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Get Your Career Moving!



NOVEMBER 14 - 17

Career Services will host a series of fun and engaging activities during National Career Development Week!

[Details Below.](#)

Need Help With Your FAFSA?



NOVEMBER 18

Get a head start on your Financial Aid! Receive one-on-one help with your FAFSA at both campuses!

[Details Below.](#)

F / NOV 11 - Commercial Construction Guild Field Trip

The CCG will be taking a field trip on November 11 at 10 a.m. to Marmi Natural Stone - the Atlanta area's most convenient source for an unprecedented variety of quality natural stone. Please contact [Irish Horsey](#) for more details.

M / NOV 14 - Career Development Week Kick-Off

Join the Career Services team for light breakfast pastries and activities to kick-off a fun and informative week of career development programs. Meet us on the front lawn of building 100 from 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Students, please register for these events on the [GTC Career Link](#).

T / NOV 15 - Resume Critiques

Resumes are an important professional tool. Schedule a 10-minute resume critique and hear valuable feedback to get your resume noticed! Resume critiques will be held in building 700 from 9:30 - 11:30

a.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Students, please register for this event on the [GTC Career Link](#).

T / NOV 15 - Lunch 'n Learn: Am I a "Multipotentialite"?

How do you define career success? What gives your life meaning? You may be a Multipotentialite - a person with no true calling and with many different interests and creative pursuits in life. Here you will learn how to find joy and build a purpose filled, successful life with many career passions and interests. Lunch will be provided. This event will take place in building 700 from 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Students must be registered to attend the event. Register for this event on the [GTC Career Link](#).

W / NOV 16 - Professional Associations Expo

Career Services will host a Professional Associations Expo in the 400 hallway of building 100 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Come out and participate in this engaging event during National Career Development week! Please contact [Susan Goines](#) for more details.

W / NOV 16 - Lunch 'n Learn: Professional Development -vs- Career Development

This session demystifies professional development versus career development, and points out similarities and differences between the two. Learn more about professional associations and the benefits they offer in helping to boost your career. Lunch will be provided. This event will take place in building 100, room 413 from 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Students must be registered to attend the event. Register for this event on the [GTC Career Link](#).

W / NOV 16 - Student Success Workshops

The Retention Support and Special Populations departments will host workshops on Stress Management/Test Anxiety on Wednesday, November 16 at 12 noon and 6 pm on the Lawrenceville campus. Students will have the opportunity to relax and think about tips to get them through the end of semester stress. A meal is provided along with door prizes, but students must RSVP by emailing [Lisa Richardson](#). RSVP's must be received by 12 noon on Tuesday, November 15th.

W / NOV 16 - AITP Meeting

Everyone is welcome to join the AITP meeting in building 700, room 2.201 from 5:00 - 5:45 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. We will have guest speaker Bruce Skillin of Georgia Pacific. He will present on the ins and outs of a new mobile app using photographic keys in locales to have an avatar present info on the locale. It's a really cool concept, similar to Pokemon Go, except it's for serious use. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. For more information please contact [Dr. John Thacher](#).

TH / NOV 17 - Mock Interviews

Get real-life interview experience by practicing with actual employers in a safe setting. Improve your interviewing confidence and ability to make a positive impression with an employer by scheduling a 15 minute mock interview. Students must be registered to attend the event. Register for this event on the [GTC Career Link](#).

TH / NOV 17 - GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club

Join us in Lawrenceville at 6 p.m. in building 200, room 104 for a Thanksgiving Meal and Meeting. Please bring a "covered dish" to share and a canned or dry food item that can be donated to our North Gwinnett Co-Op Feed the Hungry Project. For additional information, please contact [Dr. Penny Waddell](#).

TH / NOV 17 - ISA Meeting

Everyone is welcome to join the Information Security Association meeting in building 700, room 2.206, from 4:30 - 5:45 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. We will have a guest speaker from NexusLexus speaking on the "Vulnerabilities of Bluetooth". Pizza and refreshments will be provided. For more information please contact [Garfield Anderson](#).

TH / NOV 17 - Annual CCG/ Program Advisory Board Student Mixer

The Commercial Construction Guild will co-host a networking event for the commercial construction management students and industry advisors from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity for students to showcase their professionalism and interact with industry leaders. Food and beverages will be served. Please contact [Irish Horsey](#) for more details.

F / NOV 18 - FASFA Friday - Both Campuses!

Do you have Financial Aid questions? Is the FAFSA stressful and confusing? A Financial Aid Specialist will be available; let us help you through the process! Check in at the One Stop in building 100 (LAW) and building A (ANF) from 12 - 3 p.m. For more information, please email the [Financial Aid Office](#) or call 678-226-6677.

Future Dates

November 21-27 - Thanksgiving Break
December 1 - SkillsUSA Meeting



HEALTHY TIP

How Giving to Others Makes You Healthier and Happier

Many people know that volunteering offers vital help to people in need, worthwhile causes, and the community. However, did you know that the benefits of giving back can be even greater for you, the volunteer? The benefits of volunteering can help you reduce stress, find friends, and reach out the community! *Helpguide.org* provides us with the benefits of volunteering:

1. Connects you to others
2. Has the potential to advance your career
3. Brings fun and fulfillment to your life and others
4. Volunteering is good for your mind and body

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If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) with your suggestions!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Annual Toys for Tots Drive

The Annual Toys for Tots Drive, sponsored by the Office of Veterans Affairs, is kicking off this season! Make a child's holiday special! Donate new, unwrapped toys by Wednesday December 7, 2016 to any of the following locations on campus: Office of Veterans Affairs - Building 100, Room 323
Automotive Technology - Building 300, Room 932
Foundation Office - Building 700, Suite 2.600
Office of Student Affairs - Building 100, Room 807



Question? Email [Brian Powell](#).



Kaiser Permanente Thrive

The Kaiser Permanente Bridge Program is uniquely designed to help the uninsured and/or low-income pay for a standard Kaiser Permanente for Individuals and Families (KPIF) plan. The program will subsidize the full monthly premium for up to 24 months. Coverage includes preventive services, hospitalization, comprehensive pharmacy, and more. Open Enrollment begins in November. Contact GTCWIOA@gwinnettech.edu for more information about Open Enrollment events at GTC!

GTC Student's Toastmasters Community Service Project

Please help the GTC Student's Toastmasters Club members provide food for needy families this Thanksgiving season through the North Gwinnett Co-Op. Dry and canned food items may be delivered to the Student Center in building 100 or to building 200, room 115 on the Lawrenceville campus and at the Alpharetta - North Fulton campus between now and Thanksgiving. For more information, please contact [Dr. Waddell](#).



Quality Childcare Available on Campus

Do you have young children? Do you know of someone who is looking for a high quality child care center for their child? The Hudgens Early Education Center is the best place for all children! Please come in for a visit today (building 800)! Or call for more information 678-226-6510. Enrolling children 6 weeks to 5 years. Open daily from 7:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. Enrollment is open to the community! Childcare tuition assistance is available for full time GTC students and we accepts CAPS.

Run, Hide, Fight

As a part of Gwinnett Tech's preparedness objective, we want to provide everyone with a safe and healthy learning environment. With the increase of incidents on college campuses, schools and public places, it is increasingly important to have a plan for how to respond in an active shooter situation. Students and employees can help prevent and prepare for potential active shooter situations by viewing the "Run, Hide, Fight - Surviving an Active Shooter Event" video. The video will assist you in planning for your personal safety. [watch video](#).



Collecting Aluminum Can Tabs

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist Club and the Association for Radiologic Technologist are collecting can tabs. One gallon of tabs equals a one night stay in the Ronald McDonald House for a family. Together, we've already collected eight gallons, but we can do more! Help us by bringing your aluminum can tab donations to building 200 - room 121, 245, 133 or the student lounge. Thank you for your support!

You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC!

[Shop Amazon Smile](#) is giving back and all you have to do is go to the website and choose "Gwinnett Tech Foundation". The GTC Foundation will receive .05% of every dollar you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! This is a win-win!!! If you have further questions, please contact [Darcie Johnson](#).



Did you know? GTC Has a No Interest Tuition Payment Plan!

Gwinnett Tech partners with [Nelnet Business Solutions](#) to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. [Learn more](#) about the tuition payment plan and enroll today!

Collecting Corks

The Rad Tech program has collected over 12,000 corks, caps and foil from wine bottles for Clothes for Souls. Each is worth 2 cents so we can financially support this global non-profit institution dedicated to fighting poverty. Besides helping the charity, it also helps the earth. The corks are recycled and not put

in landfills. Did you know that it takes over 1,500 gallons of water to grow the cotton required for just one pair of jeans and each American discards over 65 pounds of clothing per year? Help us by continuing to donate your corks! Drop off is in bldg. 200, room 245.



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Feel Stressed? You are not Alone!

Going to school can be tough. Life can be tough. Student Life has paid for all of our students to get four free counseling sessions through the Cameron & Associates Life Balance Program. Yes - it's FREE! Just call 404-845-3727 or visit them on the [web](#) and they will give you three counselors close to you to pick from. You are worth the investment!



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