Commencement Ceremony Fall 2009 Catherine Murray-Rust PROGRESS

# Welcome

Welcome to the 235th Commencement of the Georgia Institute of Technology. On behalf of the entire Georgia Tech community, I extend our greetings to friends, families, and guests gathered here for this significant event.

For approximately 2,000 undergraduate and graduate students, today's ceremony recognizes their academic achievements at Georgia Tech and inaugurates a new era in their careers.

We are delighted today to be awarding bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees through our six colleges, twenty-four schools, and the Georgia Tech-Savannah program.

At Georgia Tech, we are proud to be ranked the seventh best public university in the nation by U.S. News & World Report. Our College of Engineering is ranked among the top five, and our College of Management's MBA program ranks among the nation's top twenty-five.

That said, we are also keenly aware that such impressive accolades would not be possible without our incredibly talented

and hard-working students. Our students consistently excel in the classroom and the laboratory, in co-op work assignments and study/work abroad programs, and in countless campus leadership and community service roles. I am inspired by their dedication, proud of their accomplishments, and tremendously hopeful about their futures.

I'd also like to thank all the family members and friends of our graduates who have done so much to guide, challenge, and inspire these gifted students both prior to and during their time here at Tech.

We hope that you enjoy today's festivities and we wish you and your graduate a bright and successful future.

Sincerely,

G. P. "Bud" Peterson President, Georgia Institute of Technology



# Doctoral and Master's Ceremony

#### PROCESSIONAL

Commencement Ensemble, coordinated by the Department of Music

#### **MASTER OF CEREMONIES**

Dr. G. P. Peterson, President

#### REFLECTION

Rev. Deborah Halter, Lutheran Campus Ministry at Georgia Tech

#### NATIONAL ANTHEM

Sympathetic Vibrations

#### COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. Regina E. Dugan, Director, DARPA

#### PRESENTATION OF DOCTORAL **DEGREE CANDIDATES**

Dr. Mark G. Allen, Senior Vice Provost, Research and Innovation

#### CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Peterson

#### PRESENTATION OF MASTER'S **DEGREE CANDIDATES**

Dr. Allen

#### **CONFERRING OF DEGREES**

Dr. Peterson

#### INDUCTION INTO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Mr. Joseph W. Evans, Class of 1971 Chair, Georgia Tech Alumni Association

#### **ALMA MATER\***

Sympathetic Vibrations

#### **FACULTY RECESSIONAL**

Commencement Ensemble

#### "RAMBLIN' WRECK" \*

Graduates and Audience



Honors Qualifications: Honor designations are for undergraduates at Georgia Tech who have met the minimum residency hours requirement of seventy hours, as well as the minimum GPA.

- · To achieve honor, the minimum GPA is 3.15.
- · To achieve high honor, the minimum GPA is 3.35.
- · To achieve highest honor, the minimum GPA is 3.55.
- Changes in honor status may also occur after final printing.

You are requested to refrain from loud expressions of excitement for individual graduates. Such expressions detract from the recognition due the next graduate in line. Your cooperation is appreciated.

\*Please turn to the inside back cover for song lyrics.

# Morning Bachelors Ceremony:

Colleges of Architecture, Computing, Management, Sciences, and the Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts

#### PROCESSIONAL

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#### **MASTER OF CEREMONIES**

Dr. G. P. Peterson, President

#### REFLECTION

Rev. Chris Hannum, **Episcopal Campus Ministry** at Georgia Tech

#### NATIONAL ANTHEM

Sympathetic Vibrations

#### COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Vice Admiral Richard H. Truly, Vice President and Director, Georgia Tech Research Institute (Retired), Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration (Retired)

#### INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS

Dr. Gary B. Schuster, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

#### PRESENTATION OF UNDERGRADUATE **DEGREE CANDIDATES**

Interim Dean James D. Foley College of Computing

Interim Dean Kenneth J. Knoespel Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts

Associate Dean Douglas C. Allen, College of Architecture

Dean Steven R. Salbu College of Management

Associate Dean Evans M. Harrell College of Sciences

#### **CONFERRING OF DEGREES**

Dr. Peterson

#### INDUCTION INTO THE ALUMNI **ASSOCIATION**

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The Georgia School of Technology was founded in 1885 through an act of the Georgia Legislature. The first classes were held in October 1888. The name was changed to Georgia Institute of Technology in 1948 to reflect a growing emphasis on technological research.



Since 1999, Georgia Tech has been ranked among the nation's Top 10 public universities by U.S. News & World Report (No. 7 in 2009).

# Afternoon Bachelor's Ceremony: College of Engineering

#### **PROCESSIONAL**

Commencement Ensemble, coordinated by the Department of Music

#### MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Dr. G. P. Peterson, President

#### REFLECTION

Rev. Steven Fazenbaker,
Director and Campus
Minister, Wesley Foundation
at Georgia Tech

#### NATIONAL ANTHEM

Sympathetic Vibrations

#### **COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS**

Mr. William R. Nuti, Chairman & CEO, NCR Corporation

#### INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEAN

Dr. Anderson D. Smith, Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

#### PRESENTATION OF UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

Dean Don P. Giddens, College of Engineering

#### **CONFERRING OF DEGREES**

Dr. Peterson

#### INDUCTION INTO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Mr. Joseph W. Evans, Class of 1971 Chair, Georgia Tech Alumni Association

#### **ALMA MATER\***

Sympathetic Vibrations

#### **FACULTY RECESSIONAL**

Commencement Ensemble

#### "RAMBLIN' WRECK" \*

Graduates and Audience



Women students were first admitted to Tech in 1952 with the enrollment of Elizabeth Herndon and Diane Michel.





Michael Arad, a 1999 alumnus, created the design used for the World Trade Center Memorial in New York.



# Doctoral Degree Candidates

#### Doctor of Philosophy

#### PAPER SCIENCE ENGINEERING

Mate Nagy Advisor: Dr. Arthur J. Ragauskas

#### BIOENGINEERING

Kartik Balachandran Advisor: Dr. Ajit Yoganathan

Bryan Frederick Bell Jr. Advisor: Dr. Barbara D. Boyan

Leonard Yi Chu Advisor: Dr. Mark R. Prausnitz

Allison Marie Dennis Advisor: Dr. Gang Bao

Gautam Goel Advisor: Dr. Eberhard O. Voit

ChenYu Kao Advisor: Dr. Niren Murthy

Yash Manohar Kolambkar Advisor: Dr. Robert E. Guldberg

Hyun Jung Lee Advisor: Dr. Ravi Bellamkonda

Sai Muralidhar Padala Advisor: Dr. Ajit Yoganathan

Sharon Eve Sonenblum Advisor: Dr. Stephen H. Sprigle

#### BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING/ JOINT DEGREE PROGRAM

Leslie Ann Coburn Advisor: Dr. Larry V. McIntire Brad Anthony Kairdolf Advisor: Dr. Shuming Nie

Rekha Nair Advisor: Dr. Todd C. McDevitt

Priva Santhanam Advisor: Dr. Xiaoping Hu

Carolyn Yeago Sargent Advisor: Dr. Todd C. McDevitt

David Lemar Simpson Advisor: Dr. Robert M. Nerem

Nick James Willett Advisor: Dr. David G. Taylor

#### ALGORITHMS, COMBINATORICS, AND OPTIMIZATIONS

Dylan Todd Shepardson Advisor: Dr. Craig A. Tovey

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE

Nova Ahmed Advisor: Dr. Umakishore Ramachandran

Charles David Cash Advisor: Dr. Alexandra Boldyreva

David Byron Hilley Advisor: Dr. Umakishore Ramachandran

Brian Michael Landry Advisor: Dr. Mark Guzdial

Rudolph Louis Mappus IV Advisor: Dr. Charles L. Isbell

Mark Bomi Moss Advisor: Dr. Calton Pu

Quan Tu Tran Advisor: Dr. Elizabeth D. Mynatt Guru Prasadh Villupuram Venkataramani Advisor: Dr. Milos Prvulovic

Alan Richard Wagner Advisor: Dr. Ronald C. Arkin

Huamin Wang Advisor: Dr. Greg Turk

Jinpeng Wei Advisor: Dr. Calton Pu

Tracy Lee Westeyn Advisor: Dr. Thad E. Starner

Brian Scott Whited Advisor: Dr. Jaroslaw R. Rossignac

Jeonghwa Yang Advisor: Dr. W. Keith Edwards

#### DIGITAL MEDIA

Clara Fernandez Vara Advisor: Dr. Janet H. Murray

#### PUBLIC POLICY

Michael Richard Waschak Advisors: Dr. Bryan G. Norton and Dr. Gordon A Kingsley

#### PUBLIC POLICY/JOINT **DEGREE PROGRAM**

Grace Lyness Chikoto Advisor: Dr. Susan E. Cozzens

Seong Soo Oh Advisor: Dr. Susan E. Cozzens

Pablo Saavedra-Costas Advisor: Dr. Diana M. Hicks



Georgia Tech surpassed the \$500 million mark in research expenditures for the first time in its history in 2008.



Tech's iconic steam whistle blasts its signal five minutes before each hour on weekdays, and it also sounds when Tech wins a home football game. A group of students stole the whistle in 1901 and, out of fear of reprisals, did not return it until 1949.



Georgia Tech served as the Olympic Village for the 1996 Summer Games. Tech students now live in residence halls that were originally constructed to house Olympic athletes.

#### HISTORY AND SOCIOLOGY OF **TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE**

Nathan William Moon Advisor: Dr. Andrea Tone

#### ARCHITECTURE

Jason Britton Brown Advisor: Dr. Godfried L. Augenbroe

Kathryn Irene Frank Advisor: Dr. Michael L. Elliott

Huafen Hu Advisor: Dr. Godfried L. Augenbroe

Iun Ha Kim Advisors: Dr. Kathy O. Roper and Dr. Roozbeh Kangari

Deborah Annetoinette Middleton Advisor: Dr. Richard L. Dagenhart

Liora Sahar Advisor: Dr. Steven P. French

Donghoon Yang Advisor: Dr. Charles Eastman

Ying Zhu Advisor: Dr. Ronald B. Lewcock

#### MANAGEMENT

Brian Wayne Jacobs Advisors: Dr. Vinod R. Singhal and Dr. Ravi Subramanian

Wendy Jackson Walker Advisor: Dr. Charles K. Parsons

#### APPLIED PHYSIOLOGY

Mary Beth Brown Advisors: Dr. Melinda Millard-Stafford and Dr. Nael A. McCarty

#### **EARTH AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES**

Farhan Hussain Akhtar Advisor: Dr. Armistead G. Russell

Katia de Avila Fernandes Advisor: Dr. Rong Fu

Advisor: Dr. Armistead G. Russell

Zhijun Zhao Advisor: Dr. Paul H. Wine

#### BIOLOGY

Christopher Allen Haynes Advisor: Dr. Alfred H. Merrill

Jennifer Lynne Hurst-Kennedy Advisor: Dr. Barbara D. Boyan

**Jennifer Leslie Kovacs** Advisor: Dr. Michael Goodisman

Karla Kristine Vincent Advisor: Dr. Nael A. McCarty

#### **MATHEMATICS**

Hao Deng Advisor: Dr. Hao-Min Zhou

Selma Yildirim Yolcu Advisor: Dr. Evans M. Harrell

Kun Zhao Advisor: Dr. Ronghua Pan

#### **PSYCHOLOGY**

Kelly Erinn Caine Advisor: Dr. Arthur D. Fisk

Brian McMahon Advisor: Dr. Jack M. Feldman

Michael Adam Nees Advisor: Dr. Bruce N. Walker

Mark Benjamin Wolf Advisors: Dr. Phillip Ackerman and Dr. Ruth Kanfer

#### **PHYSICS**

Serkan Dursun Advisor: Dr. John L. Wood

John Brooks Howard Advisor: Dr. Alexei Marchenkov

Hsiang-Hua Jen Advisor: Dr. T. A. Kennedy

Huseyin Kurtuldu Advisor: Dr. Michael F. Schatz

**Anthony Liang** Advisor: Dr. Walter A. De Heer

#### CHEMISTRY

Kane McKinney Barker Advisor: Dr. Lawrence A. Bottomley

SanHui Chi Advisor: Dr. Joseph W. Perry

Kelly Viretta Lancaster Advisor: Dr. Jean-Luc Bredas

Michal Malicki Advisors: Dr. Seth Marder and Dr. Joseph W. Perry

Leonard Nyadong Advisor: Dr. Facundo M. Fernandez

Christopher I. Richards Advisor: Dr. Robert M. Dickson

Christopher Eugene Tabor Advisor: Dr. Mostafa A. El-Sayed

Si Kyung Yang Advisor: Dr. Marcus Weck

Christina Rachel Young Advisor: Dr. Boris Mizaikoff

Xuan Zhang Advisor: Dr. Seth Marder

#### MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Melanie Jean Kirkham Advisors: Dr. Robert L. Snyder and Dr. Zhong L. Wang

Walter Everett Voit Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Gall

Tao XII Advisor: Dr. Mo Li

#### POLYMER, TEXTILE, AND FIBER ENGINEERING

Yi Lim Advisor: Dr. Karl I. Jacob

#### INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

Ashlea R. Bennett Advisor: Dr. Alan L. Erera

Ali Ekici Advisor: Dr. Pinar Keskinocak

Alaa Mohamed Hamdy Elwany Advisor: Dr. Nagi Z. Gebraeel

Jessica L. Heier Stamm Advisor: Dr. Ozlem Ergun

Michael Robert Hewitt Advisor: Dr. Mathieu W. Savelsbergh

Seonah Lee Advisor: Dr. Pinar Keskinocak

Claudio Prata Santiago Advisor: Dr. Earl R. Barnes Sangho Shim

Advisor: Dr. Ellis L. Johnson

Clarence L. Wardell III

Advisors: Dr. William B. Rouse and Dr. Marco Castillo

Kan Wu

Advisor: Dr. Leon F. McGinnis

#### AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Kristina Alemany Advisor: Dr. Robert D. Braun

Kaushik Balakrishnan Advisor: Dr. Suresh Menon

Hernando Jimenez Advisor: Dr. Dimitrios N. Mavris

Changkuan Ju Advisor: Dr. Oliver A. Bauchau

Brian Keith Kestner Advisor: Dr. Dimitrios N. Mavris

Jongki Moon Advisor: Dr. J. V. R. Prasad

Kyung Jin Moon Advisor: Dr. Dimitrios N. Mavris

Jonathan David Rogers Advisor: Dr. Mark F. Costello

Baris Ali Sen Advisor: Dr. Suresh Menon

Ian Collier Stults Advisor: Dr. Dimitrios N. Mavris

Mina Adel Zaki Advisor: Dr. Lakshmi N. Sankar

#### **CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

Jassem Ahmed Abdallah Advisors: Dr. Clifford L. Henderson and Dr. Paul A. Kohl

Ryan Thomas Adams Advisor: Dr. William J. Koros

Balamurali Balu Advisors: Dr. Dennis W. Hess and Dr. L. Victor Breedveld

Vittoria Madonna Blasucci Advisors: Dr. Charles A. Eckert and Dr. Charles L. Liotta

Iae Kvu Cho Advisor: Dr. L. Victor Breedveld Kwanghun Chung Advisor: Dr. Hang Lu

Mita Das Advisor: Dr. William J. Koros

Kevin Gregory Gallagher Advisors: Dr. Thomas Fuller and Dr. Ingrid S. Fulmer

Justin R. Johnson Advisor: Dr. William J. Koros

Seda Keskin Advisor: Dr. David S. Sholl

Chen Ling Advisor: Dr. David S. Sholl

Quinta M. Nwanosike Advisors: Dr. Ronald W. Rousseau and Dr. Athanassios Sambanis

Luz Teresa Padro Martinez Advisor: Dr. Anthanasios Nenes

Keith Gregory Reed Advisor: Dr. James C. Meredith

Lymarie Semidey-Flecha Advisor: Dr. David S. Sholl

Jason Keith Ward Advisor: Dr. William J. Koros

Gracy Apprisiani Wingkono Advisor: Dr. James C. Meredith

Wee Chin Wong Advisor: Dr. Jay H. Lee

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**

Douglas Scott Aaron Advisor: Dr. Sotira Yiacoumi

Jaemeen Baek Advisor: Dr. Armistead G. Russell

Burcak Kaynak Advisor: Dr. Armistead G. Russell

#### **CIVIL ENGINEERING**

Mustafa Kemal Cambazoglu Advisor: Dr. Kevin A. Haas

Kimberly Bernadine Catton Advisors: Dr. Donald Webster and Dr. Jeanette Yen

Ahmet Muhtar Citipitioglu Advisor: Dr. Rami M. Hajali

Sarah Kelly Delavan Advisor: Dr. Donald Webster

Victor Youssef Garas Advisors: Dr. Kimberly E. Kurtis and Dr. Lawrence F. Kahn

Ilker Kalkan Advisor: Dr. Abdul-Hamid Zureick

Masahiro Kurata Advisors: Dr. Reginald DesRoches and Dr. Roberto T. Leon

Kanoknart Leelardcharoen Advisor: Dr. James I. Craig

Catherine Black McGillivray Advisor: Dr. James D. Frost

Seung Kook Wu Advisor: Dr. Michael P. Hunter

#### **ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING**

Kvu Hwan An Advisor: Dr. Joy Laskar

Seydou Nourou Ba Advisors: Dr. Yucel Altunbasak and Dr. Guotong Zhou

Ismail Faik Baskaya Advisor: Dr. David V. Anderson

David Allen Bauer Advisor: Dr. Douglas M. Blough

Richard Cameron Craddock Advisor: Dr. Xiaoping Hu

Xu Chu Ding Advisors: Dr. Magnus Egerstedt and Dr. Yorai Wardi

Christal Gordon Advisor: Dr. Paul E. Hasler

Sevgi Zubeyde Gurbuz Advisors: Dr. Douglas B. Williams and Dr. William Melvin

Walter Geeshan Huang Advisor: Dr. David V. Anderson

Kwan-Woo Kim Advisor: Dr. Joy Laskar

Bong-Kyoung Kwon Advisor: Dr. John A. Copeland

Shawn Michael Lankton Advisor: Dr. Allen R. Tannenbaum Jungwon Lee Advisor: Dr. David V. Anderson

Ockgoo Lee Advisor: Dr. Joy Laskar

Won Yeol Lee Advisor: Dr. Ian F. Akyildiz

Gerald Gabriel Cortez Lopez Advisors: Dr. Jeffrey Alan Davis and Dr. James D. Meindl

Harry Bourne Marr Advisors: Dr. Paul E. Hasler and Dr. David V. Anderson

Michael Joe McFadden Advisor: Dr. Waymond R. Scott

Guowang Miao Advisor: Dr. Ye Li

David Louis Milliner Advisor: Dr. John R. Barry

Bryan George Oneal Morris Advisor: Dr. Gary S. May

Laleh Najafizadeh Advisor: Dr. John D. Cressler

Jongmin Park Advisor: Dr. Joy Laskar

Yannick Phulpin Advisor: Dr. Miroslav M. Begovic

Sekou Lionel Remy Advisor: Dr. Ayanna M. Howard

Mohanned Omar Sinnokrot Advisors: Dr. Vijay K. Madisetti and Dr. John R. Barry

Mohammad Soltani Advisor: Dr. Ali Adibi

Justin Lee Stay Advisor: Dr. Thomas K. Gaylord

Ramanan Subramanian Advisor: Dr. Faramarz Fekri

Chaoting Xuan Advisor: Dr. John A. Copeland

Li Yang Advisor Dr. Emmanouil M. Tentzeris

Wei Zhang Advisor: Dr. Xiaoli Ma

Dongning Zhao Advisor: Dr. Farrokh Ayazi

#### NUCLEAR AND RADIOLOGICAL **ENGINEERING**

Michael Charles Nichols Advisors: Dr. Bernd Kahn and Dr. Nolan E. Hertel

Benjamin James Waghorn Advisor: Dr. Tom C. Hu

#### MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Jamil O. Ahmad Advisor: Dr. Suresh K. Sitaraman

Dinesh G. Bansal Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey L. Streator

Soumyadipta Basu Advisor: Dr. Zhuomin Zhang

Adam Paul Christensen Advisor: Dr. Samuel Graham

Sung Chul Joo Advisor: Dr. Daniel F. Baldwin

Namsu Kim Advisor: Dr. Samuel Graham

George Joseph Nelson Advisors: Dr. Comas L. Haynes and Dr. William J. Wepfer

Rajesh Prasannavenkatesan Advisor: Dr. David L. McDowell

John J. Reap Advisor: Dr. Berdinus A. Bras

Matthew Douglas Rogge Advisor: Dr. Ifeanyi C. Ume

Konrad Rykaczewski Advisor: Dr. Andrei G. Fedorov

Emad Samadiani Advisors: Dr. Yogendra K. Joshi and Dr. Farrokh Mistree

Temsiri Sapsaman Advisor: Dr. Harvey Lipkin

Angela Ann Sodemann Advisor: Dr. J. Rhett Mayor

# Master's Degree Candidates

#### Master of Science

EARTH AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES

Alex Abdelnour

CIVIL ENGINEERING

Chengbo Ai

**ELECTRICAL AND** 

COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Joonho Baek

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Jose Enrique Bernardo

**ELECTRICAL AND** 

**COMPUTER ENGINEERING** 

Siwei Cheng

**ECONOMICS** 

Sung Woo Choi

**AEROSPACE ENGINEERING** 

Brian M. Clark

**AEROSPACE ENGINEERING** 

James Richard Cook

**ECONOMICS** 

Omer Bahadir Dursun

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Lois Deborah Fairfax

EARTH AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES

David Allan Gray

MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Yuzheng Guo

ARCHITECTURE

Surabhi Joshi

**ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING** 

Holly Chandelle Kaloz

**MATHEMATICS** 

Vikram Krishnan

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Andrew Oneil Lewis

POLYMER, TEXTILE, AND

FIRER ENGINEERING

Zhan Liu

**ECONOMICS** 

Jakkapan Luangnarumitchai

**ECONOMICS** 

Lawrence Arthur O'Donnell

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Richard Edward Otero

**ECONOMICS** 

Jin Peng

**ECONOMICS** 

Shehryar Rashid

EARTH AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES

Michael Sean Ryan

**ECONOMICS** 

Jorge R. Sanchez

**ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING** 

Adam Lewis Sapp

**ECONOMICS** 

Anthony Eric Schmitz

CIVIL ENGINEERING

Amanda McMahan Stephens

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Robert Michael Watts

**ECONOMICS** 

Mingge Wu

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Michael Jerrod Zentner

Master's Degrees

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Iason Fu

Manisha Manohar Gajbe

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAPER SCIENCE ENGINEERING

Ionathan D. Olander

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN QUANTITATIVE AND COMPUTATIONAL FINANCE

Yevgeniy Lvovich Buchko

Animesh Chaturvedi

Krupa Prakash Chavan

Sunil Janardan Chavan

Shiv Kumar Chawla

Wanfeng Chen

Rakshit Kumar Choudhary

Hui Deng

Robert Charlton Duke

Georgia Tech has four international education/research platforms: Metz, France; Athlone, Ireland; Shanghai, China; and Singapore. In addition, the Georgia Tech-Savannah campus is located in southeast Georgia.



Legendary Tech icon Buzz made his first campus appearance at a student pep rally in 1980. Over the past three decades, Buzz has gone on to become one of the most beloved-and globally recognized - university mascots.



Julea Keigh England

Rohan Rao Srinivas Ganduri

Ashish Goyal

Oiliang Gu

Manuj Gupta

J. Keith Hagan

Tingting Hu

Mei Huang

Jang Ho Jung

Sudhanwa Sudhir Karmarkar

Weina Kong

Erik I. Kratky

Elias Tobin Krauklis

Ivothsna Krishna Rau

Nishant Kumar

Chien-Hsing Lee

Ruoyang Li

Ting Liu

Wen Liu

Zhi Liu

Shu-Ching Lu

Li Ma

Somesh Maheshwari

Vitaly V. Marin

Robert Joseph Matthews

Daksh Mehta

Abhishek Pandey

Jose V. Paniagua

Ravindranath Madhusudan Rao

Abisht Raviprakash

Jie Ren

Xingzhao Shi

Amit Shiralkar

Dinesh Kumar Somani

Delin Sun

Shantanu Thakur

Ramesh Viswanath

Jawahar Ravindra Waknis

Ying Xu

Ruoting Yang

Xinna Zhang

Ruilin Zhou

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN **HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION**

Meekal Bajaj

Siddharth Gupta

Christopher Templin Howse

Mary Frances Jones

Neil Ulhas Pradhan

Jesse Clayton Smith

**Justin Lanier Smith** 

Charita Earchelle Williams

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOENGINEERING

Fanor Alberto Balderrama

Erskine D. Benjamin II

Seth B. Gazes

Gregory Mathew Philips

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN STATISTICS

Nagesh Mandarthi Adiga

Celia I. Del Barco Lopez

Huy Huynh

David Martin Johnson

Gangbin Lai

Yuki Shimada

Mengni Zhang

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SECURITY

Kunal Sunil Chawla

Unmesh Vijay Deolekar

Ashutosh Krishnamurthy Joshi

Britney Nicole Mitchell

Ashwin Anil Paranipe

Radhika Parthasarathy

Sean Kevin Roberts

Sumit Hasmukh Savla

Swapnil Shivaji Shinde

Siva Subbiah

Madhura Pravin Tipnis

Arif Selcuk Uluagac

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Vivek Bhaskar Agate

Roland Krystian Alberciak

Darren Scott Appling

Manas Vinayak Apte

Mugdha Harshawardhan Barve

Sonali Batra

Nicholas Matthias Beckmann

Kane Duran Bonnette

Marc Buigues Pont

Bastien Arnaud Busson

Camilo Andres Cepeda Tarud

Hardik Anil Chheda

Brian Joseph Davidson

Matthew Tyler DeVries

Siddharth Yashwant Dharmadhikari

Surabhi Diwan

Shreyansh Prakash Gandhi

Chinmay Dhananjay Gangakhedkar

Shantanu Shankar Gupta

Umayr Hassan

Yiyi Huang

Sharada Prasad Jakka

Samir Shivling Jamkhande

Dinesh Ashok Joshi

Gurlal Singh Kahlon

Sung Won Kang

Piotr Wladyslaw Kozikowski

Bhavani Krishnan

Gaurav Jagdish Kulkarni

Hariprasad Kumar

Jeonggyu Lee

Kwangyoung Lee

Hrishikesh Nandkishor Mantri Swetha Padma Markonda Patnaikuni Siddharth Mehta Balaji Palanisamy

**Jaebeom Park** 

Brandon Zane Pitman

Bharath S. Rengarajan

**Jacob Heinz Schiefer** 

Vinava Ramkrishna Shenov

Radhika Shishir Shivapurkar

Rashmi Subramanian

John Colin Sweeney

Rohan Girish Tiwari

Amit Suresh Warke

Lateef D. Yusuf

Deepak Mahesh Zambre

Ye Zhang

Yanjun Zhao

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Esfandiar Bakhtiarnejad

George Orin Boone

**Emily Allison Diez** 

Stephen M. Ellis

David Allen Fox Jr.

Blake Deryl Israel

Siwan Liu Karla Luna

Frederick Sumaoang Plan

Rachael L. Shackelford

Kerri Ann Summey

Brittany Mae Taylor

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN DIGITAL MEDIA

Tanla E. Bilir

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HISTORY AND SOCIOLOGY OF TECHNOLOGY

AND SCIENCE Albert A. George II

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC POLICY

Chelsea Arkin

Esfandiar Bakhtiarnejad

William Matthew Cox

Austin Cartwright Dickson

Nancy Marie Galewski

Mary Beth Hawes

Pooja Kumarhia Charles Ross Moseley Jr.

Samina Tabasum Panwhar

Charlotte Cote Sutphin Elizabeth Natalie Webster

#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN **BUILDING CONSTRUCTION**

AND FACILITY MANAGEMENT Gregory Keith Adams

Sarah Marie Allen

Wyatt Coleman Anderson

John H. Beach

Daniel Igor Biber

Brett M. Boyle John Joseph Burrescia Jr. Michael Tufts Clark Kenneth Richard Corsini Joseph Don Couch James Reynolds Danko Jabbar R. Enahora Keith Brubaker English Farin Farvid Oliver Dan Fernandez III Michael Ross Funches Joseph L. Geierman III Aly Sameh Gemei Nikhil Krishna Godha Michael James Greene Rajinderpal Singh Grewal Laura McKee Hammond Joseph C. Harper Chih Kuo Hung Farnaz Jafari Abhilasha Jain Yong-Hwan Kim Lynette Black Lippert **Brett James Lundy** Mohammad Nadizadeh Rebecca Lyn Owens Sundeep Vinu Patel **Jared Clark Penny** Mothusi P. Phometsi Hassan Pourazima Matthew Albert Randolph Charles Lee Rose George Sawaya Yashesh M. Shah Eamon Peter Shelton Ronald J. Sturgeon Jeffrey Hunter Tucker Katherine Michelle Vonderhaar Christopher David Weaver **Iason Alan Weeks** Matthew Malone Wren

#### MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

Jin Han Cho Rabia Masud Joi Elizabeth Ricks Rolando Rodriguez Jeffrey Fisher Williams

Eunhwa Yang

#### MASTER OF CITY AND **REGIONAL PLANNING**

Claudius Caesar Anderson II M. Beth Hawes Heather Anne Hussey Kaleah De'Nay Lambert Hae Seon Lee Charles Ross Moseley Jr. Eric Pfeifer

Zackary Martin Ray Sarah McCord Smith Richard James Tyran Jeffrey Fisher Williams

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## President G. P. Peterson, PhD



G. P. Peterson became the eleventh president of the Georgia Institute of Technology on April 1, 2009. Previously, he served as chancellor of the University of Colorado at Boulder and as provost of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, New York. He also served for nineteen years on the faculty of Texas A&M University, holding the positions of head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, executive associate dean of the College of Engineering, Tenneco Professor in the College of Engineering, and Halliburton Professor of Mechanical Engineering. He also served as associate vice chancellor for Engineering for the Texas A&M University System.

Peterson holds bachelor's degrees in mechanical engineering and mathematics, and a master's degree in engineering from Kansas State University, as well as a doctorate in mechanical engineering from Texas A&M University.

A distinguished scientist, Peterson was selected in 2008 by former President George W. Bush to serve on the National Science Board through 2014. The Board oversees the National Science Foundation (NSF) and advises the President and Congress on national policy related to science and engineering research and education.

In 1981 and 1982, Peterson served as a visiting research scientist at the NASA Johnson Space Center. In 1985, he joined the mechanical engineering faculty at Texas A&M, where he conducted research and taught courses in thermodynamics and heat transfer. In 1993, Peterson served as program director for the NSF's Thermal Transport and Thermal Processing Division, where he received the NSF Award for Outstanding Management.

Throughout his career, Peterson has played an active role in helping

to establish the national education and research agendas, serving on numerous industry, government, and academic task forces and committees. He also has served on a number of congressional task forces, research councils, and advisory boards, including the Office of Naval Research, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the Department of Energy, the National Research Council, and the National Academy of Engineering.

Most recently, Peterson was a member of the Board of Directors and vice president for Education for the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA). He has served on a number of national accreditation agencies, with a focus on improving and assessing outcomes for higher education.

As chancellor of the University of Colorado at Boulder, Peterson led the development of a new universitywide strategic plan that defines the vision for the university for the next twenty years. In his nearly three years as chancellor, public support for the university increased dramatically. Under his leadership, freshman applications increased by 35 percent, underrepresented minorities in the freshman class increased by 38 percent, sponsored research increased by more than 18 percent, and private support and philanthropy increased by more than 80 percent.

A fellow of both the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) and the AIAA, Peterson is the author or co-author of 14 books or book chapters, 175 refereed journal articles, and more than 140 conference publications. He also holds a total of eight patents, with two others pending.

Peterson and his wife, Val, have four adult children.

# Doctoral and Master's Speaker Regina E. Dugan, PhD

Appointed by Secretary of Defense Robert M. Gates, Dr. Regina E. Dugan was sworn in as the nineteenth director of the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) in July.

Founded in 1958 as a response to the Soviet Union's launch of Sputnik, DARPA's mission is to prevent strategic surprise for the United States as well as create strategic surprise for the country's adversaries. DARPA is the principal agency within the Department of Defense for research, development, and demonstration of high-risk, high-payoff projects for current and future combat forces.

Experienced in counterterrorism and defense against explosive threats, Dugan first served the nation as a DARPA program manager from 1996 to 2000. During this time, she directed a diverse \$100 million portfolio of programs including the "Dog's Nose" program, an effort focused on the development of an advanced, field-portable system for detecting the explosive content of land mines. In 1999, Dugan was named DARPA Program Manager of the Year for her efforts, and in 2000 she was awarded the prestigious Bronze deFleury Medal by the Army Engineer Regiment. She is also the recipient of the Office of the Secretary of Defense Award for Exceptional Service and the Award for Outstanding Achievement.

Dugan's contributions to the United States military are numerous. She led a counterterrorism task force for the deputy secretary of Defense in 1999 and, from 2001 to 2003, served as a special advisor to the vice chief of staff of the Army, completing a Quick Reaction Study on Countermine for Enduring Freedom. The results of this study were subsequently briefed to

joint senior military leadership and successfully implemented in the field.

Prior to her appointment as director of DARPA, Dugan co-founded and served as president and CEO of Dugan Ventures, a niche investment firm. In 2005, Dugan Ventures founded RedXDefense LLC, a privately held company devoted to innovating solutions for combating explosive threats, of which Dugan also served as president and CEO. From private industry, she brings a wealth of management, finance, product development, and marketing experience to DARPA.

Widely recognized for her leadership in technology development and an experienced public speaker, Dugan has appeared on the Discovery Channel, National Public Radio, and The AAAS Science Report. Her projects have been the subject of articles in The New York Times Science Times. The New York Times Circuits, Forbes, The Wall Street Journal, Chemical and Engineering News, and Science News. Additionally, Dugan has participated in wideranging studies for the Defense Science Board, Army Science Board, National Research Council, and the Science Foundation, and sat on the Naval Research Advisory Committee and the Defense Threat Reduction Agency and Technology Panel.

Dugan holds a doctoral degree in mechanical engineering from the California Institute of Technology, and master's and bachelor's degrees from Virginia Tech. She is the sole inventor or co-inventor on multiple patents and patents pending. Co-author of Engineering Thermodynamics, she is the first female director of DARPA.



# Morning Bachelor's Speaker Richard H. Truly



Vice Admiral Richard H. Truly became NASA's associate administrator for Space Flight in 1986, leading the painstaking rebuilding of the Space Shuttle program. This was highlighted by NASA's celebrated "return to flight" in 1988, when Discovery lifted off from Kennedy Space Center on the first shuttle mission in nearly three years.

Before returning to NASA, the former shuttle astronaut served as the first commander of the Naval Space Command in Dahlgren, Virginia. His career in the U.S. Navy began in 1959, when he was commissioned an ensign. This coincided with his graduation from Georgia Tech, where he was a Naval ROTC midshipman and earned a bachelor's degree in aeronautical engineering.

Following flight school, Truly was designated a naval aviator in 1960. His initial tour of duty was aboard the USS Intrepid and USS Enterprise, and he made more than 300 carrier landings. From 1963 to 1965, he was a student and then an instructor at the U.S. Air Force Aerospace Research Pilot School at Edwards Air Force Base in California.

In 1965, Truly became one of the first military astronauts selected for the Air Force's Manned Orbiting Laboratory program in Los Angeles, and transferred to NASA as an astronaut in 1969. He served as capsule communicator for all three Skylab missions in 1973 and the Apollo-Soyuz mission in 1975. As a naval aviator, test pilot, and astronaut, Truly logged more than 7,500 hours in numerous military and civilian jet aircraft.

Truly was pilot for one of the twoastronaut crews that flew the 747/ Space Shuttle Enterprise approach and landing test flights during 1977. His first space flight was in November 1981

as pilot of Space Shuttle Columbia, the first piloted spacecraft to be reflown in space. His second flight in 1983 was as commander of Space Shuttle Challenger, the first night launch and landing in the shuttle program. After leaving NASA, Truly became vice president and director of the Georgia Tech Research Institute.

In 1989, Truly was awarded the Presidential Citizen's Medal, His NASA awards include two NASA Distinguished Service Medals, the NASA Outstanding Leadership Medal, two NASA Exceptional Service Medals, and two NASA Space Flight Medals. His military decorations include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, the Defense Superior Service Medal, two Legions of Merit, the Navy Distinguished Flying Cross, and the Meritorious Service Medal.

Truly has twice received the Robert J. Collier Trophy and the Robert H. Goddard Memorial Trophy. Other awards include the Society of Experimental Test Pilots' Ivan C. Kincheloe Award and James H. Doolittle Award, the Federation Aeronautique Internationale Gold Space Medal, the Harmon International Trophy, the Thomas D. White Space Trophy, the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Haley Space Flight Award, the American Astronautical Society's Flight Achievement Award and John F. Kennedy Astronautics Award, the Air Force Association's David C. Shilling Award, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Aviation and Space Gold Medal.

A native of Fayette, Mississippi, Truly is married to Colleen "Cody" Hanner, and they have three children, five grandchildren, and three greatgrandchildren.

# Afternoon Bachelor's Speaker William R. Nuti

Bill Nuti is chairman and chief executive officer of NCR Corporation, a global technology company with 22,400 employees and 2008 revenue of approximately \$5.32 billion. Under Nuti's leadership, NCR is transforming itself into "a self-service giant," leading how the world connects, interacts, and transacts with business. NCR's assisted- and self-service solutions and comprehensive support services address the needs of the financial services, retail and hospitality, travel and gaming, entertainment, healthcare and public sector, and software and technology services industries in more than 100 countries.

Nuti has a wealth of global and industry-specific experience in high technology. Before joining NCR in 2005, he served as president and CEO of Symbol Technologies, where he led a challenging but highly successful turnaround effort. Under Nuti's leadership, Symbol returned to profitability for the first time in five years, and from 2002 to 2004 increased revenue growth by 24 percent.

Nuti joined Symbol following more than ten years at Cisco Systems, where he held positions of increasing responsibility, advancing to the dual role of senior vice president of the company's Worldwide Service Provider Operations and senior vice president of U.S. Theater Operations. In these roles, he led Cisco's field operations, technical operations, professional services, marketing, and U.S. sales divisions. Prior to that, Nuti served as president of Europe, Middle East, and Africa (EMEA) and more than doubled Cisco's revenue to more than \$7 billion in the region. Prior to

his EMEA assignment, Nuti was senior vice president of the Asia/Pacific region and increased revenue more than 200 percent while developing key markets such as China and India.

In nearly five years at NCR, Nuti has led the company to consecutive year-over-year profit improvement every quarter while growing revenues consistently. NCR's stock has appreciated by more than 50 percent during his tenure. From 1998 to 2006, NCR's compound annual growth rate was less than 1 percent, compared to a growth rate of more than 8 percent in 2007. In addition, during 2007 NCR's financial self-service revenues grew 15 percent, while self-service revenues in other industries grew at a combined 20 percent. In 2008, NCR achieved revenue growth of 7 percent.

During this time, Nuti successfully executed the spin-off of Teradata, one of NCR's business units, in the third quarter of 2007.

Nuti has affected transformational change to position NCR for profitable growth, a leading cost structure, and brand relevance. In March 2008, Time magazine's cover story, "10 ideas that are changing the world," highlighted the global self-service movement as the number two revolutionary idea and identified Nuti as the thought leader behind this consumer-driven movement.



## The Mace



In academic ceremonies, the mace is an ornamental staff carried as a symbol of authority. The office of the mace bearer, though purely ornamental, dates back to medieval England when special occasions required the use of a bodyguard. In colonial America, the mace became a symbol of office when it was used in conjunction with academic regalia.

The Georgia Tech mace carried in today's ceremony was designed by Cabell Heyward, a former research scientist in the College of Architecture, and was first used in April 1988 at the presidential installation of John P. Crecine. The mace was made possible by a gift from the Georgia Tech Student Foundation and the Class of 1934.

The primary focus of the mace is its three brass rods, which demonstrate the principle of "tensegrity," a concept of structure combining tension and integrity developed by R. Buckminster Fuller in 1927. The integrity, or wholeness, of the mace is maintained by each of the rods being held in place by the tension of the steel wire; the rods do not touch one another at any point.

The brass rods symbolize the three primary components of Georgia Tech's mission: education, research, and service. The gold

color of the brass and the white color of the steel wire represent Georgia Tech's colors. The mace also incorporates three silver metallic seals, which are reproductions of the official seal of the state of Georgia, the original seal of Georgia Tech, and the current seal of the Institute.

The mace was fabricated by Mr. Heyward and Arthur Schoenfeld, who are both formerly with the Center for Assistive Technology and Environmental Access in the College of Architecture, in conjunction with Atlanta jeweler Robert Nagle.

# Colleges and Primary Units of Georgia Tech

#### **COLLEGE OF COMPUTING**

The College of Computing has been defining the new face of computing since its inception nearly twenty years ago. Now consisting of two schools and an academic division, the College pushes the boundaries of knowledge far beyond the traditional world of programming, not only recognizing but championing all platforms and applications. Prominent alumni of the College include Craig Mundie (1972), chief research and strategy officer for Microsoft; and Rich DeMillo (1972), former Hewlett-Packard chief technology officer who served as dean of the College from 2002-2008.

The College has five affiliated interdisciplinary research centers:

the Georgia Tech Information Security Center (GTISC); the Graphics, Visualization, and Usability Center (GVU); Center for Experimental Research in Computer Systems (CERCS); the Robotics & Intelligent Machines Center at Georgia Tech (RIM@GT); and the Algorithms and Randomness Center & ThinkTank (ARC ThinkTank).

A total of 1,669 students are enrolled in the College, including approximately 894 undergraduates and 775 graduate students.



JAMES D. FOLEY, PHD Interim Dean, College of Computing



KENNETH J. KNOESPEL, Interim Dean. Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts

#### IVAN ALLEN COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

The only program of its kind in the country, the Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts conducts broad-based interdisciplinary education and research linking study of the social sciences and humanities to technology, computing, and science, and exploring their impact on society, culture, and policy. The College has 1,950 students enrolled in bachelor's, master's, and doctoral programs, including innovative joint degree programs.

Founded in 1990, Ivan Allen College is a young and optimistic center of learning comprised by six schools: Economics; History, Technology, and Society; the Sam Nunn School of International Affairs; Literature, Communication, and Culture; Modern Languages;

and Public Policy. The College is internationally recognized for its curricula and research centers in the fields of digital information and interactive game design, educational technologies, history of technology, Internet governance, international economics, international security, the advancement of women in science and engineering, environmental policy, and technology policy. It offers international language and culture programs including the Languages for Business and Technology Program. The College is also the home of Georgia Tech's Army, Navy, and Air Force ROTC units.

Ivan Allen graduates assume leadership roles in law, industry, government, and education.



ALAN H. BALFOUR, MFA Dean, College of Architecture

#### COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE

Connecting science, technology, and the arts, the College of Architecture champions advancements in the designed and built environment. The extraordinary legacy of its one hundred year history is evident around the globe—from the invention of the atrium hotel by John C. Portman (1950) to the design for the World Trade Center Memorial in New York by Michael Arad (1999).

In the Fall of 2008, 1,206 students were enrolled in academic programs in Architecture, Building Construction, City and Regional Planning, Industrial Design, or Music Technology; and roughly 1,200 students, representing all colleges at Georgia Tech, enroll in

music courses each semester. The leading producer of research nationally among schools of architecture and the arts, the College houses seven interdisciplinary research centers: the Center for Music Technology, the Center for Assistive Technology and Environmental Access, the Center for Geographic Information Systems, the Construction Resources Center, the Advanced Wood Products Laboratory, the Interactive Media Architecture Group in Education, and the Center for Quality Growth and Regional Development.

#### **COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT**

The intersection of business and technology is at the heart of the College of Management, the business school at Georgia Tech. Today that focus is more relevant than ever before. Leveraging Georgia Tech's strengths in entrepreneurship and technology innovation, the College prepares students to succeed in the rapidly changing world of high-tech business. The interdisciplinary nature of the curriculum stresses teamwork, cultural diversity, and relevant solutions to real-world problems to create a solid educational foundation for the business leaders of tomorrow.

Georgia Tech's business school, which enrolled approximately 1,300 undergraduates and 525 graduate students in Fall 2008, has earned a place among the most highly

respected business programs in the nation since it was established in 1913. Today, the business school offers bachelor's, MBA, executive master's, and PhD degrees, as well as a wide range of programs for executives and professionals.



STEVEN R. SALBU, PHD Dean, College of Management

#### COLLEGE OF SCIENCES

Established from the former College of Sciences and Liberal Studies, the College of Sciences provides programs in the natural, mathematical, and behavioral sciences.

The specialized academic programs in the Schools of Applied Physiology, Biology, Chemistry and Biochemistry, Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, and Psychology attract students who have a strong interest in science and mathematics and are interested in relating their educational experience to social, governmental, industrial, and postgraduate fields.

In the Fall of 2008, the College enrollment was 1,164 undergraduate students and 785 graduate

students. Some high-profile graduates of the College of Sciences are Ashworth Stull (1937), inventor of the "White Glue" that became known as Elmer's Glue; Glen P. Robinson Ir. (1948, 1950), founder of Scientific-Atlanta and owner of patents on solar energy and antenna systems and energy; Kary B. Mullis (1966), inventor of the polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and a 1993 Nobel Prize recipient in chemistry; Gilbert F. Amelio (1965, 1967, 1968). former chairman and CEO, Apple Computer; and Nancy "Jan" Davis (1975), astronaut.



PAUL L. HOUSTON, PHD Dean, College of Sciences



DON P. GIDDENS, PHD Dean, College of Engineering

#### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

From the opening of the Institute and the establishment of the School of Mechanical Engineering in 1888, the College of Engineering has continually grown. Today, the college incorporates nine engineering schools with a Fall 2008 full-time enrollment of 11,079 undergraduate and graduate students. The College consistently ranks among the top five engineering schools in the country, both in size and program quality.

The current dean of the college, Don P. Giddens (1967), earned all three of his degrees at Tech. Other outstanding engineering alumni include: G. Wayne Clough (1965), secretary, The Smithsonian Institution and former Georgia Tech president; Ronald Wayne Allen (1964), former chairman and CEO. Delta Air Lines: Michael T.

Duke (1971), president and CEO, Wal-Mart USA; Walter G. Ehmer (1989), president and COO, Waffle House: Thomas L. Gossage (1956, 1957), former chairman, president, and CEO, Hercules; H. Scott Howell (1951), executive vice president (retired), Russell Corp.; James R. Jolly Jr. (1964), chairman and CEO, Johnson and Johnson Industries; Eric Boe (1997), Shane Kimbrough (1998), Sandra Magnus (1996), and John W. Young (1952), NASA astronauts; Thomas J. Malone (1963, 1966), executive vice chairman (retired), Milliken and Co.; H. Milton Stewart (1961), former chairman and CEO, the Standard Group Inc.; Robert T. "Bobby" Jones (1922), world-renowned golfer; Jean A. Mori (1958), CEO, Mori Luggage and Gifts; and George W. Woodruff (1917), philanthropist.



JOSEPH W. EVANS Class of 1971 Chair, Georgia Tech Alumni Association

#### **GEORGIA TECH ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

All graduates belong to the Georgia Tech Alumni Association, an exclusive network of 120,000 alumni worldwide tied together by the experience of Georgia Tech. Participation in the Alumni Association is the best way to maintain a lifelong connection and leverage the true power of the Tech degree.

Through the Association, alumni get immediate access to benefits, programs, and services to enrich their careers and lives. Among these are career-related services such as networking and job search, geographical clubs and affinity groups, special events, alumni travel, and ongoing communications such as the Alumni Magazine (first published in 1923) and Buzzwords.

In addition, the Association manages Roll Call, Tech's annual fund that allows the Institute to better serve students, address unexpected issues, and capitalize on breaking opportunities. State funding and tuition cover approximately half of the cost of a Georgia Tech education today. The remainder is dependent upon private funding such as alumni support.

The Association is headquartered at the L. W. "Chip" Robert Jr. Alumni/Faculty House at 190 North Avenue. Fund-raising efforts are under way to renovate and expand the building to enable the Association to more effectively serve an ever-growing alumni community.

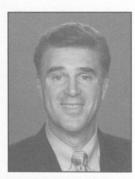
#### **GEORGIA TECH ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION**

At Georgia Tech, academics and athletics truly do mix, and the Institute is rich in both traditions. Tech's fifteen intercollegiate athletic teams—managed by the Georgia Tech Athletics Association—compete on the NCAA Division I level within the twelve-member Atlantic Coast Conference, a league that places high emphasis on academics. Memorable alumni include Robert Tyre "Bobby" Jones, 1930 winner of golf's Grand Slam; Olympic track gold medalists Angelo Taylor, Antonio McKay, Derrick Adkins, and Derek Mills; basketball standouts Chris Bosh, Mark Price, and John Salley; baseball greats Mark Teixeira, Nomar Garciaparra, and Jason Varitek; professional golfers David Duval, Stewart Cink, and Matt Kuchar; and sixteen

members of the National Football Foundation's College Football Hall of Fame.

Tech athletes have been led by legendary coaches such as Bobby Dodd, 1945-66; John Heisman, 1904-19; William Alexander, 1920-44; John "Whack" Hyder, 1952-73; and Bobby Cremins, 1982-2000.

Intramural sports are available to all students. More than twenty activities, ranging from crew to weight training, are offered.



DAN RADAKOVICH JR. Athletics Director

#### GEORGIA TECH RESEARCH INSTITUTE

The Georgia Tech Research Institute is a highly regarded applied research and development organization. Each day, GTRI's science and engineering expertise is used to solve some of the toughest problems facing government and industry across the nation and around the globe.

GTRI redefines innovation by tackling customers' most complex challenges with the right mix of expertise, creativity, and practicality. Nearly 1,300 expert scientists, engineers, and support staff turn ideas into workable solutions and then put those solutions into action.

A non-profit research institute and trusted government and industry partner since 1934, GTRI teams with its customers to attack their problems with passion and objectivity. In 2008, GTRI won more than \$180 million in sponsored research contracts from government and industry customers.

GTRI and Georgia Tech's academic units have complementary missions and work together to solve customers' technical problems. The strong connection to Georgia Tech opens the door to the vast intellectual resources of one of America's leading research universities. In addition, GTRI is the largest employer of Georgia Tech students, annually providing real-world research experience to more than 200 future innovators.



STEPHEN E. CROSS, PHD Director and Vice President, Georgia Tech Research Institute



CATHERINE MURRAY-**RUST. MLIS** Dean and Director of Libraries

#### GEORGIA TECH LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTER

The Georgia Tech Library and Information Center houses collections of scientific and technical information as well as scholarly resources in the humanities and social sciences. It includes more than 6 million items and experiences in excess of 20 million virtual visits to its Web site annually. The Library's goals include increasing the amount and quality of information available at the computer desktop and increasing individual productivity.

For students, the Library is a gathering place—cultivating intellectual inquiry, promoting academic discourse, and fostering knowledge enhancement. For faculty and researchers, the most compelling priority is to advance teaching and research.

In recognition of the Library's robust agenda with digital initiatives such as SMARTech, its transformation of physical spaces, student engagement initiatives, and other innovative programming and services, the Library was awarded the 2007 Excellence in Academic Libraries Award by the Association of College and Research Libraries.

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# Academic Degrees

#### THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE

The bachelor's degree is the oldest academic degree used by American colleges and universities. The degree, which represents completion of a four-year course of study, was first awarded in 1642 to the graduating class of Harvard College.

#### THE MASTER'S DEGREE

The master's degree represents the completion of one or two years of study beyond the bachelor's degree. The degree dates back to the oldest universities in Europe and it usually requires a thesis and an oral examination.

#### THE DOCTORAL DEGREE

The doctoral degree is the most advanced academic degree conferred by American institutions of learning. "Doctor," which means teacher or instructor, was used as a title in the twelfth century to denote men of great learning.

#### THE ALMA MATER

Music by Frank Roman Words by I. H. Granath

Oh, sons of Tech, arise, behold! The Banner as it reigns supreme, For from on high the White and Gold Waves in its triumphant gleam. The spirit of the cheering throng Resounds with joy revealing A brotherhood in praise and song, In memory of the days gone by. Oh Scion of the Southland! In our hearts you shall forever fly. We cherish thoughts so dear for thee, Oh, Alma Mater in our prayer. We plead for you in victory, And in the victory we share! But when the battle seems in vain Our spirits never falter, We're ever one in joy or pain And our union is a lasting bond. Oh! May we be united Till the victory of life is won.

### Tech Traditions

#### **ACADEMIC REGALIA**

The academic regalia worn by today's participants is a colorful relic dating back to the Middle Ages, when education was a function of religious organizations. The monks' habit and the cowl worn over their heads were predecessors of the modern black gowns and hoods. The mortarboard was developed from the skullcaps worn during medieval days by churchmen officiating at religious services.

In 1894, American universities standardized gown styles for the three different types of degrees. Doctoral candidates at Georgia Tech wear customized gold regalia with full rounded sleeves, velvet facings on the front, and velvet bars on the sleeves. Hoods are lined in Georgia Tech's colors of white and gold. The doctoral hood is distinguished by its blue trim, which is the color representing philosophy. Doctoral candidates also wear a six-pointed tam in the same blue trim.

Master's degree candidates wear the traditional black gown with full-length square sleeves that have a crescent-shaped piece hanging from each sleeve. The gowns are also adorned with the Georgia Tech seal. The master's hoods are lined in white and gold and are distinguished on the outside by the color of the College from which they are graduating. Recipients of the bachelor's degree wear a similar black gown, but with no hood and no additional material at the bottom of the sleeves.

Caps used by master's and bachelor's graduates are traditional mortarboards, and tassels are white and gold.

#### THE RAMBLIN' WRECK

I'm a Ramblin' Wreck from Georgia Tech And a hell of an engineer A helluva, helluva, helluva Helluva, hell of an engineer. Like all the jolly good fellows, I drink my whiskey clear. I'm a Ramblin' Wreck from Georgia Tech And a hell of an engineer.

Oh! If I had a daughter, sir, I'd dress her in white and gold And put her on the campus To cheer the brave and bold. But if I had a son, sir I'll tell you what he'd do—He would yell "To Hell with Georgia" Like his daddy used to do.

Oh! I wish I had a barrel of rum And sugar three thousand pounds, A college bell to put it in, And a clapper to stir it 'round. I'd drink to all good fellows Who come from far and near. I'm a Ramblin', Gamblin' Hell of an engineer.



