

Georgia Tech Foundation

President's Report

Georgia Tech President G. Wayne Clough

June 9, 2000

Looking ahead to Fall Enrollment

- Planned for small increase (100 +/-)
- Applications up 13% from last year; up 25% from two years ago.
- Average freshman SAT over 1330.
- Expect 12 freshmen with perfect 1600 SATs compared to 6 last year.
- 8 sets of twins, all from Georgia.
- Graduate enrollment to increase slightly.

Georgia Tech Regional Engineering Program a Big Success

- Applications for coming year are double last year's.
- Expect to have 8-9 GTREP faculty on board by August, evenly divided between CE and CompE.
- Will offer 15 courses in fall semester.

Setting New Records

- Research awards on track for all-time high.
- Continuing education sets all-time record of 605,000 hours of instruction.
- GT rankings among year 2000 NSF fellows:
 - 9th as preferred graduate school (19th in 1995)
 - 10th as undergraduate institution (13th in 1995)
 - More engineering fellows hold bachelor's degrees from GT than any other university

Faculty Honors

- 42 CAREER Award winners in 5 years; GT ranks 3rd in the nation.
- 19 Members of the National Academy of Engineering with the arrival of **Dick Lipton** from Princeton.
- **Andrew Lyon**, chemistry and biology, received Beckman Young Investigator Award.

Capital Campaign

- Increased goal to \$600 million.
- \$523 million in hand on May 31.
- Half has come from alumni; a quarter from corporations; remainder from friends and foundations.
- 39 chairs endowed.

State Budget Picture

- University System budget in a holding pattern.
- Planning funds for Yamacraw building and GT's Advanced Computing Technology Building.
- Research initiatives
 - Yamacraw: 24 new faculty, \$7 million for research, 6 member companies and 4 more likely soon, 1st seed fund investment announced
 - GRA: status stabilized, Mike Cassidy new president
 - Bioinformatics/cancer initiative

GT Well Positioned for Federal Research Initiatives

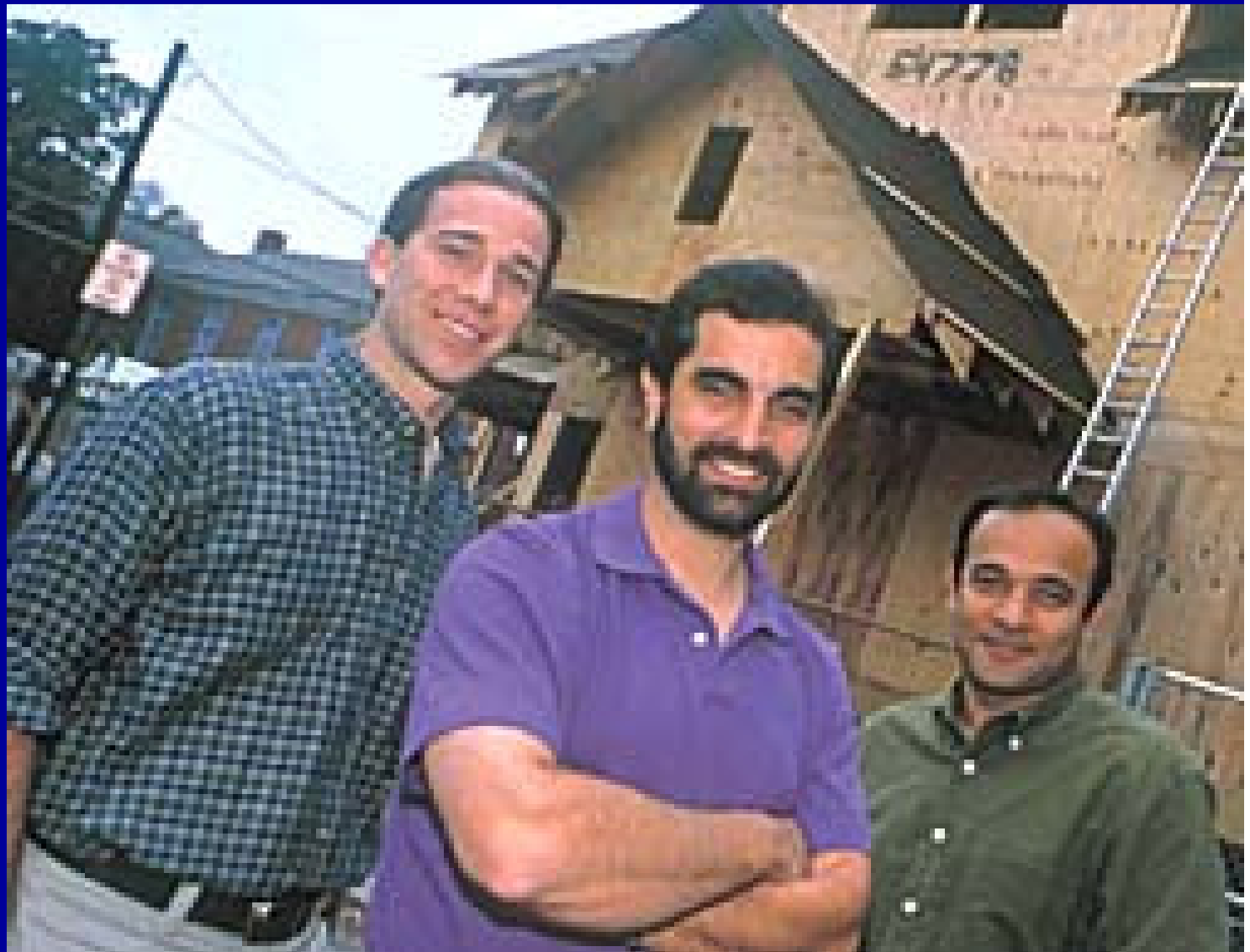
- Biotech and bioinformatics buzzwords on Capitol Hill; strong funding for NIH.
- Nanotechnology a major thrust for NSF.
- Information technology research continues to be very hot and to involve multiple agencies.

Aware Home Opens

Cory Kidd,
student

Dr. Gregory
Abowd

Dr. Irfan Essa



BEM Complex



ES&T:
Bid to be
awarded in
early July

MS&E,
BME:
Contingent
on fund
raising

Advanced Computing Technology Bldg

- State planning funds appropriated
- \$17 m in private funds raised



Undergraduate Learning Center



Board of Regents to consider adding to
System's Capital Outlay List

The Atlanta Constitution

Tech leaping highway to reach high-tech hub

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Tech's goal: Create a Silicon Valley

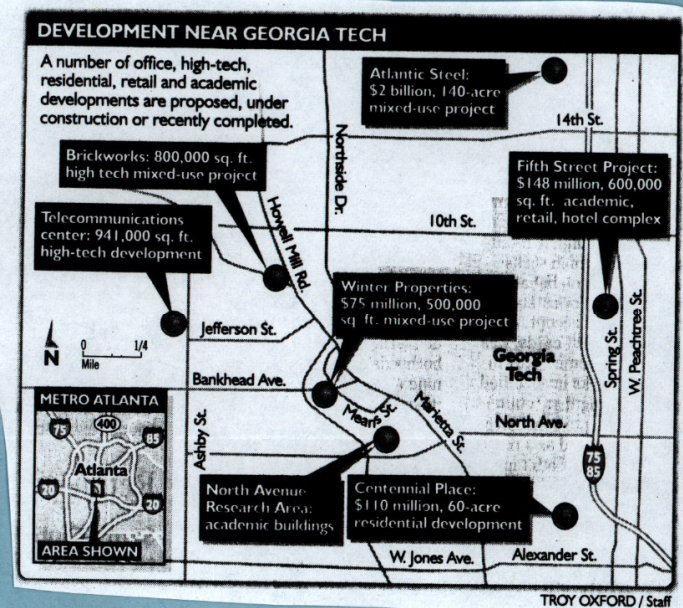
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Fifth Street
Project gets
enthusiastic
media coverage.

Tech plan embraces Midtown expansion

The Atlanta Journal-Constitution

Tuesday, June 6, 2000



Other Facilities

- MRDC-II: ready for occupancy
- SAC-II: in design
- Combustion Lab: up and running
- North Ave Research Area: land purchases complete, COPA developing adjacent business park
- State Street Deck: under construction

Technology Development

- Metro Atlanta Chamber IOM initiative attracts 18 new companies
- Yamacraw: 6 new companies, more coming
- New companies, high-tech office buildings, residential projects continue to flow into neighborhoods around campus.
- ATDC graduates record 19 companies this year representing \$300 m in investments
- EMTech Biotech Park moving into operational phase.