

EVENTS

ARTS & CULTURE

Through Oct. 2

The School of Industrial Design, the Institute for People and Technology, the Wearable Computing Center, and the GVU Center present *On You: Wearing Technology* at the Museum of Design Atlanta. The museum, located in Midtown, is open Tuesday through Sunday. Hours vary. museumofdesign.org

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Sept. 21

Human Resources hosts a Be Well session on Using Your Leave for Maternity from noon to 1 p.m. in Room 320, Student Center. c.gatech.edu/bewell-maternity

Sept. 22

The Kaiser Permanente Corporate Run/Walk 5K will take place at 6:30 p.m. at Turner Field. Employees can sign up with the Georgia Tech team for \$10. Learn more at c.gatech.edu/kp5k

TRAINING

Sept. 16

A Tech Teaching Talk will focus on what peer teaching looks like at Georgia Tech and how to prepare, support, and evaluate students who teach students. The discussion takes place from 1 to 2 p.m. in Room 469, Clough Commons. ctl.gatech.edu

Sept. 20

The Georgia Tech Library hosts a free class on Adobe InDesign for beginners from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in the Homer Rice Center, Ground Floor. c.gatech.edu/multimediaclasses

Sept. 21

The Georgia Tech Library hosts a free Literature Review Boot Camp from 4 to 5 p.m. in the Homer Rice Center, Ground Floor. library.gatech.edu

Sept. 22

The Center for Teaching and Learning hosts a workshop on *Encouraging Intellectual Development and Critical Thinking* from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Peachtree Room, Student Center. ctl.gatech.edu

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‘Creating the Next’: A Rallying Cry for Campus

DAVE HOLSTON
INSTITUTE COMMUNICATIONS

How do you express the character of a place as diverse as Georgia Tech?

After grappling with that question for years, Tech has — through a recent collaboration of staff, students, faculty, and leadership — created a single powerful message that unifies all of our work: Creating the Next. The message expresses Tech’s core purpose of making the world a better place by creating the next idea, the next technology, and the next legion of agile minds — bound together with the passion and skills to imagine and build our future.

“Creating the Next differentiates Tech in our national landscape as a place deeply committed to inspiring students to imagine what they could achieve on campus and well beyond,” says Rick Clark, director of Undergraduate Admission.

Initially featured in the 2015 Institute Address, Creating the Next was quickly adopted by many parts of campus.

The key to introducing the idea was to have people see themselves in it and feel that it reflected who they were and what they did. Since then, the Creating the Next tagline has been appearing in news articles, feature stories, on the Tech website, and even in the title of the Commission on Creating the Next in Education.

Based on extensive research focused on Georgia Tech’s key stakeholders and interviews with Georgia Tech’s leader-



Photo by Camille Pendley

New students sport the Creating the Next T-shirts received at the start of the semester.

ship, Creating the Next was developed to amplify Tech’s unique value, create increased awareness and understanding of our work, and bring stability and direction to one of our most valuable assets: our reputation.

“Our reputation is built not only through hard work and dedication to our motto of Progress and Service, but also through clear and consistent communication with our students, our partners, and the friends of the Institute. When we speak, act, and perform as ‘One Georgia Tech,’ the entire Institute benefits,” says President G.P. “Bud” Peterson.

One Message, Three Pillars

Creating the Next not only communicates our overarching mission of innovation, it also speaks to our work ethic and value. Three unique characteristics that set Georgia Tech apart from our peers include our collaborative and open-minded culture, our can-do attitude,

and our worth as an investment for students and partners. By consistently weaving these key messages into our content, we remind audiences about our distinctive traits.

- **Unbound:** We’re unbound by limitations, expectations, or stereotypes, making it easy to embrace fresh thinking and perspectives, and freeing us to be daring as we seek new answers.
- **Inventive and Industrious:** We’re inventive and industrious in our approach to any problem, drawing on the necessary expertise, thinking, and tools to come up with solutions that have an amazingly broad spectrum of application.
- **Real-World Returns:** We’re focused on return on investment (ROI) in all that we do, which means preparing our people and our solutions to have immediate application and demand in the real world.

Making it Personal

Most message architectures are fairly rigid, but not Tech’s.

The tagline was designed so that the entire campus could see themselves in it. The campus is encouraged to personalize Creating the Next to reflect what they do by filling in the blank as topic-appropriate (e.g. Creating the Next Clean Energy Source, Creating the Next Medical Breakthrough, Creating the Next Green Campus). This open approach facilitates the fact that the diverse community of students, staff, and faculty at Georgia Tech contributes to making the world a better place.

To learn more about Creating the Next, visit gatech.edu/creating-next or comm.gatech.edu/resources/brand.

STUDENT LIFE, from page 1

administration from Auburn University.

Bonnie Weston, formerly the assistant director in the Office of Student Integrity, was named associate dean and director of the Office of Student Integrity. Weston has more than 10 years’ experience working in the realm of student conduct. The Office of Student Integrity also welcomed Dallas Flint, who joins as its coordinator after serving as an area coordinator and student conduct coordinator at Wheaton College.

Following the reorganization of the Division last spring, two Division departments have formally changed their names to better serve the diverse Georgia Tech community. Parent Programs is now Parent and Family Programs, and the Office of Leadership and Civic Engagement is now Student Engagement.

For more on the division, visit:

- Division of Student Life
studentlife.gatech.edu
- Office of Disability Services
disabilityservices.gatech.edu
- Office of Greek Life
greek.gatech.edu
- Office of Student Integrity
osi.gatech.edu



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Morgan



Jamison



Fishman



Weston

Top 10 Things to Know about FLSA

Following a rule change announced by the Department of Labor in May, Georgia Tech announced its plan for moving forward with the new Fair Labor Standards Act Final Rule Set at the end of August. Below are the top things to know about impending changes. Employees should talk with their managers and Human Resources representatives about questions or concerns, or visit c.gatech.edu/flsa.

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| 1. In June 2015, the U.S. Department of Labor proposed changing the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA). In May, official changes were announced with a compliance deadline of Dec. 1. | 6. Converted employees’ pay (compensation) and benefits will remain the same. |
| 2. The minimum salary threshold required for an employee to be exempt from overtime was raised from \$23,660 annually to \$47,476 annually. | 7. Converted employees will not lose accrued vacation time or sick time, and the accrual rate will not change. However, the actual accrual will shift from monthly to biweekly. |
| 3. Decisions for an employee to be exempt or non-exempt were based on U.S. Department of Labor salary and duties tests and University System of Georgia and Institute policies and guidelines. | 8. Employees converting from exempt to non-exempt will need to plan for a transition period between the last exempt paycheck and the first non-exempt paycheck. |
| 4. This change in no way reflects adversely on the value of employees’ work or the importance of their contributions to Georgia Tech. | 9. GTHR and your HR Representative will be available along the way to offer support with information and training resources. |
| 5. Non-exempt employees are required to track time worked. | 10. Communication between managers and affected employees is vital. |



Mark Your Calendars

As a new academic year begins, be sure to note the dates of several upcoming special events.

Annual Events

Retirement Dinner
Thursday, Nov. 10, 2016
6 to 8:30 p.m.
Location TBD

When the Whistle Blows Remembrance Ceremony
Tuesday, April 4, 2017
5:15 to 6 p.m.
Harrison Square

Student Honors Celebration
Thursday, April 20, 2017
5 to 7 p.m.
Location TBD

Faculty and Staff Honors Luncheon
Friday, April 21, 2017
Noon to 1:30 p.m.
Student Center Ballroom

Fall Commencement

Ph.D. Hooding Ceremony
Friday, Dec. 16, 2016
10 to 11:30 a.m.
McCamish Pavilion

President's Graduation Celebration
Friday, Dec. 16, 2016
3 to 5 p.m.
Student Center Ballroom

Ph.D./Master's Ceremony
Friday, Dec. 16, 2016
7 to 9 p.m.
McCamish Pavilion

Undergraduate Ceremony
Saturday, Dec. 17, 2016
9 a.m. to noon
McCamish Pavilion
Ticketed event

Spring Commencement

Ph.D. Hooding Ceremony
Friday, May 5, 2017
10 to 11:30 a.m.
McCamish Pavilion

President's Graduation Celebration
Friday, May 5, 2017
3 to 5 p.m.
Tech Green

Ph.D./Master's Ceremony
Friday, May 5, 2017
7 to 9 p.m.
McCamish Pavilion

Undergraduate A.M. Ceremony
Saturday, May 6, 2017
9 to 11:30 a.m.
McCamish Pavilion
Ticketed event

Undergraduate P.M. Ceremony
Saturday, May 6, 2017
3 to 5:30 p.m.
McCamish Pavilion
Ticketed event

For more information about these and other Special Events at Georgia Tech, visit specialevents.gatech.edu.

FACULTY AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

Tamara Bogdanovic, assistant professor in the School of Physics; **Andrew V. Newman**, associate professor in the School of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences; **Frank J. Stewart**, assistant professor in the School of Biological Sciences; and **Lewis A. Wheaton**, associate professor in the School of Biological Sciences, have been selected as recipients of the Cullen-Peck Fellowships in the College of Sciences.

Luca Dieci, professor in the School of Mathematics; **Facundo Fernández**, professor in the School of Chemistry and Biochemistry and member of the Parker H. Petit Institute for Bioengineering and Bioscience; and **Rodney J. Weber**, professor in the School of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, were recognized by the College of Sciences for exceptional mentoring of colleagues.

The School of Electrical and Computer Engineering's **Magnus Egerstedt** was named executive director of the Institute for Robotics and Intelligent Machines (IRIM). He was also recently appointed as the School's Julian T. Hightower Chair Professor in Systems and Controls.

Bonnie Ferri, professor and associate chair for undergraduate affairs in the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, has been named as the recipient of the 2017 IEEE Undergraduate Teaching Award.

Robert Gemmell, a Georgia Tech alumnus, has been named executive director of the Technological Innovation: Generating Economic Results (TI:GER) Program.

Christopher W. Jones, the Love Family Professor of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, has been selected by the American Institute of Chemical Engineers as the 2016 winner of the Andreas Acrivos Award for Professional Progress in Chemical Engineering.

Dan Margalit, professor in the School of Mathematics, has been selected to receive the inaugural Leddy Family Faculty Fellowship in the College of Sciences.

Russell M. Mersereau, Regents Professor Emeritus in the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, will receive the 2017 IEEE Fourier Award for Signal Processing, which recognizes an outstanding contribution to the advancement of signal processing, other than in the areas of speech and audio processing.

Pat Mokhtarian has been named to the Susan G. and Christopher D. Pappas Professorship in the School of Civil and Environmental Engineering.

Will Ratliff, assistant professor in the School of Biological Sciences, has been named to *Popular Science's* list of "The Brilliant 10," a roster of "the 10 most innovative young minds in science and technology." Ratliff was praised for advancing the study of cellular evolution.

Carrie Shepler, director of first-year chemistry in the School of Chemistry and Biochemistry, was recognized by the College of Sciences with the Eric R. Immel Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Iris Tien, assistant professor in the School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, earned the 2016 Paul A. Duke GIFT Action Plan Achievement Award for her work with Northbrook Middle School teacher Kathylee McElroy to incorporate engineering concepts into McElroy's science lessons.

Mary Ann Weitnauer has been appointed as senior associate chair for the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering.

Kari Watkins has been named to the Frederick L. Olmsted Junior Faculty Professorship in the School of Civil and Environmental Engineering.

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Sept. 27

The Georgia Tech Library hosts a session on using PRIMO, its new catalog and discovery system, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Homer Rice Center, Ground Floor West.
library.gatech.edu

SEMINARS & LECTURES

Sept. 16

Milos Prvulovic delivers a cybersecurity lecture on *Understanding, Alleviating, and Exploiting Electro-Magnetic Side-Channel Signals* from noon to 1 p.m. in Room 102, Pettit Microelectronics Center.
iisp.gatech.edu

Sept. 27

The Institute for Information Security and Privacy hosts Turing Award winner Butler Lampson for the Capital One Fall Distinguished Lecture, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Rooms 1116 E & W, Klaus Advanced Computing Building.
iisp.gatech.edu

MISCELLANEOUS

Sept. 17

Georgia Tech Football hosts Vanderbilt University at 12:30 p.m. at Bobby Dodd Stadium.
ramblinwreck.com

Sept. 19–23

The Office of Postdoctoral Services hosts events for National Postdoc Appreciation Week. The third annual Postdoctoral Research Symposium takes place during the week on Sept. 22 from 12:30 to 6 p.m. at the Pettit Institute.
postdocs.gatech.edu

Sept. 22

The Sam Nunn School of International Affairs and the Honorable Sam Nunn host the biennial Sam Nunn Bank of America Policy Forum to examine what lies ahead and what can be done to address ideological extremism. The forum takes place from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Georgia Tech Research Institute Conference Center. Learn more and register at nunnforum.inta.gatech.edu

Sept. 22

Georgia Tech Football hosts Clemson University at 7:30 p.m. at Bobby Dodd Stadium.
ramblinwreck.com

For a more comprehensive listing of events, or to add your own, visit calendar.gatech.edu.

LIBRARY, from page 1

Use Technology

The Library's Gadget program offers free loans of laptops, digital cameras, camcorders, tablets, GoPros, and more, with varying loan times. New this semester is a self-service kiosk for PC laptops, located on the first floor directly across from the Library Services Desk. Check out time is four hours, and no data can be saved between uses. Mac laptops are available at the Library Services Desk.

The Library is also home to 20 flatbed scanners, large format printers, and a multimedia suite housing computers equipped with software for video editing, photo editing, sound editing, and graphic design.

If you don't know how to use the software, the Library offers free beginner classes in a number of programs, particularly Adobe Creative programs. View upcoming classes at library.gatech.edu.

The Library also recently added lockers with charging equipment where students can leave laptops and other devices to charge during the day. The charging lockers are available for four hours at a

time and are located next to the main entrance on the first floor.

Find a Space

The Library is open 24 hours a day. Floors one and two are designated for collaborative work, while floors three and four are designated as quiet floors for individual study. Space is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

In Clough Commons, space can be reserved online, and rooms will unlock with the reserving BuzzCard. Some rooms can be reserved online through an instant reservation, while others — such as presentation rehearsal space and classrooms — require more approval time. The rooftop garden, atrium, auditoriums, and third floor gallery are all available for event space.

Talk to an Expert

For users whose needs go beyond the basic, the Library provides an Expert Consultation Center weekdays from noon to 4 p.m. on the first floor West, next to the entrance to the fourth floor of Clough Commons. Users can drop in or make an appointment for assistance.



GALLOWAY CAFE



FOOD ANATOMY



LAB COFFEE

Photos by Rob Felt / Story by Kristen Bailey and Lyndsey Lewis

FUELING YOUR WORKDAY

With the fall semester underway, Tech's full population has finally returned after a quiet summer. Of course, that means a lot more people needing caffeine.

There are enough options for caffeine on campus that you need not settle for the same one every day. Whether you like a plain shot of espresso or your drink order contains six words, there are plenty of places on campus to supply your coffee fix.

Blue Donkey

- **Location:** First Floor, Student Center
- **Menu:** Variety of iced coffee flavors, specialty hot and cold brews, smoothies.
- **Atmosphere:** Don't be deterred by Blue Donkey's under-the-stairs spot in the Student Center. The shop's minimalist design, delicious drinks, and friendly baristas make it a campus treasure. If you can't decide what feels right to order, the Four 65 is a great Goldilocks drink: not too dark, not too light, juuuuust right.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Highland Bakery

- **Location:** Bradley Building
- **Menu:** Coffee, espresso, tea, smoothies, juices, breakfast, lunch, and pastries.
- **Atmosphere:** Whether you bring a friend or your laptop, you'll be comfortable here. On a nice day, sit outside and enjoy a view of the French Building, a historic gem in the center of campus. Highland is a chameleon in that its vibe changes as the day progresses, ranging from a bustling restaurant during peak lunch time to a quiet coffee shop later in the afternoon (and early in the morning, as well). Perhaps the best part? They also serve their breakfast menu through lunch.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Food Anatomy

- **Location:** First Floor, Engineered Biosystems Building
- **Menu:** Highland Bakery fare
- **Atmosphere:** If you like Highland Bakery, try its more tranquil sister café. Offering much of the same menu as the main location, Food Anatomy is in a more remote area with less hustle and bustle. Stop here for natural light, comfy seating, and tasteful wood accents.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Java World

- **Location:** College of Computing Building
- **Menu:** Coffee, tea, espresso, pastries, and sandwiches.
- **Atmosphere:** The small counter on the first floor of the College of Computing building has a full array of coffee and light meal or snack options. This spot is not designed for long leisurely dining (though the courtyard offers a secluded spot for a reprieve), but is ideal for a pit stop.
- **Hours:** Monday to Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Galloway Café

- **Location:** First Floor, West Architecture.
- **Menu:** Highland Bakery menu includes coffee and espresso drinks, tea, pastries, snacks, and juices.
- **Atmosphere:** Galloway offers a Georgia Tech staycation: It's relaxing and refreshing despite its central-campus locale. There are some tables near the counter and outside, but if you don't have time to sit, you'll still enjoy checking out nearby posters from the College of Design.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Lab Coffee Compound

- **Location:** BioTech Quad (just north of the Ford ES&T Building)
- **Menu:** Smoothies, coffee, snacks, pastries, hot dogs, fruit.
- **Atmosphere:** The Lab is like those bars that double as old-school arcades: You can play Super Mario Bros. or challenge someone to a board game as you enjoy a drink. (A caffeinated drink, that is – no alcohol here.) With a charmingly weird hot dog menu – not to mention some grab-and-go options – The Lab is also a distant cousin of your favorite convenience store, but with a bring-your-own art gallery wall.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.



Starbucks – Clough Commons

- **Location:** Second Floor (south end)
- **Menu:** Variety of coffee and tea options, smoothies, pastries, snacks.
- **Atmosphere:** A king among campus coffee shops, this Starbucks boasts speedy service to offset its famously long lines. In-store seating can be tough to come by during the fall and spring semesters, but Clough Commons offers plenty of backup options. And on a hot day, there's no better afternoon pick-me-up than a simple coffee Frappuccino.
- **Hours:** Monday to Thursday, 7 a.m. to 2 a.m.; Fridays, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sundays, 11 a.m. to 2 a.m.



Starbucks – Tech Square

- **Location:** Spring and Fifth Streets (inside Barnes & Noble @ Georgia Tech)
- **Menu:** Full array of Starbucks offerings.
- **Atmosphere:** When you cross the interstate into Tech Square, the campus vibe shifts from traditional collegiate to bustling business – and not just because it's home to the Scheller College of Business. With the Advanced Technology Development Center and many startup offices within bean-throwing distance, this location is ground zero for entrepreneurial meetups and coffee runs. Come for coffee, leave with a business partner.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.; opens at 8 a.m. Saturdays and 10 a.m. Sundays.

Dunkin' Donuts

- **Location:** Student Center Food Court
- **Menu:** The usual array of Dunkin' offerings.
- **Atmosphere:** Depending on the time of day, the Student Center Food Court can be calm or chaotic. Either way, Dunkin' will be there for your sugar or caffeine-induced resurgence. Sometimes you just need to literally dunk a donut.
- **Hours:** Weekdays, 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

CLASSIFIEDS

REAL ESTATE/ ROOMMATES

Roommate wanted to share house in East Point (close to MARTA rail stop). \$680/month all inclusive. Private bedroom, shared bath, w/d in unit. Mostly furnished. Must be pet friendly. Available Sept. 1. Contact 479-883-5540 or ashlee.flinn@oie.gatech.edu.

Visiting scholar seeking short-term housing from Sept. 20 through Feb. 20, 2017. Need 1BR or 2BR with kitchen, close to Tech campus. Contact tchalakov@gmail.com.

3BD/3BA house for rent. Perfect for a Tech family. Walk to work, restaurants, and shops. Beautifully renovated with den, office space, backyard with play structure. Within half a mile of Atlantic Station, Georgia Tech, Tech day care. \$2,800/mo. Contact Soojin at 404-271-5454, homepark2rent@gmail.com.

Tech Square 1BR/1BA condo for lease, spacious third floor loft, 1,080 sq. ft. at MidCity Lofts. Kitchen boasts gas range, stainless steel appliances. Large balcony offers views of Midtown and Downtown. Rooftop pool, reserved garage space. \$1,900/mo. Also available furnished. Available Sept. 24. Contact 404-918-8069, chrisdowningpe@yahoo.com.

"A Cottage with a View" — 3BR/2BA peaceful, furnished, waterfront cottage w/ private beach and sundeck along southern Outer Banks (Morehead City, North Carolina). WiFi, central A/C, W/D, DW, rocking chairs, hammocks. Excellent fishing from 430' dock. Boat slips. No smoking or pets. \$1,200/wk. or \$250/nt. More info at vrbo.com/571844. Contact jud.ready@gatech.edu.

Lovely garden apartment in Ansley Park. 2BR/1BA (1,050+ sq. ft.) with parking. 2 mi. from Tech near bus/train lines. Across from Piedmont Park and Atlanta Botanical Garden. Available Sept. 1. \$1,600/mo. but negotiable. Contact 53theprado@gmail.com.

MISCELLANEOUS

Items for sale: Platform black queen bed w/ black and green lacquer dresser, mirror, and chest of drawers, \$300. Oak dining room set w/ four side chairs and two arm chairs, \$350. Living room set, \$400. Oak entertainment unit, \$400. Black iron daybed, \$50. 27' maple TV unit, \$50. Black leather chair, oak office credenza, desk, and three bookshelves, \$400. Photos available upon request. Contact Itcboazz34@gmail.com.

Looking for a carpool partner for the daily commute from East Cobb to Tech campus. Email bdespy@hotmail.com.

Pair of IKEA Henriksdal bar chairs (with backrest) available for \$50. Dark brown frame, cream-colored fabric cover for the seat. Call or text 404-642-4869.

Pair of Pier 1 Papasan rocking chairs available for \$60. Comes with pair of footstools and set of cushions for both chairs and stools. Call or text 404-642-4869.

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