and Border-Free programs! Learn more and Register for the Fair HERE. Join live info sessions with program directors, find us tabling at the A&S Fountain, access content about all of our programs around the world, meet some of our exchange partners, and get your questions answered.

Meanwhile, how can you learn more about GC international opportunities?

- The online <u>Study Abroad Catalog</u> provides a quick look into ALL of your program options. We have programs in over 60 countries and on every continent, including Antarctica!
- · Program Discovery allows you to search using any keyword.
- Watch a recorded Study Abroad Information session.
- Attend a Drop-in Advising session. We hold them every Monday through Thursday at 2 PM. No appointment needed!
  - Mondays and Tuesdays in Chappell Hall 102
  - Wednesdays and Thursdays in Teams

Don't Forget - Register to join the Opportunities Abroad Fair!

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### Constitution Week Times Talk Wednesday Sep. 22 noon-12:50 via Zoom

American Democracy Project: Tuesday September 21, 2021

You are invited to join us via Zoom for a Constitution Week Times Talk on Wed. Sep. 22 from noon-12:50 pm with Dr. Hank Edmondson, Professor of Political Science on "Is Oklahoma Really an Indian Reservation? A Consideration of McGirt v. Oklahoma (2020)"

The following article may be referred to during the discussion for background context; https://www.nytimes.com/2021/08/16/us/supreme-court-native-americans-oklahoma.html?searchResultPosition=1

Register in advance for this meeting with your GC email address at https://gcsu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwoceqvqzlpH9dw5aHVSK87KEU1MGIVyRqD After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.



Times Talk is celebrating 16 years of informed, insightful and lively community-wide discussion of current and significant topics as reported in the New York Times. Just bring your brain! Brought to you by the American Democracy Project at Georgia College and the Ina Dillard Russell Library.

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American Democracy Project

### Nominations for Omicron Delta Kappa's Emerging Leader of the Year Award

Leadership Programs: Tuesday September 21, 2021

All members of the university community are invited to submit nominations for Omicron Delta Kappa's Emerging Leader of the Year Award.

#### Nominees must:

- 1. have freshman or sophomore status,
- 2. be in good academic standing,
- 3. be making a positive impact on the community, and
- 4. serve as role models for other GC students.

To nominate a deserving emerging leader, please complete this simple online form. Nominations should be a paragraph in length and should address how the nominee embodies the principles of ODK:

- 1. exemplary character,
- 2. responsible leadership and service in university and community life,
- 3. superior scholarship,
- 4. genuine fellowship, and
- 5. dedication to democratic ideals.

Please submit your nomination online here:

https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/e49c9a991bd74da58d003afd35004f5a

The deadline for receiving nominations is October 1st by 5 p.m.

Many Thanks,

Anagha Ramakrishnan

Circle President

Omicron Delta Kappa

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**Leadership Programs** 

# Announcements Posted Wednesday September 22, 2021

### **College of Education Dean participates in AACTE Washington Week**

University Communications: Wednesday September 22, 2021

Dr. Joseph Peters, dean of the College of Education, is participating this week in the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE) virtual "Day on the Hill" held Sept. 21- 23.

"Day on the Hill" includes advocacy training sessions as well as virtual U.S. House and Senate visits.

Themed "Your Voice Matters," the virtual event allows AACTE members to make their collective voices heard with members of Congress.

"I will meet virtually with Senator Ossoff, Senator Warnock, Congressman Hice and others to talk about the priorities in the area of Teacher Preparation," said Peters.

Peters currently serves as President of the Georgia Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, the statewide affiliate of AACTE.

Georgia College regularly participates at the national and state level in AACTE events. When it is held at the state level, students often go in-person to Atlanta.

The American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education is a national alliance of educator preparation programs and partners dedicated to high-quality, evidence-based preparation that assures educators are profession-ready as they enter the classroom. Over 650 members include public and private colleges and universities in every state, the District of Columbia, the Virgin Islands and Guam. Through advocacy and capacity building, AACTE promotes innovation and effective practices that strengthen educator preparation.

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### **Key Changes: 2022 USG Healthcare Plans**

Human Resources, Office of: Wednesday September 22, 2021

Below are the key changes for the 2022 USG Healthcare Plans for active employees:.

- Premiums: The Board approved a slight increases to premiums for all USG Healthcare Plans between \$1 \$21 per month (.6% 4%) depending on the plan and coverage tier in which you are enrolled.
- · Pharmacy Coverage: The Board approved the following changes to the pharmacy coverage
  - o Adding a Specialty Pharmacy tier for the Comprehensive Care and BlueChoice HMO plans with co-insurance and maximums by drug tier.
  - Adding a 30-day supply limit to specialty medications for the Comprehensive Care, Consumer Choice HSA, and BlueChoice HMO plans.
  - Adding 60-day and 90-day supply copays for the Comprehensive Care and BlueChoice HMO plans at 2x or 3x the cost of the 30-day supply.
  - Increasing the Kaiser HMO plan mail order co-pay from 2 copays per 90-day supply to 3 co-pays per 90-day supply.
- Consumer Choice HSA Plan: The Board approved an increase in the out-of-pocket maximums; in-network employee only coverage tier increases from \$3,700 to \$4,000; and family tier increases from \$7,400 to \$8,000. The HSA matching contribution will continue in 2022 at \$375 for employee-only coverage and \$750 for family coverage.
- Tobacco use and working spouse surcharges: The Board approved the continuation of the tobacco use and working spouse surcharges at \$100 per person per month.
  - The tobacco use surcharge applies to employees and dependents age 18 and over enrolled in the USG healthcare plans who use tobacco.
  - The working spouse surcharge applies to employees who cover their spouse under the plan if the spouse is employed and receives an offer
    of coverage through their place of employment.
  - o Certification and acknowledgement of penalties WILL BE REQUIRED during open enrollment for BOTH of these surcharges.
- Well-being: The 2022 program will continue to offer a \$100 well-being credit, as well as an expanded list of activities to earn the credit. The 2022 program will ensure members have access to resources surrounding diabetes education, prevention, and management and weight loss programming for those who qualify. Completion of a health risk assessment will continue to be required to qualify to earn the \$100 well-being credit for 2022. A well-being credit will be provided for employees who receive the COVID-19 vaccine.
- Accolade: Accolade will continue to support employees enrolled in the Anthem (Blue Cross Blue Shield of GA) plan with all of their healthcare
  questions and needs through a personal healthcare assistant.

More details about the changes to the plans will be provided during the Open Enrollment period which will be October 25 through November 5, 2021. A virtual benefits fair with live presentations and chat will be offered during the first week of Open Enrollment, October 25 – 29. We encourage all employees to attend the fair to learn about the changes to the benefit plans for 2022. Enrollment in benefits for the 2022 plan year will take place via OneUSG. Active employees will begin receiving Open Enrollment information in late September – early October by mail and e-mail.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Human Resources, Office of

### Sept 30th Deadline: \$200 Well-Being Credit for Covid-19 Vaccine, for payment in November 2021

Human Resources, Office of: Wednesday September 22, 2021

Employees and spouses enrolled in a USG healthcare plan now have the opportunity to earn a \$200 well-being credit per individual for participating with USG Well-being. In order to receive payout for the credit on your final paycheck in November, this MUST be completed no later than September 30, 2021.

Already enrolled in USG Well-being? Getting the COVID-19 vaccine will make you eligible to earn the \$200 well-being credit through December 31, 2021. If you have already received the \$10 well-being credit for the COVID-19 vaccine in the 2021 credit year, you will receive the additional credit on your rewards page, bringing you to \$200 before the end of September. Vaccines received after September 30, 2021 and before December 31, 2021 will count towards the 2022 credit year, and will be paid out on the employee's final paycheck in April 2022. Be sure to verify that your vaccination has been documented in the program to ensure your credit is on the way. If you haven't been vaccinated yet, there is still time to earn the credit. Details can be found in the FAQ Guide, linked below.

Not yet vaccinated or enrolled in the USG Well-being program? There is still time to enroll and start earning. Visit the FAQ to learn if you are eligible and how to get started.

More resources on this exciting announcement can be found here:

- USG COVID-19 Vaccine Credit Announcement
- FAQ Guide
- Newly Updated 2021 Rewards Guide

Unable to get the COVID-19 vaccine? Check out the Rewards Guide for additional ways to earn the \$200 well-being credit.

Health Assessment Update: Employees and spouses are no longer required to complete the Health Assessment Survey to be eligible to earn the 2021 well-being credit, but taking it is still encouraged. In this short questionnaire, you'll answer questions about your health habits and get personalized recommendations so that you can start setting goals and make the most of your well-being experience!

To claim your credit for the vaccine, please follow these steps below

- To go https://www.usg.edu/well-being
- · Create a USG Well-being account
- Click Home
- Click Rewards
- Scroll down to "Receive the COVID-19Vaccine"
- Click "Receive the COVID-19 Vaccine"
- You will get a popup and click "take me there"
- Complete the COVID-19 Vaccine Attestation form

If you have a covered spouse on the plan, you AND your spouse can complete this for a grand total of \$400! Your spouse will have to register/create a USG Well-Being account here: <a href="https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865">https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865</a>. The primary policy holder will receive the total on their final November paycheck for both the employee & spouse if completed prior by September 30, 2021.

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### **Claim Your Merit Page**

Communication, Department of: Wednesday September 22, 2021

Georgia College wants to celebrate you and all of your hard work! Merit is a way to show off all your accomplishments to family members, friends, and future employers.

Each student has their own page, creating a digital portfolio that contains achievements such as studying abroad, joining a sports team, making Dean's list, or even participating in a research conference.

Claim your Merit page by clicking the link sent to your bobcats email address or by visiting <a href="www.gcsu.meritpages.com">www.gcsu.meritpages.com</a>. If you have any questions, please contact University Communications at 478-445-1934. Don't miss out on this awesome opportunity to showcase your achievements throughout your time here at GC!

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Communication, Department of

## Raising the Game: The Need for Diversity and Representation in Gaming

Women's Center: Wednesday September 22, 2021

Love gaming? Value diversity? Interested in how these two things interact? Then join The Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs and University Housing for Raising the Game: The Need for Diversity and Representation in Gaming on Monday, September 27 at 7 p.m.

This event will feature two amazing panelists: Tanya DePass (the founder of I Need Diverse Games) and Dr. Shira Chess (Author of Play Like a Feminist).

There are two ways to watch this event - in person at the HUB (with free pizza) or online over Zoom (registration required: <a href="https://bit.ly/gcrtg">https://bit.ly/gcrtg</a>).



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## **Announcements Posted Thursday September 23, 2021**

## **Second Dinner With Twelve Strangers--October 21st**

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Thursday September 23, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to announce "Dinner With 12 Strangers", a new "building community" event at Georgia College. During the fall semester, there will be three Dinners that will include a delicious meal, fun ice-breakers, personal introductions, and an engaging conversation about how we can make Georgia College a more welcoming community for all. Twelve selected individuals from all areas of campus will be invited to be one of the twelve strangers who meet for dinner. The Dinners will be hosted from 5:30pm to 7:15pm on three nights during the fall semester: September 16th (Atkinson Front Porch), October 21st (Cultural Center) and November 18th (Mayfair Hall). Our first Dinner was a great success! If you are interested in being considered as a guest at the October 21st Dinner, please send your name and a short statement about why you would like to participate in this community building event to oie@gcsu.edu by October 1st. Dinner guests will be selected by the Office of Inclusive Excellence and notified at least two weeks before the dinner is scheduled. Thank you for participating in this exciting new building community program.

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## Candidate for Position of Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, On-Campus Presentation

College of Arts & Sciences: Thursday September 23, 2021

Faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend the presentation of one of four candidates for the position of Associate Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences today, 3:00-4:00 p.m., in the Pat Peterson Museum Education Room in the Library. To attend in person, please enter the Library from the double doors on the Clarke Street side of the building. To attend virtually, please use the following link:

https://gcsu.zoom.us/j/5909422017?pwd=U3NyUkl1QnhUdzV3TnlMcEFkbDMxZz09

Meeting ID: 590 942 2017

Passcode: 002100

A short reception will follow, in Heritage Common, on the Clarke Street side of the building.

Please direct any questions to Dr. Matthew Pangborn, atmatthew.pangborn@gcsu.edu or 478-445-5574.

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## **OIRE September 2021 Newsletter**

Institutional Research & Effectiveness, Office of: Thursday September 23, 2021

Please <u>read this month's issue</u> for updates from the Office of Institutional Research and Effectiveness. Topics include:

- · Assessment Spotlight
- · Note from the AVP
- · Core Assessment Update
- · Website Spotlight
- · Important Assessment Dates
- · External Reporting Update
- · Excel Tip of the Month
- · Current Partnerships

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Institutional Research & Effectiveness, Office of

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. September 2021.pdf

## **Announcements Posted Friday September 24, 2021**

## Retail Dining Extended Hours 9/26 - 10/7

Dining Services: Friday September 24, 2021

Midterms are almost here and Dining Services is pleased to announce extended hours at retail locations to best serve our students.

## Chick-fil-A

Monday - Thursday = 7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday = 7:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. Saturday = 10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday = closed

#### Subway

Monday - Thursday = 7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday = 7:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. Saturday = 10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday = closed

#### **Books & Brew**

Monday – Thursday = 7:30 a.m. – 7 p.m. Friday = 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday = closed Sunday = noon – 7 p.m.

The MAX and MAX on the Go will maintain current service hours.

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**Dining Services** 

# Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects Candidate's Presentation and Open Forum - Tuesday, September 28

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Friday September 24, 2021

The campus community is invited to attend the presentation and open forum for Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects Candidate, Ms. Nicole Crowell, on Tuesday, September 28 from 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. in Library 241. The candidate will speak for 25-30 minutes on the following topic: "Building capacity for grants and sponsored projects within a public liberal arts institution while creating a culture of compliance."

The presentation will also be streamed live via WebEx: https://gcsu.webex.com/gcsu/j.php?MTID=mfa5b9371cf864aa5a131735b855930c3

The candidate will take questions immediately following the presentation.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Ina Dillard Russell Library

### **Photo Contest: Last Day to Submit Photos!**

International Education Center: Friday September 24, 2021

Today is the last day to enter your photos (up to 5) in this year's Photo Contest: Finding Sanctuary in Chaos. The contest ends today, Sept. 24, 2021. Winners will be announced during International Week, on Oct. 18th. There will be prizes! This is the annual contest hosted by the International Education Center, and this year, the photos don't have to be international.

- Deadline to submit photos: Sept. 24, 2021
- · Open to Georgia College students
- The contestant must have taken the photo(s).
- · Amateur photographers only no professionals
- Photographs can be of any place, person or thing that relates to the theme.
- Photos do NOT have to be from an international location.
- Photos can be made with any device: phone, point and shoot, digital cameras, or drones.
- · Students may submit one to five photos.
- File size cannot exceed 10 MB per photo.
- Tell your friends!

For complete details and to submit your photos, visit the Photo Contest Website.

Email questions to gcsustudyabroad@gmail.com. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram: GCSUstudyabroad.

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**International Education Center** 



#### **2021 CUR e-NEWS**

GC Journeys: Friday September 24, 2021

September 23, 2021

**UPCOMING CUR EVENTS & DEADLINES** 

CUR events are highlighted in indigo, CUR upcoming deadlines are noted in green.

Physics & Astronomy Nadine Barlow UR Support Award

Deadline | October 1, 2021

**CUR Conversation: Tips for Navigating the REU Application Process** 

October 5, 2021 | 1:00 PM ET (Open to all)

**Psychology Mid-Career Mentoring Award** 

Deadline | October 15, 2021

NCUR 2022 @home Early-Bird Abstract Submission Deadline

Deadline | October 20, 2021

NCUR 2022 @home Volunteer to be an Abstract Reviewer

Deadline | October 20, 2021

**REU Symposium** 

Virtual | October 25, 2021

**CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award** 

Deadline | November 1, 2021

Psychology Undergraduate Student Research or Presentation Award

Deadline | November 1, 2021

**Arts & Humanities Faculty Mentor Award** 

Phase I Deadline | November 5, 2021

NCUR 2022 @home Regular Abstract Submission Deadline

Deadline | November 19, 2021

Posters on the Hill 2022 Submissions Deadline

Deadline | December 13, 2021

NCUR 2022 @home Discounted Registration Deadline #1

Deadline | December 20, 2021

**CUR Dialogues** 

Early-Bird Registration Deadline | December 31, 2021

NCUR 2022 @home Discounted Registration Deadline #2

Deadline | January 31, 2022

**CUR Dialogues** 

Virtual | February 14-18, 2022

NCUR 2022 @home Volunteer for Cohort Facilitator

Deadline | February 21, 2022

Social Sciences Division: Outstanding Mentor Award

Deadline | March 1, 2022

NCUR 2022 @home Registration Closes

Deadline | March 21, 2022

NCUR @Home 2022

Virtual | April 4-8, 2022

**Undergraduate Research Week** 

Virtual | April 18-22, 2022

Social Sciences Undergraduate Conference Awards

Deadline | Rolling

**CUR** is Calling for Volunteers!

CUR volunteers are key to supporting our mission and division activities. With a busy calendar of upcoming events and more, there are a variety of opportunities for those who wish to get more involved.

Become an Abstract Reviewer. NCUR receives and accepts thousands of student abstracts in all academic disciplines. We are recruiting reviewers from all disciplines. If you are an administrator, faculty member, mentor, postdoctoral scholar, or graduate student, you are eligible to review student abstracts. Learn more >>

Become a Discipline Cohort Facilitator. NCUR is seeking volunteers to serve as disciplinary cohort facilitators during the virtual event. Faculty, administrators, mentors, advisors, post-doctoral scholars, and graduate students are eligible to serve in this capacity. Learn more >>

Facilitate an Upcoming CUR Conversation. CUR Conversations are informal, intimate discussions based on hot topics requested by members. We are always looking for volunteer facilitators to contribute their time for a one-hour chat. If interested in facilitating a conversation, please email <a href="mailto:emoris@cur.org">emoris@cur.org</a>.

Posters on the Hill Abstract Reviewer On October 15, 2021, abstract submissions will open for the upcoming 2022 Posters on the Hill event. This prestigious event celebrates the impressive work of the accepted students and supports the messages of the importance of undergraduate research at the federal level. Learn more >>

Discounted Registration Rates End December 31, 2021

CUR Dialogues, taking place virtually on February 14-18, 2022, is an interactive event where the UR community joins together to discuss all things funding and grants with federal agency program officers and other grant funders. Offering two tiers of registration -- standard and guided -- this program will provide a new, affordable, virtual experience with the additional option of having a guided offering involving more hands-on interactions and feedback. Register today >>

Have You Read the 2021 Summer SPUR Edition Yet?

The summer 2021 issue of Scholarship and Practice of Undergraduate Research has been published, featuring articles on topics such as the assessment of a Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU) program in aerospace engineering; a network of West Virginia institutions that promotes STEM efficacy of rural, first-generation students through short-term research experiences; lessons learned from establishing and sustaining an undergraduate research journal; and applications of the online game Foldit in a remote research group of biology majors. <a href="Download your member copy today">Download your member copy today</a>>

October 20, 2021 Marks Early-Bird Abstract Submission Deadline

The National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) is dedicated to the celebration and promotion of undergraduate research student achievement. This year, the virtual event will take place on April 4-8, 2022, with an orientation on April 1 and a celebratory reflection and award recognition ceremony on April 11. As a virtual conference, NCUR will be providing programming spread out over a week's time that includes primary education taking place in discipline-specific learning cohorts, poster, oral, gallery art presentations, and -- a new addition this year -- an opt-in competitive experience only available to those who submit their abstracts before October 20, 2021. Submit early >>

**CUR-Goldwater Scholars Mentor Award Nominations Open** 

The CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award nomination process is open! This award recognizes faculty mentors who conduct their research in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) discipline, as defined by the Goldwater Scholars program, and who have mentored a minimum of three Goldwater Scholars during their career. Check out the eligibility requirements and nominations process to submit your nominations today. The application deadline is November 1, 2021. Find out more >>

Nominations Open for A&H Faculty Mentor Award

Supported by the CUR Arts and Humanities Endowment, the CUR Arts and Humanities Faculty Mentor Award nominations process is open with a deadline for phase-one submissions on November 5, 2021. This award recognizes exemplary faculty mentors of undergraduate researchers in arts and humanities fields. The recipient will receive an award of \$1000 and recognition from CUR. Check out the eligibility requirements and submit your nomination today >>

Share Your UR Stories & Pictures with CUR

CUR is looking to update our files with more member photos and undergraduate research stories. Whether it be pre-pandemic photos in your lab of undergraduate researchers, screenshots of virtual get-togethers, or a UR success story published by your institution, please send them to Elizabeth Moris at <a href="mailto:emoris@CUR.org">emoris@CUR.org</a>.

Latest Discussions Happening in Our Community

- A member requests information to help benchmark and compare institutional pandemic safety protocols. Share your experiences.
- A member seeks suggestions on how undergraduate research offices use memorandums of understanding with third-party organizations. Give advice.

Check out some of the other 2,000+ discussions happening now. (Members-Only)

Member Resource Library

- Your latest This Week in Washington was released on September 20, 2021. Check it out.
- CUR worked together with the CUR Advocacy committee and Bose Washington Partners to provide CUR members with important information to encourage advocating for undergraduate research. Check out the updated <a href="Advocacy Toolkit">Advocacy Toolkit</a>.

Check out some of the other 2,000+ discussions happening now. (Members-Only)

Latest Postings: CUR Job Board

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Featured Undergraduate Research Highlights

Maryville College UR Students Named 2021 Ledford Scholars

Two Maryville College students have been granted a total of more than \$9,000 through the Appalachian College Association's (ACA) Ledford Scholarship to fund summer research projects.

Named for Colonel Lee B. Ledford, the scholarship program offers financial assistance for students who are enrolled at ACA member institutions and conducting summer research in the fields of laboratory and field work, interviews, analyzing special collections and participant observation.

#### **Continue Reading**

Spotlight a Student or Your Institution

Has your student recently been published, won an award, or completed their research? Has your institution written a piece about undergraduate research that you would like to be highlighted in our monthly release? Send in your research stories that highlight student projects and presentations, curricula changes that integrate undergraduate research, innovations in institutional culture that support undergraduate research, and other related pieces regarding undergraduate research. Let us celebrate you. Find out how you can submit.

**Share Your Stories** 

News Outside of CUR

Wilson Ornithological Society Offers Grants to Mentors

The Wilson Ornithological Society's Burtt Undergraduate Mentoring Grants are offered for mentors working with undergraduate students on ornithology projects. The grants include \$1,000 for research plus funds to present at a meeting of the society. The application deadline is December 15, 2021.

Learn more >>

CFP, "Impediments to Student Success," CEA Critic

Call for papers, "Impediments to Student Success," spec. issue of The CEA Critic: Journal of the College English Assn. The deadline is October 25,

#### **NSF Opportunities**

The following is a round-up of some opportunities from the National Science Foundation:

- Probability | Deadline September 25, 2021
- Cooperative Studies of the Earth's Deep Interior | Deadline September 27, 2021
- Combinatorics | Deadline September 28, 2021
- Dear Colleague Letter: CISE RFI on Semiconductor Research and Education | Deadline September 30, 2021
- Development grants, the Predictive Intelligence for Pandemic Prevention Initiative | Deadline October 1, 2021
- Competition for the Management of Operations and Maintenance of the National Ecological Observatory Network(NEON) | Deadline October 1, 2021
- Dear Colleague Letter: Towards an Equitable National Cyberinfrastructure | Deadline October 11, 2021
- Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases | Deadline November 24, 2021
- Partnerships for Research and Education in Physics (for minority-serving institutions) | Deadline January 21, 2022
- Community Facility Support: Synchrotron-Based Analytical Capabilities Advancing Earth and Environmental Sciences Research and Training
  Deadline March 4, 2022

#### **NIH Opportunities**

The following are opportunities from the National Institute of Health:

- Request for Information: Developing Consent Language for Future Use of Data and Biospecimens | Deadline September 29, 2021
- Genome Research Experiences to Attract Talented Undergraduates into the Genomics Field to Enhance Diversity Deadline October 1, 2021

#### Virtual UR Presentation & Paper Opps

- <u>Call for Abstracts</u>, 12th Conference on Data and Application Security and Privacy, Association for Computing Machinery | Deadline September 27, 2021
- Call for Proposals, "Indigenous-Mennonite Encounters in Time and Place" Conference, University of Waterloo | Deadline September 30, 2021
- Call for Papers, 12th National Conference on Earthquake Engineering | Deadline October 15, 2021
- Call for Proposals, "History Unmasked," 2022 Virginia Forum | Deadline October 15, 2021
- <u>Call for Proposals</u>, International Academic Conference on the Sustainable Development Goals, Utah Valley University | Deadline November 1, 2021
- Call for Abstracts, April 2022 Technical Meeting, Rubber Division, American Chemical Society | Deadline November 6, 2021
- <u>Call for Abstracts</u>, 2022 Indigenous Borderlands in North America Symposium, University of New Mexico | Deadline November 10, 2021
- Call for Proposals; "Literary Geographies: Space, Place, and Environments"; Conference on Christianity and Literature, Biola University | Deadline November 15, 2021
- · Call for Submissions, Second Railroads in Native America Gathering and Symposium | Deadline December 15, 2021
- Call for Papers, The Reed Undergraduate Journal of Existentialism, St. Olaf College | Deadline January 31, 2022
- · Call for Papers, 2022 Virtual International Conference on Social Media and Society | Deadline January 31, 2022
- Call for Submissions, JOSHUA: Journal of Science and Health, University of Alabama | Deadline February 28, 2022

#### Internship & Research Opps

- Spring 2022 Science Undergraduate Laboratory Internships (SULI), US Dept of Energy | Deadline October 6, 2021
- Naval Research Enterprise Internship Program | Deadline November 1, 2021
- . Visiting Scientist Program, Counterterrorism, and Forensic Science Research Unit, FBI | Applications reviewed on a rolling basis

Want to discover more opportunities or would like to share one of your own? Check out our<u>internship and research opportunities</u> and <u>paper and presentation opportunities</u>.

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#### CALL FOR CORE FACULTY FOR THE 2022 BRIDGE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Bridge Scholars Program: Friday September 24, 2021

CALL FOR CORE FACULTY FOR THE 2022 BRIDGE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

This is an open call for applications to teach a three-credit summer course in the GC Bridge Scholars Program (BSP). Faculty members are needed to teach Area A-E core courses for the summer 2022 Bridge Scholars Program. Core courses meet in the morning or afternoon 17 times between June 18 and July 21, 2022.

BSP is a year-long Residential Learning Community which gives approximately 135 first-year students a head start on college through a special program designed to help them make a successful transition from high school to college. During the summer, BSP students take a one-credit hour success course and six hours of core courses for a total of seven hours. Students who pass all courses with a grade of C or better are eligible to return to Georgia College for their freshman year. These students then continue taking classes and participating in extracurricular programming together throughout their first year. One of the highlights and benefits of the program is the close interaction that BSP students enjoy with their BSP faculty and staff. Past Scholars have gone on to be academically successful campus leaders, and this is due in part to the strong start they have had for their college experience.

Summer 2022 dates (extracurricular programming TBA):

- Friday, April 15th: BSP faculty/staff orientation 3pm -5pm
- · Saturday, June 18th: BSP Orientation and move-in
- Monday, June 20th Thursday, June 23rd: GCSU 1010 Student Success course
- Friday, June 24th Thursday, July 21st: Core courses (Monday-Friday, 9am 12pm and 1:30pm 4:30pm.)
- Monday, July 4th: Fourth of July Holiday (no classes)
- · Wednesday and Thursday, July 20th and 21st: Final exams, Grades Posted
- · Thursday, July 21st: Program closing banquet
- . Friday, July 22nd: BSP students check out of the residence halls

Faculty hired to teach with the BSP during summer 2022 are required to participate in the following:

- At least two interview dates for prospective Scholars, which are held on four Fridays (12/10, 1/21, 2/18, 3/4) from 12:20pm 5pm and one Saturday (1/22) from 10am – 1:45pm.
- Friday, April 15th: BSP faculty/staff orientation 3pm 5pm
- · Saturday, June 18th: BSP orientation
- · At least one study session outside of class
- Thursday, July 21st: Program closing banquet

Interested faculty should submit a paragraph identifying the core course they would like to teach and addressing (1) their interest in the BSP program, (2) how their teaching style would be a good fit for this specialized cohort of students, and (3) their thoughts on how faculty involvement outside of the classroom can support and enhance pedagogy.

Please submit this paragraph by Friday, October 22, 2021 to: Dr. Hali Sofala-Jones <a href="mailto:hali.sofala-jones@gcsu.edu">hali.sofala-jones@gcsu.edu</a>), Coordinator, Bridge Scholars Program. Hiring decisions will be made in November.

Remuneration is 11% salary plus benefits. Pay will be split over pay dates on June 30 and July 31, 2022. Faculty should understand that due to the nature of this program, there is an expectation of involvement outside the classroom to support and facilitate student development via relationship building and mentoring during the transition to university life. This is the reason why higher summer compensation is offered to Bridge Scholars Program faculty. Faculty must be approved by their department chair and the chair of the area they wish to instruct.

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**DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Bridge Scholars Program** 

# Why Feminism? A Virtual Panel Discussion featuring Dr. Sabrina Hom, Dr. Sandra Godwin, and Dr. Lauren Pilcher

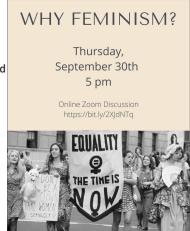
English, Department of: Friday September 24, 2021

The Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs and GC2Y "Sex and Resistance" Present:

Why Feminism? A Virtual Panel Discussion

Thinking you might want to know more about feminism? Come join us on September 30th at 5 pm via zoom and hear from some GC professors you may know! We will have an informative and open discussion surrounding the ideas of feminism featuring Dr. Sabrina Hom, Dr. Sandra Godwin, and Dr. Lauren Pilcher. We would love for you to learn more from us and share your thoughts as well!

Join us at https://bit.ly/2XJdNTq



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE English, Department of

## **Announcements Posted Monday September 27, 2021**

## **Literary Guild**

English, Department of: Monday September 27, 2021

Please join Literary Guild on Tuesday, September 28 7:00-8:00 pm in A&S 370 for "Something to Re-Read September." All are welcome! We will be discussing comfort books worthy of rereading.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE English, Department of

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Oct. 6, 2021 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Zoom





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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE GC Journeys

## The New Diversity Action Plan: "Advancing Diversity at Georgia College: 2022-2025" Review and Feedback by October 1

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Monday September 27, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to share with the University community for review and feedback ou<u>New Diversity Action Plan:</u>
<u>"Advancing Diversity at Georgia College: 2022-2025."</u> The Chief Diversity Officer and a 35-member Diversity Action Plan Steering Committee were charged last September by President Dorman to develop a New Diversity Action plan for the University, following the successful implementation of our first Diversity Action Plan from 2014-2019.

This new Plan represents a year of work by the Diversity Action Plan Steering Committee and the review and feedback of University leadership. We invite you to please review the New Diversity Action Plan and provide your feedback using the response links attached to the Plan by October 1. We hope to present the final Plan in November of this year, with the official implementation of our New Diversity Action Plan to begin January 2022.

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#### **ATTACHMENT**

Notes about attachments are on the second page of this document. Diversity Action Plan (9-1-2021 FRONT PAGE.pdf

# Canceled - Presentation/Open Forum for the Candidate for the Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Monday September 27, 2021

The presentation/open forum for the candidate for the Director of the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects position, scheduled for September 28 at 2:00 p.m., has been canceled.

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## **Family Weekend November 12-14**

Parent & Family Programs: Monday September 27, 2021

Family Weekend 2021 is November 12-14. Parents, family members, and supporters of current students are invited to attend a weekend of events and activities, explore campus and Milledgeville, and spend time with their students in their home away from home. The schedule of events and registration link can be found at <a href="https://www.gcsu.edu/parent/events-parent-family-programs">https://www.gcsu.edu/parent/events-parent-family-programs</a>



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Parent & Family Programs

## Sept 30th Deadline: \$200 Well-Being Credit for Covid-19 Vaccine, for payment in November 2021

Human Resources, Office of: Monday September 27, 2021

Employees and spouses enrolled in a USG healthcare plan now have the opportunity to earn a \$200 well-being credit per individual for participating with USG Well-being. In order to receive payout for the credit on your final paycheck in November, this MUST be completed no later than September 30, 2021.

Already enrolled in USG Well-being? Getting the COVID-19 vaccine will make you eligible to earn the \$200 well-being credit through December 31, 2021. If you have already received the \$10 well-being credit for the COVID-19 vaccine in the 2021 credit year, you will receive the additional credit on your rewards page, bringing you to \$200 before the end of September. Vaccines received after September 30, 2021 and before December 31, 2021 will count towards the 2022 credit year, and will be paid out on the employee's final paycheck in April 2022. Be sure to verify that your vaccination has been documented in the program to ensure your credit is on the way. If you haven't been vaccinated yet, there is still time to earn the credit. Details can be found in the FAQ Guide, linked below.

Not yet vaccinated or enrolled in the USG Well-being program? There is still time to enroll and start earning. Visit the FAQ to learn if you are eligible and how to get started.

More resources on this exciting announcement can be found here:

- USG COVID-19 Vaccine Credit Announcement
- FAQ Guide
- Newly Updated 2021 Rewards Guide

Unable to get the COVID-19 vaccine? Check out the Rewards Guide for additional ways to earn the \$200 well-being credit.

Health Assessment Update: Employees and spouses are no longer required to complete the Health Assessment Survey to be eligible to earn the 2021 well-being credit, but taking it is still encouraged. In this short questionnaire, you'll answer questions about your health habits and get personalized recommendations so that you can start setting goals and make the most of your well-being experience!

To claim your credit for the vaccine, please follow these steps below

- To go https://www.usg.edu/well-being
- · Create a USG Well-being account
- Click Home
- Click Rewards
- Scroll down to "Receive the COVID-19Vaccine"
- Click "Receive the COVID-19 Vaccine"
- You will get a popup and click "take me there"
- Complete the COVID-19 Vaccine Attestation form

If you have a covered spouse on the plan, you AND your spouse can complete this for a grand total of \$400! Your spouse will have to register/create a USG Well-Being account here: <a href="https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865">https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865</a>. The primary policy holder will receive the total on their final November paycheck for both the employee & spouse if completed prior by September 30, 2021.

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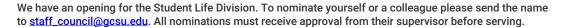
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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Human Resources, Office of

## **Staff Council Accepting Nominations for Student Life Opening**

Staff Council: Monday September 27, 2021

Staff Council is now accepting nominations for the upcoming Academic Year. This opening is for a one year term that ends June 30, 2022. If you're looking for ways to give back to your fellow staff, want to learn more about Georgia College and meet people from different areas of campus, Staff Council could be the opportunity for you.





In its representation of all staff employees, the Georgia College Staff Council aims to promote better understanding, increased cooperation and open communication among all constituent groups on campus. While performing this duty, the Staff Council will endorse and adhere to the mission and goals of Georgia College. Please visit <a href="https://www.gcsu.edu/staffcouncil">https://www.gcsu.edu/staffcouncil</a> to learn more.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Staff Council

## Now Open: Small-Group Instructional Diagnosis (SGID) Requests

Center for Teaching & Learning: Monday September 27, 2021

The <u>SGID's</u> goal is to provide faculty with important feedback that helps them adjust their teaching and improve student learning outcomes. It also offers faculty a way to reflect on and documents critical teaching behaviors. This process, vetted in research, supports the continuous quality improvement of the teaching and learning process and shows our continued commitment to creating innovative learning environments, high-impact pedagogies, along with meaningful student-faculty interaction at Georgia College. After completion, the requestor will receive a letter from the Center for Teaching and Learning that certifies participation; however, the results are entirely confidential. For Fall 2021, the <u>SGID</u> opens September 27th with a deadline to request a diagnostic by October 1st and subsequently closes on October 8th. If you are interested in scheduling an SGID, please contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at 478-445-2520 or <a href="ctil@gcsu.edu">ctil@gcsu.edu</a>.

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Center for Teaching & Learning

## **Farewell Reception for President Dorman**

University Communications: Monday September 27, 2021

Join us for a Farewell Reception for President Dorman today September 27.

To aid in eliminating large crowds, guests are invited to attend by division.

- 2:00 3:00 p.m. Finance and Administration
- 3:00 4:00 p.m. Office of the President, Academic Affairs, Student Life, University Advancement

In the event of inclement weather, this event will take place in Magnolia Ballroom.

I hope to see you all on the Atkinson Front Porch!



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE GC Journeys

## **Database Trial: Arte Público Hispanic Historical Collection**

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Monday September 27, 2021

In celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, Russell Library is pleased to offer a trial of the Arte Publico Hispanic Historical Collection database, which provides access to an archive of publications focused exclusively on U.S. Hispanic history, literature and culture from colonial times until 1960. Available in two series, our trial of Series 1 focuses on the creative life of U.S. Latinos and Hispanics. Content is written, indexed and searchable in Spanish and English.

#### Content includes:

- · Approximately 60,000 historical articles
- · Hundreds of political and religious pamphlets and broadsides
- . Complete texts of over 1,100 historical books of Hispanic literature and culture
- Content written in Spanish (80%) and English (20%)
- · Content indexed and searchable in Spanish and English

#### Sources Include:

- Advertisements
- Books/Monographs
- Broadsides
- · Editorials and essays
- · Letters and telegrams

The trial is available until 10/22/2021 and the GALILEO link for this resource is:

https://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=arpb-geo1

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Ina Dillard Russell Library

## The GC Entrepreneurs Club Hosts First Meeting

College of Business: Monday September 27, 2021

The GC Entrepreneurs Club, open to all majors, will host our first meeting of the semester this Tuesday, September 28th, at 5:30 pm in Atkinson 202. Our speaker is Shane Foster, owner of The Tint Shop in Milledgeville. Please plan to attend to hear how he turned a side hustle to pay his college tuition into a thriving business!



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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE College of Business

## **Announcements Posted Tuesday September 28, 2021**

## **Faculty and Student Article Accepted for Publication**

College of Business: Tuesday September 28, 2021

Drs. Doreen Sams and Mary Kay Rickard along with Georgia College MBA alumnus Aruna Sadasivan with the contributions of fellow GC student Samuel Mullis have published and article entitled "Perspective of Artisan Vendors' Resilience, Dedication to Product Authenticity, and the Role of Marketing and Community: Mesopotamian Era to the 21st Century" in the Arts and the Market Journal.

Congratulations too Drs. Sams and Rickard for the publication and for their mentorship in research to our students.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE College of Business

## Check out this week's edition of the Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs newsletter

Women's Center: Tuesday September 28, 2021

Check out this week's edition of the <u>Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs newsletter</u>. Featuring our first event of the semester in collaboration with the GC2Y Sex & Resistance class as well as info on some of our first events from Coming Out Week!

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Women's Center

## **Geza Martiny Celebration of Life Ceremony**

University Advancement: Tuesday September 28, 2021

Please join us as we honor the life of professor and coach, <u>Géza Martiny</u>, on Sunday, October, 17, 2021 at 11 a.m. in the Ballroom at the Student Activities Center. In addition to the on-campus ceremony, there will be virtual access to the one-hour program.

Please register for the event before 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 11 by clicking the link below. Registration is free and includes light refreshments at both events.

#### https://alumni.gcsu.edu/martiny

We look forward to seeing you there as we remember Géza Martiny!



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## **New Training Opportunity - Effective Stress Management**

Human Resources, Office of: Tuesday September 28, 2021

The Office of Human Resources is excited to announce we will be hosting a virtual employee training called "Effective Stress Management" on Monday, October 18th from 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Please see the description about the course below and the link to register; we hope you will join us!

What is mindfulness? This session explores the basic principles of mindfulness and discusses the positive impact it has in different aspects of one's life. It also demonstrates basic mindfulness techniques that participants can start adopting immediately in their everyday activities, as well as some exercises that they can start using.

#### HOW PARTICIPANTS WILL BENEFIT

When participants leave this session they will be able to:

- · Understand what mindfulness is
- · Understand the impact of being mindful on various aspects of life
- · Learn different techniques to live more mindfully every day

Registration Link (note: the registration states the training is from 10-11, however, it is from 10-12):

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5762989459596061453

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE Human Resources, Office of

## Collegiate Middle Level Association presents Fall Summit: Open to all student, faculty, staff

University Communications: Tuesday September 28, 2021

Georgia College's Collegiate Middle Level Association presents the 17th annual Summit. The conference takes place Friday, Oct. 8 from 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. in Peabody Auditorium and focuses on "Creating a Culture of Connectedness." This event is open to the entire campus community.

The keynote speaker is Justice Verda M. Colvin, Justice of the Georgia Supreme Court. Colvin was appointed to her role by Gov. Brian Kemp in July 2021. The first African American female appointed by a Republican governor to the state's high court, Colvin previously served on the Court of Appeals. She will speak about building up communities.

Colvin will open the conference at 9 a.m., then provide closing remarks at 2 p.m.

Breakout sessions throughout the day focus on a variety of topics for getting involved in your community.

Guest speakers include Georgia College faculty, faculty from out of state and the CEO of Association for Middle Level Education (AMLE).

"This is a good example of professional development for our students. That's something that we have learned is important in our classes and from our teachers. We should always be learning," said Rosalyn Bosarge, senior middle grade education major and chair of the planning committee.

The conference was completely organized by the middle grade teacher candidate spring 2022 cohort.

Georgia College's Collegiate Middle Level Association was started by students in the early 2000s, and each year the group decides the theme and invites speakers for the conference.

"It has become an annual event. We tell the students every year it is their choice as to whether they do this," said Dr. Nancy Mizelle, faculty advisor for the group. "Last year, we ended up being virtual, and we delayed it until spring, so we are happy to provide the in-person event this year."

Registration is open to all of campus. The cost is \$15 for students and \$25 for faculty and staff. The cost includes lunch, if you register before Friday, Oct. 1.

More information on the conference is available here.

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DEPARTMENT WEB SITE University Communications



## 12th Annual Academic Expo

Academic Advising Center: Tuesday September 28, 2021

The Academic Advising Center will host the 12th Annual Academic Expo, Wednesday, September 29th, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Centennial Center. Attendees can explore majors, minors, certificate programs, campus resources, and more. Open to all GCSU students.



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### Help Choose GC's NEXT QEP!

Institutional Research & Effectiveness, Office of: Tuesday September 28, 2021

In preparation for our SACSCOC 10-year reaffirmation, it is time for Georgia College to identify a new Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP). The topic of the QEP is chosen collaboratively by university stake-holders including faculty, staff, students, and external constituents. We plan to work through the topic selection process this fall and spring, and expect to have a topic chosen by May, 2022. To learn more about a quality enhancement plan, the requirements, and the process, and to see examples and additional resources, please plan to attend one of these virtual informational sessions this semester. They are open to ALL faculty and staff and everyone is strongly encouraged to attend at least one. Reminders and Zoom links will be posted to Front Page prior to each session.

- Friday, October 1, 10:00 am
- Thursday, October 14, 2:00 pm
- Wednesday, November 3, 11:00 am
- Monday, November 15, 3:00 pm

Please direct any questions to Cara Smith. (478) 445-3530. cara.smith@gcsu.edu

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## **Geza Martiny Celebration of Life Ceremony**

University Advancement: Tuesday September 28, 2021

Please join us as we honor the life of professor and coach, <u>Géza Martiny</u>, on Sunday, October, 17, 2021 at 11 a.m. in the Ballroom at the Student Activities Center. In addition to the on-campus ceremony, there will be virtual access to the one-hour program.

Please register for the event before 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 11 by clicking the link below. Registration is free and includes light refreshments at both events.

#### https://alumni.gcsu.edu/martiny

We look forward to seeing you there as we remember Géza Martiny!



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## Announcements Posted Wednesday September 29, 2021

### October 2nd, National Custodial Worker's Recognition

Facilities Management: Wednesday September 29, 2021

On October 2nd, National Custodial Worker's Recognition Day encourages appreciation to men and women who keep our schools and workplaces across the nation running smoothly.

We especially want to recognize, and appreciate them for their hard work during this pandemic. COVID-19 has thrust our custodial teams into a front-line battle with infection control. They have graciously adapted and helped implement processes to address this global pandemic here at Georgia College.

Custodial workers have always been a key part of maintenance, cleanliness and keeping us safe, but during this outbreak, the importance of their roles has greatly increased. They continue working tirelessly to help keep Georgia College buildings as clean and disease-free as possible.

Our custodians deserve to be recognized, respected and supported now more than ever. As a result of their hard work, the buildings are safer and healthier for those entering them.

So please, if you know or see a custodial worker, THANK THEM today!

And remember, we can all do our part to help them do their jobs too. We can be clean ourselves by keeping work stations neat. After a break, pick up after ourselves in the lunch/break room. We can even do some light dusting around our desks, office or cubicle. There is no reason to leave a mess for anyone else when we can simply do our part to help.

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## 'Heads will roll' in Georgia College's first in-person theatre production since pandemic

Theatre & Dance, Department of: Wednesday September 29, 2021

For its first in-person production since spring 2020 when COVID-19 forced the shutdown of much of society—Georgia College presents a dark comedy about Marie Antoinette and massacres of the French Revolution.

"The Revolutionists" is for mature audiences only, due to language. It opens tonight, Sept. 29, at 7:30 p.m. and continues through Saturday at 7:30 p.m. with a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday in Russell Auditorium.

"This is one of the few plays I've read that made me laugh right out loud," said Eric Griffis, interim chair of Theatre and Dance. "The great thing about this show is while, yes, it's set in the French Revolution and, yes, many people lose their heads—it's a very funny story, a powerful story that takes you on this great journey of four women."

Georgia College was one of the few universities to create productions of any kind during the pandemic. Its Theatre and Dance department won awards for online productions that mixed stage acting with film. Faculty and students learned valuable lessons they bring to this year's live performances, Griffis said. They're also ready with a backup plan to switch to online productions, if necessary.

Senior theatre major Lillie Hoats of West Point, Georgia, plays Marie Antoinette. Last year's online acting puts her ahead in terms of adaptability and experience using video cameras, she said.

"I'm just extra grateful we're back in person," Hoats said. "I want to dedicate even more time and attention to my role, because now we have a real audience, and I want them to be impressed. I know this could be taken away at any moment. So, I'm trying to make it the best it can be."

Amy Pinney directs the award-winning play, which put 50 students to work behind the scenes constructing the set, making costumes, designing lights and doing makeup. Their work creates a reflection of the violent and public executions of that time—but in a way that'll make audiences forget the troubles of today.

The story unfolds against a massive backdrop of four tall, red guillotines. Three women, including Marie Antoinette, an assassin and a freedom fighter, approach the playwright asking for rewrites and last words for their characters.

"It takes place in late 1700s during the Reign of Terror," Pinney said. "There are guillotines, and it's a comedy. It is very funny. That feels like where we are as a culture right now, laughing in the face of death."

Written by Lauren Gunderson, the story's about four "bad ass" women and feminism. For various reasons, each character faces the guillotine but with humor and dignity. Audiences will see how "important it is that women support women," Hoats said.

"That's what this show is really all about, sisterhood, and learning from women who come from different backgrounds or who've had different experiences in life and learning from them and growing with them," she said.

The role was a challenge for Hoats, who had a lot of lines to memorize. It's given her confidence a boost. It's also been a lot of fun playing queen, using her hands dramatically and "swooshing" and twirling around in her extravagant gown. Hoats spent a lot of time making Marie Antoinette more likeable. She had more depth than the line she's remembered for: "Let them eat cake."

"She wants to be queen again. She doesn't want to die with people thinking she didn't care about her country. She got a bad rep," Hoats said.

"This play is about women standing up in the face of danger and owning up to who they are and what they did and saying, 'I'm not ashamed of myself. I am strong, and I'm a woman, and I'm not afraid of this,'" she said. "I like that this play shows these women as strong, instead of someone to cry for."

There will be five performances in Russell Auditorium, which has plenty of space for socially distant seating. Masks are encouraged and will be available at the doors. Performances are at 7:30 p.m. each night Wednesday through Saturday, Sept. 29 through Oct. 2. The final show is a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday, Oct. 3.

Tickets can be purchased online at <a href="https://gcsutickets.com">https://gcsutickets.com</a>. Cost is \$15 for general admission, \$10 for seniors, non-GC students, faculty and staff and \$5 for GC students.

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## Still haven't gotten your COVID-19 vaccine? Here's why you should

University Communications: Wednesday September 29, 2021

The University System of Georgia produced this video showing some reasons why it's important for us all to get the COVID-19 vaccine.

You can schedule an appointment for the first or second dose of the Moderna vaccine at Student Health Services.

Vaccine appointments are available each Thursday, or walk-ins are also welcome.

Current students and employees are still eligible to receive up to \$100 for taking the COVID-19 vaccine at Student Health Services.

#### How to earn:

- Schedule your appointment with Student Health Services between Sept. 2 and Oct. 31, 2021. Use your Unify credentials to login.
- Receive \$50 in CatCash when you get your first dose of the vaccine.
- Receive \$50 in CatCash when you get your second dose of the vaccine (for a total of \$100).

Contact Student Health Services at <u>478-445-5288</u> for questions.

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### Reminder: Second Dinner With Twelve Strangers--October 21st

Inclusive Excellence, Office of: Wednesday September 29, 2021

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to announce "Dinner With 12 Strangers", a new "building community" event at Georgia College. During the fall semester, there will be three Dinners that will include a delicious meal, fun ice-breakers, personal introductions, and an engaging conversation about how we can make Georgia College a more welcoming community for all. Twelve selected individuals from all areas of campus will be invited to be one of the twelve strangers who meet for dinner. The Dinners will be hosted from 5:30pm to 7:15pm on three nights during the fall semester: September 16th (Atkinson Front Porch), October 21st (Cultural Center) and November 18th (Mayfair Hall). Our first Dinner was a great success! If you are interested in being considered as a guest at the October 21st Dinner, please send your name and a short statement about why you would like to participate in this community building event to oie@gcsu.edu by October 1st. Dinner guests will be selected by the Office of Inclusive Excellence and notified at least two weeks before the dinner is scheduled. Thank you for participating in this exciting new building community program.

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## Information Technology | Semi-Annual Cybersecurity Awareness Training Update

Information Technology: Wednesday September 29, 2021

Georgia College (GC) requires employees to participate in Cybersecurity awareness training every Fall and Spring. In conjunction with Cybersecurity Awareness month, GC and the University System of Georgia partnered with KnowBe4, an industry leader in cybersecurity training. Employee training is the most effective approach organizations can implement to prevent data breaches or become victimized by ransomware.

On Friday, October 1st, employees will receive KnowBe4 training instructions via email from Hance Patrick, Information Security Officer. All employees are required to complete the training by November 1st. The training is approximately 30 minutes.

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## 12th Annual Academic Expo-TODAY

Academic Advising Center: Wednesday September 29, 2021

The Academic Advising Center is hosting the 12th Annual Academic Expo today, September 29th, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Centennial Center. Attendees can explore majors, minors, certificate programs, campus resources, and more. Open to all GCSU students. We look forward to seeing you there!



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# **Announcements Posted Thursday September 30, 2021**

## **Celebrating Coming Out Week 2021**

LGBTQ+ Programs: Thursday September 30, 2021

National Coming Out Day is observed annually on October 11th. Due to Fall break, this year LGBTQ+ Programs and Pride Alliance are celebrating Coming Out Week October 1st-8th with the following events (please use the embedded links to learn more and RSVP). All events are open to students, faculty, and staff.

10/1 - Tabling by the A&S Fountain - 11 a.m. -2 p.m.

10/3 - These are Our Stories: A Coming Out Sharing Circle at the HUB- 4 p.m.

10/4 - Tabling by the A&S Fountain (with the rainbow door) - 11 a.m. -2 p.m.

10/5 - Tabling by the A&S Fountain - 11 a.m. -2 p.m.

10/5 - Come Out Cookout with Pride Alliance at Central City Park - 7 p.m.

10/6 - Celebrating Coming Out Panel with Charles Sturt University (in Australia) on Zoom- 8 p.m.

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### **Growing Up with Gender Norms**

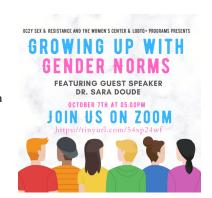
English, Department of: Thursday September 30, 2021

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Zoom link: https://tinyurl.com/54xp24wf



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## **Georgia Undergraduate Research Collective Conference MOVE TO ONLINE**

GC Journeys: Thursday September 30, 2021

Due to ongoing concerns with the pandemic and flu season, the GURC Conference has been moved to an online presence. Of course, the GURC wanted an in-person conference, but the GURC leadership felt the move to online was the best decision for this year. The entire conference will take place on Friday, November 5, 2021. The GURC is working on creating a detailed schedule and getting all of the other details in place. Details will be communicated to the students who submitted in the near future.

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**GC Journeys** 

### Deadline TODAY: \$200 Well-Being Credit for Covid-19 Vaccine, for payment in November 2021

Human Resources, Office of: Thursday September 30, 2021

Employees and spouses enrolled in a USG healthcare plan now have the opportunity to earn a \$200 well-being credit per individual for participating with USG Well-being. In order to receive payout for the credit on your final paycheck in November, this MUST be completed no later than September 30, 2021.

Already enrolled in USG Well-being? Getting the COVID-19 vaccine will make you eligible to earn the \$200 well-being credit through December 31, 2021. If you have already received the \$10 well-being credit for the COVID-19 vaccine in the 2021 credit year, you will receive the additional credit on your rewards page, bringing you to \$200 before the end of September. Vaccines received after September 30, 2021 and before December 31, 2021 will count towards the 2022 credit year, and will be paid out on the employee's final paycheck in April 2022. Be sure to verify that your vaccination has been documented in the program to ensure your credit is on the way. If you haven't been vaccinated yet, there is still time to earn the credit. Details can be found in the FAQ Guide, linked below.

Not yet vaccinated or enrolled in the USG Well-being program? There is still time to enroll and start earning. Visit the FAQ to learn if you are eligible and how to get started.

More resources on this exciting announcement can be found here:

- USG COVID-19 Vaccine Credit Announcement
- FAQ Guide
- Newly Updated 2021 Rewards Guide

Unable to get the COVID-19 vaccine? Check out the Rewards Guide for additional ways to earn the \$200 well-being credit.

Health Assessment Update: Employees and spouses are no longer required to complete the Health Assessment Survey to be eligible to earn the 2021 well-being credit, but taking it is still encouraged. In this short questionnaire, you'll answer questions about your health habits and get personalized recommendations so that you can start setting goals and make the most of your well-being experience!

To claim your credit for the vaccine, please follow these steps below

- To go https://www.usg.edu/well-being
- · Create a USG Well-being account
- Click Home
- Click Rewards
- Scroll down to "Receive the COVID-19Vaccine"
- Click "Receive the COVID-19 Vaccine"
- You will get a popup and click "take me there"
- Complete the COVID-19 Vaccine Attestation form

If you have a covered spouse on the plan, you AND your spouse can complete this for a grand total of \$400! Your spouse will have to register/create a USG Well-Being account here: <a href="https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865">https://enroll.virginpulse.com/#/sponsors/5284/enrollmentGroups/3865</a>. The primary policy holder will receive the total on their final November paycheck for both the employee & spouse if completed prior by September 30, 2021.

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## QEP Open Forum, 10/01

Institutional Research & Effectiveness, Office of: Thursday September 30, 2021

Our first QEP open forum/information session will be held virtually on Friday morning, 10/01, at 10:00 am. These forums are open to all faculty and staff and participation is highly encouraged. There will be four total forums this semester so please plan to attend at least one!

Zoom link for Friday's forum: https://gcsu.zoom.us/j/92890696189?pwd=TEk5aW9jSXJiNjJPUjVVRFk0blU2dz09

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## **Hispanic Heritage Month Movie Night: In The Heights**

Cultural Center: Thursday September 30, 2021

The Cultural Center is hosting a movie night tonight as part of our Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration. We will be showing the film "In The Heights," a film version of the Broadway musical in which Usnavi, a sympathetic New York bodega owner, saves every penny every day as he imagines and sings about a better life. Directed by Jon M. Chu. Written by Quiara Alegría Hudes and Lin-Manuel Miranda. Starring: Anthony Ramos, Corey Hawkins, Leslie Grace and so many others!



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## **Growing Up with Gender Norms**

English, Department of: Thursday September 30, 2021

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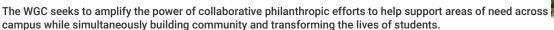
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### **Women's Giving Circle Grant Request Application**

University Advancement: Thursday September 30, 2021

The Women's Giving Circle (WGC) is requesting proposals for areas and projects on campus in need of funding.





**Women's Giving Circle Funding Priorities** 

- Support and promote scholarship, research, service, education, and advocacy
- Support and promote women's leadership in all its forms
- Enrich the quality of life of women and children
- Encourage outreach and engagement in the greater Milledgeville/Baldwin County area

The Women's Giving Circle is growing in its capacity; currently we are able to award grants from \$300-\$1,000. All proposed grants will be reviewed and voted on by our members.

WGC Grant Application - Please submit this application by Wednesday, October 20 at 5:00 pm.

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### Webinar and RFP: Affordable Materials Grants Round 20

Ina Dillard Russell Library: Thursday September 30, 2021

Affordable Learning Georgia is issuing a Request for Proposals for Affordable Materials Grants with applications due by Monday, November 1st, 2021. An informational webinar will be held on Monday, October 4 at 2:00 p.m. To register, visit https://teams.microsoft.com/registration/d\_gRRzr7EU-

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Faculty interested in submitting a proposal are encouraged to contact any member of our Affordable Learning Georgia Champions Team:

Dr. Shaundra Walker, Library Director and Faculty Champion ext. 0987 or shaundra.walker@gcsu.edu

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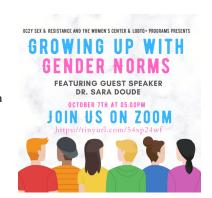
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## **Georgia Adopt-a-Stream Monitoring event**

Academic Outreach: Thursday September 30, 2021

Love the outdoors? Want to do something fun to give back? Join us for Chemical Monitoring of Champion Creek out at Lake Laurel (9-1030), GC's East Campus and/or Tobler Creek at Andalusia (11-1230). No experience necessary!

We will use Georgia Adopt-a-Stream methods to test temperature, dissolved oxygen, conductivity and pH of the stream all while enjoying the beauty of GC's East Campus and Andalusia Farm! for more info and to register, go to GivePulse https://www.givepulse.com/event/248655-Adopt-a-Stream-



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Monitoring-Event

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## Undergraduate Research journal Summer 2021 Volume 1 Issue 2 is NOW AVAILABLE!

Mentored Undergraduate Research and Creative Endeavors (MURACE): Thursday September 30, 2021

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