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OIE January 2022 Newsletter

Inclusive Excellence, Office of : Tuesday February 1, 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence's January 2022 Newsletter is [here](#). Thanks for reading!

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Andalusia Institute Undergraduate Student Competition 2022

Andalusia Institute : Tuesday February 1, 2022

Submit your paper on Flannery O'Connor and her work for the annual Andalusia Institute Undergraduate Student Competition. The winning paper as judged by an independent committee will be awarded \$500.

Eligible for participation: all undergraduate students at Georgia College

Guidelines: Register at <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/e899e147c80a47ce9d192d8eea698a05>

You will be sent information on how to submit your paper. Papers should be between 5 and 15 pages long, accurately cited, double-spaced, and typed into Word format. While the paper does not necessarily have to be from a class this year, only current undergraduates are eligible to participate.

Evaluation: An advisory board will evaluate the work on: creativity, analysis, and clarity.

Application to participate: due April 1, 2022

Announcement of award: Award will be announced April 15, 2022

Award: \$500.00

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Spring Service-Learning Discussion Series

Transformative Learning Experiences : Tuesday February 1, 2022

Are you interested in discussing service-learning at Georgia College? Would you like to know what it would take to get a project off the ground? Looking for guidance, support, or a place to meet other service-learning practitioners? Whether you're new to leading a service-learning project or a seasoned veteran, we would love for you to join our conversations!

Throughout the spring semester, the Office of Transformative Learning is sponsoring a series of discussions led by Faculty Service Learning Champion, Dr. Stefanie Sevcik. Each conversation will focus on one aspect of service-learning. Feel free to join one or multiple conversations throughout the semester. No prior preparation or registration necessary. This series is appropriate for faculty or staff interested in leading new curricular or co-curricular service-learning experiences as well as seasoned practitioners.

Conversations will be held on Zoom at <https://tinyurl.com/CbELGCSU>

See schedule below for dates, times, and topics!

Thursday 2/3 10-11am

What is Community-based Engaged Learning?

Monday 2/7 1:30-2:30pm

The 4 Pillars of CbEL/Service Learning at GCSU

Thursday 2/17 10-11am

Service-Learning Best Practices

Monday 2/21 1:30-2:30pm

Getting out of the Classroom: Integrating Theory and Practice

Monday 3/7 1:30-2:30pm

Cultivating Meaningful Direct Experience with the Community

Thursday 3/24 10-11am

No Saviors: Developing Mutually Beneficial Partnerships

Monday 3/28 1:30-2:30pm

Critical Reflection for Facilitators, Students, and Community Partners

Thursday 4/7 10-11am

Impactful Student Products, Not Busywork

Monday 4/11 1:30-2:30pm

Quality Control: Assessing and Improving Community-based Engaged Learning Projects

Thursday 4/21 10-11am

Moving Forward: New Directions in Community-based Engaged Learning at GCSU

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ERAU Research Experience for Undergraduates - REU Site: Research Projects in Data-Enabled Industrial Mathematics Opportunity

Transformative Learning Experiences : Tuesday February 1, 2022

This year Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (ERAU) will run again an NSF-funded REU (Research Experience for Undergraduates) site: Research Projects in Data-Enabled Industrial Mathematics. This year it will be in-person on-campus REU.

REU site "Research Projects in Data-Enabled Industrial Mathematics" at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (ERAU) provides undergraduate students with opportunities to participate in authentic research projects in data-enabled industrial mathematics. Industrial mathematics is a relatively recent discipline concerned primarily with transforming technical, organizational, and data-enabled problems posed by business, industry, or government into mathematical problems.

The ultimate idea is to model the real-world industrial research experience, focusing on student growth and getting the students to interact with material at a level that goes beyond the regular classroom. The students will work collaboratively on problems provided directly by business, government, and industry.

This program will support 10 students for a 9-week period in the summer of 2022, mentored by three faculty members, three mentors from industry, and graduate students.

Female students and underrepresented minority students are strongly encouraged to apply.

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, FL
May 16, 2022 - July 15, 2022

Participating students will be provided with a stipend of \$5,200 for the 9-week program, \$175 weekly meal allowance, and up to \$600 in travel expenses. On-campus single occupancy dorm rooms, paid for directly by the program.

Support for the program has been provided by the National Science Foundation (NSF) through REU Award Number DMS - 2050754

For more details go to website: [LINK](#)

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Call for Fall 2022 Supplemental Instruction Support

The Learning Center : Tuesday February 1, 2022

The Learning Center is now accepting requests for Supplemental Instruction support for fall 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 will support a number of student SI Leader positions for Fall 2022 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 skills. SIs provide 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: <https://www.gcsu.edu/sites/files/page-assets/node-2216/attachments/whatissi.pdf>

It's time now to plan for SIs for the Fall 2022 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, February 7th. We realize this is a rapid turn-around but would like the additional time for recruiting an excellent pool of student candidates.

Request SI/QUALTRICS link here: https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bsAMJ1TY5rOU9E2

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 February 10th, 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 March; 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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Reminder! Spring 2022 Graduate Research Travel Grants Deadline

The Graduate School : Tuesday February 1, 2022

The deadline to apply to the spring 2022 cycle of the Graduate Research Travel Grants program is February 15, 2022. Currently enrolled 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 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 conference fees. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

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 <https://www.gcsu.edu/future-students/graduate/graduate-opportunities>

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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The 2022 Emma Brodzik Scholarship

Sustainability, Office of : Tuesday February 1, 2022

GC Shades of Green announces the 2022 Emma Brodzik Scholarship.

The \$500 Emma Brodzik Scholarship is available to students who meet the following criteria:

Students Applying Must ...

- 1) be a Georgia College and State University undergraduate, AND
- 2) be a Junior or a Senior, AND
- 3) have a university GPA of 3.25 or greater, AND
- 4) be in the process of earning or have earned the GC Sustainability Certificate, OR an Environmental Science major, OR a member in good standing with the Environmental Science Club, OR on the GC Sustainability Council, OR on the GC Sustainability Fee Program.

Scholarship details:

- 1) Applications are due to the Chair of the GC SOG by email to gcsog@gcsu.edu by February 28, 2022,
- 3) Applications are reviewed by all GC SOG Internal Executive Board Members,
- 4) The Internal Executive Board members will consider recommendations from the external Board and Junior Board members in their final award decision,
- 5) Awards will be announced at the GC SOG Spring event each year and publicized on GC Front Page, GC social media, and in the local press, etc.,

Click on the link to the PDF for the application. Fill out completely, follow instructions carefully for the items requiring Word documents to be included with the application, sign and date in your handwriting, scan to pdf and return gcsog@gcsu.edu no later than noon on 02/28/22.

Click on the application here [PDF](#)

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Anthem/Northside Hospital: Contract extended through April 15, 2022

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday February 1, 2022

We wanted to make you aware that the contract between Anthem and Northside Hospital has been extended through April 15, 2022.

This means that Northside Hospital will be in network for the USG Anthem healthcare plans through April 15, 2022. Northside Hospital and its doctors will be out of network beginning April 16, 2022, unless an agreement is reached.

Anthem and Northside will continue to work toward the goal of coming to an agreement during this time.

If an agreement isn't reached by April 15, 2022, you or your covered family members who are receiving on-going treatments, have a procedure scheduled, or are currently admitted to a Northside Hospital, may have access to in-network coverage for a limited period time if approved through [Continuation of Care](#).

Emergency care – including COVID-19 related care – will continue to be covered on or after April 15, 2022, based on your plan's schedule of benefits, as same as it is currently.

More information is available on the Anthem website at anthem.com/northside.

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Georgia Association of Educators (GAE) Trivia Social Event

College of Education : Tuesday February 1, 2022

The Georgia Association of Educators (GAE) will host a trivia social event on Thursday, February 10, 2022 at 5 pm in Kilpatrick Hall 227. Use the QR code or web link on the [attached flyer](#) to RSVP.



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Homecoming 2022: Feeling '22 Bobcats' Version

Student Life, Office of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

Homecoming 2022 will be held February 21 - 26, 2022. For a full calendar of events, please go to www.gcsu.edu/homecoming. All events are listed with their corresponding links to sign up. Please see the below details for the timeline to sign up:

Parade: The form to sign up to participate in the parade is now open. The form will close on February 18 at 5pm. [Sign up here.](#)

Concert: Tickets are on sale from January 31 until February 25. Faculty and Staff tickets go on sale on Monday, February 14. You may come to the Student Activities Center, room 214 Monday - Friday from 9am - 4pm beginning on the 14th. All faculty and staff tickets are \$20 and you may purchase more than one (1) ticket.

Tent City: If your office or department would like to have a tent at Tent City, please fill out [this form](#). The form will remain open until February 11 at 5pm. Tent City will last from 12pm – 4pm and will occur in the Centennial Center parking lot.

Office Decorating Contest: Faculty and staff around campus are encouraged to showcase their school pride by decorating their door or entire office area for Homecoming in the theme of "Feeling '22: Bobcats' Version, A Celebration of Music." Each entry should consider the different eras of music throughout history. To participate, please [fill out the signup form](#). The deadline to sign up is Friday, February 18 at 5 p.m



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Upcoming Test of the VoIP Phone Notification System

Public Safety : Wednesday February 2, 2022

The Georgia College Department of Public Safety has scheduled an additional test of the campus VoIP phone notification system within GC ALERT. This test will occur on Thursday, February 3rd, 2022, at 7:00 am. The campus VoIP phone system is capable of broadcasting emergency announcements to campus community members.

If present during the test, an audible emergency test message will be announced over the campus phones. No action is needed from campus community members.

Thank you for staying safe by being informed.

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Performance Evaluations Quick Facts

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

Performance Evaluations Quick Facts

- Staff Evaluation Period: Feb. 1, 2021 - Jan. 31, 2022
- Staff employees complete Self-Evaluation Form: Feb. 1, 2022- Feb. 9, 2022
- Supervisors write employee Performance Evaluations: Feb. 10, 2022 - Feb. 23, 2022
- Supervisors conduct Performance Review Meetings: Feb. 24, 2022 - March 10, 2022
- Next level management reviews exempt-level evaluations: March 11, 2022 - March 17, 2022
- Completed Performance Evaluations due to HR: March 18, 2022

-----RATINGS-----

Each category on the Exempt and Non-exempt performance evaluations will receive a rating ranging from 1 (Unsatisfactory) through 5 (Far Exceeds Expectations). Employees should be provided written feedback in each category, regardless of rating; however, if an employee receives the minimum (1) or maximum (5) ratings in any category, that employee should be provided superfluous comments explaining why the rating was assigned. Keep in mind that a rating of 3 means that the employee is meeting all expectations and should be considered a positive rating! A rating of 3 does not mean average; it means the employee is meeting performance expectations.

See the attachment for examples.

-----TOOLS & BEST PRACTICES-----

Performance Evaluation Tools: Job Descriptions, Last Year's Goals, and Self-Evaluations.

Goals: Should be S.M.A.R.T: Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Results-Focused, and Time-Bound

Best Practices:

- Focus on strengths and areas for development
- Provide quality feedback, be specific and objective, and use examples.
- Do not factor in periods of approved leave of absences (e.g. FMLA, ADAAA, etc.)
- Do not reference illnesses, medical conditions, or statements pertaining to individuals in protected classes (e.g. religion, veteran status)

-----REBUTTALS-----

*The rebuttal process should only be followed if/when an employee disagrees with any rating.

1. Write a rebuttal
 - Include specific examples and/or supporting documentation
 - Submit to your supervisor
 - Will be filed with the performance evaluation in your personnel file
2. Does not guarantee a change in rating(s) - the supervisor has the final authority on performance ratings.
3. The Office of Human Resources is a resource for communication concerns and documentation (if needed).

Questions? Contact your supervisor or the Office of Human Resources at (478) 445-5596 or email employeerelations@gcsu.edu

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[Evaluations Quick Facts.pdf](#)

“Green Out” basketball games sponsored by Staff Council

Staff Council : Wednesday February 2, 2022

Join Staff Council on February 5th for a “Green Out” event at Centennial Center to support the Men’s and Women’s Basketball Teams. Be sure to wear green apparel for the games as Staff Council will be handing out awards in between the games for the most spirited fans.

Georgia College employees and any guest under the age of 18 can attend the games for free. Staff Council is also providing free admission for 1 additional guest of a Georgia College employee over the age of 18 for the first 50 employees who show up at the door. You can reserve a plus one from Staff Council by [filling out this form](#).

There will also be free popcorn, photos with Thunder, employee recognitions, and other activities throughout the afternoon. The women’s game will get started at 1:30pm and the men’s game will tip off at 3:30pm. Hope to see you there!

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Homecoming 2022: Feeling '22 Bobcats' Version

Student Life, Office of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

Please read this email in its entirety as it includes all pertinent information that students need in regards to Homecoming. To view the schedule of events, please go to www.gcsu.edu/homecoming. All events are listed with their corresponding links to sign up. Here is the timeline for necessary sign ups, as well as for campaigning and voting:

Parade: The form to sign up to participate in the parade is now open. The form will close on February 18 at 5pm. [Sign up here](#).

Concert: Tickets are on sale from January 31 until February 25. They will be on sale Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm on the 2nd floor of the Student Activities Center. Student tickets are \$15 and you may buy one (1) guest ticket for the same price. The concert is not open to the public, but students, faculty, staff, and alumni have the opportunity to purchase an additional ticket to give to a non-GC affiliated person. Please bring your Bobcat card when you purchase your ticket.

Homecoming Court: Those individuals who plan to represent their organization by running for Homecoming Court may sign up at [this link](#). The link will open at 8am on January 28 and close at 5pm on February 7. All corresponding dates for campaigning, voting, etc. are listed on the sign up link.

Tent City: If your organization would like to have a tent at Tent City, please fill out [this form](#). The form will remain open until February 11 at 5pm. Tent City will last from 12pm – 4pm and will occur in the Centennial Center parking lot. You do not have to be a part of an organization in order to attend. Additional information will be sent to students in regards to obtaining a wristband for the event.

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USG Well-being Events for the Week of January 31

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

Hello Employees!

USG Well-being is offering a wide range of programs. Please take a look at the below upcoming events and join in as they fit with your schedule:

Wednesday, February 2

11 a.m.

Moving More - Ways to Combat Sedentary Lifestyle

11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

QPR Suicide Prevention Training

Thursday, February 3

12 p.m.

Take Control of Your Future Today

Don't forget to take advantage of our other benefits. For example, you can get an assortment of discounts and [well-being and fitness live classes or videos](#) at no cost to you through [USG Perks at Work](#).

To get more information on USG Well-being events, visit <https://www.usg.edu/well-being/events>. We hope to see you at these activities.

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Guest art critic to give public lecture on Colombian Art

Art, Department of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

The Georgia College Department of Art is hosting a public lecture Feb. 17 at 5 p.m. in Arts and Sciences, room 272. Guest art critic and curator Carolina Ponce De León will talk about "Contemporary Colombian Art in the Context of Armed Conflict: An Overview."

This topic focuses on visual art created in Colombia during its fifty-year armed conflict, which cost the country over 220,000 lives and displaced nearly 7 million people. Ponce de León's lecture will also address aesthetic approaches and strategies used by Colombian artists to address causes of the conflict, its violence and toll of human suffering.

Her experience will provide a "detailed, first-hand perspective on the role and contributions of art in a context of war," said Art History Professor Ruben Yepes.

A new faculty member at Georgia College, Yepes is also from Colombia. His teaching and research focus on Colombian and Latin American Art.

"I couldn't be more thrilled about her visit," Yepes said. "Through her work as a curator and gallery director both in Colombia and the U.S., Carolina has been key in positioning a new generation of Colombian artists, both nationally and internationally."

Ponce de León lives and works in Bogotá, Colombia. Among other positions, she's been director of arts at Banco de la República in Bogotá; curator at the Museo del Barrio in New York; and director of Galería de la Raza in San Francisco. Ponce de León is author of several books. Her articles have been published in anthologies, catalogues and specialized journals in the United States, Europe and Latin America.

This event is free and open to the public. For more information, please contact Yepes at ruben.yepes@gcsu.edu.

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Lunch & Learn: New Employee Training Opportunity - Emotional Intelligence for Success

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 2, 2022

The Office of Human Resources is excited to announce we will be hosting a new virtual employee training called “Emotional Intelligence for Success” on Thursday, February 10th from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Below is the description about the course and the link to register; we hope you will join us!

Emotional Intelligence for Success:

Being able to recognize feelings in oneself and others, managing emotions, and balancing thoughts are invaluable traits that are associated with emotional intelligence (EQ).

Emotional intelligence requires skills such as self-awareness, self-regulation, motivation, empathy, and social skills. Embracing the nuances of human emotion have demonstrated several benefits, particularly at work, such as better collaboration, compassionate leadership, boosted morale and overall a happier and healthier workplace. Participants will learn that by recognizing the feelings of family members and co-workers, and responding in a balanced, rational way, they can improve relationships and collaborate more effectively. The session also examines new brain research on emotions and the battle between the emotional and the thinking brain.

How participants will benefit:

At the end of this session participants will be able to:

- The ability to cope with daily situations and get along in the world includes both cognitive and emotional intelligence.
- The emotional brain impacts behavior.
- An ‘amygdala attack’ of panic reactions results when cognitive thinking stops.
- Calm breathing and focused listening add to EQ

Registration URL: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4521336269789149198>

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Nursing Recruitment Fair - Spring 2022

Career Center : Wednesday February 2, 2022

On Monday February 7th, nursing students are invited to attend the Nursing Recruitment Fair in Peabody Auditorium, next to Kilpatrick Hall. This event is a great opportunity to gather information on career opportunities and make initial contacts with potential employers. Over 15 organizations are expected to attend.

You never have a second chance to make a first impression, so business attire is encouraged for this event, particularly for those graduating and seeking full-time jobs and internships. You may also wear attire appropriate for your profession if you are in clinical rotations or reporting to work in the healthcare profession that day. Resumes are also highly encouraged so that you can leave information about yourself with the representatives. Even if you have applied online it helps the recruiter know who you are when you follow up with them at a later date. For assistance with your resume, contact the Career Center in 110 Lanier Hall or make an appointment via Unify.

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GEORGIA COLLEGE'S SPRING 2022

Nursing Recruitment Fair

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7
10 AM - 12 PM
PEABODY AUDITORIUM



Wednesday Night Basketball at Home against Flagler

Athletics : Wednesday February 2, 2022

The Bobcat Basketball doubleheader set for Wednesday, Feb. 2 begins at 5:30 p.m.

The GC Women look to pick up their sixth win of the season, while the Bobcat Men battle Flagler in a matchup of the top two teams in the conference

Sassy Cats and Cheerleaders set to perform as well.

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Announcements Posted Thursday February 3, 2022

Call for Active Learning Classroom Upgrade Requests

Center for Teaching & Learning : Thursday February 3, 2022

We have prepared the following form for requests for future active learning classrooms. If you have a particular room in which you would like to see active learning improvements or an active learning strategy that you wish to see somewhere on campus, please submit this form to the Center for Teaching and Learning. We are requesting that entries for Summer 2022 projects be submitted by February 11, 2022. Any later requests will be considered for the following year. Submitted requests will be assessed by the committee and then recommended for available funding based on need, proximity to other active learning spaces, space and furnishing age, and the complexity of the project.

[Please submit your active learning classroom request here!](#)

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GC Writing Center Graduate & Professional Staff to Present at SWCA

The Writing Center : Thursday February 3, 2022

GC Writing Center Tutors will present at the Southeastern Writing Centers Association (SWCA) conference, which is attended by tutors, staff, faculty, and administrators from across the region. Sponsored by the largest, most active affiliate of the International Writing Centers Association, this yearly conference provides a forum for a wide variety of topics relevant to Writing Center work, ranging from increasing opportunities for undergraduate publication in writing center studies to digital resources in center spaces.



Graduate Writing Consultants will represent Georgia College on two separate virtual panels at the three-day SWCA conference from Thursday, February 10th - Saturday, February 12th. MFA student Sherri-Anne Forde (GCWC Writing in the Disciplines Coordinator) will draw from Glenn Singleton's work on *Courageous Conversations about Race* to facilitate a workshop conversation, entitled, "Courageous Conversations in the Writing Center." MFA students Kieran Binney, Aron Liebig, Rachel Kerger (GCWC Administrative Coordinator), and Shannon Yarbrough (GCWC Resources Coordinator) will discuss their approaches to assisting composition students and highlight resources in development for a session on "Mapping The Thesis Statement: Accessible Resource Creation for First-Year Composition Students."

As a representative of the SWCA Board, Writing Center Director Dr. Joy Bracewell will conduct a session on its certification program, SWCA-CARE (Center Acknowledgement & Recognition of Excellence), and will also join Dr. Candis Bond, SWCA-CARE Co-Chair and Associate Prof. of English and Writing Center Director at Augusta University, to facilitate a roundtable on the placemaking strategies of writing center professionals as a domain of professional labor.

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Voices of Joy Presents, PRAISE BREAK!: Bible Study and Worship

Campus Life : Thursday February 3, 2022

Georgia College Voices of Joy Gospel Choir is excited to announce that we are hosting praise, worship, and bible study for our campus community! Our goal is to provide a place of love and fellowship through free worship for those who are searching for a Christian community, especially for our brothers and sisters of color! Come and hear the popular and worshipful gospel and contemporary Christian music from our very own live worship team as you enter the space. You will be treated to refreshments while engaging in open, interactive bible discussions in a laid-back, and free-flowing environment with no judgment!

The first service is Monday, February 7th, 2022 at Porter Hall, Room 304; at 7:30 PM and will be held every 1st and 3rd Monday of each month. Spread the word so that no one misses out on the amazing things in store for the organization!

Take a break from the stress and worries of life, gather your friends to praise God and talk about JESUS!

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Travel Regulations Update

Finance & Administration : Thursday February 3, 2022

The State of Georgia announced several changes to the state travel policy effective 2/1/2022. Most noticeable is the change in per diem rates for travel in Georgia from high/low cost areas to a rate of \$50 per day (\$13 breakfast, \$14 lunch and \$23 dinner) for all of Georgia when travel involves an overnight stay. However, the 25 percent travel day reduction will be in effect. We will have two trainings to go over this and other changes to policy at 2:00 in the Pat Peterson Museum Room Tuesday, February 15 and Wednesday, February 23.

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Statewide Travel Policy-Final 2.1.22.pdf

Summary of Key Changes to Statewide Travel Policy FINAL.pdf
travel revisions.pdf

Center for Georgia Studies presents "A White Liberal College President in the Jim Crow South: Guy Herbert Wells and the YWCA at GSCW, 1934-1953"

History & Geography, Department of : Thursday February 3, 2022

Dr. Sandra Godwin will be talking about her new book about Georgia College President Guy Wells and the travails of southern liberalism. Her talk is scheduled for Thursday, February 10th at 7 p.m. and it will be a Zoom presentation.

Mark Huddle is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://gcsu.zoom.us/j/98537765350>

Meeting ID: 985 3776 5350

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[GC Community Conversations--Sandra Godwin.pdf](#)

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHERS: Call for Proposals for World Class Day 5, taking place on 27 & 28 May, 2022

Transformative Learning Experiences : Thursday February 3, 2022

World Class Day (WCD), a free online symposium, highlights research carried out by students worldwide. Via live video link, participants introduce their projects to an international audience. Within a limit of five minutes, they accomplish these goals:

- Ask an important new question that is grounded in the theory or method best suited for their own inquiry;
- identify a key insight that they have reached;
- predict the next steps for the research trajectory.

This symposium is designed for undergraduate students to share their individual research across distances, disciplines, and cultures. They come together to share and discuss their work with their international audience.

Student researchers can bring their research to an international sphere of discussion at no cost. Student researchers can engage in illuminating dialogue about their work.

To apply, please direct student researchers to complete the google form:

[World Class Day 5](#)

<https://forms.gle/iEyEtNrGVZCNfm6s8>

Applications are due by midnight (your local time) on 28, February 2022

For questions or comments about this call for proposals and the application process, please email: 2022wcd@gmail.com or contact us through our website at: <https://worldclassday.wordpress.com/>

WCD 5 is convened by a planning committee, governed by an Advisory Board, and hosted in May 2022 via technology and supports at University of Greenwich. Previous WCD conferences have offered international exposure to student researchers from institutions and disciplines in China, India, Indonesia, the United Kingdom, Australia, Ethiopia, Nigeria, the Netherlands, the United States, and Canada.

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State of the University Address and Service Recognition Ceremony - February 4

University Communications : Thursday February 3, 2022

President Cathy Cox will deliver her State of the University Address Friday, February 4th at 2:00 p.m. in Russell Auditorium. Immediately following the State of the University Address, faculty and staff will be honored for their years of service to Georgia College during our annual Service Recognition Ceremony.

Both events will also be live-streamed if you are unable to attend in person. The live stream will be available at <https://www.gcsu.edu/president>. Please note that you may have to refresh your browser if you get to the webpage before the stream is turned on.

Following the Service Recognition Ceremony, there will be a reception on the Russell lawn.

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Announcements Posted Friday February 4, 2022

Black In White: Black Experiences at PWIs Virtual Panel

Women's Center : Friday February 4, 2022

The Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs and the Cultural Center invite you to attend Black In White: Black Experiences at PWIs, a virtual conversational panel at 4 p.m. on February 8th, where black students/faculty/staff will come together to bring attention to and address the disparities, experiences and challenges that are faced by black people attending and working at predominantly white institutions. In addition to this panel and discussion, we hope to also create a safe space for others to speak up and share with people who understand their similar struggles. Please RSVP for this event here: <https://bit.ly/blackinwhite22>

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Guest Artist Recital: Finding Meaning - The Percussion Music of Joe W. Moore III

Music, Department of : Friday February 4, 2022

Thursday, Feb. 10 Guest artist Dr. Joe W. Moore III will perform a guest artist percussion recital "Finding Meaning: The Percussion Music of Joe W. Moore III" at 7:30 p.m. in the Max Noah Recital Hall. The concert will feature an array of percussion pieces with keyboard percussion, timpani and multi-percussion set-ups composed by Moore. He will also be joined by Chair and Professor of Music Dr. Don N. Parker and the Georgia College Percussion Ensemble on several selections. As an assistant professor of music at the University of Louisiana at Monroe, Moore leads the percussion program. Active as both a soloist and chamber musician, he performs as a member of the Omojo Percussion Duo, the Ninkasi Percussion Group, 2x2 Percussion and Dead Resonance. He is also a composer and many of his works have been performed across the US. This concert will also be live-streamed 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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[Joe Moore III Program rev_0.pdf](#)

Big Sports Weekend Ahead for Bobcat Nation

Athletics : Friday February 4, 2022

If you like sports, this weekend's for you!

GC Women's Tennis at home against Clark Atlanta Saturday at 3pm

Baseball and Softball play their home openers Saturday on West Campus, with GC Baseball hosting No. 1-ranked University of Tampa!

Saturday Softball 1 and 3pm, Baseball doubleheader at noon

Sunday Softball at 1 and 3pm, Baseball single game at noon

The Basketball programs take on rival Augusta with action starting at 1:30pm, the Women will look for the season sweep over the Jags after beating Augusta on the road, the men will look for the upset of the #23 Augusta Men's team.

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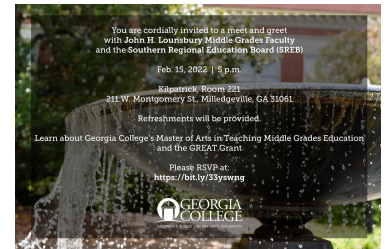
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Let's Talk GREAT Grant!

College of Education : Friday February 4, 2022

Come out Tue, Feb. 15 at 5 p.m. and learn more information about the College of Education's GREAT Grant. This informational reception will allow you to meet with current students and faculty of the Middle Grades Education program. Representatives from the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) will be present as well. Refreshments will be provided.



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Announcements Posted Monday February 7, 2022

Women's Leadership Conference Request for Session Proposals

Women's Center : Monday February 7, 2022

The Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs, Leadership Programs, Alumni Association, and J. Whitney Bunting College of Business will be jointly hosting our 4th annual Women's Leadership Conference March 25, 2022. The theme for this year's conference is Leading Change: Navigating the Road to Resiliency and will be held in person with a virtual session track being offered for those who wish to join us from a distance. Below, please find our request for proposals and an online proposal submission form. The deadline to submit a proposal is February 22 and registration for the conference will open on March 1.

For more information about the conference, please visit our [Women's Leadership Conference webpage](#).

Proposal Submission Link: [Session Proposal Form](#)

Request for Proposals:

"Like tiny seeds with potent power to push through tough ground and become mighty trees, we hold innate reserves of unimaginable strength. We are resilient." - Catherine DeVrye

As we move into our 4th annual Women's Leadership Conference, we have been reflecting on all the events of the last two years. Our Conference in 2020 was one of the last in-person events at Georgia College before we moved into the shut-down; last year our conference was 100% virtual as the world continued to battle the novel coronavirus. Covid-19 is still present, is still evolving, is still looming, but vaccinations are now widely available for all ages, which is a blessing as they seem to be effective against the various strains that have emerged.

Our campus, our nation, the world is tired. The ever-present danger that Covid is has caused a level of anxiety, depression, and exhaustion that has deeply impacted people's lives - personally and professionally. There has been a mass exodus of employees from various industries as people grapple with rising costs of living, stagnant wages, and lack of resources such as healthcare and childcare. Employees and employers alike have had to reimagine what work looks like. These changes are ongoing and require us to collectively dig deep to care for ourselves and each other.

Our hope is that this conference provides a place of respite, a place to refocus, a place to learn new skills, or a place to think about leadership in a new way.

Coinciding with Women's History Month, the Women's Leadership Conference gives participants the opportunity to explore their leadership. The conference incorporates students, staff, alumni, faculty and community members as speakers and presenters in order to give our participants access to a wide variety of experience and knowledge. The content engages our participants in critical thought around their role as a leader to create meaningful change. Some topics we hope to see addressed include: overcoming burnout, balancing responsibilities, innovative problem-solving, looking for opportunities, operating through a trauma-informed lens, motivating and inspiring others, charting new paths, finding new rhythms, stories of turning passion into action, grassroots leadership, self-awareness around privilege and power, overcoming barriers to leadership, effective communication, collaborating with diverse constituents and unique communities, dealing with resistance, strengths-based leadership, feminism, and cultural competency in the workplace.

Additionally, breakout sessions will include strong takeaways for participants, inspire action, provide resources, networking, building connections amongst participants, and building community.

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Dr. Erin Weston nationally recognized for dissertation

University Communications : Monday February 7, 2022

Dr. Erin Weston, director of first-year experience, has been recognized for her research and dissertation. She has been named by NASPA—Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education—as the runner-up for the [Melvene D. Hardee Dissertation of the Year Award](#)

The award is designed to encourage high-quality research relevant to college student services administration and to student affairs. It recognizes outstanding dissertation research conducted by doctoral degree recipients presently in or intending to enter the student affairs profession

Weston graduated in August 2021 with her Ph.D. in College Student Affairs Administration from the University of Georgia

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Georgia Adopt-a-Stream Monitoring event

Academic Outreach : Monday February 7, 2022

Love the outdoors? Want to do something fun to give back? Join us this Wednesday (February 9) for Chemical Monitoring of Champion Creek out at Lake Laurel (9-1000), GC's East Campus and/or Tobler Creek at Andalusia (1030-1200). 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 information and to register, go to <https://givepul.se/ufydew>



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Summer and Fall Textbook Adoptions

Barnes & Noble at Georgia College : Monday February 7, 2022

Partner with Barnes & Noble at Georgia College to make sure your students have their course materials for the upcoming semesters by uploading your textbook adoptions to AIP.

Instructors can input course materials in the new Adoptions and Insights Portal (AIP). [Click here for detailed instructions.](#)

To access AIP, log into PAWS or visit <https://sso.bncollege.com/bes-sp/bessso/saml/gcsuedu/aip/logon>.

Summer textbook adoptions are due by Monday, March 14 and Fall textbook adoptions are due by Monday, June 6.

If you have any questions, please contact Barnes & Noble at GC Store Manager Sophia Pope at sm8124@bncollege.com or 478-445-7305.

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English Department welcomes Darugar Scholar in early March

English, Department of : Monday February 7, 2022

Novelist Rabih Alameddine has been named the Darugar Distinguished Visiting Scholar for Georgia College's Creative Writing program.

"The Georgia College community is lucky indeed to have Rabih Alameddine as the 2022 Dr. and Mrs. Barry Darugar Distinguished Visiting Scholar," said Dr. Kerry Neville, coordinator of the Master of Fine Arts and undergraduate creative writing programs.

"He's been described as a 'master of the intimate and the global,' and certainly his global perspective and the international scope of his work offers us a chance to broaden our own perspectives and sphere of care and concern," she said.

Born in Amman, Jordan, and raised in Kuwait and Lebanon, Alameddine received his education in the United States and England. His novels include "The Angel of History," "An Unnecessary Woman," "The Hakawati," "I, the Divine" and "Koolhaas." Alameddine also penned a story collection called "The Perv."

His latest novel, "The Wrong End of the Telescope," is about an Arab American transwoman among Syrian refugees in Greece. The Economist noted: "His books offer a compelling, often jarring, blend of cynicism and hope. They urge readers to contemplate the humanity and suffering of others rather than turn their faces away."

Other acclamations include the New York Times Book Review: "Spectacular ... Alameddine's irreverent prose evokes the old master storytellers from my own Middle Eastern home, their observations toothy and full of wit, returning always to human absurdity."

At Georgia College, Alameddine will offer a public talk, formal reading and craft talk. He'll visit creative writing classes and offer one-on-one manuscript consultations with students.

- Wednesday, March 2 Alameddine's public talk, "Concerning the Political in Art," will be 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. with a question-and-answer session in the A&S Auditorium and on YouTube.
- Thursday, March 3 His craft talk with questions and answers will be 12:30 to 1:15 p.m. in Arts and Sciences room 275.
- Also, on March 3 A public reading with questions and answers will be 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. in A&S Auditorium and on YouTube.

Alameddine is a painter, as well, with solo gallery exhibitions in cities throughout the United States, Europe and Middle East. He's lectured at numerous universities including M.I.T. and the American University of Beirut in Lebanon.

His books have been translated into more than 20 languages, and his writing has appeared in the "New Yorker," the "New York Times," the "Guardian" and other publications.

Among other honors, Alameddine received the Guggenheim Foundation fellowship in 2002. He divides his time between San Francisco and Beirut. Currently, he is the University of Virginia's Kapnick Foundation Writer-in-Residence.

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Call for GC 1010 Instructors for The Bridge Scholars Program

First-Year Experience : Monday February 7, 2022

Call for GC 1010 Instructors for The Bridge Scholars Program

This is an open call for applications to teach a one-credit student success course in the GC Bridge Scholars Program.

About the Bridge Scholars Program:

The Bridge Scholars Program (BSP) is a yearlong Residential Learning Community which gives first-year students a head start on college through a special program designed to help them make a successful transition from high school to campus. During the summer program, BSP students are placed into a cohort and take a one-credit hour success course and six hours of core courses. Students who pass all courses with a grade of C or better are eligible to return to GC. Returning students then continue to participate in special extracurricular activities and peer mentoring during their first-year. Past BSP students have gone on to be academically successful campus leaders, this is due in part to the strong start they have had for their college experience. One of the highlights and benefits of the program is the close interaction that BSP students enjoy with their faculty and BSP staff. We hope that you will consider applying for this unique teaching opportunity. (For more information, please visit <http://www.gcsu.edu/bridge>)

Summer Teaching Opportunity:

Instructors are needed to teach several sections of GC 1010: Student Success Seminar. This summer the course will meet from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on June 20th – June 23rd. The course does not replace the fall FYAS; rather it is a "study skills boot camp" of sorts, designed to help Bridge Scholars strengthen their academic success skills. Rather than functioning as an orientation to campus or a career exploration course, the GC 1010 seminar covers topics such as test anxiety, time management, note-taking, reading comprehension and learning styles. The course utilizes the open-source text, College Success. Our goal is to front-load students with intensive academic skill-building before they proceed to take their summer core courses.

Instructors 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. In addition to instructional time, those hired to teach with the BSP during summer 2022 will be required to participate in the following events:

- Friday, April 15th: BSP faculty/staff orientation 3:30-5 p.m.
- Saturday, June 18th: BSP Orientation and move-in
- Friday, July 21st: Closing banquet

Compensation:

Instructors hired to teach the course will have one of two options. 1) You may elect to take three days of annual leave and receive a \$625 stipend for teaching (on the June 30 payroll). 2) Obtain supervisory approval to teach the course as part of your regular work duties on those four days and forgo the stipend.

How to Apply:

Interested employees should submit a paragraph identifying: (1) their interest in the BSP program, (2) their qualifications for teaching this course, and (3) their thoughts on how instructor involvement outside of the classroom can support and enhance pedagogy. Hiring decisions will be made by mid-April.

Applications will be accepted by email to hali.sofala-jones@gcsu.edu on or before March 1, 2022. Please don't hesitate to contact me with questions.

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Diversity 360 Event: Establishing & Maintaining Mentally Healthy Workplace Environments

Inclusive Excellence, Office of : Monday February 7, 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence will present our first virtual Diversity 360 event for Spring semester entitled "Establishing & Maintaining Mentally Healthy Workplace Environments," on Feb. 22 at 4 p.m. The Zoom link is <https://tinyurl.com/2p86v6du>. Dr. Steve Wilson, Director of GC Counseling Services, will be the facilitator.

As we continue to adapt to the new normal during the pandemic, more people are returning or have returned to work. However, this new normal has seen an increase of stress and anxiety. Even before the pandemic, 1 in 5 adults struggled with mental health issues—and that number is only rising. Furthermore, when workers struggle with mental health conditions, the signs are not always apparent, and even when a condition is disclosed, there may be a stigma attached.

In this workshop, participants will learn:

- How managers and supervisors can support employees' mental health
- How employees can talk about their mental health in the workplace
- The benefits of talking about and improving mental health at work
- How to work with others to make your workplace more mentally healthy for everyone
- Ways to reach out and support a colleague in distress

To register, please go to <https://forms.gle/TdTQOrifhxp2kFee8>.

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Mark Your Calendar for the Graduate Writing Group (in-person and virtual)

The Graduate School : Monday February 7, 2022

Join fellow graduate students in this NEW writing group from The Graduate School Saturday, February 19, 2022, from 11 AM – 3:30 PM. Open to all currently enrolled Georgia College graduate students. The goal of the Graduate Writing Group is to help students make progress on graduate writing projects and help foster a sense of community.

The Writing Center will offer a presentation on the writing topic, “Overcoming Writer’s Block” and the Library will share on the many services they provide to students.. Students may drop-in and work, and leave at any time during the event. A facilitator will be on-site for assistance.

[Click here](#) or see attached or full information and to register either for in-person or virtual attendance.

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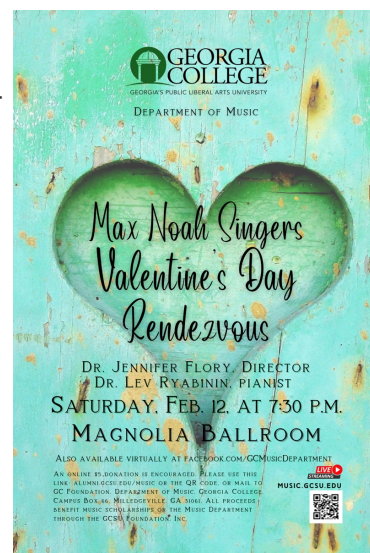
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Max Noah Singers Valentine's Day Rendezvous

Music, Department of : Monday February 7, 2022

Saturday, Feb. 12 Georgia College's Max Noah Singers will present "Valentine's Day Rendezvous" at 7:30 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom at the Student Activity Center. The concert will also be live streamed at facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment. Music theatre favorites, such as songs from West Side Story, and popular love songs like "Somewhere Out There" will be performed by the full ensemble, in addition to solos and duets from the group. A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at alumni.gcsu.edu/music. 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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Women's Center and LGBTQ+ Programs: Check out our programs this week!

LGBTQ+ Programs : Monday February 7, 2022

[Check out](#) our programs this week. We hope to see you there!

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Graduate Research Poster Showcase Registration is Open!

The Graduate School : Monday February 7, 2022

It's that time once again for our Graduate Students to showcase their research endeavors! This annual event with visual displays of creativity and research findings is held each spring during Graduate & Professional Student Appreciation Week April 4-8, 2022.

Full information and registration link can be found on our Graduate Opportunities [page](#).

The deadline to register and submit your abstract is March 7, 2022 by 11:59pm.

Notification of approval or denial by the committee will be emailed in approximately 5 business days.

Approved abstracts and electronic copies of posters must be submitted to Knowledge Box by March 30, 2022 at 11:59pm.

Virtual posters will be showcased on digital monitors in The MAX Dining Hall April 4-8, 2022.

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Battle of the Bands

Student Life, Office of : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Come out to Magnolia Ballroom on Tuesday, February 8 to see who will win Battle of the Bands. The winner will get to open for Highway 49 and Flo Rida at this year's Homecoming concert. Doors open at 6:30pm with the show beginning at 7pm.

Participating Bands:

- Highspeed Dream
- Subject to Change
- Parking Garage



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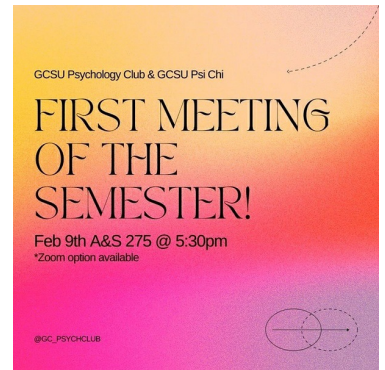
Psychology Club/Psi Chi First Meeting of Spring 2022

Psychological Science, Department of : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Psychology Club is having their first meeting of Spring semester on Wednesday, Feb 9th at 5:30 p.m. in A&S 275 and via Zoom using [this link](#)

In person, there will be pizza and snacks (bring your own beverage, please) and we will be making Valentine's Day cards for kids in the hospital to help brighten their day! They will also be discussing upcoming events and other service opportunities!

FYI: You do not have to be a psych major to be a part of psych club! All that is required is that you bring your energy and enthusiasm!



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Travel Updates- Mileage

Finance & Administration : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Every January the federal government sets mileage rates for the calendar year. For 2022, T-1 mileage is paid at \$.585/mile and T-2 mileage will be paid at \$.18/mile. For Georgia College this means travel to destinations in the state of Georgia will be paid at \$.585/mile. For out of state travel where taking a GCSU/rental car or flying would be more cost effective, the mileage rate paid will be \$.18/mile. For assistance in determining if a rental car is more cost effective, please contact Omega Hedgepeth at omega.hedgepeth@gcsu.edu or 478-445-1178. Additionally, we must determine a primary work station for each employee and commute miles will be deducted on work days based on the mileage from that workstation to Georgia College. To properly report mileage, one should do a map exactly as they traveled. For instance, you would print a map from home to Georgia College to 123 ABC street in Atlanta if you came to work then left for a trip to Atlanta. Commute miles from home to Georgia College would then be deducted from the total mileage. Travel training for this and other updates will be offered at 2:00p.m. in the Pat Peterson Museum Room (Library 211) on Tuesday, February 15 and Wednesday, February 23.

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CTL Workshop - "Small" Approaches to Finding Motivation and Inspiration in the Classroom

Center for Teaching & Learning : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Since the COVID-19 pandemic disrupted teaching and learning in Spring 2020, it has felt like more of a struggle to motivate students to learn--both in-person and in virtual environments. It has also felt challenging for us, as teachers, to find the motivation to jump into our classrooms with the same enthusiasm. In the new 2021 edition of *Small Teaching*, Jim Lang speaks about motivation and the power of emotion in terms of inspiring teachers and learners: "Emotions like isolation and anxiety can interfere with student learning, but emotions can also play a positive role in the work we do. We should think not just about how to drive out negative emotions, but also how we engage the positive emotions that support learning: curiosity, wonder, purpose, and even joy."

Join GCSU faculty from the Chancellor's Learning Scholar's program to discuss "small" steps we can all take to inspire and motivate our students and ourselves. This interdisciplinary panel of faculty will include Dr. Kelley Ditzel (Public Administration), Dr. Stephanie Jett (Psychology), Dr. Joy Bracewell (Director of the Writing Center), and Dr. Stefanie Sevcik (English). Participants will hear insights from Jim Lang's new edition of *Small Teaching* as well as discuss examples from their own classroom experiences.

This virtual workshop will be held at 10 am on March 3. The meeting link will be sent out to registrants before the workshop.

[Register for "Small" Approaches to Finding Motivation and Inspiration in the Classroom!](#)

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STEM-TASTIC Nights Feb 15, 16, and 17

The Learning Center : Tuesday February 8, 2022

STEM-TASTIC Dinner with Faculty- Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday (Feb 15, 16, 17) Doors open at 430

- Join the Learning Center and STEM faculty for an evening of all things STEM (and Econ) at the MAX!
- Select the day that best fits your needs/goals and enjoy food, conversation, and activities with our faculty. This event is geared toward those interested in getting more involved in GC's STEM and Econ areas or those wanting to learn more about them.
 - Tuesday, 2/15- Focus is pre-professional areas
 - Wednesday, /16- Focus is graduate school and the workforce
 - Thursday, 2/17- Focus is Undeclared majors
- STEM and Econ student orgs, the Career Center, Advising Center, and campus academic departments will be present to answer all your questions!
- Registration is required for this event- register here.
- Come enjoy some food, register for prizes (like GC blankets, sweatshirts, jackets, etc.), and learn more about what GC has to offer in STEM and Econ fields!
- Email learningcenter@gcsu.edu with questions. Follow us on social media for more updates and info about the nights' events-

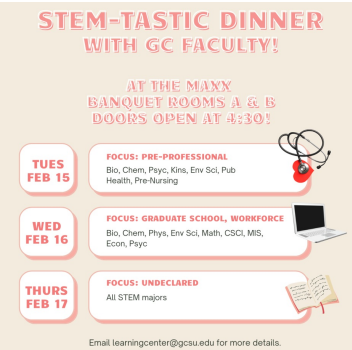
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**STEM-TASTIC DINNER
WITH GC FACULTY!**

**AT THE MAX
BANQUET ROOMS A & B
DOORS OPEN AT 4:30!**

TUES FEB 15	FOCUS: PRE-PROFESSIONAL Bio, Chem, Physc, Kins, Env Sci, Pub Health, Pre-Nursing	
WED FEB 16	FOCUS: GRADUATE SCHOOL, WORKFORCE Bio, Chem, Physc, Env Sci, Math, CSCi, MIS, Econ, Physc	
THURS FEB 17	FOCUS: UNDECLARED All STEM majors	

Email learningcenter@gcsu.edu for more details.

J. Whitney Bunting College of Business Earns AACSB Reaccreditation

College of Business & Technology : Tuesday February 8, 2022

The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) recently approved the extension of accreditation for business degree programs in the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business at Georgia College & State University. The J. Whitney Bunting College of Business has been accredited by AACSB since 1997. Earning AACSB accreditation is a significant accomplishment—one that resonates around the globe with those who are seeking the best in business education. AACSB accreditation encourages schools to remain on the cutting edge of business education and represents an ongoing commitment to quality improvement and the promise to deliver the skills and abilities critical to the success of global business.

“Earning extension of AACSB accreditation affirms a shared commitment to our student-centered, public liberal arts mission that cultivates entrepreneurial business and civic leaders. To once again achieve reaccreditation speaks volumes about the expertise of our faculty and staff, let alone our exemplary students and passionate supporters. It is a point of pride for all internal and external stakeholders committed to excellence in teaching, academic innovation, impactful scholarship, and collaborative community engagement” states Dr. Micheal Stratton, Dean of the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business.



AACSB International is the world’s largest business education network connecting students, academia, and business to advance business education worldwide. A nonprofit membership organization run by dedicated volunteers and staff, AACSB International provides quality assurance of business school programs, the latest in business education intelligence, thought leadership and professional development services.

“I would like to thank the College of Business Leadership Board for their involvement in all aspects of this AACSB re-accreditation cycle. From a small group working on the initial SWOT analysis with Dean Stratton, in preparation for the initial AACSB submission, through the final Peer Review Team meetings with Board. It was very exciting to see everyone working together over many months to ensure this final milestone of re-accreditation. Congratulations to the Bunting College of Business on this critical accomplishment,” said James Wall, Chair of the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business Leadership Board.

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Well-being Listserv

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Join the GCSU Well-being Listserv today to stay up to date on the latest well-being happenings and information!

Email wellbeing@gcsu.edu to join!

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Shared Supplier Conversion in PeopleSoft

Finance & Administration : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Effective March 14, 2022, GCSU will be converting to the SHARE supplier database. This means that the Purchasing Department and Accounting Services will no longer be able to enter new suppliers into the system. There is a new Supplier Information Form (SIF) that new suppliers must complete to be added to the system. This same form will be used to make updates for existing suppliers. Once the form is completed you will submit it in one of two ways. If entering a requisition through EPRO, you will upload the SIF with the requisition into EPRO. If you are entering a payment through the payment request system, you will email the SIF to accounting.services@gcsu.edu.

Once Purchasing or Accounting Services receives the form from you, we will upload it to USG Shared Services for processing. USG Shared Services will use a 3rd Party, GIACT, for validation. Additional documents may be required such as: a Certificate of Insurance, e-verify, and/or an independent contractor form signed and approved by Georgia College's Legal Team. The process of supplier entry and approval can now take 3 to 5 business days or longer depending on how long it takes GIACT to validate the new supplier.

We will have a black out period for conversion from March 14-18, 2022. In preparation of the blackout period, you will not be able to use parts of PeopleSoft during the dates listed below:

March 4th, 2022-	Last Day to enter Requisition
	Last Day to enter Payment Request
March 9th, 2022-	Last ACH payments until after conversion
March 10th, 2022-	Last Check Run until after conversion
	Last Travel Reimbursements until after conversion

All of PeopleSoft should be up and running by March 21, 2022 or sooner. Notification will be sent when the conversion is completed.

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Dinner with Twelve Strangers: A New Building Community Initiative from OIE for Spring Semester

Inclusive Excellence, Office of : Tuesday February 8, 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to announce "Dinner With 12 Strangers", a new "building community" event at Georgia College for spring semester.

During this semester there will be two 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 two nights during the spring semester: March 10 and April 12, both will take place on Atkinson Porch.

Our fall semester hosting the Dinner was a great success! If you are interested in being a guest at one of the two Dinners this spring, please complete and submit the form, <https://bit.ly/OIEdinner22> by February 25, 2022.

Dinner guests will be selected by the Office of Inclusive Excellence and notified at least a week before the dinner is scheduled. Thank you for participating in this exciting new building community program.

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ARF & Friends Puppy Kisses and Valentine Wishes Photoshoot

Student Organizations & Clubs : Tuesday February 8, 2022

Come join us and get your picture taken with your pet or get your photo taken with an adoptable pup on Thursday, February 10th from 12-3pm outside A&S! Make this Valentine's Day memorable with your fur baby!

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Please Consider Participating in our 3rd annual GC Giving Challenge today!

University Advancement : Tuesday February 8, 2022

At noon TODAY, we are thrilled to kick-off of our 3rd annual [GC Giving Challenge](#)! Our campus community has identified nine amazing projects that need your support. At noon today through noon on Thursday, February 10, you have the power to make a BIG difference in the lives of GC students.

Please consider making a gift to a specific project right now by visiting our [CrowdThunder page](#)! If you would like to support a different area, you can [give here](#).

Thank you and GO BOBCATS!



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Classic Meets Jazz 2.0: Guest Artist: Dr. Channy Gan, piano

Music, Department of : Wednesday February 9, 2022

Tuesday, Feb. 15 Georgia College welcomes guest artist and pianist Dr. Chenny Gan for a 7:30 p.m. performance in Max Noah Hall, sponsored by the Georgia Music Teachers Association Recital Exchange. "Classic Meets Jazz 2.0" is a blend of classical, jazz and improvised styles. This recital will take listeners on a witty and surprising journey of classical piano repertoire. Gan will perform original masterworks mixed with her own "jazzed-up" arrangements. Humorous anecdotes and interesting historical facts will be shared throughout to create an educational and entertaining experience. Currently a faculty member at Wesleyan College in Macon, Gan was nationally recognized on the "40 Under 40" list of the best young professors in the U.S. by NerdScholar.com. 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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Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. - Kappa Eta Chapter co-sponsors virtual line dancing class Feb 11th

Fraternity & Sorority Life : Wednesday February 9, 2022

On Friday, February 4th, many organizations joined in solidarity to promote awareness for heart health by wearing red. Please join Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.-Kappa Eta Chapter and Epsilon Omega Omega Chapter Friday -February 11th as we sponsor a virtual line dancing class in further support of this important initiative. The session is scheduled from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm and you may join by accessing facebook.com/AKAEEO. We look forward to an exciting night of virtual fellowship and hope you can join. For more information, you may contact the Kappa Eta Chapter at kappaetachapter@gmail.com, chapter president - LaBranda Mobley at 706-962-2532, or graduate advisor - Tracy Butts at 478-445-8587.

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Request for Nominations for the Inclusive Excellence Award

Inclusive Excellence, Office of : Wednesday February 9, 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence is pleased to announce its request for nominations for the Georgia College Inclusive Excellence Award. Please complete and submit the nomination form by Tuesday, March 1, 2022, <https://bit.ly/InclusiveExcellenceAward>. The award recipients will be honored at the Celebration of Excellence Ceremony on Friday, April 15th.

Georgia College Inclusive Excellence Award honors the cumulative contributions of faculty and staff members to advance diversity and inclusion at Georgia College through an exemplary commitment to diversity and inclusion through leadership, recruitment and retention efforts, teaching, research, multi-cultural programming, cultural competency, community outreach activities, or other initiatives.

Thank you,

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KnowBe4 Bi-annual Information Security Awareness Training

Information Technology : Wednesday February 9, 2022

GCSU and the University System of Georgia (USG) have partnered with KnowBe4 to deliver our bi-annual Information Security Awareness class. All employees, including student workers, will participate in training from KnowBe4. The change to system-wide training aligns with the direction of state government agencies.

Research shows cybersecurity awareness training is the single most effective approach organizations can implement to prevent data breaches or becoming victimized by ransomware. Over the past two years, insurance claims from losses attributed to cybersecurity incidents have increased more than 200%. As cybersecurity incidents become more severe, remediation and insurance costs continue to spiral upward.

A consistent training program for all employees enables GCSU and the USG to develop a meaningful understanding of our risks and communicate them to state government leaders, underwriters, bond rating agencies and regulatory agencies.

This semester's cybersecurity awareness training campaign extends through Friday, March 4th. Training should require approximately 15-17 minutes to complete.

If you have any questions regarding the training, please contact Hance Patrick at hance.patrick@gcsu.edu.

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Director of Continuing and Professional Education Candidate Presentation.

Continuing & Professional Education : Wednesday February 9, 2022

Georgia College faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend the public presentation and open forum for the first candidate for the Director of the Department of Continuing and Professional Education. Andrew Palmer will present on Monday, February 14, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in MSU Donahoo Lounge.

The candidate will speak for 30 minutes on their “vision of Continuing and Professional Education at a Liberal Arts University.” Following the presentation, the candidate will respond to questions from the audience.

Please submit your evaluation through the [candidate feedback form](#). All forms must be completed and submitted by noon, Wednesday, February 16 for the search committee to compile and review.

The resume for Andrew Palmer is attached.

ZOOM Option for Candidate Presentation

Topic: CPE Candidate Andrew Palmer - Public Presentation

2/14/2022

11:00 a.m.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://gcsu.zoom.us/j/93223286293?pwd=eDBBMzM2US9QNGYvUEtMYUpleDBzQT09>

Meeting ID: 932 2328 6293

Passcode: CPEPalmer

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[AndrewPalmerResume.pdf](#)

Major Updates to the Student Rehire and New Hire Process for Summer/Fall 2022

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 9, 2022

We are excited to announce that there will be some major updates to the student hiring process effective March 1, 2022, for Summer/Fall 2022 hires. If you hire students or assist with hiring students, please plan to attend one of the following training sessions to get the most up-to-date information on the new hire process as well as the rehire process.

- 4:00pm on Tuesday, February 15
- 12:00pm on Wednesday, February 16
- 9:00am on Friday, February 18

We are starting this process early with the goal to have all paperwork completed for all current students being hired and/or rehired by May 6, 2022. We want to make hiring students easier and more efficient for you and for the students. We will be evaluating the student hiring process throughout this year and we will make adjustments based on feedback and best practice.

Use this link <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/861e9d3b3d0746229e7a827b56a82e75> to select a training time.

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USG Well-being Events This Week (2/9/2022-2/11/2022)

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 9, 2022

Wednesday, February 9

10a.m.

Seated Office Stretch Break

12 p.m.

WELL-BEING WEDNESDAY: Heart Health-
Weight Management and Diabetes Support

Thursday, February 10

12 p.m.

Emotional Intelligence for Success

12 p.m.

Early-career Considerations

Friday, February 11

11:30a.m.

Chair Yoga

Don't forget to take advantage of our other benefits. For example, you can get an assortment of discounts and [well-being and fitness live classes or videos](#) at no cost to you through [USG Perks at Work](#).

To get more information on USG Well-being events, visit <https://www.usg.edu/well-being/events>. We hope to see you at these activities.

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) Training

[\(Register for the event here.\)](#)

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UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHERS, WOULD YOU LIKE YOUR RESEARCH TO BE CONSIDERED FOR PRESENTATION AT THE COUNCIL OF PUBLIC LIBERAL ARTS COLLEGES (COPLAC) SOUTHEAST REGIONAL UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE (URSCA)?

Transformative Learning Experiences : Wednesday February 9, 2022

The Southeastern URSCA COPLAC Conference will be held virtually on Saturday, April 9, 2022. Ten of Georgia College's undergraduate researcher presentations to be selected for presentation at the Southeastern URSCA COPLAC Conference.

Are you interested in their prestigious opportunity? Then you must indicate on your GC Student Research Conference (GCSRC) application your interest, have your abstract approved without any required revisions, and present at the GCSRC. Your abstract will be subjected to a double-blind review.

If you are interested in this exceptional Southeastern URSCA COPLAC Conference visit [COPLAC CONFERENCE PRESENTATION OPPORTUNITY](#)

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"The Good Body" Book Club

Women's Center : Wednesday February 9, 2022

Join the Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs for a discussion of the book "The Good Body" by Eve Ensler, on Wednesday, February 16 and Wednesday, February 23 from 5:30-6:30. This event is centered around discussing and developing an understanding of how our self-perceptions are influenced by things like generational body trauma, fatphobia, diet culture, and more.

"The Good Body" Book club will meet on two separate occasions. We ask that everyone attending already has read the book...don't worry it's a short read! There are nine copies available at the Women's Center for pick up and there is one copy at the GC library. During our first meeting, we will initiate several activities related to the book and send you home with some takeaways to reflect on. During the second meeting, we will discuss key takeaways restorative justice style!! While it is not necessary to attend both meetings, we think it would be the most beneficial. If you're interested, please fill out this form:

[Microsoft Forms](#)

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REMINDER: TOMORROW- Lunch & Learn: New Employee Training Opportunity - Emotional Intelligence for Success

Human Resources, Office of : Wednesday February 9, 2022

The Office of Human Resources is excited to announce we will be hosting a new virtual employee training called "Emotional Intelligence for Success" on Thursday, February 10th from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Below is the description about the course and the link to register; we hope you will join us!

Emotional Intelligence for Success:

Being able to recognize feelings in oneself and others, managing emotions, and balancing thoughts are invaluable traits that are associated with emotional intelligence (EQ).

Emotional intelligence requires skills such as self-awareness, self-regulation, motivation, empathy, and social skills. Embracing the nuances of human emotion have demonstrated several benefits, particularly at work, such as better collaboration, compassionate leadership, boosted morale and overall a happier and healthier workplace. Participants will learn that by recognizing the feelings of family members and co-workers, and responding in a balanced, rational way, they can improve relationships and collaborate more effectively. The session also examines new brain research on emotions and the battle between the emotional and the thinking brain.

How participants will benefit:

At the end of this session participants will be able to:

- The ability to cope with daily situations and get along in the world includes both cognitive and emotional intelligence.
- The emotional brain impacts behavior.
- An 'amygdala attack' of panic reactions results when cognitive thinking stops.
- Calm breathing and focused listening add to EQ

Registration URL: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4521336269789149198>

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Alex Gregory Leader in Residence to Speak in Usery Forum on Leadership

Leadership Programs : Wednesday February 9, 2022

Dr. Genie Snyder Chamberlin '82 to speak next week

On Monday, February 14th, at 5 p.m, Georgia College Leadership Programs will host Dr. Genie Snyder Chamberlin '82, Alex Gregory Leader in Residence, in the Usery Forum on Leadership.

Dr. Genie Snyder Chamberlin is founder and principal of the Genieus Team and of SnyderRemarks, Inc. She has more than twenty years' experience as an executive coach and consultant, across the United States and around the world. She is a specialist in strategic customer service, organizational change management, and executive leadership. At Georgia College, she serves as Alex Gregory Leader in Residence, teaching and advising students and working collaboratively with faculty and staff to advance GC's mission to create the next generation of Georgia's leaders.



"We are delighted that Genie will speak in our Usery Forum on Leadership," says Dr. Harold Mock, director of leadership programs. "Genie is a nationally sought-after speaker and is an extraordinary teacher and mentor. I'm so glad that the members of our Georgia College community will get to learn from her and visit with her."

The forum will be hosted by Georgia College Leadership Programs, in collaboration with the Council of Public Liberal Arts Colleges.

The event is free and open to the public and will be held in Peabody Auditorium in Milledgeville. [Guests may learn more and register online.](#)

The Usery Forum on Leadership is part of the Inspire! Forum series and is supported by a generous gift from the Kim Usery Foundation. The goal of the series, names for former U.S. Secretary of Labor W. J. Usery, Jr., is to focus on leadership that:

- Brings people together, bridging divides and spanning boundaries
- Finds value in diverse new perspectives, and
- Showcases innovations in leadership and service, particularly related to creating mutual benefit in civic life.

About Georgia College Leadership Programs

Georgia College's Office of Leadership Programs provides teaching, research, and public service related to leadership, citizenship, democracy, and public affairs. With the support of a distinguished faculty and practitioners, we educate the next generation of Georgia's leaders for the public good. Our programs bring together scholars and students, as well as business leaders, non-profit executives, journalists, and public officials, and offer a trusted forum on citizen-leadership and pressing issues of the day.

For more information, visit leadcreatively.org or contact leadership.programs@gcsu.edu or (478) 445-1227.

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Announcements Posted Thursday February 10, 2022

Teach English Abroad After Graduation - Info Session Feb. 23 at 3 PM

International Education Center : Thursday February 10, 2022

Teaching abroad is an exciting and rewarding experience! Recent GC graduates have taught English in Japan, Indonesia, England, France, Kuwait, Korea and many other locations. Join GC Study Abroad Advisor Jarris Lanham, who taught abroad in Belarus for a semester while a university student and in Japan for four years after graduation, for a discussion of opportunities that may benefit you. Positions to teach children, high school, college and adults exist around the world, and most only require a bachelor's degree in any subject. Learn some international job searching tips so you find the ideal teaching position for you! Get paid to share your language and culture with others while exploring a new country! The Info Session will be on Wednesday, February 23 at 3 PM in [WebEx](#).

If you are interested but cannot join Jarris at that time, please email her at jarris.lanham@gcsu.edu.



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LAST HOUR TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GIVING CHALLENGE!

University Advancement : Thursday February 10, 2022

Just a ONE hour remains to participate in the 3rd annual [GC Giving Challenge](#). We still need your help to fund all nine projects and make a difference in the lives of our students. Please consider making a gift before Noon today!

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- [Global Foodways Studies Certificate Program](#): Help provide experiential learning opportunities for our students such as on-site visits to ethnic restaurants, farms, production facilities, food banks, and more.
- [College of Arts & Sciences Scholarships](#): Support our belief that diversity in students, faculty, and subject matter contribute to a strong college education and a better society.
- [National Collegiate Honors Council Annual Meeting](#): Help Honors students attend and present their research at the National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) annual meeting.
- [The Promises We Keep](#): Support scholarships that help recruit and retain African American students at Georgia College.
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If you have already made your gift, please accept our heartfelt thanks for your participation in this year's Challenge.

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“On the Dock with the GCLA” Webinar: Engaging with Supply Chain Leaders

Management, Marketing, & Logistics, Department of : Thursday February 10, 2022

Worried about supply chains and logistics issues?

The Georgia College Logistics Association (GCLA) would like to invite faculty, staff, students and interested community members to participate in the first of their quarterly webinars. Titled “Building a Resilient Transportation Network in Georgia,” the first meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 16 from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. The episode will examine how organizations across Georgia have navigated the challenges faced by the industry over the last three years.

Speakers include Sandy Lake, director of the Georgia Center of Innovation; Jason Moss, CEO and founder of the Georgia Manufacturing Alliance; Janine Miller, director of planning at the Georgia Department of Transportation and John Wheeler, former vice president of carrier sales for South Carolina Ports and former director of trade development at the Georgia Ports Authority.

Interested parties should register at: <https://smc3.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0qdeCgqDgoHNPOwodzQj3rKXHedh2cxE-R>

Upcoming episodes include:

- April 20, “Next Generation Supply Chain Leadership”
- September 14, “Embracing Diversity, Equity and Inclusion as Work Culture Differentiators”
- November 2, “Understanding America’s Supply Chain Woes”

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Booking airfare for GCSU travel

Finance & Administration : Thursday February 10, 2022

The new state travel policy clarifies airfare purchases. "Higher class/grade tickets, such as business class, first class, and comfort are not reimbursable for domestic flights except for travel to Alaska and Hawaii. Higher grade tickets are allowable for international travel when approved in advance by the respective Agency head or designee."

All international travel, whether you are requesting a flight upgrade or not, must be preapproved before any reservations are made. The International Travel Authorization form may be found on UNIFY on the GC Signatures Forms tab by clicking International Travel Authorization. If requesting an airfare upgrade to business class for international travel, indicate that in the Purpose of Trip box. Use this same form for trips to Alaska/Hawaii only if requesting an airfare upgrade.

If the traveler wishes to upgrade a domestic flight or add personal days to their business trip be aware that "it is not permissible to confirm a higher fare for upgrade eligibility or for personal reasons. Upgrades at the State's expense are not permitted. However, upgrades may be purchased after the travel is booked, at the Traveler's expense." In other words, the traveler must first purchase a flight conforming to BOR/State travel policy and print the receipt before making any changes for personal days or seat upgrades to be paid at the traveler's expense.

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Flannery O'Connor Book Discussion

Andalusia Institute : Friday February 11, 2022

Thursday, February 17 at 4:30pm and 7:00pm (Eastern) Dr. Bruce Gentry leads an online discussion of "The Displaced Person". Cosponsored by Allied Arts of Milledgeville and The Georgia Writers Museum. Register [HERE](#)

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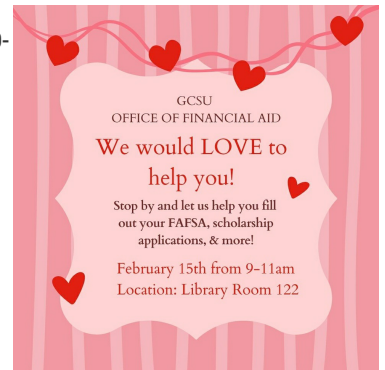
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Financial Aid Awareness

Financial Aid : Friday February 11, 2022

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Bobcat Athletics in Action this Weekend

Athletics : Friday February 11, 2022

GC Athletics gives you plenty of chances to cheer on your Bobcats this weekend!

The Women's Basketball team looks to extend its win streak to 4, and the Bobcat Men look for win number 18 on the year

Women vs. Georgia Southwestern 1:00pm, Men's game to follow

GC Softball plays their first home doubleheader of the year against North Greenville at 1:00PM on West Campus

GC Women's Tennis takes on Erskine at home with a 1:00PM start as well, looking to move to 4-0

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Come Feel the Love with Cathy Cox

President, Office of the : Friday February 11, 2022

Drop-in and enjoy some refreshments and spread the Bobcat Love and Cheer Monday, Feb. 14 from 3-4 p.m. on the patio of the Integrated Science Complex.



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Introducing Leadership Georgia College, a leadership program for GC staff members

Leadership Programs : Friday February 11, 2022

The Office of the Provost and Georgia College's Leadership Programs proudly announce the creation of Leadership Georgia College, a leadership-learning and development program for members of the GC staff.

Leadership Georgia College will prepare its members to provide distinguished professional and civic leadership within their fields and their professions. Program participants will enjoy:

- Networking with nationally recognized leaders, executives, and elected officials.
- A Holistic approach to leadership development.
- Signature retreats, conferences, and travel opportunities.
- Ongoing leadership consultations, assessment, and feedback.
- Dynamic and interactive opportunities to practice your leadership—at Georgia College and beyond.

The inaugural class of Leadership Georgia College will begin the program in May and complete their experience in December. Applications are due Friday, March 11th.

To learn more and begin an application, visit gcsu.edu/leadershipgc.

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Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Program in Physics and Astronomy at the University of Kentucky - Apply by 2/15/2022

Transformative Learning Experiences : Friday February 11, 2022

Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) program in Physics and Astronomy at the University of Kentucky, starting this summer from June 6 to August 12. The eight student participants will receive a \$6,000 stipend plus free on-campus room and board during the 10-week program. More information is available at <https://cm.as.uky.edu/t/i-i-cduluud-l-y/>. Click or tap if you trust this link." data-linkindex="5">pa.as.uky.edu/reu, including a list of offered research projects and eligibility requirements.

You do not have to be a physics or astronomy major, and you do not have to have prior research experience to participate in this REU. Preference will be given toward participants from academic institutions where research opportunities in STEM are limited (including two-year colleges), and under-represented minorities and women are especially encouraged to apply.

All you need to do to apply is ask two professors to write letters of reference and fill out a short online application form <https://cm.as.uky.edu/t/i-i-cduluud-l-j/>. Click or tap if you trust this link." data-linkindex="6">here. There is no application fee. We hope you will consider applying and look forward to reviewing your application.

Sincerely,
Chris

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RESEARCH IN SYMMETRIES AT
THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE FOR UNDERGRADUATES (REU)
JUNE 6 – AUGUST 12, 2022

Symmetry is important in physics because it gives rise to conservation laws and organizes our knowledge. The detection of small deviations from exact symmetry is a powerful probe of new physical laws. Researchers at the University of Kentucky are searching for the electric dipole moment of the neutron, "dark matter" contributions to Maxwell's equations, effects of broken time-reversal symmetry in topological heterostructures, non-radial pulsation modes of variable stars, and more! We invite you to join us in these studies and help us advance the frontiers of scientific knowledge.

<https://pa.as.uky.edu/reu>

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 15
REU INTERNSHIP STIPEND: \$6000 PLUS FREE ON-CAMPUS HOUSING AND MEALS.

Department of Physics and Astronomy
College of Arts and Sciences
pa.as.uky.edu

Internal Job Posting - Administrative Assistant II

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Friday February 11, 2022

An internal campus search is underway for the position of Administrative Assistant II in Russell Library. Anyone interested in applying for this opportunity is encouraged to visit the [GCSU Careers web page](#). You must be signed in to view the job posting.

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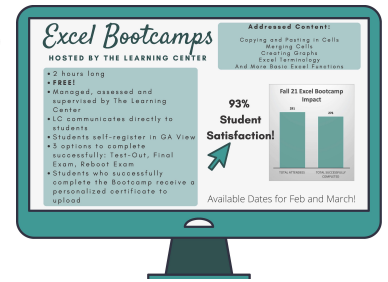
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Announcements Posted Monday February 14, 2022

It's Not too Late: Excel Bootcamps for Your Class

The Learning Center : Monday February 14, 2022

- Do your students struggle with assignments or tasks requiring the use of Excel? Your Learning Center (LC) is delighted to share we are trying to address this gap with our Excel Bootcamps. Bootcamp content was developed by LC staff (with the help of our Faculty Advisory Council's guidance and input) and are facilitated in the evenings by trained student staff.
 - If you're interested in making Excel Bootcamps a part of your class this semester, it's not too late! We have opened up additional dates for the late February and March rounds. Simply complete this quick form to let us know your needs/goals and request a Bootcamp. <https://forms.office.com/r/EFRRHQag62>
 - ***Due to the nature of logistics and staffing, we will prioritize faculty making the Excel Bootcamp a mandatory assignment. Interested faculty please complete the survey by February 18th.



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Interdisciplinary Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Program - Embrey-Riddle

Transformative Learning Experiences : Monday February 14, 2022

Applications are now open for Embry-Riddle's first-ever [Interdisciplinary Research Experiences for Undergraduates \(REU\) Program](#) set to take place from May 16 to July 22 at the Daytona Beach Campus.

Throughout this immersive program, students will work alongside industry experts in the College of Arts and Sciences and College of Engineering and fellow student researchers from around the nation on [projects](#) that aim to solve some of the most pressing issues facing the aerospace industry today.

Along with the opportunity to conduct hands-on research with real impact and the potential to shape the future, students will receive a \$5,000 stipend plus coverage of housing and meals.

All majors are welcome to apply. Don't delay – [submit your application](#) by 11:59 p.m. EST on Feb. 28!

Questions? Reach out to [Dr. Foram Madiyar](#) and [Dr. Alberto Mello](#) to learn more.

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USG Well-being Events This Week (2/14/2022-2/18/2022):

Human Resources, Office of : Monday February 14, 2022

To participate or register for events, please visit- <https://www.usg.edu/well-being/events>

Monday February 14:

11:30am: All Levels Yoga

1:30pm: Goal Setting

QPR Suicide Prevention Training at 9am, 11am, and 2pm

Tuesday February 15:

12:00pm: Building Resiliency

Wednesday February 16:

10:00am: Seated Office Stretch Break

11:00am: Successful Money Management: Taking Control of Your Personal Finances

1:00pm: Prioritizing Savings

Thursday February 17:

1:00pm: HSA Bank-Member Portal and Mobile App Demo

Friday February 18:

11:30am: Chair Yoga

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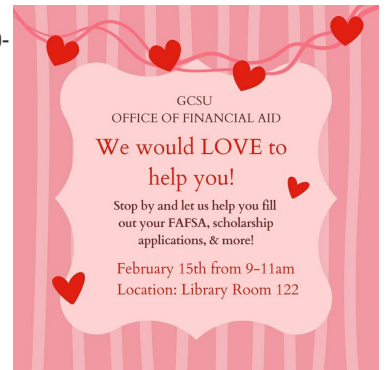
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Business ethics students take part in service learning

University Communications : Monday February 14, 2022

More than 80 students in Jehan El-Jourbagy's business ethics class last semester provided a combined total of 817 hours of assistance and support to community organizations like Brave Meadows Therapeutic Riding Center, Habitat for Humanity, Bartram Forest and Lockerly Arboretum.

"Students were divided into groups by interest areas – such as outdoors or animals – and then each student was charged with completing ten contact hours," said Professor El-Jourbagy.

The students also wrote about their experiences and made presentations to the class at the end of the semester.

"I was amazed at how meaningful this was – how every student really seemed to get something from the experience," said El-Jourbagy.

Several groups picked up trash in local reserves like Selma Irwin Nature Center and Bartram Forest.

Three groups worked with the Office of Sustainability, with one group educating people on campus about recycling, another working on providing gently used clothes for students, and a third working at the campus garden and the Farmer's Market.

One group of five students reached out to Communities in Schools and learned that some children needed clean clothes at school. To meet that need, the students raised awareness and laundry supplies.

Other students preferred to work with animals, serving at the Baldwin County Animal Shelter, Brave Meadows, PetSmart and the Animal Rescue Foundation. Several students also assisted Shelter Buddies, a Georgia College-based group, by cleaning out cages and socializing with cats at PetSmart.

Several students volunteered for the Georgia Cycling Association, a youth mountain biking league, that had a race at Bartram Forest the first weekend in November. The students served in various capacities, such as crossing guards and race marshals, assisting student riders and making sure they were going the right way.

"Listening to the students' experiences the last week of class was very moving," said El-Jourbagy. She continued, "Their eyes were opened about the needs in the community, such as seeing, first-hand, hundreds of cars lined up at the local food bank, and they also experienced the gratitude of the people and animals they served."

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New Exhibit at Andalusia

Andalusia : Monday February 14, 2022

Andalusia the Home of Flannery O'Connor is excited to announce the opening of our new exhibition "Drop Me a Card."

This new exhibit focuses on six correspondence cards from Andalusia's collection and explores the history of mail, the different ways people can share their feelings through cards, and how this correspondence helps to tell the story of the O'Connor family.

"Drop Me a Card" is open for viewing during normal hours of operation, Tuesday through Saturday from 10-4 and Sundays from 2-4. The exhibits run from January 15th to June 19th.

(2022.1.1, 2018.1.1325, 2018.2.8, gift of Louise Florencourt and the Andalusia - Flannery O'Connor foundation)

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Women's Center and LGBTQ+ Programs: Newsletter

LGBTQ+ Programs : Monday February 14, 2022

[Check out](#) the events we have coming up this week!

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Homecoming 2022: Feeling '22 Bobcats' Version

Student Life, Office of : Monday February 14, 2022

Homecoming 2022 will be held February 21 - 26, 2022. For a full calendar of events, please go to www.gcsu.edu/homecoming. All events are listed with their corresponding links to sign up. Please see the below details for the timeline to sign up:

Parade: The form to sign up to participate in the parade is now open. The form will close on February 18 at 5pm. [Sign up here.](#)

Concert: Tickets are on sale from January 31 until February 25. Faculty and Staff tickets go on sale on Monday, February 14. You may come to the Student Activities Center, room 214 Monday - Friday from 9am - 4pm beginning on the 14th. All faculty and staff tickets are \$20 and you may purchase more than one (1) ticket.

Tent City: If your office or department would like to have a tent at Tent City, please fill out [this form](#). The form will remain open until February 14 at 5pm. Tent City will last from 12pm – 4pm and will occur in the Centennial Center parking lot.

Office Decorating Contest: Faculty and staff around campus are encouraged to showcase their school pride by decorating their door or entire office area for Homecoming in the theme of "Feeling '22: Bobcats' Version, A Celebration of Music." Each entry should consider the different eras of music throughout history. To participate, please [fill out the signup form](#). The deadline to sign up is Friday, February 18 at 5 p.m

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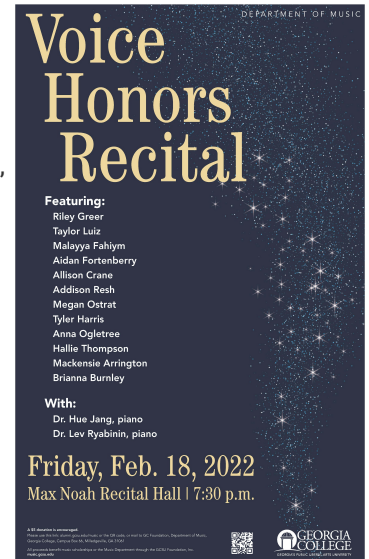
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Spring Voice Honors Recital

Music, Department of : Monday February 14, 2022

Friday, Feb. 18 Twelve Georgia College students will perform in this year's "Spring 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 Riley Greer, Taylor Luiz, Malayya Fahiyim, Aidan Fortenberry, Allison Crane, Addison Resh, Megan Ostrat, Tyler Harris, Anna Ogletree, Hallie Thompson, Mackensie Arrington and Brianna Burnley. This concert will also be livestreamed on 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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Come Show Your #LOVE4GC TODAY!

Alumni : Monday February 14, 2022

Please stop by the Fountain today from 10am-1pm and let us know what you love about Georgia College! We will have I <3 GC buttons, plenty of candy, and photos with Thunder. Hope to see you soon! #love4gc



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2022 ASPIRE

Transformative Learning Experiences : Monday February 14, 2022

[2022 ASPIRE application is now available](#)

What do you ASPIRE to be? The mission of HERL is to continuously improve the mobility and function of people with disabilities through advanced engineering in clinical research and medical rehabilitation. The ASPIRE REU program is designed to promote greater involvement and understanding of Rehabilitation Engineering and assistive technology – while fostering an understanding of the problems faced by individuals with disabilities. This results in a greater ability to apply engineering principles to improve the quality of life, which promotes a higher degree of inclusiveness and greater functionality for people with disabilities.

ASPIRE Program dates: May 16, 2022 – July 21, 2022 Rehabilitation engineering employs a systematic approach to the design, modification, customization and/or fabrication of assistive technology for persons with disabilities. ASPIRE research efforts in rehabilitation engineering are focused on identifying and addressing problems critical to achieving and maintaining the highest possible level of function in areas related to mobility, communications, sensory (e.g., hearing, tactile, vision), and cognition and in activities associated with employment, independent living, and education. Each ASPIRE participant will work directly with HERL faculty and graduate students to help transform the lives of individuals with disabilities. The ASPIRE program provides an exemplary mentoring and resourceful environment that enables undergraduate students to transition from dependent to independent thinkers, develop a sense of excitement about entering an engineering or technical field, and be well prepared for their future careers.

ASPIRE provides:

- Seminars and workshops to augment the research experience
- \$4,750 stipend
- Housing is provided at no-cost to ASPIRE participants.

Eligibility:

- Undergraduate students majoring in science, engineering, math, and computer science
- S. citizen or permanent resident
- Minorities, women, and veterans are strongly encouraged to apply

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Staff Council Monthly Meeting: February 15

Staff Council : Monday February 14, 2022

Staff Council will hold its next monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 15 at 3 p.m at Atkinson 202. 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>.

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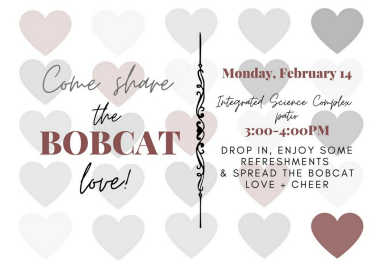
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Come share the Bobcat Love

President, Office of the : Monday February 14, 2022

Drop in, enjoy some refreshments and spread the Bobcat love and cheer Monday, Feb. 14 from 3-4 p.m on the patio of the Integrated Science Complex.



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Announcements Posted Tuesday February 15, 2022

Mentors Needed for Admitted Students

Undergraduate Admissions : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Do you have one extra hour a month? That is all the time it takes to help the Office of Admissions with their Adopt an Admit Mentor Program! Admissions has compiled a list of diverse students who have been admitted to Georgia College for Fall 2022. They are seeking to provide each of these students with a faculty or staff mentor to build relationships and guide them toward enrolling at GC. The mentor will be asked to:

- Communicate with the student one to two times per month from February through May – preferably a phone conversation.
- Connect the student to needed resources at GC – Financial Aid Office, Advising, etc.
- Encourage the student to deposit - discuss why a GC education is unique/valuable and why the college or department would be a good fit for them.
- Encourage the student to POUNCE, complete Housing, and attend Orientation.
- Provide a kind/listening ear and support the student as they transition from HS to college.

The Admissions team will provide training to all mentor volunteers and matches will be made based on interests. Admissions hopes these efforts will help GC build a strong and diversified freshmen class. All interested persons should fill out [this form](#) by Friday, February 18 or contact the [GC Office of Admissions](#) with any questions.

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Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. – Kappa Eta Chapter presents Meet the Greeks

Fraternity & Sorority Life : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Interested in learning more about organizations of the National Pan-Hellenic Council? Then join us this afternoon (2/15) at 5:00 pm in Blackbridge Hall. Members from each NPHC organization will be on hand to greet you and answer questions you may have about the respective organizations. Hope to see you there!

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GC Stories Podcast Now Available on Major Streaming Services

University Communications : Tuesday February 15, 2022

GC Stories is proud to announce that all our episodes are now available on Spotify, iTunes, iHeartRadio, Audible and where ever you'd like to listen! Just search "GC Stories" to hear the most interesting tales of Georgia College life told by the people who lived them.

We're also pleased to bring you the third episode of our second season, "While You Were Out", in which Assistant Director of Environmental Health and Occupational Safety Shea Groebner tells the story of essential workers who stayed on campus to keep the torches lit during one of the darkest periods of the pandemic. You can also listen right here at gcsu.edu/gcstories.

As always, if you have an interesting story to tell about Georgia College excellence, you can email us at gcstories@gcsu.edu.



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Let's Talk GREAT Grant!

College of Education : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Come out and learn more information about the College of Education's GREAT Grant Feb. 15 at 5 p.m. in Kilpatrick 221. This informational reception will allow you to meet with current students and faculty of the Middle Grades Education program. Representatives from the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) will be present as well. Refreshments will be provided.



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25Live Location Update: GIVE Center

Facility Reservations : Tuesday February 15, 2022

The GIVE Center has moved to the Student Activities Center- the "old" Den (adjacent to Magnolia Ballroom). At this time, they do not have spaces to reserve to the campus community. Student service groups may contact the GIVE Center directly for use.

The "old" GIVE Center location in MSU is under renovation at this time so NO locations are available to reserve. These spaces (Lobby, Conference/130, Training/150, etc.) should show as CLOSED in 25Live. If/When that changes, they will be opened again for reservations.

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Course Quality: Developing Quality Online Courses Certification

Center for Teaching & Learning : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Wouldn't you like to improve your online courses' quality and receive certification that you have completed a workshop for developing quality online courses? If so, the Center for Teaching and Learning offers you the opportunity to register for Quality Matters (QM) training. In this workshop, participants will identify the critical elements of quality assurance of online courses, including the materials and process; apply the concept of alignment, ensuring course components work together to help learners achieve desired learning goals; learn about the factors that impact course quality, and explore the structural elements of online courses to include: the overview and introduction, learning objectives, course technology, learner support, and accessibility. Upon completing the QM training, you will receive a certificate from Quality Matters, verifying your readiness to develop a quality online course.

Nationally recognized, Quality Matters is the global organization leading quality assurance in online and innovative digital teaching and learning environments. It provides a scalable quality assurance system for online and blended learning used within and across organizations. QM designed the professional development to help educators deliver the promise of quality online learning opportunities to every level of learning.

You must have a GC or USG Quality Matters account to register for this workshop. If you haven't already, you can create a QM account by visiting <https://www.qmprogram.org/myqm/> and selecting "No, I am new here," which will allow you to register for this workshop and connect you with other QM workshops and resources. Once you have created an account, you can find and register for this offering in your QM portal by doing the following:

1. Login to your MyQM portal at <https://www.qmprogram.org/myqm>
2. Navigate to select the "Workshop - Register" menu
3. Select the "Dedicated Training" link
4. Locate the correct session, "Independent Applying the QM Rubric - Virtual (APPQMR) : (Statewide Systems) After April 4, 2022."
5. Select the "Register" link and follow the steps to register for the session.

We hope you will take advantage of this certification opportunity and join us on April 15th. This workshop is open to the entire USG system statewide, and the seats are capped at 30, so don't delay and miss this opportunity offered by CTL only once each semester!

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A&S gets new associate dean

College of Arts & Sciences : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Dr. Winston Tripp has joined Georgia College as the new associate dean for the College of Arts and Sciences.

Most recently, Tripp served as associate dean for research and director of the Center for Research at the University of West Georgia (UWG) Office of Research and Sponsored Projects. This involved developing university-wide initiatives to support faculty; working with nonprofits and government; and assisting with strategic planning and needs assessments.

"Dr. Tripp comes to Georgia College with enthusiasm for working for a public liberal arts university," said Dr. Eric Tenbus, dean of Arts and Sciences.

"One particular strength that Dr. Tripp will contribute to our work in the college is his expertise in generating and analyzing data," Tenbus said. "He directed a research center at West Georgia, and this experience will be tremendously valuable in guiding future decision-making within the college."

Tripp was raised in Nevada and lived much of his life in the western United States. He got his bachelor's from the University of Oregon and Ph.D. at Pennsylvania State University, both in sociology.

Tripp was at UWG 10 years. Prior to being associate dean, he was interim associate dean and worked with planning, management, budgeting and daily operations at the UWG College of Social Sciences. He helped coordinate faculty mentorship, new faculty orientation and a grant development program.

Tripp got to know the Georgia College campus environment prior to applying for work here. He collaborated with Dr. Veronica Womack on a project a few years ago and met Dr. Cynthia Alby in the Governor's Teaching Fellows Program. He said Alby convinced him Georgia College "was the best place to work."

"I really love the mission of Georgia College and have been so impressed with everyone I've met here," Tripp said. "I like being part of a team, so I'm looking forward to contributing whatever I can to all the great programs at Georgia College. I also really enjoy working with data, and I'm hoping to be able to contribute some of my skills with data analysis and visualization."

Tripp founded UWG's Data Analysis and Visualization Lab and later became the director of the UWG Survey Research Center. In these positions he worked to build connections between the campus and the surrounding communities. He served on the Board of Trustees for a regional non-profit organization that administered programs such as a low-income home weatherization project and a Head Start program. He also led an initiative to build a collaborative network between the university, local non-profit organizations, government agencies and businesses to share data on community factors affecting residents and stakeholders in the area.

At Georgia College, Tripp has visited several campus areas like Theatre and Dance, the Language Resource Center and World Languages and Cultures. He attended the recent Regional Science and Engineering Fair at Centennial Center. And, soon, he'll tour the new Integrated Science Complex.

"I've been so impressed with all of the programs in the College of Arts and Sciences since I arrived," Tripp said. "I'm definitely looking forward to adding my own passion and energy to the team at Georgia College, and figuring out ways to help the people here who are already doing really great things."



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College of Education: Social Justice Dialogue Series

College of Education : Tuesday February 15, 2022

The John H. Lounsbury College of Education continues their Social Justice Dialogue Series this semester with a keynote lecture from Rev. France Davis, pastor emeritus of the Salt Lake City's Calvary Baptist Church and acclaimed civil rights activist. Rev. Davis's lecture will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 23 at 5 p.m. Rev. Davis's lecture will focus on his civil rights engagement in Georgia to current socio-political events.



A native of Georgia, Davis arrived in Salt Lake City in 1972 to teach and to attend graduate school at the University of Utah. He was appointed instructor in Communication and in Ethnic Studies, earning a distinguished teacher award from the university. Davis retired as an adjunct associate professor in 2014.

During the 1960s, Davis participated in the Civil Rights Movement and marched in Selma, Alabama to Montgomery, Alabama promoting voting rights for African Americans. At the onset of the Civil Rights Movement, he met Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and received his spiritual calling into ministry as a young man. In 1972, Davis was confronted by his minority status when he was removed from the LDS Church-owned Brigham Young University campus for wearing an afro. As a political activist, Davis was also instrumental in declaring Martin Luther King Jr. Day as an official holiday, an achievement for which his church office was riddled with gun shots. He furthered his education by earning his M.M. degree in ministry from Northwest Nazareth University in Nampa, Idaho in 1994.

Davis has published several books, including a memoir, with co-author Nayra Atiya, entitled, "France Davis: An American Story Told."

Among numerous awards and recognitions, he was given an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from the University of Utah in 1993, the Salt Lake Community College in 1997, Dixie State College in 2002, an official citation from the Utah House of Representatives, in recognition of his outstanding service to Utah in 2006. He also received the FBI Director's Community Leadership Award, given to him at the FBI Headquarters in Washington, DC in 2014.

For more information and to receive the Zoom event link, please contact Dr. Paulette Cross, COE Diversity Committee Member, at 478-445-8628.

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Digital Humanities "Show-and-Tell" Talks

College of Arts & Sciences : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Digitally inflected courses are one strategy for revitalizing the humanities and building enrollments. Students with portfolios of their stunning websites, digital books, or visualizations of research will have an edge in today's competitive job market. To help you develop a basic understanding of digital humanities, the Digital Humanities Collaborative will host a series of presentations this semester on easy-to-use and free tools for digital scholarship. These short "show-and-tell" talks will be held virtually. They are an opportunity to network with digital humanities practitioners who will introduce inspiring examples of projects they have made using tools you can learn in minutes and apply to your own research or teaching. Stay tuned for detailed announcements about each talk.

Contact elissa.auerbach@gcsu.edu for the Zoom access links for each talk.

Layer Upon Layer: Starting Small, Thinking Big, and Building Sustainable Digital Projects

Rebecca Fitzsimmons, Special Collections Librarian and liaison to the Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Program, Illinois State University

February 21, 1:00 – 2:00 pm

Digital Book Creation in Scalar: Theory & Practice

Elliott Kuecker Interim Head of DigiLab, University of Georgia

March 7, 1:00 – 2:00 pm

The Archives as Place-Based Learning: Remediating the Library Archives: Gaming with Twine

Joshua Hussey, Lecturer, English Department, University of Georgia

March 30, 11 am – 12 noon

Title TBA

Andrea R. Davis, Assistant Professor of History and Digital Humanities Program Director, Arkansas State University

April 4, 1:00 – 2:00 pm

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Get Paid to Volunteer! Join AmeriCorps Today!

Communities in Schools : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Communities In Schools of Milledgeville/Baldwin County (CISMBC) has an awesome partnership with the nationally renowned AmeriCorps service program. This partnership allows AmeriCorps members to join CISMBC and volunteer in the local Baldwin County schools tutoring students and providing several educational, social, economic, and emotional supports. AmeriCorps members earn a monthly stipend and can qualify for a significant monetary education award at the end of their time of service. Members must commit to serve for at least one year (September 1st-June 30th) and should expect to volunteer approximately 25 hours per week.



See the attached file for last year's AmeriCorps position description. If you are interested in applying or in learning more, please reach out to Andrew Kirkland, CISMBC Volunteer Coordinator.

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[2020-2021 AmeriCorps Member Position Description.pdf](#)

Learning Center hosts STEM-tastic events this week!

The Learning Center : Tuesday February 15, 2022

The Learning Center is hosting an evening of all things STEM (and Econ) at the MAX!

STEM-TASTIC Dinner with Faculty, Upperclassmen, and support services

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday (Feb 15, 16, 17); Doors will open at 4:30 pm with information from STEM RSOs and support services

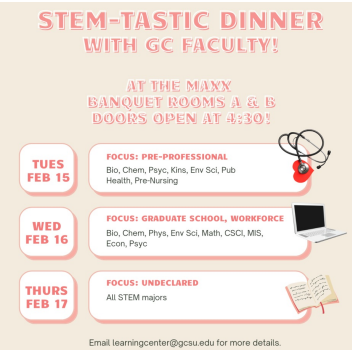
Our goal each evening is to connect our younger STEM and econ majors with an event that covers many bases. Advising staff, Career Services, and our National Scholarships office will join us each evening but our primary desire is for our students to meet some faculty, get involved in GC's STEM and econ areas, and learn more about all the resources provided.

Students selected the day that best fits their needs/goals and are coming to enjoy food, conversation, and activities with our faculty.

- Tuesday, 2/15- Focus is pre-professional areas
- Wednesday, /16- Focus is graduate school and the workforce
- Thursday, 2/17- Focus is Undeclared majors




If you would like to join us, it is not too late!

- Registration is required for this event using this [form](#).
- Please email learningcenter@gcsu.edu with questions. Follow us on social media for more updates and info about the nights' events-



**STEM-TASTIC DINNER
WITH GC FACULTY!**

**AT THE MAX
BANQUET ROOMS A & B
DOORS OPEN AT 4:30!**

TUES FEB 15	FOCUS: PRE-PROFESSIONAL Bio, Chem, Phys, Kins, Env Sci, Pub Health, Pre-Nursing	
WED FEB 16	FOCUS: GRADUATE SCHOOL, WORKFORCE Bio, Chem, Phys, Env Sci, Math, CSCI, MIS, Econ, Psyc	
THURS FEB 17	FOCUS: UNDECLARED All STEM majors	

Email learningcenter@gcsu.edu for more details.

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Money Monday- HSA Investment Options

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday February 15, 2022

Georgia College is hosting "Money Monday" on Monday February 28, 2022 from 12pm-1pm in the Pat Petersen Museum Education room.

Lunch will be provided for those who attend in person! If you decide to attend in person, please email kayla.brownlow@gcsu.edu

The topic is "HSA Investment Options" and is being hosted by HSA Bank!

Register here: : https://teams.microsoft.com/registration/d_gRRzr7EU-qqzxJaADCPQ,PuXvT29zjU6zBPuG7R9XHQ,2aITbTeoNkG8BeHSHkcZUA,Uv7W3CRXXEyKLIg48NXug,RZ8IQKPHXuautO0Rhcxr2g,xLIq_qIY90G6eBQmode=read&tenantId=4711f877-fb3a-4f11-aaab-3c496800c23d

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CTL Workshop - Getting Ready for the Mid-Term Grading: Taking Full Advantage of the D2L Grade Book

Center for Teaching & Learning : Tuesday February 15, 2022

The mid-term is approaching, and do you worry about the massive work of grading? This virtual workshop will introduce some advanced features of the GeorgiaVIEW grade book, such as Quick Eval, Rubric, importing grades from Excel, release/unrelease final grades, and adding feedback in bulk to help instructors finish their grading efficiently. Participants will have opportunities to work on their class grading with support from CTL staff.

This virtual workshop will take place at 3 pm on February 16. The meeting link will be sent out to registrants on the day of the workshop.

[Register for Getting Ready for the Mid-Term Grading: Taking Full Advantage of the D2L Grade Book!](#)

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Rehired Retirees: Act Early!

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday February 15, 2022

May, June and July are the busiest time of year for retirement vendors (TRS, ORP, ERS). In order to avoid hiring delays, we strongly encourage you to submit Rehired Retiree Applications for any full-time and/or part-time rehired retirees that you currently employ and wish to return, or new staff for Summer 2022, Fall 2022, and/or Spring 2023. If at all possible, please initiate the campus-level DocuSign application no later than March 1st for Summer and Fall hires!

If you are planning on hiring a Rehired Retiree for June and/or July semesters, you must submit an application for each semester.

Reminders:

- All rehired retirees must be re-approved annually; most are approved per full fiscal year (July 1 – June 30) or full academic year (August 1-May 31)
- If working less than half -time, the hourly rate or salary cannot exceed 49% of the compensation that would normally be paid to an employee if they worked on a full-time basis in the position
- If the retiree will be teaching, you are required to include the “rate per credit hour” with the required course information; if not included, we may deny the application and ask you to resubmit
- If you are hiring for:
 - Maymester 2022 (ONLY)
 - Proposed Hire Date – 05/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 05/31/2022
 - Maymester + June 2022
 - Proposed Hire Date – 05/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 06/30/2022
 - June 2022
 - Proposed Hire Date – 06/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 06/30/2022
 - July 2022
 - Proposed Hire Date – 07/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 07/31/2022
 - June & July 2022
 - You must execute 2 separate contracts since this spans 2 fiscal years – 1 for June 2022 (06/01/2022-06/30/2022), 1 for July 2022 (07/01/2022-07/31/2022)
 - Full Summer 2022 (Maymester, June, & July)
 - You must execute 2 separate contracts since this spans 2 fiscal years – 1 for Maymester + June 2022 (05/01/2022-06/30/2022), 1 for July 2022 (07/01/2022-07/31/2022)
 - Fall Semester 2022 Only
 - Proposed Hire Date – 08/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 12/31/2022
 - Full Academic Year 2022-2023: Fall/Spring (+Maymester if applicable)
 - Proposed Hire Date – 08/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date – 05/31/2023
 - Spring Semester 2023 Only
 - Proposed Hire Date- 01/01/2022
 - Proposed End Date - 05/31/2023

How to access the Rehired Retiree application:

- Unify
- GC Signatures Form (tab across top of screen toward right corner)
- Rehired Retiree Application – Human Resources

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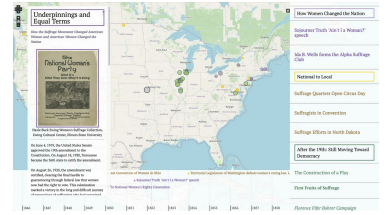
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Layer Upon Layer: Starting Small, Thinking Big, and Building Sustainable Digital Projects

Art, Department of : Tuesday February 15, 2022

While many digital scholarship tools and computational methods can play an important role in digital humanities research at all stages, it's usually the final output that is the most visible element of these projects. This talk on Feb. 21 at 1 p.m. will explore exhibits built using the Omeka platform with a particular focus on incorporating the Neatline plugin to create interactive maps. Continuing with maps, we will look at some possibilities for including these in projects built using the Scalar platform. We will also talk more generally about getting started with digital humanities projects and planning for sustainability.



Rebecca Fitzsimmons is a Special Collections Librarian and liaison to the Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Program at Illinois State University where she works with rare books and manuscripts and focuses on instructional outreach using digital humanities methods and tools.

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Summer Lifeguards Needed

Wellness & Recreation : Wednesday February 16, 2022

The Wellness and Recreation Center is accepting applications for summer lifeguards. This is a great job for both college and high school students. Lifeguard Certification Provided. Email steven.wright@gcsu.edu for details.

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GC Jazz Jam Session at Amici Cafe'

Music, Department of : Wednesday February 16, 2022

Jazz Jam 2.22.2022

Come out and enjoy our GC Jazz Jam Session Tuesday, Feb. 22, 7-9 pm at Amici Café, downtown Milledgeville, 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 menu and the live music at Amici Café. We hope to see you there!



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REMINDER: Diversity 360 Event: Establishing & Maintaining Mentally Healthy Workplace Environments

Inclusive Excellence, Office of : Wednesday February 16, 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence will present our first virtual Diversity 360 event for Spring semester entitled "Establishing & Maintaining Mentally Healthy Workplace Environments," on Feb. 22 at 4 p.m. The Zoom link is <https://tinyurl.com/2p86v6du>. Dr. Steve Wilson, Director of GC Counseling Services, will be the facilitator.

As we continue to adapt to the new normal during the pandemic, more people are returning or have returned to work. However, this new normal has seen an increase of stress and anxiety. Even before the pandemic, 1 in 5 adults struggled with mental health issues—and that number is only rising. Furthermore, when workers struggle with mental health conditions, the signs are not always apparent, and even when a condition is disclosed, there may be a stigma attached.

In this workshop, participants will learn:

- How managers and supervisors can support employees' mental health
- How employees can talk about their mental health in the workplace
- The benefits of talking about and improving mental health at work
- How to work with others to make your workplace more mentally healthy for everyone
- Ways to reach out and support a colleague in distress

To register, please go to <https://forms.gle/TdTQOrifhxp2kFee8>.

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The Georgia College English Department Film Series presents: THURSDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES!

English, Department of : Wednesday February 16, 2022

The Georgia College English Department Film Series presents:

THURSDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES!

When: Thursday, February 17, 2022

Where: Arts & Sciences Room 370

Time: 7 p.m.

NOW SHOWING:

Stanley Kubrick's: DR. STRANGELOVE

Or: How I learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb

Starring Peter Sellers— the movie focuses on the actions of a rogue U.S. officer who believes that communists are threatening the “precious bodily fluids” of Americans. Without authorization, he issues orders to U.S. bombers to launch atomic attacks against the Soviet Union. When it becomes evident that some of the bombers may actually drop their atomic payloads, American President Merkin Muffley frantically calls his Soviet counterpart. The Russian leader informs Muffley that an atomic attack on the Soviet Union will automatically unleash the terrible “doomsday machine,” which will snuff out all life on the planet. Muffley’s chief foreign policy advisor, Dr. Strangelove, reassures the president and chief officials that all is not lost: they can, he posits, survive even the doomsday machine by retreating to deep mineshafts.

See you at the movies!

Popcorn and beverages provided!

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African American Read-in

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Wednesday February 16, 2022

Russell Library invites you to participate in the annual African American Read-in on Monday, February 21, 2022 from 10am to 3pm in the Museum Education Room 211 (Heritage Hall) of the library. The African American Read-in is a Black History Month event sponsored by the Black Caucus of the National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE). The main purpose of the read-in is to make "the celebration of African American literacy a traditional part of Black History Month activities."

Here at GC we have envisioned something of an "open mic" style in which participants will read/perform/recite a 5-7 minute selection by their favorite author. Selections may include poetry, dramatic monologues, fiction, or creative non-fiction.

This event will be free and open to the public. We hope you will join us in this celebration of literature and literacy in the African American community.



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New species podcast interview features GCSU student and faculty member.

Biology & Environmental Sciences, Department of : Wednesday February 16, 2022

Sally Sir and Dr. Kris White were interviewed for a New Species Podcast.

<https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/s2-e02-a-new-amphipod-from-japan/id1550024934?i=1000551165545>

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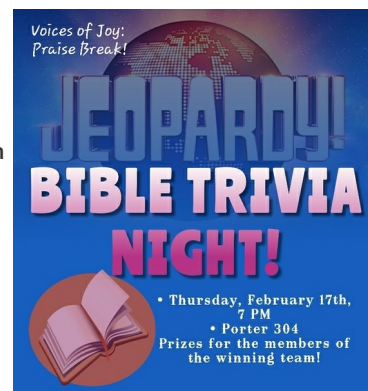
Bible Study Trivia Night

Student Organizations & Clubs : Wednesday February 16, 2022

As part of Voices of Joy's "Praise Break" initiative, we are hosting a fun, social night of food and fellowship as we team up to play a Jeopardy-style of Bible Trivia! The members of the team with the most points will even receive a prize of their choice.

Whether you want to brush up on your Bible knowledge or learn completely new things, you are welcome to join us!

Porter Hall, Room 304. 7PM



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2022 Collective Impact Grant Initiative

Center for Early Language & Literacy : Wednesday February 16, 2022

The Sandra Dunagan Deal Center for Early Language and Literacy and the Get Georgia Reading Campaign are pleased to release the grant application for the 2022 Collective Impact Grant initiative. The Deal Center will invest in communities that use the collective impact framework to address at least three of the four pillars of the Get Georgia Reading Campaign: Language Nutrition, Access, Positive Learning Climate, and Teacher Preparation and Effectiveness by using The Basics principles and strategies to support our children's social, emotional, and cognitive development.



The purpose of the 2022 Collective Impact Grant initiative is to enhance the capacity of Georgia communities to bolster the educational and developmental outcomes of children in our most distressed communities by providing seed funding to join The Basics Learning Network and implement The Basics principles and strategies to support social, emotional, and cognitive development of children from birth to age 3.

Up to \$25,000.00 will be awarded to up to ten (10) individual community applications who successfully demonstrate the ability to implement and sustain the use of The Basics principles and strategies.

The collective impact grant application is open only to organizations that submit letters of intent by March 1, 2022. Only one application will be accepted per organization. It is unlikely that \$25,000 will be sufficient for continued implementation of The Basics principles and strategies; therefore, applicants must develop a plan ahead of time for sustaining and leveraging the work and sustaining the initiative and membership in The Basics Learning Network beyond the initial investment.

Please see the attached Overview and Guidelines document, as well as the attached Application document, for further information on how to apply for this grant.

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MURACE - GC Summer Undergraduate Research & Creative Scholarship Funding

Transformative Learning Experiences : Wednesday February 16, 2022

Many college students work in the summer and often at a poor wage and at a job that adds little to no value to their education. At Georgia College, student researchers and their mentors have the opportunity to apply for funding for a summer research opportunity. MURACE gives students the opportunity to continue or start their research work while gaining important knowledge and earning a fair wage. Students and their mentors from all disciplines are encouraged to apply summer research funding.

The summer undergraduate research funding is competitive. Applications for funding are double-blind reviewed. Do not miss this opportunity to participate in research and earn money, while contributing to your future.

Applications for Summer 2022 NOW OPEN. Applications are competitive. Applications close on March 21, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. For details please visit <https://www.gcsu.edu/murace/summer-research-grant> or click on [MURACE](#).

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CUR - Biology Student Travel Awards

Transformative Learning Experiences : Wednesday February 16, 2022

The Biology Division of the Council on Undergraduate Research (CUR) is offering a limited number of travel grants, up to \$250 each, for undergraduate students presenting original biological research results at a regional or national, discipline-specific meeting* during the fiscal year 2021-2022. Award recipients are required to acknowledge CUR for support of their travel in their talk or poster, to complete a short online survey about their meeting experience, and to submit a PDF file of their poster. Students from all diverse backgrounds and perspectives are encouraged to apply.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Student must be an undergraduate student at either a two- or four-year institution. If the student is a graduating fourth-year student, travel must be completed within three months of graduation.
- Student's mentor must be a CUR member, or the student's home institution must be a CUR institutional member
- Student must attend a discipline-specific meeting or a meeting focused on underrepresented populations.*

Application materials:

- The electronic application form must be completed by a nominating faculty mentor. [Apply here](#)
- Travel grants (up to \$250) require confirmation of students' attendance/presentation at the meeting.

Selection Criteria: Travel award recipients will be chosen based on the scholarly merit of their abstract, which should include:

- A sentence that clearly states the study's objective (unless included in the title)
- A brief statement of methods (if pertinent)
- A summary of the results
- A statement of conclusions (it is not acceptable to state "the results will be discussed")
- A statement of significance

Deadline: Applications must be received by 5:00 PM ET, Monday, February 28, 2022, for meetings held between February 14 and June 15, 2022.** Applicants will be notified four to six weeks following the application deadline.

Questions: Please contact [Dr. Joan Petersen](#).

*Should you have questions about whether your meeting meets the requirements of the Biology Student Travel Awards (STA) Committee, please contact [Dr. Joan Petersen](#).

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Taco Twosday

President, Office of the : Wednesday February 16, 2022

Come celebrate the Twosday of the century - 2/22/22 on Front Campus from 2- 4 p.m. More information is available [here.](#)



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Be Aware: Two new phishing email schemes

Information Technology : Thursday February 17, 2022

GC Information Security is seeing a high number of phishing emails come in and I want to make you aware of two new schemes that seem to catch people by surprise.

The first usually comes in from SharePoint and is about a person sharing a file with you. Before clicking, you need to ask yourself "Do I know this person?". If not, then don't open it. If you do know the person, were you expecting the document? If not, call the person. Don't open the document without verification. We see too many accounts that are hacked and it's the hacker sharing the documents.

The second new scam comes in with an empty subject line, usually from someone you don't know. The email addresses you by name and has nothing other than a Bitly hidden URL. They're preying on our natural curiosity. Don't click the URL.

In all situations where you get emails that are suspicious (like the two above), send these emails to our phish identification and reporting system, Phish Alert. Phish Alert is found in all versions of Outlook (client software, web, and phone app). The icon image is of an open envelope with an orange fish hook.

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Phish Alert Report

OIRE February 2022 Newsletter

Institutional Research & Effectiveness, Office of : Thursday February 17, 2022

Please read [this month's issue](#) for updates related to the following:

- Assessment Spotlight: Call for Proposals
- Important Assessment Dates
- Note from the AVP
- Faculty Salary Data: Peer Comparisons
- External Reporting Update
- Excel Tip of the Month
- Website Spotlight

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Women's Center Art Exhibit- SUBMISSION DEADLINE EXTENDED

Women's Center : Thursday February 17, 2022

The Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs are calling all artists, creators, and crafters to submit their work to be featured in an Art Exhibit this March. We are looking to feature works that spotlight and uplift the experiences of marginalized members of our campus community. Previous works may be submitted or a student may create new works for the exhibit. All mediums are welcome. Please apply at <https://bit.ly/gcwcArtSubmissionForm> by FEBRUARY 21, 11 PM. Feel free to email gcwomenscenter@gmail.com with any questions or concerns.

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Digital Humanities Faculty Fellowships: Call for Applications, Deadline May 20

Digital Humanities Collaborative : Thursday February 17, 2022

The Digital Humanities Collaborative and the Andalusia Institute are pleased to announce the creation of two fellowships to support faculty who wish to pursue research or creative work with a digital component. It is hoped that these fellowships will help advance digital humanistic scholarship at Georgia College. One fellow will receive an award of \$2,000 for a project using the resources of the Andalusia Institute, and one fellow will receive an award of \$1,000 for a project on any topic in the humanities. Both fellowships are for the 2022-23 academic year.

The deadline to apply is May 20, 2022.

The fellowship guidelines and application form can be found in the [attached file](#).

For help with your application, please contact Elissa Auerbach, faculty coordinator of the Digital Humanities Collaborative (elissa.auerbach@gcsu.edu). For questions about the Andalusia Institute fellowship, contact Irene Burgess, Executive Director of the Andalusia Institute (irene.burgess@gcsu.edu).

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Business Education and the Public Liberal Arts: A Panel Discussion of COPLAC Business Faculty

College of Business & Technology : Thursday February 17, 2022

We are excited to announce that COPLAC and the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business at Georgia College & State University are once again joining forces to host a virtual event of interest to students and educators the like. In celebration of Georgia College's 25th anniversary as Georgia's designated public liberal arts university, we will host a virtual panel discussion on the state and future of business education in the context of the public liberal arts on March 3rd at 12 noon via Zoom.

Four faculty and academic leaders from COPLAC member institutions will share their expertise and experiences to help all of us better understand the opportunities and advantages of teaching and learning in the public liberal arts. Dr. Joy Godin (Georgia College & State University) will moderate the panel discussion; panelists include Drs. Mary Ellen Zuckerman (SUNY Geneseo), Aimee Mellon (University of Montevallo), Susan Clark (UNC Asheville) and Brent Evans (Georgia College & State University).

You can register to attend the panel discussion

here: <https://gcsu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMsfuyorjsrHt3BzJOwUZE32WuGIKx-RPlu>

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Wellness and Recreation Center, New Hours

Wellness & Recreation : Thursday February 17, 2022

The Wellness and Recreation Center has expanded it's weekend hours. New Hours are as follows:

Monday - Thursday 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Friday 6:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Full-time, benefit-eligible Georgia College employees can purchase a WRC membership for just \$25/month. Memberships for community members, age 18+ are available for \$50/month.

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Registration Deadline Approaching for Senior Exit Exams

Center for Testing : Thursday February 17, 2022

The deadline to register for Senior Exit Exams is February 21, 2022. Students may register online by visiting our website. If you have questions or need assistance, please call the Testing Center at 445-5016.

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QEP Proposals Due Soon!

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There is still time to submit a proposal for GC's next QEP. This initiative is one that we all share and you have GREAT ideas so please get them in soon! Contact Cara Smith with any questions or if you'd like some assistance with the proposal.

Please submit your QEP proposal using this online form:

https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_a96qiVJDua5ngy

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English professor publishes new book on Flannery O'Connor

English, Department of : Friday February 18, 2022

Dr. Bruce Gentry has published a collection of 21 "provocative and quirky" essays that freshly examine and add appreciation to the writings of famed Georgia College alumna and author Flannery O'Connor.

"Better to See You With," published by Mercer University Press, is described as both original and surprising. There's plenty for new fans and old to learn through Gentry's new book. His perspectives provide renewed insight into works like "A Good Man is Hard to Find," "Good Country People," "The Displaced Person" and "A View of the Woods."

Seventeen of the essays were previously published. Gentry calls this his "greatest hits volume."

When writing, Gentry kept in mind how the study of O'Connor has been taught and where it might possibly go in the future.

"Gentry proposes original ideas on O'Connor's depiction of children (how they are neglected, as well as how they are empowered), on O'Connor's fascinating manner of narrating, on gender issues as they relate to O'Connor's life and work and, of course, on the popular topics of religion and race," according to a statement released by Mercer University.

In the collection of articles, Gentry compares O'Connor to other notable writers, such as Truman Capote, Carson McCullers, Joyce Carol Oates and Alice Walker.

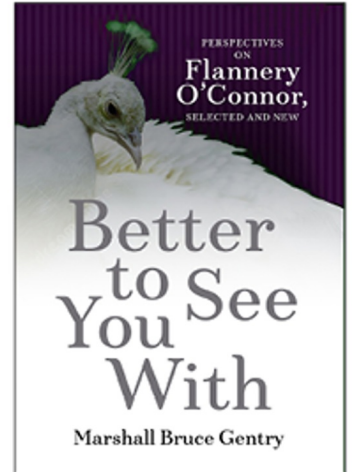
"The greatest benefit from reading criticism about the works of Flannery O'Connor may be that it shakes up any reader who is serious about figuring out how reading O'Connor is valuable, useful, pleasurable, even therapeutic," said Gentry in the release.

"O'Connor challenges us with satirical plots that look simple enough, but her novels and stories are also delightfully complex, always promising and delivering additional provocations," he said. "As we feel and think our way through repeated readings, we may be tempted to settle in with some of our conclusions, to get comfortable, but O'Connor always offers fresh questions about things that matter to us."

In publishing his new book, Gentry said he doesn't mean to "create converts" to his way of thinking but help readers form their own version of O'Connor.

Gentry is also author of "Flannery O'Connor's Religion of the Grotesque;" editor of the "Flannery O'Connor Review" and "The Cartoons of Flannery O'Connor at Georgia College;" and co-editor of "Approaches to Teaching the Works of Flannery O'Connor."

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Milly's Science Cafe: Stolen Spotlights; Bringing Light to Diversity in STEM

Student Organizations & Clubs : Friday February 18, 2022

Join us as we discuss bringing light to underrepresented people/areas of STEM on Wed, Feb. 23 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Blackbird.

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Walkway Closure between Bell Hall and Porter Hall

Facilities Management : Friday February 18, 2022

Facilities Management will be performing maintenance to repair an underground water main beginning Monday, February 21, 2021. The walkway between Bell Hall and Porter Hall will be closed and will remain closed until further notice.

We are very sorry for the inconvenience and if you have any questions, please reach out to Facilities Management at 478-445-4467.

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Student Research Conference - Faculty Abstract Reviewers

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It is that time of the year. We will begin shortly seeking reviewers cooperation for the GC Student Research Conference abstract reviews.

If you are asked and accepted the opportunity to review abstracts for the GC Student Research Conference, please go to the MURACE website [SRC](#)

To assure a smooth review process, a short instructional YouTube video has been provided.

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Public Compost Collection Available at Campus Garden

Sustainability, Office of : Monday February 21, 2022

Public compost collection is now available at the GCSU West Campus Garden. All compostable items must be placed in the grey bin marked "Compost Collection Bin" located under the information board at the garden.

Please note that only the following items can be collected: Fruit/veggie scraps, eggshells, light paper and cardboard, coffee grounds, bag-less tea leaves, light breads and grains.

The following items cannot be collected: Meat, greasy items, wax lined paper products, used tissues and napkins, compostable dishware and cutlery (**THIS IS IMPORTANT** Compostable dishware, especially forks/spoons/knives, no matter how compostable, do not break down well in a garden level compost pile. Please do not include them).

Please direct any questions to sustaingc@gcsu.edu



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CTL Workshop - Making the Capstone Work For Your Faculty AND Your Students

Center for Teaching & Learning : Monday February 21, 2022

Interested in learning more about capstones? Check out our upcoming Lunch & Learn sessions with HIPs Champions! In this session, Dr. Stephanie McClure will discuss the components of an effective capstone, consider the range of capstone options offered across campus, and share her experience working with colleagues in Sociology to develop an effective capstone experience, noting the challenges and rewards as well as the lessons learned. Most of the session will be dedicated to a discussion of how these lessons might be applied to other programs across campus.

This virtual workshop will take place at 12 noon on February 25. The meeting link will be sent out to registrants on the day of the workshop.

[Register for Making the Capstone Work For Your Faculty AND Your Students!](#)

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CTL Workshop - From Classroom to Work Experience, Incorporating Skills into a HIP Internship

Center for Teaching & Learning : Monday February 21, 2022

Interested in internships for your students? Check out our upcoming Lunch & Learn sessions with HIPs Champions! In this session, Angela Criscoe will help participants identify the key elements and skills within their programs that will help students acquire a HIP internship. Don't offer internship credit in your program? Learn how students can acquire GC Journeys credit for an internship through a new non-credit Internship course.

This virtual workshop will take place at 12 noon on March 4. The meeting link will be sent out to registrants on the day of the workshop.

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Georgia College Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs: Newsletter

LGBTQ+ Programs : Monday February 21, 2022

Greetings from the Women's Center and LGBTQ+ Programs. Check out what we've got [planned for this week](#). Hope to see you there!

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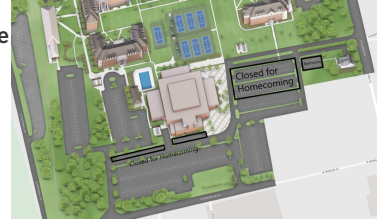
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Homecoming Parking Lot Closures: Centennial Center

Parking & Transportation : Monday February 21, 2022

In preparation for Homecoming 2022 events, including the Homecoming Concert, Tent City and Georgia College vs. Columbus St. basketball games, Parking and Transportation will be closing the first two sections of the Centennial Center parking lot and some parking spaces behind the Centennial Center. Spaces will be blocked off on Wednesday, February 23 and will reopen on Monday, February 28.

For additional information, please refer to the attached map detailing closed parking lots.



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CTL Workshop - Engaging Students and Facilitating Interaction Using Technology

Center for Teaching & Learning : Monday February 21, 2022

Want to learn more about how to get your students engaged and critically thinking using technology in the classroom? Technology integration can deepen student learning, enhance critical thinking, encourage collaboration, and improve knowledge retention. Students can greatly benefit through the appropriate use of using technology as a learning tool. In this session, Jaclyn Queen and Simeco Vinson will explore different applications and software that can be integrated into teaching and learning experiences. This session will focus on some of the best applications and software to share content, promote student engagement, and enhance critical thinking and collaboration.

This virtual workshop will take place 3 pm on March 9. The meeting link will be sent out to registrants on the day of the workshop.

[Register for Engaging Students and Facilitating Interaction Using Technology!](#)

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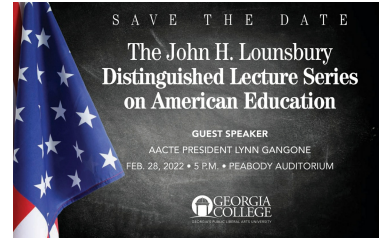
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Johns H. Lounsbury Lecture Series: Dr. Lynn Gangone

College of Education : Monday February 21, 2022

The campus community is invited to the next event in the John H. Lounsbury Lecture Series Monday, Feb. 28th at 5 p.m. in Peabody Auditorium of Kilpatrick Hall. The guest speaker will be Dr. Lynn Gangone, president of American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE). Gangone's discussion focuses on "Educators—The first responders for democracy."

A leader in education, Gangone has served as a faculty member, campus senior administrator, association executive, lobbyist and policy analyst. Prior to her appointment as president of AACTE, she served as vice president at the American Council on Education (ACE).



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Feedback requested on Front Page newsletter and website

University Communications : Monday February 21, 2022

University Communications is looking for your feedback about the Front Page Daily News Email and the website to help us better serve the campus community.

Please complete this survey: https://georgiacollege-bsucw.formstack.com/forms/front_page_and_daily_digest_survey

If you have any questions, you can email frontpage@gcsu.edu.

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Announcements Posted Tuesday February 22, 2022

Body Positive Pool Party

Women's Center : Tuesday February 22, 2022

Join us for an inclusive pool party at the WRC Pool | West Campus, hosted by the Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs on Tuesday, March 1st from 7-9 p.m. This event is focused on embracing the diversity of our bodies and creating a space that is welcoming for any and all individuals. Come celebrate the beauty of our differences with us!

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Nominations being accepted for Outstanding Graduate Assistant Awards

The Graduate School : Tuesday February 22, 2022

The Graduate School is now accepting nominations for Outstanding Graduate Assistant Awards. The Graduate School wants to recognize the outstanding contributions graduate assistants provide in supportive roles to students, faculty, staff, and the university as a whole while pursuing graduate studies. Awards will be presented at The Graduate School Spring Annual Reception in celebration of Graduate & Professional Student Appreciation Week, April 4 – 8, 2022.

The award package includes, \$200 from the Georgia College Foundation, a framed certificate, and a Georgia College lapel pin.

Information on submitting a nomination, eligibility, criteria, the link to the nomination form, and the timeline may be viewed by visiting The Graduate School, Graduate Opportunities web page .

The deadline to submit a nomination is March 15, 2022, 11:59PM.

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Intro to Podcasting Maymester Course: Fully Online. Free Textbook. Learn to Podcast and Make You Own Podcast During the Semester

College of Arts & Sciences : Tuesday February 22, 2022

Intro to Podcasting (MSCM 4950) is a four-week online Maymester course that will teach students the basics of podcasting, including how to create and produce a podcast. This course provides students hands-on learning as students will create and produce their own podcasts for the class. Other topics include a discussion of the podcasting industry, microphones, marketing podcasts, and equipment needed for successful podcasting. For more information on this course, contact Dr. Whittle at benjamin.whittle@GCSU.edu. The CRN # for the course is 50363.

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Announcements Posted Wednesday February 23, 2022

Spring 2022 Graduate & Professional School Admissions Fair

Career Center : Wednesday February 23, 2022

Are you thinking about graduate school after GC? Get information and ask questions of recruiters at the bi-annual Graduate & Professional School Fair March 3 from noon to 4 p.m. Over 30 institutions offering a wide variety of programs will be in attendance. Find programs related to your major or in completely new career areas!

Programs offered in a variety of areas: medicine, education, law, public policy, psychology, art, communications, advertising, MBA, health administration, nursing and other allied health fields such as physical therapy, occupational therapy, social work, school counseling, and more.

This event is ideal for sophomores and juniors as they consider graduate school options and plan for the admissions process. Seniors who are still trying to figure out where they want to attend or what programs fit them should attend as well. Freshmen who are beginning to wonder about ways to use their interests in a career should plan to attend as well!

You'll be able to meet face-to-face with program representatives to ask questions about the specific programs and the university.

Casual attire. Resumes are not required. Drop in as your schedule allows!

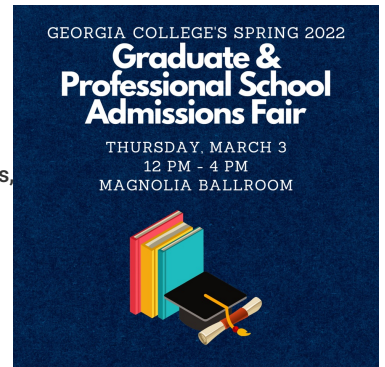
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Wellness and Recreation Center: Homecoming Weekend Hours

Wellness & Recreation : Wednesday February 23, 2022

The WRC will have modified hours on Homecoming Weekend to allow for students to participate in Homecoming activities.

Friday, February 25, 2022: 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. (No evening pool hours), and Saturday, February 26, 2022: 10:00 a.m. - Noon. Regular operation hours will resume on Sunday, February 27th.

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Financial Aid Awareness

Financial Aid : Wednesday February 23, 2022

Please stop by and see us near the Fountain in front of A&S February 24th 9:30-11:30AM. Let us be your lifesaver!



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Disney College Program Info Session

Career Center : Wednesday February 23, 2022

Hey Bobcats! Interested in learning more about the Disney College Program? Here's your chance! We are hosting a Disney College Program Info Session on February 25 at 2 PM in 140 Lanier Hall. Stop by to learn all things DCP!

Can't make it? Check out our Spring calendar to find more dates: <https://www.gcsu.edu/career/upcoming-events> or contact our DCP Coordinator, Daniella Thomas, at daniella.thomas@gcsu.edu.



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Martin Lammon Reading Series: February Event

English, Department of : Wednesday February 23, 2022

Come one, come all, to the Martin Lammon Reading Series Event on February 24th at 8:00PM!

Show some love and listen to some talented MFA students read their creative work.

The details are below and in the attached graphic.

When: February 24th, 8:00PM

Where: Zoom: <https://bit.ly/3shML0G>

Readers:

Fiction: Courtney Schmidt

Poetry: Auden Eagerton

Creative Non-Fiction: Shannon Yarbrough

Looking forward to seeing everyone there! Bring the love and some virtual noise!

Stay safe, best wishes,

Your host,

Tim C.

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Announcements Posted Thursday February 24, 2022

Graduate & Professional School Week: Graduate School Planning 101

Career Center : Thursday February 24, 2022

Are you thinking about graduate school? Do you have questions about researching programs or how to start your application process? The Career Center will be holding a workshop to help answer your questions about the process of applying to graduate or professional school. Questions can be general or specific. Come join us in A&S 251 on Monday, February 28 at 10 AM!



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Winners of the 2022 Homecoming Decorating Contest

Campus Life : Thursday February 24, 2022

On Wednesday morning, faculty and staff around campus displayed their school pride by participating in the homecoming door and office decorating competitions. This year's theme was "Feeling '22 (Bobcats' Version)" and every participant did an outstanding job! The winners of this year's competition are as follows:

Office Decorating Competition:

- First place: Academic Advising
- Second Place: Wellness and Recreation Center

Door Decorating Competition:

- First Place: College of Business
- Second Place: President's Office

We'd also like to thank this year's judges, Mary Beth Pennington, Jessi Jenkins, and Blair Simpson for taking time to help us with this event!

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Graduate & Professional School Week: Funding Grad School through Scholarships & Fellowships

Career Center : Thursday February 24, 2022

Have questions about how to obtain letters of recommendation, applying for scholarships or graduate school? Anna Whiteside from the National Scholarship Office is collaborating with our Pre-Professional & Graduate School Planning team to provide an interactive session Mon, Feb. 28 at 2 p.m. where students can gain information and have their questions answered. Attend this workshop to learn about best practices and opportunities available to you!

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Homecoming Parade: Greene Street closed 2/25 at 1 p.m.

Parking & Transportation : Thursday February 24, 2022

Greene Street will be closing at 1 p.m. on Friday, February 25 for the Homecoming Parade. The road will reopen once the parade has concluded.

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University Senate Meeting on Friday, February 25 at 3:30 PM

University Senate : Thursday February 24, 2022

This is a friendly reminder of the university senate meeting on Friday, February 25 at 3:30 PM via WebEx. You may find the agenda [here](#). If you should need anything, please don't hesitate to let me know.

Thank you,

Shea Council

Join from the meeting link

<https://gcsu.webex.com/gcsu/j.php?MTID=m6643f0b3cc3f6e321c5468ea5d361c06>

Meeting number (access code): 2624 126 9610

Join by meeting number

Meeting password: reYZxkmp437

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[US Agenda 02_25_22.pdf](#)

Announcements Posted Friday February 25, 2022

Graduate & Professional School Week: Transition/Gap Year Workshop

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

This workshop Tue, March 1 at 10 a.m. is designed to help students understand the potential benefits of taking a gap year. Whether you're looking to travel, prepare for graduate or professional school, or participate in a service year, this event can show you how to make the most of the increasingly popular "transition year." A Career Advisor will provide information on opportunities for service and learning, strategies for transitioning from a gap year to professional or graduate school, and show you how to find possible funding, as well as answer any questions that you may have!



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Graduate & Professional School Week: Demystifying the Law School Application Process

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

Are you interested in applying to law school? The Career Center and the College of Business will be collaborating with the Cumberland School of Law to present on the admissions process for law school Wed, March 2 at 10 a.m. This session is open to all students in various stages of the application process. Bring your questions! This event will be held virtually over Zoom. Please register for the event to receive Zoom link access. Students without access to Zoom may also attend the session in the Career Center Resource Room.



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GC Alumni Parade Watch Party

Alumni : Friday February 25, 2022

The GC Alumni Association invites all Faculty and Staff who are Georgia College Alumni to our Homecoming Parade Watch Party. Join us for light refreshments and a prime parade viewing spot on the front lawn of the Old Governor's Mansion closest to the corner of Clarke Street and Hancock Street. The watch party begins at 3:00 p.m. We hope to see you there!

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[Parade Watch Party.pdf](#)

Graduate & Professional School Week: Medical School Planning

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

Are you interested in applying to medical school? Attend our info session March 1 at 2 p.m to learn more about preparing for the application process and have your questions answered!

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Graduate & Professional School Week: Business Graduate School Planning

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

Are you interested in pursuing a graduate degree in business? Lynn Hanson from the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business will be collaborating with the Career Center to present on how to start your business graduate school planning and on the graduate degree programs offered at Georgia College March 2 at 2 p.m. This program is open to students of all majors.

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Popular Music and Flannery O'Connor

Andalusia Institute : Friday February 25, 2022

Dr. Irwin Streight, Royal Military College of Canada, author of the forthcoming Flannery at the Grammys, discusses the impact that O'Connor's work has had on contemporary music from Springsteen and REM to heavy metal and Lucinda Williams. Register [HERE](#)

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CUR e-News: New Awards, Events and More, Oh My!

Transformative Learning Experiences : Friday February 25, 2022

IMPORTANT CUR EVENTS & DEADLINES

CUR events are in indigo, and CUR deadlines are in green



[NCUR 2022 @home Credit Card Only Registration Deadline](#) | March 21, 2022

[CUR Conversation: Growing and Diversifying the Field of Psychological Science through Mentored Undergraduate Research Programs](#)

March 23, 2022

[NCUR @Home 2022 Virtual Conference](#)

April 4-8, 2022

[ConnectUR Early-Bird Registration Deadline](#)

April 18, 2022

[Undergraduate Research Week](#)

April 18-22, 2022

[Posters on the Hill](#) (Virtual)

April 26-27, 2022

[ConnectUR 2022 in Washington, DC Registration Deadline](#) | June 3, 2022

[ConnectUR 2022 Virtual Registration Deadline](#)

June 17, 2022

[ConnectUR 2022 Virtual Event](#)

June 23-24, 2022

[ConnectUR 2022 in Washington, DC](#)

June 27-29, 2022

New Award in Honor of Past CUR President

The Silvia Ronco Innovative Mentor Award was established, by a gift from Research Corporation for Science Advancement, to recognize original and insightful research work by a young investigator working with undergraduates that has had a significant impact in chemistry and the STEM careers of students involved. The application deadline is March 31, 2022.

[More Information>>](#)

How Is Your Workload?

Volunteers from CUR's Faculty Workload Working Group have designed a survey aiming to understand how the types and level of institutional support for this faculty work drive faculty participation and, therefore, student access to this important, high-impact practice in higher education. This survey is for a national research study about faculty mentorship of undergraduate research, scholarship, and creative activity. It will take about 15 minutes. [Begin Survey>>](#)

Calling All Divisions: Award Season is Open

Spring is upon us and many divisions are seeking nominations for the inspiring work, leadership, mentorship, and research your fellow colleagues and students have accomplished this past year. Calls for nominations for division-specific mentor awards, student travel awards, and many more will be closing in the coming weeks. [Explore what division awards are available for you and nominate today>>](#)

Featured Undergraduate Research Highlights

General Education with a Twist: Material Culture Research to Festival of Student-Created Films

At Michigan State University, a pandemic pivot led to a successful student film festival.

[Continue Reading](#)

Two Ways to Celebrate!

1. Has your institution written a piece about your students doing undergraduate research? Become one of our Featured UR Highlights by [sharing the story here>>](#)
2. Have you recently been honored by your peers or won an award? Make sure to tag [@CURinAction](#) when you tweet your good news so we can celebrate with you.

Division News

[Professor Winny Dong Receives Nation's Highest Honor for Mentoring in STEM](#)

Congratulations to CUR member Winny Dong, professor of chemical and materials engineering and faculty director of the Office of Undergraduate Research at Cal Poly Pomona, for this accomplishment. [Press Release>>](#)

What's Buzzing in the Community?

Be a part of the 2,000+ discussions that are happening now!

[Latest Discussion Posts](#)

Looking for research/mentor agreement templates
[Add your voice.](#)

[Latest on the Job Board](#)

[Visiting Assistant Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry](#) at Illinois Wesleyan University
[Tenure-Track Psychology Position](#) at the College of St. Scholastica

Paper and Presentation Opportunities

- [Nanophotonics for Chemical Imaging and Spectroscopy](#), Journal of Physical Chemistry | Deadline February 28, 2022
- [IMAGE 2022](#), International Meeting for Applied Geoscience and Energy | Deadline March 17, 2022
- [Pharmaceutical Microbiology Conference 2022](#), Parenteral Drug Association | Deadline March 31, 2022

Internship & Research Opportunities

- [MD/PhD Undergraduate Summer Research Internship](#), West Virginia University | Deadline February 28, 2022
- [Summer Research Experience for Underrepresented Students](#), West Virginia University | Deadline March 1, 2022
- [REU: Computing for Health and Well-Being](#), University of Iowa | Deadline March 31, 2022
- [Minority Educational Institution Student Partnership Program](#), Department of Energy | Deadline March 31, 2022

Discover more opportunities or share one of your own!

[Internship and Research Opportunities](#) or [Paper and Presentation Opportunities](#)

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Graduate & Professional School Week: English MFA, MA, and PhD Grad School Planning

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

Are you interested in pursuing a graduate degree in creative writing or English? Unsure of the paths available? Are you interested in teaching at the collegiate level? The Career Center and the Department of English are collaborating to provide you an interactive session where students can learn more about graduate programs in these fields. Join us March 2 at 10 a.m.

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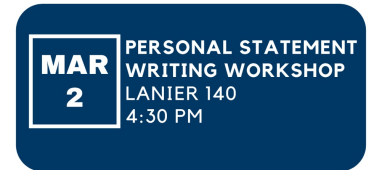
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Graduate & Professional School Week: Personal Statement Writing Workshop - Special Edition

Career Center : Friday February 25, 2022

Are you applying to graduate or professional school? Want to learn tips and tricks for writing your personal statement? This workshop March 2 at 4:30 p.m. is for you! The Career Center staff will cover tips, tricks, and pitfalls of writing a personal statement for graduate and professional school admission.

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Raising Her Voice: An Evening of Music by Women Composers

Music, Department of : Monday February 28, 2022

Saturday, March 5- Two of Georgia College's choral ensembles, Women's Ensemble and Max Noah Singers, will present an evening of music by women composers at 7:30 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom at the Student Activity Center. The concert will also be live-streamed at facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment. "Raising Her Voice" features compositions that span almost 400 years and includes pieces by well-known female composers such as Fanny Hensel and Clara Schumann. The choirs will also perform music by other lesser-known composers, such as Undine Smith Moore, the "Dean of Black Women Composers," and Rosephanye Powell, Auburn University Professor of Voice and winner of a "Living Legend Award" presented by California State University African Diaspora Sacred Music Festival in Los Angeles. The choirs and solo singers will perform music by eight other women composers from countries such as Italy, Canada, America, and Germany. Vocal soloists include students Anna Ogletree, Riley Greer, Megan Ostrat, and Allison Crane in collaboration with Mary Mead, saxophone. Pianist Lev Ryabinin will collaborate with Jennifer Flory, mezzo-soprano, and flutist Laurie Peebles, as well as Youngmi Kim, soprano. Choral conductors include Dr. Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, Dr. Jennifer Flory, Megan Ostrat, Conner Garmon, and Kelley Monahan. The choirs will be joined by Dr. Lev Ryabinin and Dr. Hue Jang on piano. A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at alumni.gcsu.edu/music. 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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[Raising Her Voice Program_0.pdf](#)

Georgia College Women's Center and LGBTQ+ Programs: Newsletter

LGBTQ+ Programs : Monday February 28, 2022

Check out the events we have coming up this week! We hope to see you there.

<https://www.smores.com/tj1ks>

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Saladin Scholars Awards Ceremony and Keynote Address with EPA Biologist Dr. Sylvia Lee

Honors College : Monday February 28, 2022

All GC students, faculty, alumni, and friends are cordially invited to the John E. Sallstrom Honors College's Saladin Scholars Awards Ceremony on Tuesday, March 22 at 6:00 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom. Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be followed by a keynote address from U.S. EPA Biologist Dr. Sylvia Lee. We will also hear from last year's Saladin Scholars on their experiences and distribute scholarships to this year's recipients. Special thanks are extended to the Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, particularly Dr. Kalina Manoylov, who partnered with the Honors College to secure Dr. Lee's participation. Please register by March 11 via [this link](#) or by using the QR code in the insert.

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Business Education and the Public Liberal Arts: A Panel Discussion of COPLAC Business Faculty

College of Business & Technology : Monday February 28, 2022

We are excited to announce that COPLAC and the J. Whitney Bunting College of Business at Georgia College & State University are once again joining forces to host a virtual event of interest to students and educators the like. In celebration of Georgia College's 25th anniversary as Georgia's designated public liberal arts university, we will host a virtual panel discussion on the state and future of business education in the context of the public liberal arts on March 3rd at 12 noon via Zoom.

Four faculty and academic leaders from COPLAC member institutions will share their expertise and experiences to help all of us better understand the opportunities and advantages of teaching and learning in the public liberal arts. Dr. Joy Godin (Georgia College & State University) will moderate the panel discussion; panelists include Drs. Mary Ellen Zuckerman (SUNY Geneseo), Amiee Mellon (University of Montevallo), Susan Clark (UNC Asheville) and Brent Evans (Georgia College & State University).

You can register to attend the panel discussion

here: <https://gcsu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMsfuyorjsrHt3BzJOwUZE32WuGIKx-RPlu>

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'Ride the Cyclone:' Spring musical at Georgia College promises thrilling ride

Theatre & Dance, Department of : Monday February 28, 2022

Georgia College's first in-person spring musical since the start of COVID promises to be much like the pandemic—a topsy-turvy ruckus leaving audiences unsure what happens next.

But, unlike COVID, its turns and twists prove enjoyable with toe-tapping tunes and non-stop action. Narrated by a mechanical fortune teller, the play takes audiences on a rollercoaster of ups and downs, sharp turns and sudden changes.

"As soon as you think you've got things figured out, it twists a totally different way," said Director Iona Holder. "A lot of people will want to see it more than once. The music is catchy and stays with you in the best way. People will look back and say, 'That was really fun.'"

The musical runs four nights, March 2-5, with a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday, March 6, in Russell Auditorium.

The play is about members of a high school choir who visit an amusement park and lose their lives on the rollercoaster. They find themselves in a type of purgatory, retelling their lives or what they wish their lives had been like. It's a game that gives the winner a new chance at life.

The high-energy production is filled with big dances and every kind of music genre from rap, hip hop and rock to Broadway classical and opera. The journey of self-exploration is filled with magical moments and opportunity to laugh and cry.

"It's a beautiful story. It ends up being about how to stop and appreciate your life. The final message is heartwarming. I cry every single time we get to the last song," Holder said.

"Ride the Cyclone" has seven main actors. To give more students a chance to act, the cast was upped to 14. Characters include choir members in school uniform and carnival "shadow people"—a snake charmer, strong man, bearded lady, tattooed man, clown and lion tamer.

About 50 students worked behind the scenes doing set construction, lighting, costumes, stage management and make-up. Alumnus David Connel designed the dance choreography.

Eric Griffis, interim chair of Theatre and Dance, chose "Ride the Cyclone" because it's one of the few plays with streaming rights. Plays at Georgia College are chosen a year in advance. His committee wanted one that was flexible, in case the pandemic caused more shutdowns.

In the past two years, students took their craft online and used film to help produce shows. In-person productions resumed last fall. This will be Georgia College's first in-person musical since 2020.

"It's so full of unexpected things," Griffis said. "You have no idea when you first watch it where it's going to take you, and you leave with that warm feeling at the end."

"Ride the Cyclone" is recommended for mature audiences. Performances are in Russell Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday, March 2 to 5, and 2 p.m. Sunday, March 6. Tickets are \$15 for general admission; \$10 for seniors, GC faculty, staff and non-GC students; and \$5 for GC students.

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Think 30. Summer registration begins the week of March 7.

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Obtaining 30 credit hours or more each academic year is the best way to stay on track (or get ahead) to graduate with your undergraduate degree within four years. When it comes time for registration and planning out your course schedule, keep in mind to "Think 30" as your benchmark for each year.

Georgia College offers many courses in the summer terms that can give you an opportunity to earn the hours you will need to reach or exceed this goal. Core and major courses are offered online, with some courses also being offered in-person. Whether you return home for the summer or choose to stay in Milledgeville, there are plenty of course options available to explore to find the best fit for you.

Summer registration starts the week of March 7. For more information, visit www.gcsu.edu/summer or contact your Academic Advisor to learn more.

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to graduate in
4 years!

Registration begins the
week of March 7.

Students should strive to earn
30 credit hours per year in order
to graduate on schedule.

No summer term is a great chance for you to catch up
or get ahead on your course work. Courses are available
online and in-person.
Reach out to your advisor for more information.

GC Journeys February Newsletter

GC Journeys : Monday February 28, 2022

Check out the [February 2022 GC Journeys Newsletter](#) for stories about:

- [4 GC Students Accepted For Posters at the Capitol](#)
- [The Office of First Year Experience Hosts Successful Event](#)
- [GC Journeys Awards Mini-Grants to Faculty Leading Transformative Experiences](#)
- [Student Research Conference Held on March 25th—details on application](#)
- [GC Faculty Offer Transformative Experience Workshops](#)
- [GC Journeys Recognized by the USG](#)
- [GC Economics Major Wins Best Undergraduate Paper at Conference](#)
- [GC Student Nominated For COPLAC Award](#)
- [Upcoming GC Journeys Programming](#)

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Digital Book Creation in Scalar: Theory & Practice

Digital Humanities Collaborative : Monday February 28, 2022

This "show-and-tell" talk Monday, March 7 at 10 p.m. hosted by the Digital Humanities Collaborative will focus on the ways in which Scalar, the digital publishing platform, can be used to present research that is rich in multi-media content. Elliott Kuecker will review how to plan a project with attention toward collaborative labor, defined research purpose, and reasonable workflow. Further, he will perform a short demo of how the Scalar dashboard looks for authors and editors.

Elliott Kuecker is the Interim Head of DigiLab, the Digital Humanities Lab at the University of Georgia Libraries.

Contact elissa.auerbach@gcsu.edu for the Zoom access link.



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Times Talk March 2, Noon-12:50 The Russia-Ukraine Crisis: What's Next?

American Democracy Project : Monday February 28, 2022

Please join us via Zoom Wednesday March 2 from noon-12:50 pm to discuss the topic “The Russia-Ukraine Crisis: What’s Next?”, facilitated by Dr. Steve Elliott-Gower, GC Associate Professor of Political Science, Dr. Harold Mock, GC Assistant Professor of History, and Dr. Bill Risch, GC Associate Professor of History.

Register in advance for this discussion via Zoom with your Georgia College email address at <https://gcsu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwod0itqz0pGtcdgcQ10dRTwUJBMZEc6HsQ>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the discussion. The following article will be referenced during our discussion;
<https://www.nytimes.com/live/2022/02/22/world/russia-ukraine-biden-putin>

Hear a short introduction to this week’s Times Talk on the Why This Times Talk podcast at https://soundcloud.com/wrgc/why-this-times-talk-podcast-the-russia-ukraine-crisis?https://soundcloud.com/wrgc/why-this-times-talk-podcast-the-russia-ukraine-crisis?si=585341fabd7e4472b975e27289b9cc5f&utm_source=clipboard&utm_medium=text&utm_campaign=social_sharing

Times Talk is celebrating 17 years of informed, insightful and lively community-wide discussion of current and significant topics as reported in the New York Times and other reputable news sources. 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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Feeling Myself

Women's Center : Monday February 28, 2022

To kick off Sex [Ed] Fest, join the Women's Center & LGBTQ+ Programs for "Feeling Myself" on Monday, March 7th from 5:30-6:30 at the The HUB. At this event, we'll create a space to learn and discuss the connections between body image and self-pleasure.

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Graduate & Professional School Week: Graduate & Professional School Drop-in Day

Career Center : Monday February 28, 2022

Hey Bobcats! Need your personal statement or CV reviewed? Want to meet with a career advisor to talk about graduate or professional school? Join us on the last day of Graduate & Professional School Week for our Graduate & Professional School Drop-in Day - no appointment needed! Drop by 110 Lanier Hall anytime between 9 AM and 4 PM on Friday, March 4.

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Hazing Update

University Communications : Monday February 28, 2022

Dear Members of the Georgia College Campus Community,

I am writing to provide information as a follow up to the hazing incident that took place during the Fall 2021 semester:

On February 25, 2022, Georgia College & State University has officially dissolved the Sigma Alpha Epsilon chapter at Georgia College due to hazing activities and other serious infractions of the student code of conduct that occurred during the Fall 2021 semester. After a thorough investigation, the Sigma Alpha Epsilon National Organization has also formally revoked the charter of the Georgia College SAE chapter. Further student conduct proceedings against individual members of the now defunct SAE organization are ongoing through the Office of Student Life.

I would like to remind all members of the campus community that we have a zero-tolerance policy toward hazing and other behaviors that jeopardize the health, safety, and wellbeing of our students. If you are aware of hazing activities, please contact Dr. Tom Miles, Dean of Students at tom.miles@gcsu.edu or <http://incident.gcsu.edu>.

Sincerely,

Shawn Brooks, PhD
Vice President for Student Life

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Student Technology Fee Innovation Grants – Spring 2022 | Application Deadline: March 11

Information Technology : Monday February 28, 2022

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 sonny.mckenzie@gcsu.edu with STF Grant noted. Once you have a well-researched plan with a budget, please complete the [Student Technology Fee Grant Request Form](#). 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 March 11, so start planning! The STFAC will provide written notification of fund disbursement by April 4. If you have any questions, please contact the committee at stf@gcsu.edu.

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The President's and Provost's University Senate Reports

University Senate : Monday February 28, 2022

The university senate reports from President Cox and Provost Spirou from the university senate meeting held on Friday, February 25th, 2022 can be found [here](#). If you should need anything, please don't hesitate to let me know.

Thank you,

Shea Council

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