

# Announcements Posted Monday September 2, 2024

## Workshop Wednesday: CV and Personal Statement Writing

Career Center : Monday September 2, 2024

Join the Career Center Wednesday, Sept. 4, for our virtual Workshop Wednesday. At 4:30 p.m. Learn the basics of writing a CV and how to tailor it to your graduate school goals. Then, at 5:30 p.m., get help crafting a standout personal statement personalized for your desired graduate school. Don't miss out on these essential tips to strengthen your graduate school application.

[Register for the CV Writing Workshop here.](#)

[Register for the Personal Statement Writing Workshop here.](#)

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# Announcements Posted Tuesday September 3, 2024

## Disney College Program Info Session

Career Center : Tuesday September 3, 2024

Applications for the Disney College Program for Spring 2025 are now open.

Do you want to know more about the Disney College Program? Are you interested in applying? Come join us for Disney trivia (with prizes) and an information session about the Disney College Program Thursday, Sept. 5, at 2 p.m. in Lanier Hall 140.



Want to know more before you stop by?

- Click [here](#) for more information about the Disney College Program.
- Click [here](#) for more information about Disney College Program roles.

If you have any questions, please email our DCP Coordinator at [daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu](mailto:daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu).

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# Big thanks for a successful summer!

Continuing & Professional Education : Tuesday September 3, 2024

Continuing & Professional Education has wrapped up a busy and successful summer of camps. We are proud to report that we served over 3,000 participants in 18 camps throughout the summer months.



We are immensely grateful for all the support we received both on and off campus. We'd like to extend our thanks to all departments, offices and organizations that supported us during the past many months!

- Facility Reservations
- Auxiliary Services
- University Housing
- Sodexo/Dining Services
- University Athletics
- Department of Music
- Department of Theatre & Dance
- Facilities Management
- Human Resources
- Payroll Services
- Public Safety
- Wellness & Recreation Center
- Academic Outreach
- Bridge Scholars Program
- Leadership Programs
- Outdoor Center
- Office of Communications
- Production Services
- Materials Management
- Creative Services
- Business & Accounting
- Budget Office
- Parking & Transportation
- Museums & Galleries
- Wildlife Critters Circle of Life Rehabilitation Center
- Milledgeville/Baldwin County and surrounding area schools

- Colleges of Education, Health Sciences, and Arts & Sciences
- Building Managers across campus
- And many more.

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# Times Talk Wednesday, Sept. 4, from noon until 12:50 p.m., room 241 Russell Library with Drs. Jolene Cole and Jan Hoffmann on "How to factcheck a source, text or image in 60 seconds or less: Tips and tricks from the pros"

American Democracy Project : Tuesday September 3, 2024

Please join us this Wednesday, Sept. 4, in Russell Library room 241 from 12 until 12:50 p.m. as we kick off this semester's Times Talk campus-wide current events conversation series with a discussion facilitated by Dr. Jolene Cole, professor of Library Science (Instruction and Research) and Dr. Janet Hoffmann, professor of Rhetoric on "How to factcheck a source, text or image in 60 seconds or less: Tips and tricks from the pros."



The following New York Times article may be referred to during the discussion [https://www.nytimes.com/2024/06/24/insider/new-york-times-fact-checks-candidates.html?unlocked\\_article\\_code=1.Hk4.ey7n.HB80oGPbrXfM&smid=url-share](https://www.nytimes.com/2024/06/24/insider/new-york-times-fact-checks-candidates.html?unlocked_article_code=1.Hk4.ey7n.HB80oGPbrXfM&smid=url-share).

Additional relevant factchecking resources are available in the Georgia College & State University ADP research guide <https://libguides.gcsu.edu/DigiPo>.

Next week's Times Talk: Wednesday, Sept. 11, facilitated by Political Science Senior Lecturer Claire Sanders and GCSU President Cathy Cox on the nuts and bolts of the state election system.

Times Talk at Georgia College is celebrating 19 continuous years as the first in the nation college weekly discussion series on current and significant public events and issues as reported by the New York Times and other reputable news sources. The topics change weekly and are chosen and facilitated by volunteer faculty, staff, students and community members. Times Talks are open to all campus and local community members. Just bring your brain. There will be free pizza while it lasts.

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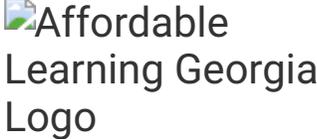
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[American Democracy Project](#)

# Online Interest Meeting - Affordable Learning Georgia Grant Program (Round 26)

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Tuesday September 3, 2024

 [Affordable Learning Georgia](#), an initiative of the University System of Georgia focused on providing affordable course materials, will host an online interest meeting Sept. 9, 2024, from 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. Individuals who are interested in applying for a Round 26 grant are encouraged to attend. All grants must be submitted through the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects (OGSP). More information and the full call for proposals is available on the [Affordable Learning Georgia website](#).

To join the online interest meeting, use this [link](#).

## Important Dates

- Sept. 9, 2024, 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. - Online Interest Meeting
- Oct. 1, 2024 - [Intent to Apply Form](#) due to the Office of Grants and Sponsored Projects (OGSP)
- Oct. 14, 2024 - Application review and feedback available from OGSP (not required)
- Oct. 22, 2024 - Final documents due to OGSP
- Oct. 25-28, 2024 - OGSP submits application

For more information, contact Dr. Shaundra Walker, faculty champion for ALG and dean of the University Library, at [shaundra.walker@gcsu.edu](mailto:shaundra.walker@gcsu.edu) or ext. 0987.

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**ATTACHMENTS**

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Intent to Apply\_R26.pdf

Submission Timeline\_Round26\_ALG\_.pdf

# The GCSU Jazz Band to perform at National Conference

**Music, Department of : Tuesday September 3, 2024**



The Georgia College & State University Jazz Band will perform at the JENerations Jazz Festival on Saturday Aug. 11, 2025, at 2 p..m. This festival runs in conjunction with the Jazz Education Network (JEN) National Conference which will be held in Atlanta. In addition to having access to all the incredible clinics and concerts associated with the JEN Conference, JENerations Jazz Festival participating bands will perform for 30 minutes and immediately following the performance, receive a 30-minute clinic session with world-class clinicians featuring many of today's biggest names in jazz. Local folks can come hear some of the bands repertoire at the GCSU Jazz Band's home concert Friday, Nov. 1, 2024, at 7:30 p.m. Save the date now!

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# Meet the Bobcats: GCSU Athletics

**Athletics : Tuesday September 3, 2024**

UPDATE: This event has been cancelled due to rain. Meet the Bobcats will be re-scheduled!

Join the community for an exciting evening on Friday, Sept. 6, 2024, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., as First Friday/Main Street partners with Georgia College to celebrate the spirit of the Bobcats at the "Meet the Bobcats" event. This special First Friday gathering will take place in downtown Milledgeville, bringing together the community to introduce and showcase the talents of Georgia College & State University's Bobcat athletes.



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# Rehearsal for the World's Largest Tamia Line Dance at GCSU

: Tuesday September 3, 2024

The Office of Inclusion & Belonging is gearing up for the world's largest Tamia line dance at Georgia College & State University, Thursday, Sept. 12, on Front Campus at 4:30 p.m. Don't know what the Tamia line dance is? Don't know how to get the steps right? We've got you covered! To prepare everyone for the line dance, you can rehearse at the Miller Gym Studio Sept. 4 from 6 until 7 p.m. Desarée Murden, director of Student Conduct and Compliance, will be your instructor. You can also view a [YouTube video showing the line dance](#) if you can't make the rehearsal.

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# Flu shots are now available at Student Health Services

**Student Health Services : Tuesday September 3, 2024**

It is that time of year, and flu shots are here at Student Health Services. We highly recommend that all students get their annual Influenza (flu) vaccine to help keep them healthy this fall semester.

For your convenience, you can drop in the Student Health Services Clinic on West Campus Monday - Friday from 8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. to get your flu vaccine. No appointment is needed.

There is no out-of-pocket fee for the flu vaccine. Please bring your insurance card or insurance information when you come.

Remember to protect: Don't infect. Stay healthy Bobcats!

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# Interlibrary Loan Services Restored

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Tuesday September 3, 2024

Russell Library is pleased to report that the interruption in Interlibrary Loan services has been resolved. If you encounter any issues, you can reach out via our Ask-A-Librarian service [online](#) or via email at [ask@gcsu.libanswers.com](mailto:ask@gcsu.libanswers.com) for additional assistance. Once again, we apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.



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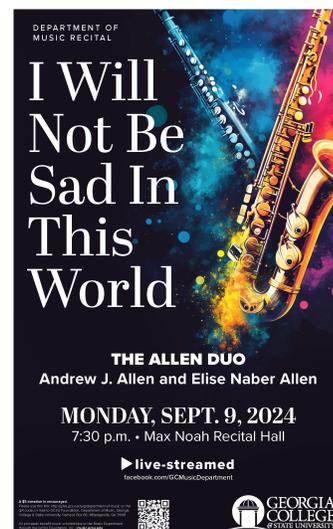
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# Announcements Posted Wednesday September 4, 2024

## Faculty Recital: Allen Duo

Music, Department of : Wednesday September 4, 2024

Max Noah Recital Hall Monday, Sept. 9 The Allen Duo faculty recital, "I Will Not Be Sad In This World," will be at 7:30 p.m. in Max Noah Recital Hall at Georgia College & State University. The duo consists of faculty members Andrew J. Allen and Elise Naber Allen. They will perform flute and saxophone duets, as well as compositions for solo instruments and electronics. The recital title is borrowed from Eve Beglarian's work using alto flute and electronics. Her piece and other contemporary classical works in this recital support a theme of hope and resilience. This concert will also be livestreamed at [www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment](https://www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment). A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at [give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/](https://give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/). All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](#) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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### ATTACHMENT

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# Legislative Exams: Slots are filling up fast

**Center for Testing : Wednesday September 4, 2024**

Registration is now open for the Fall 2024 Legislative Exams. The last testing date for any legislative exams will be Dec. 3, 2024.

Slots are filling up fast. Please register by visiting our website:  
[www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter](http://www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter).

If you have questions, please contact the Testing Center at 478-445-5016.

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# Outdoor Emergency Notification System Test

## Wednesday, Sept. 4, 2024

**Public Safety : Wednesday September 4, 2024**

Georgia College & State University will test the Outdoor Emergency Notification System (siren system) Wednesday, Sept. 4, 2024. This test is scheduled to occur the first Wednesday of every month between 10 a.m. and noon and will last approximately one minute. No action is required during the testing, and all campus operations should continue as normal. A message stating that this is a test will precede and follow the "alert" tone. In the case of an actual tornado warning, the message would advise of a tornado warning, and the tone would cycle through. This would be repeated every five minutes until the warning expires or is canceled, at which time an all clear message would sound. The audible system test will only be tested when clear sky conditions are present. Tests will not occur when skies are dark or severe weather is predicted for the area on the day the test is scheduled to occur. In this case, the test will be rescheduled for later in the month.

There are three sirens operated by GCSU in Baldwin County: one on West Campus and two on Main Campus.

This testing program is designed to maintain a reliable warning system and to meet recommended testing guidelines. Additionally, we want to maximize the effectiveness of the Outdoor Emergency Notification System. By performing these tests, we hope to enhance awareness and education regarding emergency preparedness at Georgia College and within the local community.

For more information on the Outdoor Emergency Notification System and other campus emergency systems, [please visit the emergency systems page on the Public Safety website.](#)

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# Changes to GALILEO Video Resources

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Wednesday September 4, 2024

Russell Library would like to call your attention to recent changes in GALILEO's video resources. Effective at the end of August 2024, the Films on Demand database will no longer be available via Georgia College & State University's GALILEO resources. However, we are happy to suggest [Academic Video Online \(AVON\)](#) as an excellent alternative to Films on Demand, with searchable transcripts as an additional tool.



If you have any questions about this change or need guidance on video resources available to you, please contact your department's Library Liaison. A full list of Library Liaisons is available [here](#).

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# Dr. Youngmi Kim, associate professor of Music, gave a masterclass broadcast: Elevating Musical Artistry on Han-Kyong Arte TV, the prestigious Korean art channel

Music, Department of : Wednesday September 4, 2024

In July, Dr. Kim's masterclass was featured on Han-Kyong (한경) Arte TV, Korea's premier art channel, showcasing advanced singing techniques and insights into musical performance for Korean students. This broadcast provided an opportunity to reach a wider audience, sharing knowledge and passion with aspiring musicians across Korea. The full session is now available on YouTube, allowing global viewers to benefit from this educational experience. Watch it here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I91ByTV6TJs&t=267s>.



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# Announcements Posted Thursday September 5, 2024

## Peer Feedback on Teaching

Center for Teaching & Learning : Thursday September 5, 2024

Now is a great time to consider ways to build on your strengths as an instructor. The goal of Peer Feedback on Teaching (PFoT) is to provide support to help you improve the quality of learning in your classroom. Deliberate, continuous improvement of one's teaching is one of the great joys of being a professor. Our trained observers enjoy working with you as you develop and continuously improve your teaching skills. This process takes a cross-disciplinary approach, pairing you with one (1) peer observer outside your department who will act as a support to help you discover and explore how you can hone in on what you already do well and improve upon your strengths.

Utilizing a strengths-based method to help you discover and build upon your skills in the classroom makes PFoT a unique approach to teaching quality. For Fall 2024, PFoTs are offered from Sept. 9 through Oct. 4 and again from Oct. 21 through Nov. 15 for in-person and synchronous online courses.

If you are interested in scheduling a PFoT, please complete the form found at <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/68e2c53560104596a575bcef79a62770> or contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at (478) 445-2520 or [ctl@gcsu.edu](mailto:ctl@gcsu.edu). Please provide a week's notice or more for scheduling.

For more information on PFoT, please see [our website](#).

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# GCSU Alumni Lifelong Learning Series - Balancing Act: Thriving as a Young Professional and Grad Student

Alumni : Thursday September 5, 2024

Join Georgia College & State University alumnus Christopher Jackson for the newest [Alumni Lifelong Learning Series](#) Sept. 12, from 12 p.m. until 1 p.m.

Jackson is an imaginative and zealous marketing, creative and global strategic communicator. His field experience and formal education are genuinely interdisciplinary, weaving together topics such as media, culture and language communication studies. He graduated in 2023 with a Bachelor of Arts in three disciplines: mass communication, world languages & cultures and liberal studies. In May 2025, he plans to receive his Master of Arts (M.A.) in mass communication with a concentration in global strategic communication from the University of Florida.

Jackson began his work in marketing communication for Georgia College's School of Continuing and Professional Studies, working in video production and editing. Before landing his role at Tri-CoGo, he also worked in the faith-based media sector, serving as the media and communications coordinator of Gray Community Church. Jackson serves as the marketing coordinator of Tri-CoGo, the fiber internet affiliate of Tri-County Electric Membership Cooperative.

To register for the Lifelong Learning Series, please click [here](#).

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The graphic is a promotional poster for a live webinar. At the top right, it says "Live Webinar". The main title is "GCSU ALUMNI Lifelong Learning Series". Below that, the topic is "Balancing Act: Thriving as a Young Professional and Grad Student". The speaker is identified as Christopher Jackson, Marketing Coordinator at Tri-CoGo and a Graduate Student at UF. The date and time are "September 12, 2024, 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.". It also mentions "Class of '23" and lists his disciplines: "B.A., Liberal Studies, Mass Communication, World Languages and Cultures". At the bottom, there is a "Register Now" button and the logo for the School of Continuing & Professional Studies and the Office of Alumni Relations.

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# Training Needs Assessment from the Office of Human Resources

Human Resources, Office of : Thursday September 5, 2024

As part of our ongoing efforts to improve and support the professional development of our University, the Office of Human Resources will conduct a brief training needs assessment. Your participation is invaluable in helping us identify areas where additional resources and training could be most beneficial to you and our campus as a whole.

The survey is quick and should take no more than a few minutes of your time. Your input will help shape future training initiatives and ensure we are meeting the needs of all faculty and staff.

Please complete the assessment by Sept. 30, 2024.

Please click the link below to complete the survey:

[https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_3yIfCeugSmayNCu](https://gcsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3yIfCeugSmayNCu)

Thank you for your time and your commitment to our campus.

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# PeopleSoft Online Payment Request Training

**Business & Accounting : Thursday September 5, 2024**

Accounting Services will hold a training session for the PeopleSoft Online Payment Request Center Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 2 p.m. in the Pat Peterson Museum Education Room in the Library. We welcome both new users and those needing a refresher to this training.

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# Mindful Monday for Sept. 9

Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of : Thursday September 5, 2024

This is the Mindful Monday post for Sept. 9. Mindful Monday is a Year 1 initiative of Georgia College & State University's QEP, Bobcats FIRST. Here's what you can do to be part of this initiative:



- Follow @gcsu\_bobcatsfirst on Instagram or download the attached image.
- Share the Mindful Monday post to your departmental and/or personal social media account.
- Reference the Mindful Monday in class, and ask students to reflect silently or aloud.
- Share in other creative ways to promote mindfulness, positivity and belonging.

To receive the Mindful Monday posts on Fridays directly to your e-mail, join the distribution list by clicking [here](#).

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# Announcements Posted Friday September 6, 2024

## AI: Your New BFF in the Cloud - From neural networks to Netflix, AI and cloud are running everything

Student Organizations & Clubs : Friday September 6, 2024

Why are so many schools banning AI? What will you need to know about AI when you're working in the real world? At this Science Café, you'll learn the basics of how AI works, what the cloud really is, and how these symbiotic technologies are changing life as we know it. Join author and edutainer Jill West for coffee, Copilot and conspiracy theories as we chat about how AI is used across industries, what AI life and job skills you'll need and job roles riding the AI wave. Let's get techy!



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# Flags on state buildings and grounds throughout Georgia ordered lowered to half-staff

University Communications : Friday September 6, 2024

By State of Georgia Executive Order from Gov. Brian Kemp

WHEREAS The citizens of the State of Georgia and throughout the United States are heartbroken following the senseless act of violence that took place on Wednesday, September 4, 2024, at Apalachee High School in Winder, Georgia; and



WHEREAS Two teachers and two students were killed, and others sustained serious injuries; and

WHEREAS The people of Georgia share the grief of the parents, families, and friends of those who were injured or killed, and we pray for their comfort and healing in the days to come; and

WHEREAS It is fitting and proper to recognize the injured and remember those who lost their lives-Mr. Richard Aspinwall, 39; Ms. Christina Irimie, 53; Mr. Christian Angulo, 14; and Mr. Mason Schermerhorn, 14-by lowering the flags on all State buildings and grounds throughout Georgia to half-staff.

Now, THEREFORE, AS A MARK OF RESPECT FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY THIS TERRIBLE TRAGEDY, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY That the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Georgia shall be flown at half-staff on all State buildings and grounds from this date until sunset on the date of the final victim's interment.

IT IS FURTHER

That the Office of the Governor may continue to issue guidance on the effective date of this Order as needed through communication media,

including social media, without the need for further Executive Orders.  
This 5th day of September 2024.

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### **ATTACHMENT**

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# Vote for Thunder in the PBC Mascot Challenge FINAL

University Communications : Friday September 6, 2024

Our beloved Georgia College & State University Mascot "Thunder" is in the final round of the Peach Belt Conference 2024 Mascot Challenge!



Let's make sure we #BringTheThunder against USCB's Sand Shark mascot "Finnegan." VOTE TODAY on the PCB Instagram @peachbelt or TikTok @peach.belt accounts.

Get your vote in before NOON TODAY!

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# TEDxGeorgiaCollege announces 2024 speaker lineup

**Leadership Programs : Friday September 6, 2024**

Nine distinguished speakers to take the stage at TEDxGeorgiaCollege



In partnership with TED, the Leadership Programs at Georgia College & State University are bringing TEDx to Georgia College and to Milledgeville. TEDxGeorgiaCollege will be hosted Friday, Oct. 18, in Russell Auditorium.

TEDxGeorgiaCollege will feature nine distinguished speakers and performers who will deliver talks on the latest ideas and research, all in the spirit of TED's commitment to "Ideas Worth Spreading." Each talk will be broadcast internationally and shared through TED's global network, showcasing for the international TED community the unique voices, stories and ideas that make Georgia College special.

The speaker lineup includes:

- Cynthia Alby, professor of Education, Georgia College & State University
- Isaiah Burks '21, Residence Life coordinator, Oxford College of Emory University
- Jimmy Childre Jr., president, Childre Ford, Inc.
- Libby Cole '08, owner and coach, Expand Coaching and Consulting, LLC
- Ashley Copeland '12, director of Community Engagement & Service, Georgia College & State University
- Richa Moses, Bachelor of Business Administration Candidate, Georgia College
- Samantha Paton, Bachelor of Arts candidate, Georgia College & State University
- Rob Sumowski, '93, '99, associate professor of Special Education, Georgia College & State University
- Kristine White, associate professor of Biology, Georgia College & State University

TEDxGeorgiaCollege will explore the theme of “Evidence of Things Unseen.”

“Our wonderful speakers—students, faculty, alumni and friends—will showcase the best of Georgia College to the international TED community,” says Harold Mock, director of leadership programs, who chairs the TEDxGeorgiaCollege Board of Curators. “TEDxGeorgiaCollege offers an opportunity to share the ideas born and nourished at our university to an audience of more than 37 million around the world.”

Ticket sales for TEDxGeorgiaCollege open today and are available online at [tedxgeorgiacollege.com](http://tedxgeorgiacollege.com). General admission tickets are available for \$55, and student tickets are available for \$21. GC Journeys is the Official Student Partner for TEDxGeorgiaCollege.

For more information about TEDxGeorgiaCollege and to purchase tickets, please visit [tedxgeorgiacollege.com](http://tedxgeorgiacollege.com).

About TEDx, x = independently organized event

In the spirit of ideas worth spreading, TEDx is a program of local, self-organized events that bring people together to share a TED-like experience. At a TEDx event, TED Talks video and live speakers combine to spark deep discussion and connection. These local, self-organized events are branded TEDx, where x = independently organized TED event.

About TED

TED is a nonprofit organization devoted to Ideas Worth Spreading, often in the form of short talks delivered by leading thinkers and doers. Many of these talks are given at TED conferences, intimate TED Salons and thousands of independently organized TEDx events around the world. Videos of these talks are made available, free, on [TED.com](http://TED.com) and other platforms. Audio versions of TED Talks are published to [TED Talks Daily](http://TED Talks Daily), available on all podcast platforms.

GCSU Leadership Programs

Georgia College’s Office of Leadership Programs provides teaching, research, and public service related to leadership, citizenship, democracy, and public

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[Leadership Programs](https://gcsu.edu/leadership)

# Announcements Posted Monday September 9, 2024

## Fall 2024 Duolingo Challenge with the Language Resource Center

World Languages & Cultures, Department of : Monday September 9, 2024

The Language Resource Center is excited to announce that the Fall 2024 Duolingo Challenge is here! We had great response from the campus community during the spring 2024 semester, so once again, we will offer two challenge groups: one for students and one for faculty and staff. Spots in each challenge are limited, so sign up today using the steps in the graphic. Enter the code for the appropriate challenge and start earning XP learning whatever language(s) you desire. XP will be tallied for the duration of the challenge, Sept. 9 - Dec. 6. The person with the most XP in each challenge will win prizes along with Georgia College & State University fame and glory. If you have any questions, please contact Gina Towner, language resource coordinator, at [lrc@gcsu.edu](mailto:lrc@gcsu.edu). Good luck and happy language learning Bobcats!



**THE FALL 2024 DUOLINGO CHALLENGE IS HERE!**

- CREATE A FREE DUOLINGO ACCOUNT OR USE YOUR EXISTING DUOLINGO ACCOUNT ON YOUR WEB BROWSER, SMARTPHONE OR TABLET
- IN YOUR PROFILE SETTINGS, JOIN THE CHALLENGE BY USING THE APPROPRIATE DUOLINGO FOR SCHOOLS COURSE CODE FOUND BELOW
- START GAINING XP BY DOING LESSONS IN THE LANGUAGE(S) OF YOUR CHOICE

Spots are limited!

**COURSE CODES:**  
STUDENTS: **BOYKYF**  
Fall 2024 Student Duolingo Challenge  
FACULTY & STAFF: **RAE2BH**  
Fall 2024 Faculty & Staff Duolingo Challenge

**PRIZES AWARDED AT THE END OF THE SEMESTER TO THE PERSON WITH THE MOST XP IN EACH CHALLENGE!!**

Challenge runs September 9 - December 6 2024

**THE LANGUAGE RESOURCE CENTER**  
GEORGIA COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

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# GCSU CARE Team

**Student Care and Outreach : Monday September 9, 2024**

The Georgia College & State University CARE Team is a collaborative group of professionals from across campus, responsible for identifying, assessing and responding to concerns and disruptive behaviors. We are committed to promoting the safety, success and well-being of the GCSU community by providing comprehensive support and intervention services. Whether a student is experiencing academic challenges, personal struggles or other difficulties, the CARE Team is here to provide coordinated care and support.

How Can You Engage with the CARE Team?

1. Refer students: If you encounter a student who may be struggling with personal, emotional or academic issues, please consider referring them to the CARE Team. Referrals can be made through our confidential online form, <https://care.gcsu.edu>. Your observations and concerns are vital in helping us provide timely support to students in need. Please note, we often send communications from our electronic recordkeeping system, Maxient. You may find it helpful to add [notifications@maxient.com](mailto:notifications@maxient.com) to your saved contacts.
2. Consult with us: If you are unsure about a situation involving a student, the CARE Team is available for consultations. We are here to assist you in determining the best course of action for the well-being of the student. You may email [care@gcsu.edu](mailto:care@gcsu.edu) or contact either CARE Team Co-chair, Amy Whatley at (478) 445-7535 and/or Desaree Murden at (478) 445-2561.
3. Stay informed: We will host informational sessions to further introduce the CARE Team and our processes. These sessions will provide an opportunity to learn more about how we can work together to support our students. Stay tuned for upcoming dates and times. Or contact us directly if you would like us to speak at your department/staff meetings.

Why this matters:

The well-being of our students is a shared responsibility. By working together, we can create a supportive and nurturing environment that fosters student success. The CARE Team is here to assist you in this important work, and we value your partnership.

Faculty and staff well-being is equally important. Members of the campus community can submit a CARE referral for a colleague at any time using the same online form, <https://care.gcsu.edu>. These will be directed to Human Resources.

Thank you for your commitment to our students' health, safety and success and for your continued support of this important initiative. If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to reach out to us at [care@gcsu.edu](mailto:care@gcsu.edu).

Warm regards.

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[Student Care and Outreach](#)

# Jazz at the Magnolia (ticketed event)

Music, Department of : Monday September 9, 2024

The 6th annual Jazz at the Magnolia event featuring trombonist [Bill Gibson](#) will take place on Saturday September 14, 2024, 7:30 p.m. at the Magnolia Ballroom in downtown Milledgeville on the Georgia College Campus. Tickets are \$20 each and include refreshments; tickets can be purchased

at <https://www.milledgevillealliedarts.com/event-details/jazz-at-the-magnolia-2>

([milledgevillealliedarts.com](https://www.milledgevillealliedarts.com)) or by visiting the Marlor House at 201 N Wayne St, Milledgeville. This event supports Allied Arts and Georgia College and State University programming and scholarships.



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[Music, Department of](#)

# Study Abroad: May 11 - June 1, 2025 - Ireland, England and France

Information Systems & Computer Science, Department of : Monday  
September 9, 2024

International Leadership in AI, three weeks living and working in Europe, Advanced AI interaction, Get Certified in AI Prompt Engineering and Fine Tuning, All Majors welcomed.

Updated: 2024-09-09

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## ATTACHMENT

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[2025 Ireland, England, France for FrontPage.pdf](#)

# Winshape Camps tabling Sept. 9 and 10

**Career Center : Monday September 9, 2024**

WinShape Camps will table at the A&S Fountain on Sept. 9 and 10 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. to share information about available summer employment opportunities.

Located across North Georgia, the awe-inspiring outdoors and WinShape's next-level programming create space for campers who have completed grades 1-12 to shine. They have positions available for their day camps, overnight camps and even international camps. Stop by their table to learn more.

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[Career Center](#)

# Office of Inclusion & Belonging hosts 4th Annual Dinner with 12 Strangers

: Monday September 9, 2024

The Office of Inclusion & Belonging (OIB) cordially invites you to participate in our fourth annual Fall Dinner with 12 Strangers series. This unique event, designed to foster connection and community, promises an evening of shared stories, delightful conversations and a sense of belonging.

Event Details:

Dates: Sept. 26 and Nov. 7

Time: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Location: Blackbridge Hall

By partaking in this series, you contribute to the development of a vibrant and inclusive community. Through a shared meal and engaging discussions about inclusion at GCSU, we aim to build meaningful relationships that embody our commitment to creating a welcoming and belonging environment.

If you are intrigued by the prospect of joining us as a dinner guest this semester, we encourage you to express your interest by completing the following form:

[Dinner with 12 Strangers-Fall 2024](#)

Please note that the Office of Inclusion & Belonging will meticulously curate a group of 12 dinner guests for each scheduled date. Selected participants will receive notifications regarding their inclusion one to two weeks before the respective dinner date.

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# Free tutoring in World Languages with the Language Resource Center

World Languages & Cultures, Department of : Monday September 9, 2024

Did you know that the Language Resource Center offers free tutoring to all Georgia College & State University students studying French, German, Italian and Spanish? Peer tutors are available to provide support through tutoring, conversation practice and language study skills consultation. Appointments can be booked (at least 24 hours in advance by visiting

<https://outlook.office365.com/book/LanguageResourceCenter1@gcsu.edu/> or by scanning the QR code in our graphic. Tutoring sessions take place in the Language Resource Center (A&S 273). Our tutors are upper level world language students and/or heritage speakers of their language and are ready to break down the nuts and bolts of the language to make it more accessible to you. Book your appointment now to stay on course for a successful semester of language learning.



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# Certified Scrum Master (CSM): Nov. 2-3, 2024

Information Systems & Computer Science, Department of : Monday  
September 9, 2024

Considered the gold standard of certification. Interactive and engaging learning experience gives you hands-on skills that you can immediately apply in the real world and expand your career opportunities.

Benefits include: Two-year membership to Scrum Alliance, you're more employable, industry recognized certifications. You will have fun while learning. The cost is \$650.00. Register at: <https://gcsu-csm.eventbrite.com>.

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## ATTACHMENT

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[GCSU Scrum Training Flyer.pdf](#)

# GCSU PRSSA to host the first meeting of the semester, Sept. 11 at 5 p.m. in Terrell, room 310

Communication, Department of : Monday September 9, 2024

PRSSA is an organization for students who are interested in public relations and communications. We will have information about upcoming events, meetings and summer intern testimonials.



Updated: 2024-09-06

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## DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

[Communication, Department of](#)

# Study Abroad: Germany, Ireland, France: May 11 - June 1, 2025

Information Systems & Computer Science, Department of : Monday  
September 9, 2024

International Design Thinking Work Practicum, three weeks living and working in Europe, International Leadership in AI, AI Prompting Engineering Certified. Gain international teamwork and industry experience.

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# Announcements Posted Tuesday September 10, 2024

## Sept. 18 - Schedule an in-person financial consultation with Corebridge Financial's (formerly AIG/Valic) Tom Smith

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday September 10, 2024

Tom Smith, financial advisor for Corebridge Financial (formerly AIG/Valic) will be on campus and available for one-on-one consultations Wednesday, Sept. 18, 2024.

These consultations will take place in Kilpatrick Hall, Conference Room 221. Smith will have availability from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. in 45-minute increments, which means availability will be limited. It is advised that you reserve your time ASAP.

[Click here to schedule an appointment with Tom Smith on Sept. 18, 2024.](#)

Additional on-campus opportunities to meet with Smith have been scheduled for the same location the following dates:

- Wednesday, Oct. 16, 2024
- Wednesday, Nov. 13, 2024
- Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2024

Should the upcoming on-campus availability not work with your personal schedule on any of these dates, you may contact Smith directly to explore other options for meeting:

Tom Smith

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[Human Resources, Office of](#)

# The Office of Human Resources is offering a new training opportunity - Effective Communication

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday September 10, 2024

The Office of Human Resources is excited to announce a new virtual training opportunity for all employees on Monday, Sept. 23, from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. See the link below to register and a description of the training. We hope you will be able to join us.

Training topic: Effective Communication

When: Monday, Sept. 23

Time: 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Registration link:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3453875427307286873>

Description of the training:

Communication is one of the most powerful tools for personal and professional success, and it involves the ability to convey information effectively and efficiently.

Good verbal, non-verbal and written communication skills are crucial for fulfilling relationships. It is also important that people exercise active listening skills. This session will help develop important communication skills both verbally and non-verbally to create a more cohesive, collaborative and successful working environment.

How participants will benefit In this session, participants will:

- Learn how to effectively listen in order to be better communicators.
- Develop an awareness of personality and communication tendencies.
- Discuss ways to overcome barriers to effective communication.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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[Human Resources, Office of](#)

# American Red Cross Blood Drive Sept. 10 and 11: Donors and volunteers needed

Community Engagement and Belonging, Office of : Tuesday September 10, 2024

The American Red Cross is seeking donors and volunteers for the blood drive Sept. 10 and 11. The blood drive will be held in the Maxwell Student Union in Donahoo Lounge on first floor.

Presenting donors will receive a \$20 gift card, valid email address required.

- To schedule your appointment: [Click here to schedule your visit.](#)
- To volunteer to assist with the blood drive: Visit the GCSU GivePulse website to sign up to help with tabling, canteen or check-in. [Click to register for a shift.](#)

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# Constitution Day Welcome and Debate

Center for Teaching & Learning : Tuesday September 10, 2024

Georgia College & State University President Cathy Cox kicks off Constitution Week at noon followed by a public forum debate, moderated by Associate Professor Jehan El-Jourbagy. Celebrate the nation's founding document with boxed lunches and a respectful discussion of current events.



**CONSTITUTION WEEK 2024**  
September 17-19

**WEEK EVENTS**

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 17**  
**Constitution Day Welcome and Debate**  
Noon - 1 p.m. - Pat Peterson Room  
Welcome by President Cathy Cox  
Constitution Day Public Forum Debate  
**Constitution Day Lecture and Trax on the Trail Concert**  
6 p.m. - Georgia's Old Governor's Mansion  
Lecture by Dr. Billy Coleman, Wesley Institute on Constitutional Democracy

**WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18**  
**Georgia Court of Appeals Oral Arguments**  
10:30 a.m. - Noon - Magnolia Ballroom  
**Lunch Times Talk: Gender and the 2024 Election**  
Noon - 1 p.m. - Ina Dillard Russell Library  
**Panel Discussion on Checks and Balances**  
6 - 7:15 p.m. - Peabody Auditorium

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 19**  
**Lunch Discussion on Separation of Church and State**  
Noon - 1 p.m. - Alkinson Room 202  
**Supreme Court Review panel**  
6 - 7:15 p.m. - A&S Auditorium

**GEORGIA COLLEGE @ STATE UNIVERSITY**

**DEBATE • LISTEN • LEARN • SHARE**  
More information available at <https://tlguides.gcsu.edu/constitutionweek>  
The events presented through the week of Constitution Week are presented in partnership with the Center for Teaching & Learning, the Center for the Study of the American South, the Center for the Study of the American West, the Center for the Study of the American Midwest, the Center for the Study of the American Northeast, the Center for the Study of the American South, the Center for the Study of the American West, the Center for the Study of the American Midwest, the Center for the Study of the American Northeast.



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[Center for Teaching & Learning](https://www.gcsu.edu/center-for-teaching-and-learning)

# Staff Council Monthly Meeting: Sept. 17, 2024

**Staff Council : Tuesday September 10, 2024**

Staff Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 17, 2024, at 3 p.m. at Ina Dillard Russell Library, room 302. Meetings are open to any staff member who would like to attend.

We hope to see you there.

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[Staff Council](#)

# **American Red Cross Safety Certification (CPR) classes for employees has returned for Fall 2024 - Empowering**

**Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday September 10, 2024**

If you have ever been curious about becoming CPR certified, Georgia College & State University Well-being is excited to partner with the American Red Cross and our very own Marie Puckett on making this a reality! The one-hour, in-person skills session will take place on Thurs., Oct. 10 and Thurs., Nov. 7 from 10 until 11 a.m. in the Pat Peterson Museum Education Room in Russell Library.

IMAGINE 2030: Empower - GCSU Well-being strives to serve as a cornerstone for our employees as we promote events like these to foster an environment that encourages and supports holistic wellness, nurturing connectedness, resilience, well-being and the desire to lead and thrive.

This is a two-part certification training.

After signing up by selecting a date that works for you (Oct. 10 or Nov. 7) for the one-hour, in-person portion of this training, you'll receive additional details regarding the requirements for obtaining this two-year Red Cross Certification.

Registration is capped at 12 participants per in-person session. Since spaces are limited - Please only register if you are committed to completing both steps.

Step #1: Marie Puckett will email you instructions and a link to access an American Red Cross online course. This course takes only a few hours to complete and should be done at your own pace prior to the in-person skills session Oct. 10 or Nov. 7.

A course completion certificate is required for participation in the in-person session. After you successfully complete the online course, Marie Puckett will receive a notification via the American Red Cross.

**Step #2:** Attend your selected in-person skills session, a one-hour commitment, for the final portion of obtaining your CPR certification course. The skills session demonstrates hands-on competence of several skills you learned in the online course. There will be a quick lesson review followed by practice.

Hands-on skills covered in the session include:

- Choking
- CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation)
- Use of an AED
- Administering Naloxone
- Safe removal of gloves

If you register for an in-person session on Oct. 10 or Nov. 7 but do not successfully complete the online training portion and obtain a course completion certification, you will not be able to attend and obtain the certification offered. We're announcing this one month-plus in advance to give you plenty of time to complete the online portion of the course on your own time and at your own pace.

We look forward to you joining us on Oct. 10 or Nov. 7 after you have completed the online training required to obtain this safety certification from the American Red Cross. We hope that after only a couple of hours of your time, you feel equipped with knowledge that could help save someone's life--now that's empowering!

If you have any questions, please feel free to email [wellbeing@gcsu.edu](mailto:wellbeing@gcsu.edu).

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[Human Resources, Office of](#)

## **ATTACHMENT**

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GCSU Well-being\_American Red Cross\_CPR Training Oct 10 and Nov 7  
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# Times Talk this Wednesday Sep. 11th from noon-12:50 pm in room 241 Russell Library with GCSU President Cathy Cox and Political Science Senior Lecturer Claire Sanders on "Voter Confidence in Georgia Elections."

American Democracy Project : Tuesday September 10, 2024

Please join us this Wednesday Sept. 11 in Russell Library room 241 from 12:00-12:50 pm for this week's Times Talk facilitated by Georgia College & State University President Cathy Cox and Political Science Senior Lecturer Claire Sanders on "Voter Confidence in Georgia Elections."



The following articles may be referenced during the discussion:

"Georgia Board Grants Local Officials new Power Over Certifying Elections"

<https://www.nytimes.com/2024/08/06/us/politics/georgia-elections-certification.html>

"In Georgia, Local Officials Express Frustration Over New Election Rules"

<https://www.nytimes.com/2024/08/29/us/elections/georgia-state-board-of-elections.html?searchResultPosition=1>

"Fox Will Pay \$787.5 Million to Settle Defamation Suit"

<https://www.nytimes.com/2023/04/18/business/media/fox-dominion-defamation-settle.html?searchResultPosition=20>

"A 787.5 Million Settlement and Embarrassing Disclosures: The Costs of Airing a Lie"

<https://www.nytimes.com/2023/04/18/technology/fox-news-dominion-settlement.html?searchResultPosition=26>

Next week's Times Talk; Wednesday, Sept. 18, with Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, Jennifer Graham, Kerry Neville and Joanna Schwartz on "Gender and the 2024 U.S. Presidential election: Interdisciplinary perspectives."

Times Talk at Georgia College is celebrating 19 continuous years as the first in the nation college weekly discussion series on current and significant public events and issues as reported by the New York Times and other reputable news sources. The topics change weekly and are chosen and facilitated by

volunteer faculty, staff, students and community members. Times Talks are open to all campus and local community members. Just bring your brain. There's free pizza while it lasts!

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# QPR Suicide Prevention Training for all staff and faculty

Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of : Tuesday September 10, 2024

Question, persuade, refer is an evidence-based training program that teaches techniques for intervening with a person of concern to prevent self-harm and encourage that person to seek help effectively. This training empowers all people to help a friend, student or stranger, strengthening our community's safety net to potentially save a life. No prior training or knowledge are required. This training is appropriate for everyone.



Ask A Question,  
Save A Life.  
QUESTION. PERSUADE. REFER.

If you are interested in participating in a training session, please sign up using this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/hgZbcncN8u>. Fall training dates are:

Wednesday, Sept. 25 from 3 until 5 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 15 from 2 until 4 p.m.

If you would like to schedule a 90-minute training for your department or committee, please e-mail [QPR@gcsu.edu](mailto:QPR@gcsu.edu). This is a Year 1 initiative of the QEP, Bobcats FIRST.

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[Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of](#)

# Web Communications has a job opening for a Web Content Student Assistant

University Communications : Tuesday September 10, 2024

Web Communications has a new job opening for a Web Content Student Assistant. The position will assist the unit with the daily maintenance of GCSU's websites including gcsu.edu, My GCSU and Front Page by helping users troubleshoot issues, providing content guidance, and helping content managers who are looking to overhaul their web presence. Additionally, the Web Content Student Assistant will be responsible for updating locations and descriptions for the [online campus map](#).

Applicants can now [apply through October 9, 2024 by visiting the job opening on Careers](#). For help creating an account and applying, please [visit the Careers Tutorial](#).

If you have any questions, please email [webcomms@gcsu.edu](mailto:webcomms@gcsu.edu).

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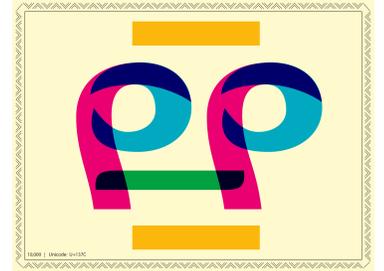
[University Communications](#)

# Announcements Posted Wednesday September 11, 2024

## Ethiopic: Writing system of Africa

Art, Department of : Wednesday September 11, 2024

Georgia College & State University Professor of Graphic Design presents his year long project work in Leland Gallery.



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Ethiopic: Writing System of Africa

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Dorothy Leland Gallery

Georgia College Department of Art

Dorothy Leland Gallery, Ennis Hall

320 W. Hancock St. Milledgeville, GA.

Sept. 18 – Oct. 16, 2024

Reception on Wednesday, Sept. 25 2024, from 5-7 p.m. with an artist talk at 5:30 p.m. in Leland Gallery

Gallery Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday, 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.

[www.gcsu.edu/art](http://www.gcsu.edu/art)

For more information call (478) 445-4572.

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### **ATTACHMENT**

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# Graduating Seniors: Fall 2024 Senior Exit Exam registration

**Center for Testing : Wednesday September 11, 2024**

Registration is open for the fall 2024 senior exit exams. The registration deadline is Sept. 20, 2024.

To view the testing dates specific to your major and to secure your spot, please visit: <https://www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter>.

For any inquiries or assistance, feel free to reach out to us at (478) 445-5016 or via email at [gctesting@gcsu.edu](mailto:gctesting@gcsu.edu).

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[Center for Testing](#)



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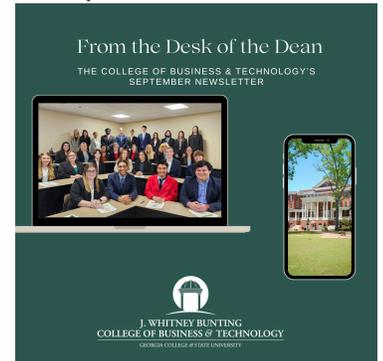
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# From the Desk of the Dean: September 2024

College of Business & Technology : Wednesday September 11, 2024

We invite our colleagues, students and friends to read our monthly newsletter, [From the Desk of the Dean](#). Our September edition highlights the Department of Accounting & Business Law, the elevator pitch, a new Double Bobcats degree program in logistics and supply chain management and exciting updates from our faculty.



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# September 11 Executive Order from the Office of Governor Kemp

University Communications : Wednesday September 11, 2024

Georgia Governor Brian Kemp issued an Executive Order calling for flags to fly at half-staff on Wednesday, September 11, in observance of Patriot Day.



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## ATTACHMENT

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# Fall 2024 International Coffee Hours

World Languages & Cultures, Department of : Wednesday September 11, 2024

The Department of World Languages & Cultures invites you to save the following dates for our fall 2024 International Coffee Hours:



- Wednesday, Sept. 18
- Wednesday, Oct. 23
- Thursday, Nov. 21

International Coffee Hour takes place 12-2 p.m. on the third floor of Beeson Hall. Light refreshments are provided along with themed activities relating to world languages & cultures. You can drop in or stay the whole time to enjoy conversation with faculty and other language students. Specific themes will be announced closer to each coffee hour date. Stay tuned to @gcsuwlc on Instagram for the details. See you soon!

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# Graduating seniors: Legislative Exams

**Center for Testing : Wednesday September 11, 2024**

Registration is open for the Fall 2024 Legislative Exams. The last testing date for any legislative exams will be Dec. 3, 2024.

Slots are filling up fast. Please register by visiting our website:  
[www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter](http://www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter).

If you have questions, please contact the Testing Center at (478) 445-5016.

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[Center for Testing](http://www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter)

# Announcements Posted Thursday September 12, 2024

## Savannah Alumni Social

Alumni : Thursday September 12, 2024

Please join us for a Georgia College & State University Alumni Social Thursday, Sept. 19, at Service Brewing Company from 5 until 7 p.m.



Join fellow Bobcats for an alumni social in Savannah at Service Brewing! Hosted by the GCSU Alumni Engagement team and President Cathy Cox, this is the perfect opportunity to connect with other Georgia College alumni in the area, network and hear about all the exciting developments happening in Milledgeville. Don't miss out on an evening of great company and Bobcat spirit!

To register as an alum, please click [here](#).

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[Alumni](#)

# GCSU kicks off celebrations ahead of Flannery O'Connor's centennial year

O'Connor Institute : Thursday September 12, 2024

Ninety scholars and up to 200 enthusiasts nationwide are about to descend upon Georgia College & State University's campus and [Andalusia](#) in Milledgeville, where [Flannery O'Connor](#) spent her later years.

They come for a free, four-day conference Thursday through Sunday, Sept. 12-15, hosted by the university's [Flannery O'Connor Institute for the Humanities](#). The gathering begins a countdown to the popular Southern writer's 100th birthday in March 2025 and months of special activities.



"We're thrilled to welcome conference attendees from all over the country to see how [Georgia College & State University's](#) liberal arts mission cultivates collaborative opportunities among disciplines on campus and across the community," said Dr. Holley Roberts, interim provost and vice president for Academic Affairs.

"Through the lens of studying Flannery O'Connor's work," she said, "we open doors to many interdisciplinary fields for students to explore—from grant writing to oral history to graphic design. By stewarding the historic home of Flannery O'Connor, Andalusia, our archival holdings of O'Connor's work and our public liberal arts mission, we see the humanities thrive."

The conference, "Flannery O'Connor's Second Century: Looking Forward, Looking Back," is filled with talks by expert scholars and nightly keynote addresses.

Keynotes feature historic preservation architect [Karen M. Gravel](#) of Atlanta; Southern studies author [Dr. Lisa Hinrichsen](#) from the University of Arkansas; author and activist [Dr. Mab Segrest](#) from Connecticut College; and poet [Mark Jarman](#) from Vanderbilt University.

An opening reception will be 6 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 12, in the Andalusia Interpretive Center, following Gavel's presentation.

"We're very excited to bring over 90 scholars to Milledgeville from around the country," said Dr. Katie Simon, interim executive director of the O'Connor Institute at Georgia College.

"As we near her 100th birthday," Simon said, "we're amazed at how much Flannery O'Connor's work speaks to our present time. We also find—as do Ethan and Maya Hawke in their new film 'Wildcat'—much that is entertaining and brilliant in her work."

Other speakers include writers and professors from Georgia College's Creative Writing program.

There will be readings, [presentations](#) and [resources](#) for those interested in studying more about O'Connor and her work. Sessions by K-12 English teachers, creative writers, Georgia College students, oral historians, local history enthusiasts and naturalists can be found on the attached schedule.

Two book releases will be celebrated during the conference, as well, and there will be a self-guided walking tour at Andalusia Farm with a focus on native plants.

"Georgia College has a unique responsibility to support those doing serious work on our most famous graduate," said Dr. Bruce Gentry, conference organizer and O'Connor Institute fellow at Georgia College.

"I'm proud to have this conference supporting serious scholarship," he said. "I hope it sparks increased interest in and study of O'Connor on campus."

This conference is open to the public and free with a grant from the [National Endowment for the Humanities](#). To register for the conference registration, please visit this [webpage](#). For more information, see the this [page](#).

The accompanying image was provided to GCSU by O'Connor's cousin, the late Louise Flourencourt.

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# Call for spring '25 Supplemental Instruction support

**The Learning Center : Thursday September 12, 2024**

The Learning Center is now accepting requests for Supplemental Instruction support for spring semester 2025. 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 spring semester using the peer-led Supplemental Instruction model:

Supplemental Instruction Leaders (SILs) are undergraduate students assigned to a section(s) of a particular, often introductory, course. A primary goal of the SI program is to increase enrolled students' successful completion of historically difficult classes. SILs attend all class meetings, take notes, coordinate with faculty as needed and serve as models to those students currently enrolled in the section. SILs 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. SILs 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.

It's time now to plan for SIs for the spring 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 below MS Form by COB, Tuesday, Sept. 17.

[Spring '25 SI Requests](#)

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 Sept. 20, 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 into October; students selected as SI Leaders can utilize priority registration to ensure their availability to audit your course section. So, the sooner we work on this, the better.

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### **ATTACHMENTS**

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

What Is Supplemental Instruction.pdf

Criteria for SI Partner Courses.pdf

# Disney College Program Info Session

Career Center : Thursday September 12, 2024

Applications for the Disney College Program for Spring 2025 are now open.

Want to know more about the Disney College Program? Are you interested in applying? Come join us for Disney trivia (with prizes) and an information session about the Disney College Program Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 10 a.m. in Lanier Hall 140.



Want to know more before you stop by?

- Click [here](#) for more information about the Disney College Program.
- Click [here](#) for more information about Disney College Program roles.

If you have any questions, please email our DCP Coordinator at [daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu](mailto:daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu).

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[Career Center](#)

# Opioid Use Disorder with Narcan training and Stop the Bleed training

**Nursing, School of : Thursday September 12, 2024**

Dr. Catherine Fowler has arranged for students to receive both Narcan and Stop the Bleed training. Narcan use training will be conducted for 90 second semester undergraduate nursing students by Marie Puckett, administrative manager for Wellness and Recreation. Stop the Bleed training for the nursing cohort will be conducted by Sgt. Paul Bernichon, Georgia College & State University Public Safety and Kristal Smith, Region 5 coordinator.

Puckett is assisting and helped secure the needed Stop the Bleed kits. Students and faculty have the opportunity to become Stop the Bleed instructors, as well. Dr. Joyce Norris Taylor's community students will participate, in addition to Fowler's students. Dr. Amelia Malcom, nursing, is the Stop the Bleed liaison for the nursing program.

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[Nursing, School of](#)

# Fall 2024 Graduate Research Travel Grants

The Graduate School : Thursday September 12, 2024

The Graduate School is now accepting applications for the fall 2024 cycle of the Graduate Research Travel Grants program. Georgia College & State University graduate students are encouraged to apply for the funding to support registration costs and travel expenses associated with the presentation of their own original scholarship at professional conferences. For more information and the application, please visit the [Graduate Opportunities](#) web page. The application deadline is Oct. 15.

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[The Graduate School](#)

# McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks & Co. tabling Sept. 17

**Career Center : Thursday September 12, 2024**

McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks & Co. will table Tuesday, Sept. 17, from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the Atkinson Lounge to advertise their available accounting job and internship opportunities.

Through 80 years of practice, McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks & Co., LLC has built a reputation of excellence in the Southeast. They offer personalized accounting, tax and strategic advice to organizational and individual clients to help them reach their goals. Through a collaborative approach, their specialized and professional team members strive to assist in all aspects from compliance and planning to competitive advantage. Stop by their table to learn more!

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## **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

[Career Center](#)

# Production filming in Milledgeville is seeking on-camera extras

University Communications : Thursday September 12, 2024

Dear Students,

A production that is filming in Milledgeville Thursday and Sunday is looking for set extras. This production is NOT affiliated with Georgia College & State University; however, our friends at Visit Milledgeville are assisting the production company with recruiting extras from our community.

Please note that participation in the production is not an excuse to miss classes or other campus obligations! Students should only pursue this opportunity if they have the free time available to do so.

Please find the call for extras below. If you have questions, contact CAB Castings or Ms. Christina Tillman at Visit Milledgeville:

Christina Tillman, Sales Manager

478-452-4687 or [christina@visitmilledgeville.com](mailto:christina@visitmilledgeville.com)

**\*\*\*NEW FACES NEEDED\*\*\***

CAB Castings, LLC is looking for PAID ENTHUSIASTIC VIBRANT AUDIENCE MEMBERS of ALL RACES (Ages 18+) to portray Town Hall (audience) members who live in different areas of Georgia and love FAMILY SHOWS!

**\*\*\*New Series for MAJOR STREAMING PLATFORM!!!!**

Think THE BACHELOR meets LOVE ISLAND.

Filming THIS THURSDAY 9/12 and SUNDAY 9/15

(\$50 ON SIGHT VISA STIPEND each taping for at the most a 4 HOUR FILMING)

THIS IS FOR ALL OF OUR FRIENDS WHO ARE JUST LOOKING FOR SOME FUN,  
FRIENDLY CAMERA TIME ON A MAJOR NETWORK REALITY SHOW!

.... AND GETTING PAID ON THE SPOT TO DO IT!

Show taping dates are currently scheduled as follows:

TOWN HALL CITY #4: (2 DAY BOOKING)

Filming Location: MILLEDGEVILLE, GA

(Exact address given upon booking)

-THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 12, 2024

Prelim Call Time: 3:30 p.m.

AND

-SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

Prelim Call Time: 3:30pm

Each day of tapings listed are expected to last up to 4 hours (Consists of paperwork, Prep/Seating, and Filming) so please plan for that amount of time!

Before confirming any filming please double check your calendar and confirm you are fully available for BOTH FILMING DAYS.

The rate for Town Hall Audience Members on this production is a \$50 VISA STIPEND for 4 of work which you will receive at the END OF FILMING.

You must complete the entire filming to receive the payment.

We will provide you with FOOD and DRINKS upon arrival. This is included in your time as well.

If interested and available, please send us an email to

[REALITYBG@cabcastings.com](mailto:REALITYBG@cabcastings.com)

w/ Subject Line: T.H. MEMBER CITY 5 (BOTH DAYS)

that includes information below:

- Name
- Phone Number
- Email
- Age/D.O.B.
- Height
- Do you have visible tattoos? If so, where?
- Are you available to film in MILLEDGEVILLE, GA?
- Are you available to film both days"? If NOT please wait for another townhall when you are
- 2 RECENT PICTURES (Headshot/ Full body shot)

\*\*\*\*\*PLEASE INCLUDE ALL INFORMATION ABOVE IN YOUR EMAIL FOR PROPER BOOKING!!!

A member from the CAB CASTINGS will call you to book your attendance and confirm if interested.

FYI: These posts will come weekly between now until the end of the month. With that being said, Producers are looking for to complete the different Townhall Community/Audience numbers.

\*\*\*SERIOUS INQUIRIES ONLY.

Thanks so much and we look forward to seeing you all on set!

- CAB Castings, LLC.

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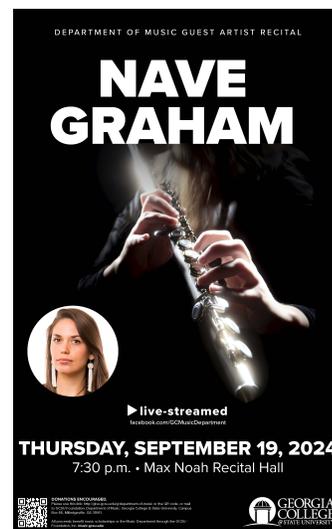
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# Announcements Posted Friday September 13, 2024

## Guest Artist Recital: Nave Graham, flute

Music, Department of : Friday September 13, 2024

Thursday, Sept. 19 Award-winning guest artist and flutist Nave Graham will perform at 7:30 p.m. in Max Noah Recital Hall at [Georgia College & State University](https://www.gcsu.edu). Graham is an assistant professor of flute at the University of Central Arkansas and also serves as faculty for the Interlochen Center for the Arts' summer art camp in Michigan. She is a founding member of the contemporary chamber music sextet, "All of the Above," and certified in mindfulness. She likes to integrate meditation, acceptance and self-compassion in music curriculum. Graham is also co-author of the repertory database, "Flue Music by Black Composers." The concert will feature a variety of solo compositions for flute from the 20th- and 21st-centuries—showcasing the flute's seemingly infinite sound range: deep, resonant, echoing, booming, resounding. A \$5 donation is encouraged. All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](https://www.gcsu.edu) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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[Music, Department of](https://www.gcsu.edu/music)

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# Mindful Monday for Sept. 16

Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of : Friday September 13, 2024

This is the Mindful Monday post for Sept. 16. Mindful Monday is a Year 1 initiative of Georgia College & State University's QEP, Bobcats FIRST. Here's what you can do to be part of this initiative:



- Follow @gcsu\_bobcatsfirst on Instagram or download the attached image.
- Share the Mindful Monday post to your departmental and/or personal social media account.
- Reference the Mindful Monday in class, and ask students to reflect silently or aloud.
- Share in other creative ways to promote mindfulness, positivity and belonging.

To receive the Mindful Monday posts on Fridays directly to your e-mail, join the distribution list by clicking [here](#).

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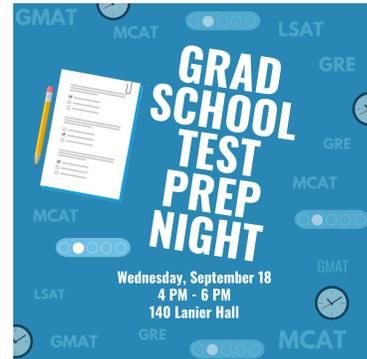
[Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of](#)

# Grad School Test Prep Night: Sept. 18

Career Center : Friday September 13, 2024

Are you getting ready for your graduate school entrance exams? Discover our exceptional resources tailored to boost your success on the tests.

Join us on Wednesday, Sept. 18, from 4 p.m. until 6 p.m. in Lanier Hall 140 for our Grad School Test Prep Night.



Feel free to drop in as you can. We'll provide access to test resources for all major entrance exams, and our career advisors will be on hand to address all your pressing questions. Don't miss out!

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# Announcements Posted Monday September 16, 2024

## Georgia Legislative Internships Info Session

Career Center : Monday September 16, 2024

Hey Bobcats! Are you looking for a unique and fulfilling internship? Attend our information session Sept. 19 from 5 until 6 p.m. to learn more about applying to the Georgia Legislative Internship Program (GLIP). You'll learn more about the program, the application process and get to hear from former GLIP participants as they talk about their experience with the program.

[Register for the info session here.](#)

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# **“In Defense of Democracy” GCSU Fall Programming 9/30/24 – 10/4/24**

**Government & Sociology, Department of : Monday September 16, 2024**

Monday, Sept. 30 – Frontline Defenders

Start time: 6 p.m.

Location: Peabody Auditorium

The perils and problems of polarized politics for those doing the work of elections in our communities; what you need to know and do; hosted by Professor Claire Sanders

Tuesday, Oct. 1 – The Threat of Disinformation

Start time: 5:00 p.m.

Location: Pat Peterson Museum Education Room

What happens when voters meet misinformation and bad actors perpetuating disinformation and how to navigate this environment. With Gabriel Sterling, chief operating officer for the Georgia Secretary of State; hosted by Dr. Jan Hoffman

Wednesday, Oct. 2 – Times Talk: Democracy on the Brink? A Global Update

Start time: 12 p.m.

Location: Library 241

The year 2024 is a big year for most of the world’s biggest democracies; Dr. Elliott-Gower will host a discussion of some of the most significant issues

Thursday, Oct. 3 – Lowndes County and the Road to Black Power  
[documentary film screening]

Start time: 6 p.m.

Location: Peabody Auditorium

In a town that was eighty percent Black but had zero Black voters, laws were just paper without power. This isn't a story of hope but of action. Through first-person accounts and searing archival footage, **LOWNDES COUNTY AND THE ROAD TO BLACK POWER** tells the story of the local movement and young Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) organizers who fought not just for voting rights, but for Black Power in Lowndes County. Hosted by Dr. Stephanie McClure and Dr. Mark Huddle

Friday, Oct. 4 – How do we respond today?

Start time: 12 p.m.

Location: Allen's Market

Final event with reflection on the week's discussions and activities with suggestions for future actions for citizens; hosted by Dr. Veronica Womack

All events sponsored by: The Center for Georgia Studies and the Rural Studies Institute, in collaboration with the Election Certificate program, the American Democracy Project, and the Department of Government & Sociology, all of Georgia College, and the American Bar Association Task Force on Democracy.

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### **ATTACHMENT**

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[Democracy Week Flyer \(1\).pdf](#)

# Faculty Are Invited to Honors Convocation

**Honors College : Monday September 16, 2024**

Honors Convocation, at which new Honors students are inducted into the Eta Sigma Alpha Honors Student Association, will be held on Sunday, Sept. 29, at 1 p.m. in the College of Arts & Sciences Auditorium. Faculty are invited to attend and to process in their regalia at the start of the ceremony and at its conclusion. [Please register by Sept. 19 via the embedded link or the QR code in the flier.](#)

Honors Convocation is positioned during Family Weekend so that parents/guardians may attend. It is a great opportunity to connect with the new Honors students and to welcome their families.

Anna Whiteside, assistant director of the Honors College and the university's National Scholarships coordinator, will deliver the keynote address, and participants will enjoy a dessert reception in the Library Atrium at the conclusion of the ceremony.

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[Honors College](#)

# Legal experts discuss recent Supreme Court cases

Provost & Academic Affairs, Office of the : Monday September 16, 2024

This year's Supreme Court Review will feature at least three major court cases from the recent term. Tackling those cases include Georgia State University's Ivy White, a business law professor, Emory University School of Law's Matt Roessing, a legal writing professor and the Honorable Wade Padgett, a Georgia Court of Appeals judge.



The event will start with an overview of the Supreme Court by Georgia College & State University's Jehan El-Jourbagy, a business law professor, and then each panelist will discuss the facts, ruling and impact of a case. Case topics include social media, the second amendment and presidential immunity. A question and answer session will then be followed by a reception with food from Chick-fil-A.

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# Georgia Adopt-a-Stream monitoring: You can make a positive impact

**Academic Outreach : Monday September 16, 2024**

Want to learn more about campus while making a positive impact? Join us Friday, Sept. 20, for chemical monitoring of several streams that run through or impact Georgia College & State University:

Chemical Testing Kit and Champion Creek

- Champion Creek at Lake Laurel (9 - 10 a.m.) at Georgia College's East Campus
- Tobler Creek at Andalusia Farm (10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.)
- Tanyard Creek by College Station (2:30 - 3:30 p.m.)

No experience necessary. Be sure to wear closed-toed shoes that can get wet. We will use Georgia Adopt-a-Stream methods to test temperature, dissolved oxygen, conductivity and pH of the streams, all while enjoying the beauty of Georgia College & State University! Can't make it this time? No worries. We monitor monthly, so check back for more opportunities.

This is a GCSU Thirst for Knowledge event.

Register today using this link: <https://givepul.se/1618ou>. Questions? Email Ruth Eilers (ruth.eilers@gcsu.edu) to learn more.

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[Academic Outreach](#)

# Legends of Honors with Dr. Sunita Manian

**Honors College : Monday September 16, 2024**

The 2024-2025 Legends of Honors Series—our Zoom-based programs for students, alumni and friends of the Honors College—kicks off with a presentation by Dr. Sunita Manian on Wed., Sept. 25, at 6 p.m. Dr. Manian has taught Honors courses for many years and has served a term on the Honors Faculty Council. The title of her presentation—“I thought I was the only boy who liked boys’: Experiences of Queer Youth in India”—relates to a comment made by a young man, Sagun, speaking about his sense of isolation as he tried to process his same-sex attraction as a young boy growing up in a small town in India. In her presentation, Dr. Manian will talk about sexual and gender diversity in Indian traditions historically and compare that to perceptions, attitudes and experiences in contemporary India. Through the voices of young people such as Sagun, she will share her research on what it means to be queer in India today.

Please register via the QR code in the flier or [this embedded link](#) and the Honors College will send you the Zoom link and a timely reminder.

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# Parking advisory – Old Courthouse September 17

**Parking & Transportation : Monday September 16, 2024**

The Old Courthouse parking lot will be closed Tuesday, September 17, for an event.

View the [interactive parking map](#) to locate alternative parking lots.



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# OIB's 4th Annual Dinner with 12 Strangers

: Monday September 16, 2024

The Office of Inclusion & Belonging cordially invites you to participate in our fourth annual Fall Dinner with 12 Strangers series. This unique event, designed to foster connection and community, promises an evening of shared stories, delightful conversations and a sense of belonging.

Event Details:

Dates: Sept. 26 and Nov. 7

Time: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Location: Blackbridge Hall

By partaking in this series, you contribute to the development of a vibrant and inclusive community. Through a shared meal and engaging discussions about inclusion at Georgia College & State University, we aim to build meaningful relationships that embody our commitment to creating a welcoming and belonging environment.

If you are intrigued by the prospect of joining us as a dinner guest this semester, we encourage you to express your interest by completing the following form:

[Dinner with 12 Strangers-Fall 2024](#)

Please note that the Office of Inclusion & Belonging will meticulously curate a group of 12 dinner guests for each scheduled date. Selected participants will receive notifications regarding their inclusion one to two weeks before the respective dinner date.

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# Career and Graduate School Fair Prep Workshop

Career Center : Monday September 16, 2024

Are you attending our Career and Graduate School Fair this semester? Not sure how to navigate the fair, what to expect or how to dress? Join the Career Center Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 4:30 p.m. for a virtual crash course on the best tips for success at your next Career Fair experience!

[Register to attend on Handshake here.](#)

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# GCSU's Holly Croft appointed to state Historical Records Advisory Council

Ina Dillard Russell Library : Monday September 16, 2024

Holly Croft, associate director of [Georgia College & State University](#)'s Special Collections, was recently appointed to a three-year term on the [Georgia Historical Records Advisory Council](#) by Gov. Brian Kemp.



By executive order, [Kemp selected Croft](#) to serve as one of the council's 12 members through June 2027. The group meets once a year but works online to review applications for funding, choose worthy preservationists for annual awards and tend to other historical state issues.

"When asked if I'd be interested, I was surprised," Croft said. "The GHRAC doesn't often have openings. Getting sworn in and being able to serve the public in this capacity is a privilege. It's rewarding to help people see the incredible history we have in the state of Georgia. By understanding the past, we can move more confidently to the future."

The council—formerly known as the Georgia Historical Records Advisory Board—was created in 1993 for the preservation of historical records throughout the state and to ensure citizens know how to access this information. To do this, members work closely with educators, local governments, historical repositories and professional organizations.

The council also offers \$2,000 to \$5,000 grants for implementing projects that identify, preserve and provide access to historical records within the state. Its yearly award program recognizes exceptional efforts by historical archivists and organizations in Georgia.

Croft earned a degree in English from the University of Georgia and a master's in library and information science at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. She's a past president of the [Society of Georgia Archivists](#) and also served as a [Georgia Heritage Responder](#), preserving historical sites during disasters.

At Georgia College since 2016, Croft first worked as the university's digital archivist in [Ina Dillard Russell Library](#) then as interim associate director for [Special Collections](#). She officially took on that role in May and also teaches library science.

In university Special Collections, Croft's in charge of safeguarding the archival repository and materials required for record keeping and documenting Central Georgia's history.

"We collect items and oral histories in order to tell as complete a story about this area as we can," she said. "To do that, we work outside the university with a variety of people, capturing website pictures and packing up collections from dirt floor basements in historic houses."

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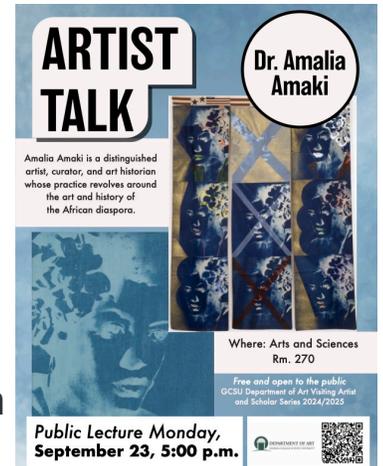
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[Ina Dillard Russell Library](#)

# Dr. Amalia Amaki: Public Lecture on Art, History and Curation

Art, Department of : Monday September 16, 2024

Amaki's art captures the lives of African women of the Diaspora through media from everyday life (photography, quilts, buttons, boxes and household items). Her work redefines the lives of past and present African American heroines and heroes and contrasts their depiction in the mainstream media. She has published a number of articles including "Art: The Paul Jones Collection in Art" and Everyday Life: The Paul Jones Collection, an exhibition catalog by the Marietta-Cobb Museum of Art, Marietta, Georgia, in 1999.



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# Times Talk Wednesday, Sept. 18, from noon-12:50 p.m., 241 Russell Library with Drs. Jennifer Graham, Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, Kerry Neville and Joanna Schwartz on "Gender and the 2024 U.S. Presidential election."

American Democracy Project : Monday September 16, 2024

Please join us this Wednesday, Sept. 18, in Russell Library, room 241 from 12 until 12:50 p.m. for this week's Times Talk facilitated by Associate Dean of Students Dr. Jennifer Graham, Associate Professor of Music Dr. Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, Associate Professor of English Dr. Kerry Neville and Professor of Marketing Dr. Joanna Schwartz on "Gender and the 2024 U.S. Presidential election: Interdisciplinary perspectives."



The following articles may be referenced during the discussion:

<https://news.berkeley.edu/2024/08/15/kamala-harris-hidden-foe-pervasive-bias-against-powerful-middle-aged-women/>

<https://thehill.com/opinion/campaign/4865631-harris-campaign-biases/>

<https://source.washu.edu/2024/08/washu-expert-how-gender-bias-influences-perceptions-votes-in-elections/>

<https://www.salon.com/2024/09/12/taylor-swifts-childless-cat-lady-endorsement-of-kamala-harris-exposes-what-maga-men-fear-most/>

Next week's Times Talk is Wednesday, Sept. 25, with Nicholas Wimbish on Voter Confidence.

Times Talk at Georgia College & State University is celebrating 19 continuous years as the first in the nation college weekly discussion series on current and significant public events and issues as reported by the New York Times and other reputable news sources. The topics change weekly and are chosen and facilitated by volunteer faculty, staff, students and community members.

Times Talks are open to all campus and local community members. Just bring your brain. There will be free pizza while it lasts!

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# Announcements Posted Tuesday September 17, 2024

## GC in DC and Legislative Internships: Lunch and Learn

Career Center : Tuesday September 17, 2024

Do you want to spend a semester in Washington, D.C.? Do you like free pizza?

Stop by Lanier 140 Tuesday, Sept. 24, at noon to to learn about the GC in DC and Legislative Internships Program and enjoy free pizza. This information session will provide an overview and tips for the application process and what to expect from these opportunities. This session is open to students of all majors.



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# Senior Exit Exam registration deadline approaching

**Center for Testing : Tuesday September 17, 2024**

Slots are filling up fast, and the registration deadline is Sept. 20, 2024, for senior exit exams.

To view the testing dates specific to your major and to secure your spot, please visit: <https://www.gcsu.edu/testingcenter>.

For any inquiries or assistance, feel free to contact us at (478) 445-5016 or via email at [gctesting@gcsu.edu](mailto:gctesting@gcsu.edu).

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# 2024-2025 Georgia State Charitable Contributions Program (GASCCP) Campaign

Human Resources, Office of : Tuesday September 17, 2024

The 2024-2025 Georgia State Charitable Contributions Program (GASCCP) Campaign is now open and runs through Nov. 16, 2024. This year our new theme is “Your change can make a change.”

The Georgia State Charitable Contributions Program is an annual fundraising effort that allows state and university system employees to donate to their favorite charitable organizations through the convenience of payroll deduction or one-time gifts. This can be done through the OneUSG portal within the Employee Self-Service module under the tile State Charitable Contributions Program. GASCCP is organized and administered by the Office of Human Resources.

During the past several years, state and university system employees have given more than \$1,006,246.00 to charitable organizations that help make the world a better place for everyone. You can feel good about every dollar you donate to GASCCP, because the 900 eligible charities listed provide positive programs and services that are vital to our state and the world. Giving to any charitable organizations in the GASCCP will help create a better world for you, your family and future generations.

Pledging is easy to do online. Go to <https://gasccp.americascharities.stratuslive.com/> to review the eligible charities and select one or more you wish to support. Payroll deductions begin in January 2025.

For GASCCP program information, visit [www.gasccp.org](http://www.gasccp.org). If you have questions or need help, please contact your agency’s GASCCP coordinator or email [gasccp.support@doas.ga.gov](mailto:gasccp.support@doas.ga.gov).

Thank you for your generosity!

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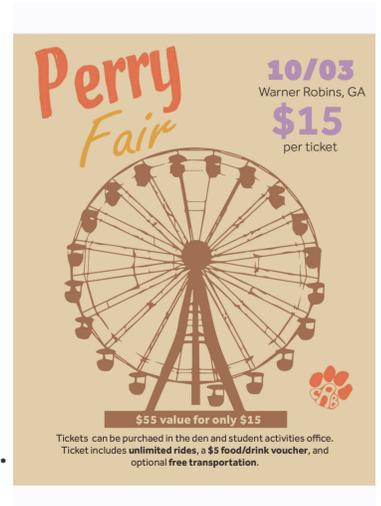
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# Perry Fair

Student Engagement, Office of : Tuesday September 17, 2024

On Oct. 3, CAB is giving students the opportunity to purchase a ticket worth \$55 for only \$15! There are a limited number available, and tickets will be first come, first serve. So, purchase them now at the Den or Student Activities Center.

Your ticket can only be used the day of the event. Tickets include unlimited rides, a \$5 food voucher and optional free transportation. The bus is scheduled to leave at 5 p.m. and return at 10 p.m. Keep an eye on our Instagram @gc\_cab for more updates!



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# Student Success and Retention Series: Student Success for Generation Z

Enrollment Management : Tuesday September 17, 2024

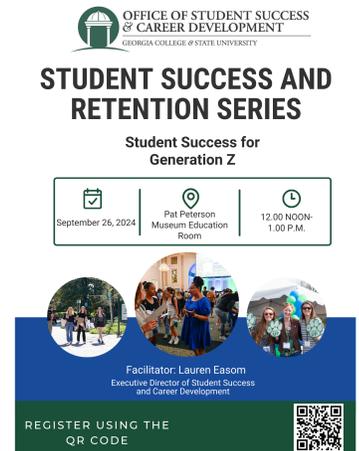
## Workshop Description:

This workshop dives into the unique dynamics that shape the student success journey for Generation Z. As digital natives with distinct values, learning styles and expectations, Gen Z requires new approaches to engagement and support in academic settings. Participants will explore the nuances of Gen Z's transition from high school to college, their use of technology and the evolving educational landscape. The session will highlight how to effectively address their learning preferences, short attention spans and desire for multimedia-rich, real-world learning experiences.

Through interactive discussions, attendees will gain insights into building connection-based learning environments, fostering motivation and addressing the mental health and social concerns that influence Gen Z's academic success. The workshop will also explore the importance of community engagement and work-based learning (WBL) in retaining Gen Z students. In addition, we will discuss strategies for employer engagement, ensuring Gen Z students are equipped with the skills and opportunities needed for successful transitions into the workforce.

Register for the event here: <https://forms.office.com/r/y93YGMbaUh>.

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OFFICE OF STUDENT SUCCESS  
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**STUDENT SUCCESS AND  
RETENTION SERIES**

Student Success for  
Generation Z

September 26, 2024 | Pat Peterson  
Museum Education  
Room | 12:00 NOON-  
1:00 P.M.

Facilitator: Lauren Easom  
Executive Director of Student Success  
and Career Development

REGISTER USING THE  
QR CODE

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# Annual Academic Expo

Academic Advising Center : Tuesday September 17, 2024

Join us for the Annual Academic Expo Wednesday, Sept. 25, between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Magnolia Ballroom of the Student Activities Center. The Expo offers information about Georgia College & State University majors, minors, certificate programs, Double Bobcats and more. To scan in, you will need to have the Corq app downloaded on your phone and have your GC Connect Event Pass ready. Free GCSU swag will be available!



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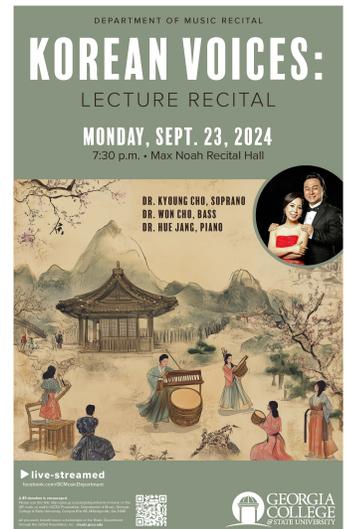
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# Guest Artist Lecture Recital: Korean Voices

Music, Department of : Tuesday September 17, 2024

Monday, Sept. 23 Guest artists Dr. Kyoung Cho and Dr. Won Cho, acclaimed worldwide as leading scholars and performers of Korean art song, will give a lecture recital, "Korean Voices," at 7:30 p.m. in Georgia College & State University's Max Noah Recital Hall. Kyoung Cho, soprano and Won Cho, bass, will perform along with GCSU faculty and pianist Dr. Hue Jang. This multimedia lecture-recital includes photos, live performance, audio and video, showcasing Korean art songs and folk tunes with historical and artistic significance. This concert will also be livestreamed

at [www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment](https://www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment). A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at [give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/](https://give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/). All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](https://www.gcsu.edu/department-of-music) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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## ATTACHMENTS

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[Korean Voices Program-9.23.24\\_0.pdf](#)

[KOREAN VOICED PROGRAM NOTES and TRANSLATIONS\\_0.pdf](#)

# Dr. Chika Unigwe, assistant professor of English, featured panelist at International Literature Festival Berlin

English, Department of : Tuesday September 17, 2024

The International Literature Festival Berlin is one of the most important literature festivals in the world. Every year in September, the festival brings international authors together in Berlin for book premieres, readings and panel discussions. At the festival, literature enthusiasts have the extraordinary opportunity to gain curated insights into the fascinating world of literature - and have been doing so for over 20 years. Dr. Chika Unigwe, whose works have been translated into over a dozen languages, was featured on a panel on translation and writing, and read from her latest novel, "The Middle Daughter."

<https://literaturfestival.com/en/>

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# Farmer and Artisan Vendor Interest Form

**Student Life, Office of : Tuesday September 17, 2024**

On Wednesday, Oct. 9, from 3 until 5 p.m. there will be a Farmer and Artisan Market on Front Campus at Georgia College & State University. There will be students, faculty, staff and community members selling their products from local businesses. If you want to sell your product please fill out this vendor interest form by Friday, Oct. 4: <https://forms.office.com/r/QZ7h6msMjR?origin=IprLink>.

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# Advocacy Training Lunch & Learn

Center for Health & Social Issues : Tuesday September 17, 2024

The Center for Health and Social Issues is proud to host this Advocacy Training Lunch & Learn session with special presenter, Laura Bracci, Georgia's Government Relations director for the American Heart Association. This training lunch is Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2024, from 12 p.m. until 1 p.m. in the Pat Peterson Museum Education Room in Russell Library. Please RSVP using the QR code in the flyer by Sept. 18, 2024. All are encouraged to attend!



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[Center for Health & Social Issues](https://www.heart.org/en/get-involved/advocacy)

# Announcements Posted Wednesday September 18, 2024

## Register your department or organization for the Bobcat Boo Bash on October 22

University Housing : Wednesday September 18, 2024

Get ready for the spookiest event of the year! The Bobcat Boo Bash is a family-friendly Halloween celebration where students and families enjoy a night of trick-or-treating and exciting activities including bounce houses, face painting and live entertainment. We invite campus departments and student organizations to register and be a part of the fun by hosting candy booths, games and activities.

[Sign up by October 17](#) to participate and create a night of fun and memories!

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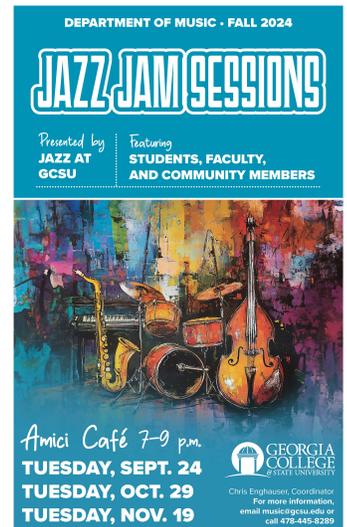
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# Jazz Jam at Amici's - Tuesday, Sept. 24, 2024

Music, Department of : Wednesday September 18, 2024

Come out and enjoy our Georgia College & State University Jazz Jam Session Tuesday, Sept. 24, 7-9 p.m. at Amici Café in downtown Milledgeville, presented by Jazz at Georgia College. Hosted by our faculty and student jazz musicians, the GCSU Jam Session is open to all members of the community who are interested in working on their jazz and improvisation skills. 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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# JamBand

**Music, Department of : Wednesday September 18, 2024**

JamBand is an all-abilities band for teens ages 12-18. This band exists to provide accessible opportunities for teenagers of various abilities and learning styles to have successful music experiences. The group will meet once a week for 50 minutes for eight weeks. Participants will receive one-on-one instruction on the instrument of their choice, as well as learn to play in a band. Instruments are provided on campus, but having personal instruments at home to practice on is recommended.



Participants will:

- Learn basic instrument skills.
- Engage in positive music making experiences together.
- Work towards a community performance displaying their hard work and acquired skills.

Location:

Georgia College & State University Music Therapy Clinic  
Health Science Building, First Floor, Room 116  
200 N. Wilkinson Street, Milledgeville, Georgia 31061

Times/Dates:

Fall 2024; Oct. 2, 2024 - Dec. 4, 2024  
Wednesdays, 4 p.m. to 4:50 p.m.

Cost:

\$130 Total

To register, visit:

[https://upay.gcsu.edu/C20792\\_ustores/web/product\\_detail.jsp?](https://upay.gcsu.edu/C20792_ustores/web/product_detail.jsp?)

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GCSU Jam Band Flyer Final (1).pdf

# Paint and Sip

Student Engagement, Office of : Wednesday September 18, 2024

Come, grab a free Jimmy John's sub, some sparkling juice and paint with us! We will have free art supplies and food ready for you Sept. 27, from 1 to 3 p.m. on Front Campus. We look forward to seeing you.



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# Career & Graduate School Fair - Oct. 2

Career Center : Wednesday September 18, 2024

The Fall 2024 Career & Graduate School Fair will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 2, from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Centennial Center.

Why attend?

- 70+ employers are looking to hire you for jobs and internships - All majors welcome.
- Thinking about grad school? Meet reps from 30+ programs.
- Not sure what to do with your major? Explore tons of career options.

Dress to impress (business attire required). Don't forget to bring at least 10 copies of your resume or CV.

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# Announcements Posted Thursday September 19, 2024

## "Money Talks" Financial Literacy Program

**Financial Aid : Thursday September 19, 2024**

"Money Talks" Financial Literacy Program is hosted by the Georgia Secretary of State. Money Talks will take place Wednesday, Oct. 9, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. in the Arts & Sciences Auditorium. Lunch will be provided.

The Securities Division strongly supports the secretary's goal to empower, educate and encourage Georgia students to be financially independent. Money Talks is led by a moderator and panel of Georgia speakers from various financial sectors to educate college students on practical money skills which includes, budgeting, saving, investing, maximizing income, credit and loans, retirement planning, entrepreneurship and starting a small business.

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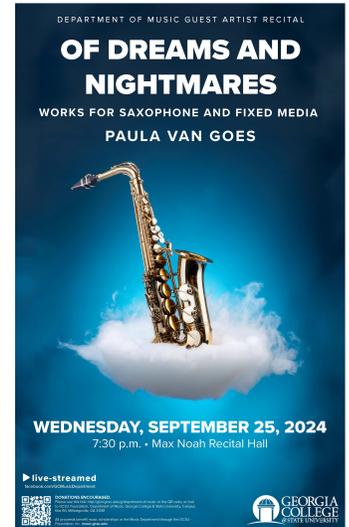
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[Money talks.pdf 2.pdf](#)

# Guest Artist Recital: "Of Dreams and Nightmares" - Paula Van Goes, saxophone

Music, Department of : Thursday September 19, 2024

Wednesday, Sept. 25 A concert for saxophone and mixed media, "Of Dreams and Nightmares," will be at 7:30 p.m. in Max Noah Recital Hall at Georgia College & State University. Guest artist saxophonist Paula Van Goes of Atlanta will perform nine compositions, taking listeners "through a night of insomnia." This begins with a blend of euphoric exhaustion in Alex Temple's "This Changes Everything" and Marc Mellits' calming "Mara's Lullaby" to the graveyard feeling of Jacob TV's "Garden of Love" and Candinho Trombone's cheerful "As Proezas de Nolasco." This concert will also be livestreamed at [www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment](http://www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment). A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at [give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/](http://give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/). All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](http://GCSU Department of Music) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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[Paula Van Goes Program-9.25.24\\_0.pdf](#)

# 2024 GURC Presentations, Performances, and Posters - Call for Abstract (Due Sept. 29)

**Mentored Undergraduate Research and Creative Endeavors (MURACE) :  
Thursday September 19, 2024**

The Georgia Undergraduate Research Conference (GURC) is a multidisciplinary conference open to undergraduate students from Higher Education institutions within Georgia. GURC welcomes research and creative activities from all fields. Students with accepted abstracts are expected to attend and present in person at the conference.

- Abstract due: Friday, Sept. 29, 2024
- Decision date: Oct. 8, 2024
- [Submission portal](#) (click for information) - 200 (1200 characters)
- Conference dates: Nov. 8-9, 2024
- Location: Oxford College Campus of Emory University
- Formats:
  - Oral presentation (for research works)
  - Poster presentation (for research or creative works)
  - Visual arts (for sculpture, painting, photography, etc.)
  - Performance (for drama, music, theater, creative writing, etc.)

MURACE will fund conference registration as a group. The transportation may be arranged by MURACE, depending on the conference location and the number of students who need transportation.

Please visit the [MURACE Webpage](#) for Conference Funding information.

Contact [murace@gcsu.edu](mailto:murace@gcsu.edu) if you need additional information.

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## [Mentored Undergraduate Research and Creative Endeavors \(MURACE\)](#)

# Scholarships for learning languages abroad

National Scholarships Office at Georgia College : Thursday September 19, 2024

Are you interested in going abroad to study a language for free? Come, learn more about how scholarships like the [Boren Scholarship](#) and the [Critical Language Scholarship](#) can help you learn less commonly taught critical needs languages like Chinese, Russian, Arabic, Portuguese, Korean and more.



Join us at 5 p.m. on Sept. 24 in room A&S 243 to find out how you can apply for these opportunities. If you are interested but cannot attend, please reach out to Anna Whiteside ([anna.whiteside@gcsu.edu](mailto:anna.whiteside@gcsu.edu)).

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[National Scholarships Office at Georgia College](#)

# Announcements Posted Friday September 20, 2024

## Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. - Kappa Eta Chapter scheduled an official RUSH

Fraternity & Sorority Life : Friday September 20, 2024

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. - Kappa Eta Chapter has scheduled an official RUSH. The event will occur Friday, Sept. 27, 2024, at 7:08 p.m. in Chappell Hall, room 113. Individuals interested in joining the organization must attend the official RUSH and adhere to all guidelines in the attached flyer. Questions should be directed to the chapter's Graduate Advisor Tracy Butts. She may be reached at [tracy.butts@gcsu.edu](mailto:tracy.butts@gcsu.edu) or (478) 445-8587.

Thank you.

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[Fraternity & Sorority Life](#)

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[Kappa Eta\\_Fall 2024 \\_Official Rush Flyer.pdf](#)

# Milly Farmer's Market

University Communications : Friday September 20, 2024

The Milly Farmer's Market is TODAY. The market is open from 4 to 7 p.m. and can include locally sourced and grown products, handmade natural household cleaning supplies, freshly baked bread and pastries, fresh eggs, locally raised meats, pork, duck, and rabbit, wildflower bouquets, bagged local compost, potted plants and succulents, local honey, corn and other seasonal vegetables, seasonal fruit, locally-raised and made goat soaps, natural oil-based skincare and beard products, handmade fudge and divinity, teas and herbs, and more! The Milly Market is double EBT/SNAP approved.



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# Sexual Misconduct & Prevention Workshop

: Friday September 20, 2024

The Office of Inclusion & Belonging will present the "Sexual Misconduct & Prevention" Workshop on Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 3:30 p.m. It will be held in the Library Conference Room 302.

Registration Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/rCegUtKgts>

According to data from the National Institute of Justice, one in five college women and one in 16 men will experience some form of non-consensual sexual activity. The widespread impact of sexual violence on students presents an urgent and pressing challenge for our nation's campuses. As leaders, educators and professionals at Georgia College & State University, you play a vital role in fostering safe and supportive environments for our students and colleagues.

Jackie Watts, GCSU Title IX coordinator, will address sexual misconduct, prevention and response strategies. The goal is to raise awareness and create a safer, more respectful environment where everyone feels secure, valued and respected.

Participants will leave this workshop with an enhanced awareness of sexual misconduct, best practices in response strategies and the tools to promote a campus culture of safety and respect for all. [Registration for the workshop is required.](#)

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## DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

# Walktober, Well-being Challenge: Registration now open

Human Resources, Office of : Friday September 20, 2024

Are you ready to step into a good challenge? Maybe ... [Walktober?](#)

Fall is an ideal time for walking – summer temperatures give way to cool, crisp air and brilliant fall colors paint a landscape inviting us to get out and move. Walktober makes fall fitness even more appealing with fun tracking tools, social features and the option to participate on a team.

- Registration: Sept. 16 – October 6 <https://usgwellbeing.walktober.com/>
- Walktober Challenge: Oct. 1 – Oct. 31
- Fill your Walktober Tree with red, orange and gold leaves for reaching daily step goals; You'll reveal vivid autumn landscapes from around the world as you meet milestones! Achieve your goal of 20 leaves by logging 6,000+ steps per day, five days a week.
  - 6,000-7,999 steps = RED leaf
  - 8,000-9,999 steps = ORANGE leaf
  - 10,000+ steps = GOLD leaf
- Invite friends to join you for support or some healthy competition in teams (optional).
  - The goal of teams is to reinforce a lasting exercise habit with a fun, friendly competition that emphasizes consistency over athleticism. Teams consist of four to five members and become official when at least three people accept the team leader's invitation.
  - When you register, you can choose to become a team lead and invite fellow Georgia College & State University participants to join you. Accountability is a powerful tool when it comes to our overall health.
  - USG Well-being's data shows that participants in teams of four or five have double the chance of achieving their program goals than those flying solo.

If you don't have a fitness tracker that automatically captures your steps, no worries! You can log the minutes you walk, and the challenge website will

convert time into steps. If you're logging your time, you will need to manually add these minutes after logging into the Walktober Challenge website.

Registration is now open at <https://usgwellbeing.walktober.com> and ends Oct. 6. The challenge begins Oct. 1 and ends Oct. 31.

You can start logging activity Tuesday, Oct. 1. All teams must be formed by Sunday, Oct. 6. This friendly competition will end Thursday, Oct. 31, but you can continue to record activity until the team scores freeze on Saturday, Nov. 2.

This is a friendly competition across the USG – there might be a winning institution that gets to claim the traveling trophy.

Bobcats, let's get moving! Register now and join us in October as we crush this year's [Walktober Challenge](#)!

Updated: 2024-09-19

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# Sexual Misconduct & Prevention Workshop

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# Mindful Monday for Sept. 23

Student Health and Wellbeing, Office of : Friday September 20, 2024

This is the Mindful Monday post for Sept. 23. Mindful Monday is a Year 1 initiative of Georgia College & State University's QEP, Bobcats FIRST. Here's what you can do to be part of this initiative:



- Follow @gcsu\_bobcatsfirst on Instagram or download the attached image.
- Share the Mindful Monday post to your departmental and/or personal social media account.
- Reference the Mindful Monday in class, and ask students to reflect silently or aloud.
- Share in other creative ways to promote mindfulness, positivity and belonging.

To receive the Mindful Monday posts on Fridays directly to your e-mail, join the distribution list by clicking [here](#).

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# Coffee for a Cause Coffee Truck

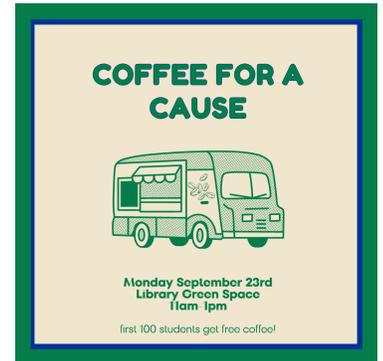
Student Life, Office of : Friday September 20, 2024

The Coffee Truck will be available to kick off a great week. The first 100 students will get free coffee!

Come, see the Office of Student Engagement table for a free giveaway!

The event is Monday, Sept. 23, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the library green space.

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# Announcements Posted Monday September 23, 2024

## Dr. Jennifer Flaherty is keynote speaker at the Georgia and Carolinas College English Association Autumn Conference

English, Department of : Monday September 23, 2024

The Georgia and Carolinas College English Association Autumn Conference will be held at Georgia College & State University Oct. 4 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. in Kilpatrick Hall. This regional conference will welcome speakers from around the south to discuss diverse topics such as Edgar Allen Poe and Taylor Swift; rhetoric and the environment; Afrofuturism; and Paradise Lost. The conference will conclude with a tour of Andalusia.

GCSU's own Dr. Jennifer Flaherty will be the keynote speaker.

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[English, Department of](#)

# Alleyway closure between and antique store and GCSU's bookstore

**Facilities Planning : Monday September 23, 2024**

On Tuesday, Sept. 24, the alleyway between Georgia College & State University's bookstore and the antique store, from the alleyway down to the parking garage, will be closed from 8 a.m. to about noon.

Updated: 2024-09-20

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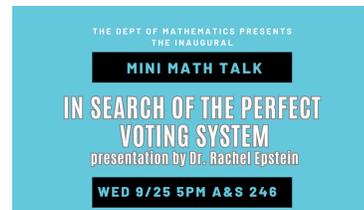
## **DEPARTMENT WEB SITE**

[Facilities Planning](#)

# "In Search of the Perfect Voting System" - Mini Math Talk Wednesday at 5 p.m.

Mathematics, Department of : Monday September 23, 2024

Please join the Department of Mathematics for our inaugural Mini Math Talk. Dr. Rachel Epstein will be presenting "In Search of the Perfect Voting System" on Wednesday, Sept. 25, 5-5:30 p.m. in A&S 246. Mini Math Talks are 20-30 minute presentations about any topic related to math. In this presentation, Dr. Epstein will discuss different voting systems, which can be used in elections with three or more options. Learn about variations of ranked-choice voting and how they hold up to the various Fairness Criteria. We will use math to discover which system, if any, is the perfect system. No math background is required, and all are welcome! Snacks will be provided.



Updated: 2024-09-20

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## ATTACHMENT

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[Mini Math Talk Flyer 1.pdf](#)

# Studio Recital: Old & New Works for Prepared Piano

Music, Department of : Monday September 23, 2024

Sunday, Sept. 29 “Old and New Works for Prepared Piano” is the theme of Georgia College & State University’s studio recital at 3 p.m. in Magnolia Ballroom at the Student Activities Center. Piano majors, music minors and other GCSU students will perform short compositions, about 3 minutes each. The recital features work by experimental composer John Cage and others for prepared piano. By ‘preparing’ pianos with things like nuts, bolts, screws, rubber and plastic, the sound can be completely transformed. This concert will also be livestreamed at [www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment](http://www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment). A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at [give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/](http://give.gcsu.edu/g/department-of-music/). All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](#) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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## ATTACHMENT

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[Piano Studio Program-9.29.24\\_1.pdf](#)

# Opportunities Abroad Fair

International Education Center : Monday September 23, 2024

Learn about the study abroad, service-learning, and international internship opportunities at GC! Meet students who studied abroad last year, the faculty-leading programs this year, and much more! Also, attend break-out sessions with program faculty and study abroad organizations!



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[International Education Center](#)

# President's and Provost's reports from the September meeting of University Senate

University Senate : Monday September 23, 2024

President Cox's and Provost Spirou's reports from the March meeting of University Senate are now available. You can read these reports in the attached file.

Updated: 2024-09-23

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[University Senate](#)

## ATTACHMENT

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Reports - President and Provost (2024-09-20).pdf

# Disney College Program Info Session

Career Center : Monday September 23, 2024

Applications for the Disney College Program Spring 2025 are still open for a short time.

Don't miss out on our final Disney Trivia and info session of the semester. Join us on Wednesday, Sept. 25, at 1 p.m. in Lanier Hall 140 to learn all about the Disney College Program and how to apply. Make your Disney dreams come true!



Want to know more before you stop by?

- Click [here](#) for more information about the Disney College Program.
- Click [here](#) for more information about Disney College Program roles.

If you have any questions, please email our DCP Coordinator at [daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu](mailto:daniella.pittman@gcsu.edu).

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## DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

[Career Center](#)

# Shuttle Service Updates

## Parking & Transportation : Monday September 23, 2024

The Shopping Shuttle Line has been suspended for the remainder of the semester. In it's place, we will offer a sign-up link where students can request rides to Walmart, Kroger or Publix on Monday evenings. The request form must be completed by the close of business (5 p.m.) each Friday. Service for requested shopping trips will begin Monday, Oct. 7.

### [Shopping Shuttle Sign-Up Form](#)

Weekend service from Central Campus to West Campus will not be affected, as a new West Campus Weekend line will begin on Oct. 5. The West Campus Weekend shuttle will run Saturday and Sunday from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., with service to West Campus, the MSU, the Ina Dillard Russell Library, Adams Hall, Bell Hall and Wells Hall.

Updated: 2024-10-01

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[Parking & Transportation](#)

# Announcements Posted Tuesday September 24, 2024

## Drop in at the Writing Center with your midterm papers

The Writing Center : Tuesday September 24, 2024

Join us at the Writing Center for an afternoon of support this midterm season! Bring your midterm papers and take advantage of our drop-in paper help. Whether you need feedback on your ideas, assistance with structure or tips on polishing your writing, our experienced tutors are here to guide you with any small, five-to-10 minute questions. We will also be operating our normal hours, so feel free to book an appointment with us if you have a longer question.



To keep your creativity flowing, we'll have a coffee bar set up while supplies last and the opportunity to enter our Midterm Give-away!

No appointment necessary—just drop in. We can't wait to see you there!

Updated: 2024-09-23

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[The Writing Center](#)

# New Grant opportunity: Implementation Research to Improve Early Language and Literacy Outcomes

Deal Center : Tuesday September 24, 2024

We are excited to announce the upcoming launch of the FY25 Implementation Research to Improve Early Language and Literacy Outcomes Grant! This funding opportunity is designed to support innovative research that enhances early language and literacy outcomes across Georgia, with awards of up to \$50,000 available to qualifying projects.



Applications for this grant will open on Oct. 8, 2024. We encourage researchers and project teams who are passionate about improving early language and literacy outcomes to prepare their proposals and take advantage of this opportunity.

Who's eligible: University System of Georgia institutions and state agencies. Non-USG applicants or private research organizations may partner with a USG institute or state agencies to qualify for up to \$50,000. Non-USG and private research organizations may also qualify for up to \$24,000 without a USG or state agency partner.

Purpose: To fund implementation science research that aligns with the four pillars of the Get Georgia Reading Campaign: Language Nutrition, Access, Positive Learning Climate and Teacher Preparation and Effectiveness.

Application opens: Oct. 8, 2024

Informational webinar: Oct. 18, 2024 – 10 a.m. via [Zoom](#)

Grant amount: up to \$50,000 per project

This is a unique opportunity to contribute to Georgia's literacy efforts by advancing research in implementation science. We encourage you to apply and help spread the word to those who may be interested in applying for this grant. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Joseph Wenke, grant administrator, at [joseph.wenke@gcsu.edu](mailto:joseph.wenke@gcsu.edu). We look forward to

receiving your proposals and seeing the incredible work that will come from this initiative.

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# Web Communications has a job opening for a Web Content Student Assistant

University Communications : Tuesday September 24, 2024

Web Communications has a new job opening for a Web Content Student Assistant. The position will assist the unit with the daily maintenance of GCSU's websites including gcsu.edu, My GCSU and Front Page by helping users troubleshoot issues, providing content guidance, and helping content managers who are looking to overhaul their web presence. Additionally, the Web Content Student Assistant will be responsible for updating locations and descriptions for the [online campus map](#).

Applicants can now [apply through October 9, 2024 by visiting the job opening on Careers](#). For help creating an account and applying, please [visit the Careers Tutorial](#).

If you have any questions, please email [webcomms@gcsu.edu](mailto:webcomms@gcsu.edu).

Updated: 2024-10-01

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# Congratulations to GCSU B.A. in English/creative writing concentration alumna Olivia McClure

English, Department of : Tuesday September 24, 2024

Congratulations to 2022 B.A. in English with a creative writing concentration graduate Olivia McClure! Her poem, "Something about Me," has been selected for inclusion in the Best New Poets, an annual anthology of 50 poems from emerging writers nationwide. The anthology was edited this year by poet Anders Carlson-Wee. Olivia is now an MFA student in poetry at University of Maryland on a full-graduate fellowship <https://www.bestnewpoets.org/finalists.php>.

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# New at Barnes & Noble at GCSU

**Barnes & Noble at Georgia College : Tuesday September 24, 2024**

We are excited to announce several new products for October at Barnes & Noble at Georgia College & State University. These new products include:

- 40 oz tumblers in two new designs
- Nike Bobcat hoodie
- Zip-up sweatshirts in two new designs
- Sassy Cats sweatshirt
- Women's sweat shorts
- "Soft touch" coffee mugs
- First-aid kits
- Squishy Thunder plushies are also back in stock.



Be sure to stop by and get these new items before they are gone!

Follow Barnes & Noble on Facebook and Instagram for weekly sales and new products.

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[Barnes & Noble at Georgia College](https://www.gcsu.bncollege.com)

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# Announcements Posted Wednesday September 25, 2024

## Parking advisory – Centennial Center Sept. 27

**Parking & Transportation : Wednesday September 25, 2024**

The first two sections of Centennial Center will be closed on Sept. 27, 2024, for Family Weekend. All vehicles parked in this area will need to be moved by noon. Any vehicles left in the area will be ticketed and towed at the owner's expense.



View the [interactive parking map](#) to locate alternative parking lots.

Updated: 2024-09-23

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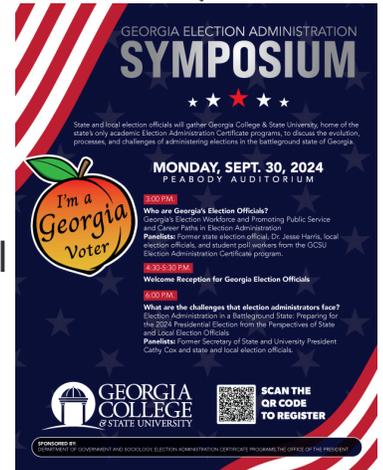
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[Parking & Transportation](#)

# 2024 Georgia Election Administration Symposium

Government & Sociology, Department of : Wednesday September 25, 2024

The 2024 Georgia Election Administration Symposium will be held at Georgia College & State University in Peabody Auditorium on Monday, Sept. 30, 2024. This symposium will include panels of current and former state and local election officials from across the state of Georgia, who will educate the public on the election process and the nature of their roles as election administrators. Panels will convene at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.



Georgia election officials, faculty and GCSU election administration students are invited to a welcome reception between the panels from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Peabody Auditorium. President Cathy Cox, who also served as Georgia's Secretary of State, will serve as a panelist at 6 p.m. For more information on the panels and symposium, please see the attached flyer.

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# Hurricane Helene Updates

University Communications : Wednesday September 25, 2024

## **MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CATHY COX - SATURDAY, SEPT. 28, 5:20 P.M.**

Dear Students,

I hope this message finds you safe and well after the impact of Hurricane Helene.

Classes at Georgia College & State University will resume on Monday, September 30, 2024. We understand that this has been a challenging time, and we are here to support you as you return to campus. If you are unable to travel back to campus by Monday due to the aftermath of Hurricane Helene, please contact your instructor directly; and, if able, check online resources such as GeorgiaVIEW and your Bobcats email for any updates or announcements from your instructors.

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## **EMERGENCY PHONE FOR GCSU PUBLIC SAFETY RESTORED - SATURDAY, SEPT. 28, 12:01 P.M.**

The emergency phone line for Georgia College & State University Public Safety has been restored. Students in need of emergency services should call 478-445-4400 or dial 911. The GCSU Public Safety non-emergency number remains 478-445-4054.

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## **UPDATE TO CAMPUS OPERATIONS AND EVENTS AT GCSU - FRIDAY, SEPT. 27, 4:04 P.M.**

As conditions improve following the recent weather event, here is an update on services and events happening at Georgia College & State University.

The MAX is open until 7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 27 and will resume regular hours Saturday, Sept. 28. Campus shuttles will run until 7:30 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday and until 8:30 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 29.

Russell Library will reopen Sunday at 1 p.m.

The Wellness & Recreation Center will reopen Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 10 p.m.

The GCSU Theatre production of "At the Wedding" continues Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Russell Auditorium, with a matinee Sunday at 2 p.m. and an additional and final show on Monday, Sept. 30 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are still available.

Bobcat Cross Country will host their home race Saturday at the Council Farm Course, with the women's start at 10:30 a.m. and the men's start set for 11:30 a.m.

Bobcat Soccer will take on Flagler College on Sunday at 11 a.m. at Bobcat Field on West Campus.

Bobcat Volleyball also faces Flagler on Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Centennial Center.

A reminder that should you need assistance to contact GCSU Public Safety. Their non-emergency number is 478-445-4054. If you have an emergency, call 478-445-8759 or dial 911. The safety of our university community is of utmost importance, and all Bobcats should remain weather aware for issues related to localized flooding and scattered power outages in the area.

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### **GC ALERT INFORMATION - FRIDAY, SEPT. 27, 9:00 A.M.**

**Please dial 478-445-8759 to reach GCSU DPS.** Phone lines are down, and you will need to use this alternate number to reach DPS. **911 remains operational.**

GCSU DPS will advise when normal phone lines are up and operational.

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### **DINING OPERATIONS UPDATE FOR THURSDAY EVENING SEPT. 26 - THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 7:10 P.M.**

Baldwin County has declared a state of emergency tonight which asks everyone except first responders to stay off the roads as the storm arrives.

Accordingly, the MAX will close at 7:30 p.m. Tonight. Boxed meals will be available at the West Campus Center for residents of The Village until 9 p.m. tonight.

Please stay indoors tonight and refer to earlier messages on this site regarding tips for staying safe. Contact GCSU Department of Public Safety if you have an emergency at 478-445-4400 or dial 911. GCSU Public Safety's non-emergency number is 478-445-4054

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## **STATE OF EMERGENCY ISSUED FOR BALDWIN COUNTY (FROM BALDWIN COUNTY) - THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 4:00 P.M.**

A State of Emergency has been declared for Baldwin County.

“Baldwin County will have sustained winds 30-40 mph and wind gust over 70MPH. For your safety please stay off the roads after dark.

Emergency vehicles will not be able to operate if winds reach 40MPH. For the safety of yourself and our First responders please do not leave your home after dark.

In preparation for the storm Baldwin County Roads Department (BCRD) has cleared obstructions from ditches and culverts to help prevent flooding. BCRD has ensured they have enough cones and supplies to block/close roads if needed.

Baldwin County Fire Department (BCFD) and Baldwin SO will have additional staff overnight to assist where needed. BCFD and SO has ensured that all saws and generators are in good working order and full of fuel.

Atrium EMS will staff 2 additional units overnight to aid in emergencies.

Baldwin County Emergency Management will be working all night to address safety issues as they arise.

Call 911 if a tree or powerline is down in the roadway.

Again, Please stay off the roadways after dark for your safety and the safety the first responders.”

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## **DINING HALL, PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION - THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 4:00 P.M.**

**On FRIDAY, Sept. 27:** The MAX will be open from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. and shuttle service will run from 10:45 a.m. until 7:30 p.m.

Remember to check your Bobcats email, the Passio GO! app and the GCSU Instagram (@georgiacollege) for any updates in case of power outages or other changes. (Keep your devices and backup batteries charged! See tips posted below.)

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## **HURRICANE SAFETY REMINDERS FROM GCSU DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY - THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 2:39 P.M.**

GCSU Department of Public Safety encourages students, faculty and staff to stay weather aware as Hurricane Helene arrives in the Middle Georgia area. GCSU DPS compiled this list of reminders to keep our Bobcat family safe during the storm:

- **Stay Informed:** Keep an eye on weather updates through reliable sources like weather apps, local TV and radio or emergency alerts.
- **Charge Devices:** Ensure your cell phone and other essential devices are fully charged before the storm hits. Keep a portable charger handy.
- **Flashlights:** Have flashlights ready and easily accessible. Make sure they have fresh batteries.
- **GCSU DPS:** Know that Georgia College & State University Department of Public Safety (GCSU DPS) is on duty and available 24/7. Non-emergency: 478-445-4054. For emergencies dial 911 or 478-445-4400.
- **GC Alert and RAVE Guardian App:** Sign Up, Download, and Update your information with our alert systems.
- **Create an Emergency Kit:** Include essentials like water, non-perishable food, flashlights, batteries, first aid supplies and any necessary medications.
- **Have a Plan:** Know your emergency procedures and have a personal plan for where to go and what to do during severe weather, especially where to shelter in your residence hall or apartment.
- **Avoid Driving:** If possible, avoid driving during severe weather. If you must drive, go slowly, keep headlights on and avoid flooded roads. **DO NOT** drive

through standing water.

- **Seek Shelter:** During high winds or tornado warnings, move to a small, windowless interior room on the lowest level of your building.
- **Stay Indoors:** During heavy rain, high winds or lightning, stay indoors and away from windows. Never go near downed power lines on foot or in your vehicle.
- **Power Outages:** Have a backup plan for power outages, such as battery-operated devices and extra batteries. Avoid using candles due to fire risk.
- **Avoid Standing Water:** Do not walk or drive through standing water, as it can be deeper than it appears and may contain hazards.
- **Flash Floods:** Move to higher ground immediately if there is a flash flood warning. Do not attempt to cross flooded areas.
- **Communicate:** Keep in touch with family and friends to let them know you are safe. Have a list of emergency contacts available.

Hurricane Helene has this afternoon been upgraded to a Category 3 Hurricane which is expected to make landfall early this evening in the Florida panhandle and move rapidly through southwest Georgia into middle Georgia overnight. The National Weather Service calls this one of the largest storms ever, with a width of damaging winds and record rain levels some 400 miles in width, which means the most significant impact will reach our area long before the eye of the storm passes through middle Georgia, which is predicted to occur around 3 a.m.

Accordingly, the Milledgeville area is predicted to receive rainfall totaling 3-6 inches with some local areas receiving up to 8 inches, which will likely produce flash flooding and flooded roads that will be difficult to see after dark. High winds will come with the rapid movement of the storm with wind gusts up to 70-80 miles per hour. This means loose objects, outdoor furniture, and debris can and will be flying around and can hit vehicles and individuals who are walking outside. Tornado watches and warnings are a possibility. Tonight is a night where you are safer inside!

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## **PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION - WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 4:19 P.M.**

The following information is for shuttle service operations for Thursday, September 26.

Two shuttles will serve West Campus, Wells Hall, MSU and Adams Hall on Thursday, September 26, 2024.

Shuttles will operate between 8 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.

There will be no Late-Night Shuttle this week.

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## **DINING HALL INFORMATION - WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 4:16 P.M.**

### **The Max**

The Max will have normal operation hours for Thursday, September 26

Breakfast: 7:30 - 10:45 a.m.

Lunch: 11 A.M. - 2 p.m.

Light Lunch: 2:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Dinner: 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.

\*Changes\* - Removal of late night dinner due to hazardous conditions.

### **Chick-Fil-A**

Chick-Fil-A is closed Thursday and Friday. Chick-Fil-A is tentatively scheduled to reopen on Saturday.

### **Einsteins, Books and Brew, All other retail locations**

All retail Locations closed Thursday, Friday and weekend.

### **Pizza Hut**

Pizza Hut to reopen on Sunday - 5 p.m. - 12 a.m.

Students living on West Campus are encouraged to use the shuttle to travel to The Max while weather permits. GCSU plans to transport food over to West Campus once conditions arise and will open the West Campus center for students.

An update will be provided here as the need arises.

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**MESSAGE TO STUDENTS IN RESIDENCE HALLS - WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 3:30 P.M.**

As we prepare for Hurricane Helene, we would like to know which residence hall students intend to stay on campus and which days they will be on campus. This will help our campus in providing essential service to students that intend to stay through the storm.

Complete the form

Thank you for your assistance.

University Housing and Residence Life

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**ORIGINAL MESSAGE - WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 2:45 P.M.**

Due to weather and road conditions that are predicted as a result of Hurricane Helene, Georgia College & State University will suspend all classes and programming activities for Thursday, September 26 and Friday, September 27. Normal business operations will cease and only essential personnel will report to work.

The safety of our students, faculty, and staff remains our top priority. We encourage everyone to tune into local TV and radio stations for updates on weather and potential safety of your destination when deciding to shelter in place or travel to another location. Those who intend to leave campus should add travel time as traffic will be excessive.

Please note that dining and transportation operations will continue. The MAX will operate following normal business hours. Students will be notified of any

changes should there be a power outage. If operational changes are required, West Campus residents will be directly contacted by University Housing regarding food services. For updated transportation information students are encouraged to monitor the Passio GO! Mobile app.

Activities planned for Family Weekend will be rescheduled. Bobcat Athletics competition will resume Saturday.

Please monitor Front Page and our GCSU website for any updates to this emerging situation.

We encourage all Bobcats to be weather aware. Please stay connected to the university's official communications via email, social media, and GC Alert.

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# Career & Graduate School Fair - Oct. 2

Career Center : Wednesday September 25, 2024

The Fall 2024 Career & Graduate School Fair is your opportunity to network with recruiters and explore pathways for full-time and part-time jobs, internships and graduate programs. Don't miss this chance to connect and take the next step toward your career or academic future!

Wednesday, Oct. 2 | 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. | Centennial Center



## Why Attend?

- Discover Internship & Job Opportunities: Engage with 70+ employers from diverse industries. Many are actively hiring students from all majors.
- Explore Graduate School Programs: Meet representatives from 30+ institutions and learn about various graduate programs that could be the right fit for your future.
- Engage in Career Exploration: Not sure what to do with your major? This is your chance to explore potential career paths and talk to experts in different fields.

Business attire is required – first impressions matter. Be sure to bring at least 10 copies of your resume or CV to leave with recruiters. This is a great way to stand out and make a lasting impression.

Check out the full list of attending employers and graduate schools [here](#).

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# GCSU students and graduates with disabilities gain federal work experience through Workforce Recruitment Program

Career Center : Wednesday September 25, 2024

This summer, a number of Georgia College & State University students and recent graduates with disabilities will have the opportunity to seek internships or permanent employment with federal agencies, thanks to the Workforce Recruitment Program.

The WRP connects federal agencies and, in some cases, private employers, with college students and recent graduates with disabilities seeking to demonstrate their abilities in the workplace through summer internships or long-term jobs. Over the years, thousands of college students, graduate students and alumni have participated in the program, working in diverse roles in federal workplaces across the nation. Applications for the WRP are due in mid-October. Students can learn more by visiting [WRP](#) or contacting the Career Center at [career.center@gcsu.edu](mailto:career.center@gcsu.edu).

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# Announcements Posted Thursday September 26, 2024

## GCSU Physics professor is principal investigator for two NSF grants

Chemistry, Physics, & Astronomy, Department of : Thursday September 26, 2024

Dr. Hasitha Mahabaduge, associate professor of [physics](#) at [Georgia College & State University](#), is now the principal investigator in charge of managing two [National Science Foundation](#) grants totaling over a million dollars.



Recently, the university obtained a [NSF EPIIC](#) grant for nearly \$400,000. EPIIC stands for “Enabling Partnerships to Increase Innovation Capacity.” Funded through August 2027, the grant supports Georgia College’s future collaboration with Athens State University and Southern Utah University to foster interdisciplinary projects with rural industries and hands-on learning opportunities for students.

Dr. Nicholas Creel, associate professor of [business law](#), and Dr. Sayo Fakayode, chair of GCSU’s [Department of Chemistry and Physics](#), were part of the proposal team for EPIIC.

“This has the potential to contribute to economic growth, enhancing the reputations of the institutions involved and strengthening community engagement,” Mahabaduge said. “The object is to facilitate the transfer of knowledge and technology from academia to industry.”

“Last year’s [PIN grant](#) got us started. We taught physics and business techniques to area residents that resulted in a [solar-panel installation](#) for Baldwin County,” he said. “This grant focuses more on green technologies. Our goal is to set up a new Institute for Entrepreneurship and Academic Innovation to spearhead future projects.”

Mahabaduge also leads a \$650,000 [NFS S-STEM](#) grant awarded in March 2021 to increase graduation rates of students majoring in chemistry and physics. It connects college education to STEM careers. By February 2026, 18 financial scholarships will be given to high-achieving, low-income students.

Altogether, Georgia College now has five active NSF grants.

Others include:

- more than \$500,000 directed by assistant professor of biology Dr. Arnab Sengupta for mRNA research
- nearly \$166,000 managed by biology professor Dr. Samuel Mutiti for research of mine waste using phytoremediation and biofuel energy
- and nearly \$100,000 overseen by Dr. Kristine White, associate professor of biology, to understand biodiversity of under-studied marine organisms in the South Caribbean.

According to the science foundation [awards database](#), Georgia College received its first NSF grant of \$20,000 in 1975. Since then, the university has received a total of 17 NSF grants.

“Getting 17 in the past 50 years shows how difficult it is to obtain NSF grants,” Mahabaduge said. “Out of those 17, only five were over \$100,000. Four of them are still active, and I serve as PI for two—our largest and third largest. It’s a real honor.”

Mahabaduge believes in the university’s teacher-scholar model to provide mentorship and opportunities for students, using innovative research and evidence-based practices. He serves as PI on two other state and regional grants, as well.

In 2020 for excellence in teaching, Mahabaduge was named a [Felton Jenkins, Jr. Hall of Fame Award](#) recipient by the [University System of Georgia](#). That year he was also named a [fellow](#) with the [International Society for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning](#).

In 2016, Mahabaduge was a GCSU Russell Library Faculty Fellow and, in 2017, he received a [SoTL Fellowship](#) from USG. In 2019, he participated in the [Governor’s Teaching Fellows](#) program at the University of Georgia. He also organizes Renewable Energy workshops for elementary school children.

“With the new NSF grant,” Mahabaduge said, “I’ll be serving as the PI for two concurrent grants worth over \$1,000,000. The one-million-dollar mark for NSF grants is a personal milestone I set for myself when I started my journey as a researcher.”

“Receiving funds from NSF brings the university prestige, but it also comes with a lot of responsibilities,” he said. “With this grant, I know we can make a direct impact on all of our students, faculty and staff, as well as the community, supporting all [five pillars of our strategic plan](#) as we continue toward [IMAGINE 2030](#).”

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# Listen to weekly episodes of Georgia College Weekly: A GCSU Student-Produced Podcast

Communication, Department of : Thursday September 26, 2024

Listen to new episodes every Thursday of Georgia College Weekly, the student-produced podcast by the Georgia College & State University Podcasting Club. Each episode will keep you informed on what's happening on campus in the classroom and beyond, with weekly updates on student athletics, student organizations, Greek life and more!

If you are interested in joining the podcast to promote your campus event or activity, please contact Dr. Whittle at Benjamin.Whittle@gcsu.edu. Listen to new episodes on [Spotify](#) and [YouTube](#), and follow the GCSU Podcasting Club on [Instagram](#).

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# Nichols, Cauley & Associates tabling Oct. 1

Career Center : Thursday September 26, 2024

Nichols, Cauley & Associates will be tabling on the first floor of Atkinson Hall from 9 a.m. until 12 p.m. Oct. 1. Nichols, Cauley & Associates is a solution-oriented public accounting and business advisory firm with offices primarily located across Georgia. They offer a wide array of services for businesses and individuals including taxes, audit and compliance, accounting, consulting and more. They have several full-time jobs, as well as internship opportunities available, and they want Bobcats, like you, to join their team. Stop by their table to learn more about this amazing employer.

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# Career Center Drop-in Day - Career Fair Prep

Career Center : Thursday September 26, 2024

Heading to the Career and Graduate School Fair Oct. 2? Join us for our Career Fair Prep Drop-in Day and get ready to make a great impression! Whether you need help updating your resume or CV, tips on how to stand out to recruiters or advice on professional attire, drop by Lanier 110 on Sept. 26 anytime from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Our career advisors are here to assist you—no appointment necessary.



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# Announcements Posted Friday September 27, 2024

## Free Print Friday

Career Center : Friday September 27, 2024

Are you excited for the Career & Graduate School Fair but concerned about running out of resumes or CVs? Stop by the Career Center in Lanier 110 on Sept. 27 for Free Print Friday! From 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., we'll print additional copies of your resume, CV and any other materials you need—completely free, no appointment required. Let us help you prepare for success at the fair!



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# Announcements Posted Saturday September 28, 2024

## Hurricane Helene Relief: Collecting Food and Basic Needs Items

Student Life, Office of : Saturday September 28, 2024

Please consider helping with this special drive to help our sister institutions impacted by Hurricane Helene, including Augusta State University. We would appreciate receiving your donations at Campus Corner at the Student Activity Center, The Depot and at Centennial Center (see attached flyer) as soon as possible. We are planning to transport donated items ASAP. We would like to offer some immediate help to individuals impacted by Hurricane Helene.



Please bring non-perishable food items, particularly items that require little to no preparation; bottled water or electrolyte drinks; hand sanitizer and hand wipes.

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# Announcements Posted Monday September 30, 2024

## New training opportunity: Work Smart Achieve More

Human Resources, Office of : Monday September 30, 2024

The Office of Human Resources is excited to announce a new virtual training opportunity for all employees on Tuesday, Oct. 1, from 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. See the link below to register and a description of the training.

Training Topic: Work Smart Achieve More

When: Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2024

Time: 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Registration

Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5776749871635156830>

Description of the Training:

How often do we hear the phrase: 'There aren't enough hours in the day?' Many people find themselves constantly adding to their to-do list whilst still feeling that they have not accomplished anything. Effective time management is critical to ensure we feel more accomplished and less overwhelmed at the end of a busy day.

How participants will benefit In this session, participants will:

- Learn about time management.
- Provide characteristics of effective time managers.
- Explore the role of delegation and boundaries.
- Discuss the importance of prioritizing important events.

Time management is a learned skill. It requires self-discipline and a desire to become conscious of how to manage daily activities. This session will provide a basic explanation of the time management process and the characteristics of effective time managers. It will discuss the importance of prioritizing important events and explore the role of delegation and communicating delegation requests with others.

Effective time management is critical to ensure you feel more accomplished and less overwhelmed at the end of a busy day.

We hope you will be able to join us!

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# Saxophone and Flute Studios Recital

Music, Department of : Monday September 30, 2024

Sunday, Oct. 6 Members of the Flute & Saxophone Studios at Georgia College & State University will give a 3 p.m. performance of solos and chamber music in Max Noah Recital Hall. Eclectic sounds from the classical period to present day will be featured. This concert will also be livestreamed

at [www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment](https://www.facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment). A \$5 donation is encouraged. Online donations can be made at [give.gcsu.edu/g/departement-of-music/](https://give.gcsu.edu/g/departement-of-music/). All proceeds benefit music scholarships or the [GCSU Department of Music](#) through GCSU Foundation, Inc. For more information, please email [music@gcsu.edu](mailto:music@gcsu.edu) or call 478-445-8289.



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## ATTACHMENT

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

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# GCSU's MFA program will appear on stage at the Decatur Book Festival, Oct. 5

English, Department of : Monday September 30, 2024

Georgia College & State University's MFA program was asked by the organizers of the Decatur Book Festival (with 60k in attendance) to participate in the Student Emerging Writers Stage event this year.

<https://decaturookfestival.com/decaturook-festival-2024/>

We are thrilled for the following GCSU's MFA students who will share their fiction, poetry and creative nonfiction:

Ash Earnhardt, Noah Lorey, Richard Lassiter, Dan Johnston, Emma Garcia, Christina Faber, Michaela Reed, Nathanael Williams and Kay Hammond!

Oct. 5, 2:45-3:45 p.m, The Reading Room (429 Church St., Decatur, Georgia 30030)

If you are in the Atlanta/Decatur area, please consider supporting our students. And of course, the festival makes for a great road trip from Milledgeville!

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# GC in DC and Legislative Internships Program: Lunch and Learn

Career Center : Monday September 30, 2024

Stop by Lanier Hall 140 Wednesday, Sept. 4, at noon to to learn about the GC in DC and Legislative Internships Program and enjoy free pizza. This information session will provide an overview and tips for the application process and what to expect from these opportunities. This session is open to students of all majors.

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# Times Talk Wednesday, Oct. 2, from noon-12:50 p.m. in room 241 Russell Library with Dr. Steve Elliott-Gower on "Democracy on the brink? A Global Update"

**American Democracy Project : Monday September 30, 2024**

Please join us this Wednesday, Oct. 2, in Russell Library room 241 from 12 to 12:50 p.m. for this week's Times Talk facilitated by Georgia College & State University Associate Professor of Political Science Dr. Steve Elliott-Gower on "Democracy on the Brink? A Global Update."



The following article may be referenced during the discussion:

<https://www.nytimes.com/2024/09/29/world/europe/democracy-elections-world.html>.

Next week's Times Talk Wednesday, Oct. 9, with Dr. Nathan Bedsole and GCSU Debate Team members: "Is Georgia College safer with Campus Carry? A preview of the upcoming Oct. 11 public debate co-sponsored by Public Safety and the GCSU Speech and Debate Team."

Times Talk at Georgia College is celebrating 19 continuous years as the first in the nation college weekly discussion series on current and significant public events and issues as reported by the New York Times and other reputable news sources. The topics change weekly and are chosen and facilitated by volunteer faculty, staff, students and community members. Times Talks are open to all campus and local community members. Just bring your brain. There will be free pizza while it lasts!

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# Small-group Instructional Diagnosis requests

Center for Teaching & Learning : Monday September 30, 2024

The Small-group Instructional Diagnosis' (SGID) goal is to provide faculty with important feedback that helps them adjust their teaching and improve student learning outcomes. It also allows faculty to reflect on and document critical teaching behaviors. This process, vetted in research, supports the continuous quality improvement of teaching and learning and shows our continued commitment to creating innovative learning environments, high-impact pedagogies and meaningful student-faculty interaction at Georgia College & State University. After completion, the requestor will receive a letter from the Center for Teaching and Learning certifying participation. However, the results are confidential.

For fall 2024, the SGID opens Oct. 7 and subsequently closes Oct. 18. Please submit your requests at least seven (7) days before the first date you want the observer to come to your class. If you are interested in scheduling an SGID for the fall 2024 semester, please complete the [Course Feedback Request form](#). You can also contact the Center for Teaching and Learning at [ctl@gcsu.edu](mailto:ctl@gcsu.edu) or by phone at 478-445-2520 for more details about the process, scheduling or general inquiries.

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