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Tips for Success!



WEDNESDAY, FEB. 22

All students are welcome to learn tips and strategies to present your "best you" on a phone or video interview.

Details Below.

They Call Me Q!



THURSDAY, FEB. 23

1 Woman, 13 Characters
Join us for an emotionally charged comedy!
[Click Here to Attend!](#)

Details Below.

T / FEB 21 - Rad Tech Chili Cook Off

The Association of Future Radiologic Technologist is going to have a Relay for Life Fundraiser Chili Cook Off and Bake Sale from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Cafeteria of building 100. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. For \$5 you have the opportunity to taste the chili and vote for your favorite! You also get a bag of chips and a drink. Baked goods will also be for sale for dessert! For more information contact [Sally Knab](#).

T / FEB 21 - Women In Technology Virtual Career Fair

Looking for a job, internship, or co-op? Save valuable time and meet recruiters live online! Women in Technology is hosting a virtual career fair for students and alumni of all majors. The event is free and will take place from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. If you are interested [click here to register](#). For more information contact [Latunya Henderson](#).

W / FEB 22 - Phone and Video Interviews: Tips for Success

Before you actually meet an employer face-to-face, it's likely you'll encounter either a phone or video interview. These modalities have both pros and cons. Attend this session to learn from an HR representative how to impress interviewers with your poised manner, your well-prepared answers, and your proper telephone and video interview etiquette. Come to learn tips and strategies to present your "best you". The session will take place from 10 -11 a.m. on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus in room 320. If you have any questions, please email [Career Services](#).

W / FEB 22 - Gwinnett Tech's Lunch Cuisine

The Gwinnett Tech Culinary Arts Program is proud to present another awesome semester of exciting lunches with an international flair. This week's lunch is Mediterranean Cuisine (a-la-carte)! The menu calls for hummus, cured beef, spiced lamb ribs, cauliflower cous cous, Greek potatoes, Egyptian pastry desserts, ricotta apricot pies, and more! To make your reservation for these semester lunches, [submit your request here](#). You will receive a confirmation of your reservation. Cancellations require a minimum of 24-hour notice. Special Request require a minimum 24-48 hour notice and we will do our best to accommodate. The cost is still an unbeatable \$15 (cash or check only)! Please join us for lunch at 12:15 p.m. in building 700, Busbee Center Lobby. Our service goal is one hour; but, due to the learning-teaching environment it may take longer. We cannot accommodate "To Go" orders.

TH / FEB 23 - Salary and Raise Negotiation

Salary negotiations are rarely a fun event. Asking for a raise might not be the most comfortable situation, either. By attending, you will learn how to present your education, accomplishments and skills as commodities worthy of financial compensation. This session will take place from 10 - 11 a.m. on the Lawrenceville campus in building 100, room 106. If you have any questions, please email [Career Services](#).

TH / FEB 23 - They Call Me Q

Student Life is thrilled to host an amazing speaker Qurrat Ann Kadwani on Thursday, February 23 at 12:00! She will cover important issues like pressure to do well, culture, identity, and suicide prevention. [Click here to watch a sneak peak!](#) Lunch will be provided. The speaker will present in the auditorium of building 700 on the Lawrenceville campus. The live feed will be in room A-110 at the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus. Everyone is welcome to view the show! To register [click here](#). Please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) for more information.

TH / FEB 23 - Multicultural Club Meeting

Multicultural Club will be attending the "They Call Me Q" event for our February meeting. The event is an emotionally charged comedy about a girl from Bombay growing up in the Bronx seeking balance between cultural pressures and wanting acceptance. We ask all members and potential members to view the show from 12 -1 p.m. in the Auditorium of building 700 on the Lawrenceville campus or via the live feed in room A-110 on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus. To register [click here](#). Please email [Lakshmi Ramachandran](#) or [Yvette Williams](#) for more information.

TH / FEB 23 - Counseling Services

Cameron and Associates will have a table in the lobby of building 700 from 11:15 a.m.- 1:45 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Cameron and Associates provides resources to help our students navigate life's challenges. Everyone is welcome to stop by their table and talk with them. Please email [Rachel Mariano](#) for more information.

TH / FEB 23 - Students' Toastmasters International Club - ANF

The GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club will meet on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus at 1 p.m. in room A-224. Everyone is welcome to attend any of the meetings. Students interested in joining as a member or have questions should contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#)

TH / FEB 23 - Interview Contest Workshop

Be Prepared! Interview Contest Workshop hosted by Hospitality Student Association. This event takes place in the Culinary Dining Room in building 700 from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. HRTM and Culinary students will be able to prepare themselves for the upcoming Interview Contest on March 2nd. Contact [Akua Washington](#) for further details.

F / FEB 24 - Gwinnett Tech's Veterans Farm Day

The Office of Veterans Affairs will host a Gwinnett Tech Veterans Farm Day! Please wear comfortable clothing and be prepared to get dirty all while having fun! We will meet in building 600 from 8:30 a.m.

- 1:00 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Lunch will be provided. To RSVP please email [Travis Simpson](mailto:Travis.Simpson) or call 678-226-6841.

W / MAR 1 - Mock Interview and Resume Critique Day

Resumes are an important professional tool, so be sure to get yours critiqued before applying to jobs and internships. Schedule a 10-minute resume critique and receive valuable feedback to get your resume noticed. 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. The session will take place from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus in building 700. Students may register on [GTC Career Link](#). If you have any questions, please email [Career Services](#).

TH / MAR 2 - SkillsUSA Quiz Bowl

Join the GTC SkillsUSA Quiz Bowl team for a Round Robin practice. All students are invited to participate. Signup sheets will be available at 5 p.m. in the Student Center, building 100, room 217. For more information, please contact [Saphronia Johnson](#).

M / MAR 6 - Women In Electronics Scholarship Opportunity

Women in Electronics are requesting applications from candidates for our 2017 scholarship program! WIE scholarships are awarded to female students majoring in Electronics, Engineering, Computer Science, Information Technology, or related fields. Scholarships are awarded based on academic excellence as well as financial need, community involvement, and personal achievement. The following information is required and must be submitted by March 6, 2017: transcript, financial data (loan balance, other scholarships, etc.) and a 2017 WIE scholarship application completed in its entirety. The application is available [here](#). For more information contact [Latunya Henderson](#).

Future Dates

February 28 - Nursing Club Fundraiser

March 7 - Mock Interview and Resume Critique Day



HEALTHY TIP

Financial Fitness

As a college student it can feel like you're falling behind thanks to debt or you want to improve upon your organizational skills when it comes to budgeting your finances. Luckily for you there are numerous ways to get you back on track and financially fit! Financial fitness means living within your means, not being in debt and having savings. *Quicken.com* gives us nine tips in the form of an infographic on how to stay financial fit:

1. Get educated: Take a course on finance or economics
2. Don't impulse buy
3. Create a monthly budget
4. Learn about good debt and bad debt
5. Get familiar with your earnings and spending

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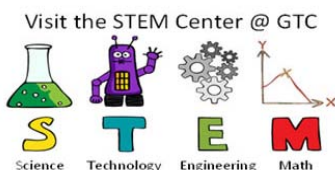
If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) with your suggestions!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Pet Food/Pet Supplies Drive

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist club will be sponsoring a pet food / pet supplies drive starting Monday, February 6th. The drive will collect items for FurKids animal shelter and rescue. Collection boxes will be placed in the student lounge areas around campus through March 1, 2017. Some items being collected are: Fancy Feast Classic Chicken, Firskies Chicken Dinner Wet Food, Quality dog treats, Denta-Chews, Interactive dog toys, cat scratchers and refills, paper towels, wipes, etc. For a complete list of items the shelter needs, please visit [here](#). Email [Kristen Buoy](#) for more information.



Gwinnett Tech STEM Center

The STEM Center is a peer tutoring center in building 900, room 1.109 for students taking Life Sciences classes or anyone trying to get in a healthcare program. The STEM center is open Monday - Thursday from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Friday from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Be sure to join us every Thursday evening at 6 p.m. and every Friday morning at 10 a.m. for an A&P I Q&A. Need help with Chemistry? Ms. Francois is available to help Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information please [Casey Best](#)

Nursing Club Fundraiser

Are you looking for ways to support our GTC Nurses? Do you enjoy participating in fundraisers? If you answered "YES" to either of those question then come out and support the GTC Nursing Club! Find a GTC Nursing student and ask about their fundraiser today! Questions? Email [Chuntiel James](#)



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 tabs to building 100 near Chick-Fil-a, building 100 near the book store in the cafeteria area, building 900 lobby, building 200 - room 121, 245, 133 or the student lounge and the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus 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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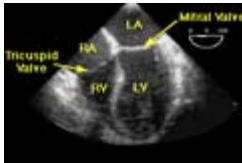
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GTC STUDENT PERKS!

MUST SHOW CURRENT STUDENT/FACULTY ID TO RECEIVE DISCOUNTS.

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