GWINNETT TECHNICAL COLLEGE
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Student Life News & Events

February 26, 2021

SkillsUSA Meeting

MARCH 2

SkillsUSA Meeting and State Competition Update Meeting for students and advisors.

Details Below.

Organizing To Boost Productivity

MARCH 30

Professional
Development Series
ORGANIZING TO
BOOST PRODUCTIVITY

Learn how to manage time & task, tame your emails, & set up your workplace for efficiency.

Details Below.

T / MAR 2 - SkillsUSA

SkillsUSA Meeting and State Competition Update for students and advisors will be held virtually on Tuesday, March 2, 2021 from 4:00 - 5:00 PM.

Click Here To Join Meeting

For more information contact Penny Waddell

T / MAR 2 - Georgia Occupational Award for Leadership

Nominated students will polish their professional interview skills and public speaking skills by participating in our GOAL competition.

For more information contact Morgan Taylor-Burns

TH / MAR 4 - SkillsUSA

SkillsUSA virtual Opening Ceremony. SkillsUSA is a partnership of students, teachers and industry working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce. SkillsUSA can prepare you for success and give you the skills needed to be job-ready on Day One.

For more information contact Chantelle Bailey

M / MAR 8 - Green Sustainable Club Meeting

Network with other students as we discuss ways to make our planet sustainable. Meeting will take place at 10:00 a.m. via WebEx. We will discuss Trash Clean Up project and Club T-shirts.

Click Here To Join Meeting

For more information contact Cathy Ensing

W / MAR 24 - Student Government Association Meeting

Joining the Student Government Association provides many opportunities to get experience leading professional meetings, working on annual budgets, and leadership skills. Our next meeting will take place at 12:00 p.m. via WebEx.

Click Here To Join Meeting

For more information contact Chantelle Bailey

Professional
Development Series
ORGANIZING TO
BOOST PRODUCTIVITY

T / MAR 30 - Professional Development Series: Organizing To Boost Productivity

As seen on Good Day Atlanta, Professional Organizer Laura Ray will speak with us about managing time and task, taming your emails, and setting up your workplace for efficiency. The event will take place at 12:00 p.m. via WebEx.

Click Here To Join Event

For more information contact Rachel Mariano

Readers
are Leaders

SPRING - Readers Are Leaders Book Collection

Let's help support our community by encouraging our future leaders to read. Please donate outgrown NEW & GENTLY USED **pre-school** books for children in head start programs! Student Life is looking for books for small children ages 1-5 such as board books, alphabet books, numbers books, animal books, rhyming books, etc. You may drop off your items in the drop box outside of the Student Life Center or the box located in the lobby of building 700. Please do not donate textbooks, encyclopedias, scribbled-in books, damaged books, or musty books.

For more information contact Chantelle Bailey

TOASTMASTERS
INTERNATIONAL
WHERE LEADERS ARE MADE

SPRING - Gwinnett Metro Toastmasters

Come and join us to learn about Toastmasters. We help our members to improve their speaking and leadership skills, and how to apply them to the real world. Our meeting are held virtually on the second and fourth Thursday of each month, at 06:00 PM Eastern Time.

For more information contact Mohammed Belal

WE ♥ GTC STUDENTS

SPRING - Gwinnett Tech Social Survey

Gwinnett Tech cares about your opinions, and we want to communicate in ways that work for you! Let us know what we've been doing well...and what you wish we would STOP doing so we can build a stronger community. By completing this short survey (20-30 minutes), you will provide valuable insights for us to create better experiences for current and future students. Help us spread the Gwinnett Tech love by completing the online survey below. Password: 700920. We appreciate your participation!

Click Here To Take Survey

VIDEO - Networking Tips

Networking Tips from Dr. Newton.

Click Here To Watch!

For more information contact Rachel Mariano

Future Dates

March 5 - Summer FASFA Filing Deadline
March 30 - Professional Development Series: Organizing To Boost Productivity

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ANNOUNCEMENTS!

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GA Pre-K Registration

GA Pre-K Registration is OPEN through March 12, 2021! Gwinnett Tech students, faculty and staff have priority enrollment (no lottery). GA Pre-K is free of charge to any child who lives in the state of GA and is 4 by 9/1/21. Visit building 800 or call 678-226-6510 for more information. Don't miss this opportunity for your child to attend a high quality GA Pre-K program.

For more information contact Rebecca Olson

Complete Your FASFA

It's not to early to complete your FASFA! Fall FASFA deadline is May 10, 2021.Get ready for 2021-2022! Dont wait!

If you are in need of a English tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here.

Do The
FAFSA
THE EARLIER THE BETTER

To Go Culinary Lunch / Dinner Program

Culinary Arts is delighted to have begun our Spring Semester To Go Culinary Lunch/Dinner Program! Pre-Order a hot lunch or dinner to go. Menu changes every two weeks. Orders are due by 5:00 p.m. every Monday. Pick-up is every Thursday from 12:00 - 12:40 p.m. Items can be picked up in the hall of building 700 or via the drive-thru located behind building 700 at shipping and receiving. We only accept cash or check. Pay at the time of pick-up.

Click here to place your order.

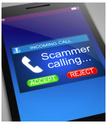
For more information contact Lisa Masi

Learning Success Center

Did you know GTC has tutors on campus? Come visit the Learning Success Center to find out more information!

If you are in need of a math tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here.

If you are in need of a English tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here.



Receiving Scam Emails or Phone Calls?

Incidents of students receiving spam phone calls or emails should be reported.

Click here to report if you receive a suspicious phone call or email.

Gwinnett Cares Resources List

www.GwinnettCares.org is a great resource for students who live in Gwinnett County. The website links to resources for food, housing, childcare, employment etc. They also have a Facebook page with lots of good information for drive-thru food banks, free COVID testing, job fairs, organizations looking for volunteers etc.

For more information click here.

Gwinnett Cares

NOW HIRING
NEW OPPORTUNITIES NOW AVAILABLE

Federal Work Study Positions Available

Are you looking to earn some extra cash? Are you looking for a convenient job on campus? Are you enrolled in at least six credit hours of classes? Have you completed your 2019-2020 financial aid file? Check out the federal work-study job postings!

Click here to view postings.

SHARE Military Initiative: Virtual Program

SHARE Military Initiative at Shepherd Center in Atlanta is launching a virtual program for post-9/11 veterans and service members with mild to moderate brain injuries and co-occurring behavioral and/or psychological symptoms.
Requirements for admission:
•Must be a Georgia resident
•Must have access to a personal computer/tablet and internet
•Must have symptoms of traumatic brain injury or concussion
•May have co-occurring diagnosis of behavioral health issues, such as anxiety, depression and/or post-traumatic stress

Shepherd Center is a recognized TRICARE/Mission Act provider.
The virtual program includes:
•Comprehensive program featuring daily, individual sessions tailored to the client's needs
•Group sessions with other veterans and service

members
•Virtual visits with a neurologist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, speech therapist, recreational therapist, nurse, case manager, clinical social worker, psychologist, vocational specialist, peer support specialist and transition support specialist

For more information, please contact SHARE Admissions: 404-603-4314

For more information click here.

For more information contact Chuck McKinnon

Share Your Gwinnett Tech Stories

Every Gwinnett Tech student has a unique story about their college experience. We would love to hear yours and why you chose Gwinnett Tech. Please take a moment to reflect and share your Gwinnett Tech Story of how our college is preparing you for a great career, the most impactful courses and instructors, and your plans upon graduation. Your story may be shared on our website and social media platforms to recognize your commitment, hard work, and promising future as a Gwinnett Tech graduate! We look forward to sharing your story! Follow us @GwinnettTech #GTCProud

Click here to share your GTC story.

New Internships Available

Ready to find your next job opportunity? Let Launch Pointe help guide the way! Launch Pointe, the Clyde L. Strickland Center for Career Experience, is laser-focused on providing work-based learning and career development. Working with both large and small local, regional and global business employers, Launch Pointe provides students opportunities to participate in internships, apprenticeships and entrepreneurship experiences designed to augment classroom activity and foster educational, occupational and personal growth.
Currently there are internships and apprenticeships available with Marketing Operations Internship, Intern Sales Representative, Summer HR Internship, Fleet Mechanic Intern 1A, Medical Office Internship, HVAC Service Tech Trainee, HR/Payroll and Accounting Specialist, In House Hardware Technician Internship, and Online Learning Intern.

Create your account on CareerLink:

1. Go to GwinnettTech.edu/CareerLink
2. Your username is your Gwinnett Tech email address (@Student.GwinnettTech.edu)
3. Create your password.
4. Click SUBMIT. Once your account is approved, you will receive an email.*
5. Click EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING on left of home page.
6. Complete application and submit resume.

*Students that have already created an account can now access CareerLink on your Dashboard.
Launch Pointe can assist you with your resumé and prepare you for your interviews.

Click here to view CareerLink

Gwinnett Tech's
LAUNCH POINTE
Center for Career Experience

For more information contact Launch Pointe

YNAB.
Gain Total Control Of Your Money
FREE 34-DAY TRIAL!

You Need A Budget

You Need A Budget is an award-winning software and a proven method—that works. What really makes You Need A Budget different is that the app can teach you how to manage your money and get ahead—for good. What if your bills rolled in and instead of piling up, you just paid them? No sweat. What if you didn't even realize it was payday because you had money in the bank and weren't desperate for that check to arrive? Forget everything you think you know about budgeting and prepare to experience total control.
Try You Need a Budget for FREE for 34 days!

Click here to visit our website.

Navigate Recovery

Your recovery doesn't have to take a back seat to the Coronavirus. Our certified recovery coaches are ready to take your call to help through these tough times.

Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.

Call 678-743-1808 enter extension 101 when you hear the voice prompt.

All Recovery meetings are Monday thru Saturday at the following times:

Noon Meeting Link

7:30 p.m. Meeting Link

NAVIGATE RECOVERY

For more information visit our website.

MIDTERMS
GRADES
TUITION FEE
DEPRESSION
RELATIONSHIP
SCHOOLWORK
BULLYING
STUDENT LOAN
SELF ESTEEM
ASSIGNMENT
EXAM
PEER PRESSURE

Advisement Available

Need assistance with Admissions, Financial Aid, or Academic Advisement? Enrollment Advisors are here to help! Download the Qless app to schedule a phone, virtual, or on-campus appointment with an advisor. You can also visit the One Stop webpage for valuable, updated resources including Enrollment FAQs, Registration How-To Videos, and Live Chat.

Click here to visit One Stop.

Virtual Information Sessions

The Recruitment Department is offering nine virtual information sessions each week. These information sessions are a great way to learn more about college programs, admission requirements, student services, and financial aid. Information sessions are offered for both campus. Attendees of these sessions will be provided with an application fee waiver code. Joins us virtually and learn about the great opportunities offered at Gwinnett Tech.

For more information click here.

Recruitment Virtual Office Hours

Student recruiters are standing by to answer your questions. Virtual office hours are held weekly through WebEx, so students and prospective students have the opportunity to speak with a recruiter in real-time. Stop in and ask questions anytime throughout the virtual office hours.

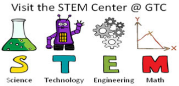
Monday-Friday 10am-4pm

Click here for more information.

Gwinnett Tech STEM Center

The STEM Center has moved online! If you are in a Life Science class, look for a blackboard announcement with a link to the STEM Center. When you click it, you will be able to talk with a tutor through a microphone or a chat session. No appointment necessary! Our new hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 3-8pm, Tuesdays 12-8pm, and Fridays 12-3pm.

For more information contact Marisa Wong-Sam



Financial Literacy

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Gwinnett Technical College has teamed up with Edamerica, formerly Higher Education Solutions (HES), to help explain the student loan repayment process so you understand all of your options. If you have trouble making your payments, they will offer helpful alternatives so you won't fall behind. You can also learn Money Basics with articles about understanding your paycheck, checking and savings accounts, understanding your credit score.

For more information click here.

Not All Healthcare Professionals Wear Scrubs!

Don't want to handle blood and guts? Looking for a healthcare career alternative? Want to help patients, but prefer to work behind the scenes? Consider a career in health information management technology (HIMT). HIM professionals maintain, collect, and analyze health information, connecting physicians, patients, and providers. If you're interested in business, technology, and healthcare, HIM is calling!

For more information contact Kim Smith

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HEALTH INFORMATION PROFESSIONALS
Leading the way to quality data

Mosaic Georgia

Our mission is to enhance safety, health and justice for people of all ages impacted by sexual violence and abuse. Eliminate social conditions that allow for sexual violence. Build capacity of local community responses to persons impacted by sexual abuse and violence. Mosaic Georgia provides crisis intervention and advocacy services for victims and secondary victims by providing support during and after case management, during acute and delayed medical exams and by connecting victims with needed assistance, resources and next steps. Phone lines are open 24 hours/7 days a week. 770-476-7407.

For more information click here.

Voter Information

We've simplified the confusion and put together what you need to know about voting in Gwinnett County, Fulton County and other state and national locales. We at Gwinnett Tech are happy to provide you with information about voting. Check out more information and details, including deadlines for registering and instructions on how to download the appropriate forms.

For more information click here.

YOUR VOICE
YOUR VOTE

Did you know? GTC has a NO Interest Tuition Payment Plan!

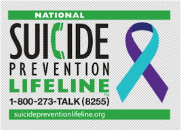
Gwinnett Tech partners with Nelnet Business Solutions to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. Learn more about the tuition payment plan and enroll today!

For more information click here.

Ready to Apply for Graduation?

If you are completing your program either this semester or next, please submit a graduation application now! Even if you are completing a certificate embedded in your larger program, you may graduate from that certificate, so that you can list that accomplishment on your resume! Directions on how to apply for graduation are online.

For more information click here.



National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

We can all help prevent suicide. The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals. We are committed to improving crisis services and advancing suicide prevention by empowering individuals, advancing professional best practices, and building awareness.

For more information click here.

Student Counselor on Campus!

Counseling at GTC is a mental health resource which provides free, personal and confidential counseling in a safe and supportive environment. The purpose of this resource is to help you acquire the skills, attitudes, abilities and insights that will enable you to address the all-too-prevalent stress and conflicts that may distract you from achieving your full potential. Student counseling services are available to all currently enrolled GTC students 18 or older in certificate, diploma or degree programs on first-come first-serve basis. For appointment call 678-226-6628 or visit our website for more information.

Click here to visit our website.

CRISIS TEXT LINE |

Crisis Text Line

Text HOME to 741741 from anywhere in the USA, anytime, about any type of crisis. A live, trained Crisis Counselor receives the text and responds quickly. The volunteer Crisis Counselor will help you move from a hot moment to a cool moment. Children and Teens are especially welcome. The service is free, confidential, and available 24/7. Please note that we are not a replacement for counseling or long-term medical treatment. Our goal is to help you move from an emotional overwhelming place to a sense of calm, at which point you feel ready to continue on your own.

For more information click here.

Georgia Crisis and Access Line

GCAL is the 24/7 hotline for accessing mental health services in Georgia. The Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities (DBHDD) provides treatment and support services to people with mental illness and addictive diseases. If you or a loved one needs help dealing with a behavioral health crisis, the GCAL offers free and confidential crisis intervention 24/7.

For more information click here.

Georgia Crisis
& Access Line
1-800-715-4225
mygcal.com

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Georgia Cares

Georgia Cares is the single, statewide coordinating non-profit agency connecting services and treatment care for child victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking. Georgia Cares serves any and all youth who have been victimized in the state of Georgia. Our mission is to ensure that child sex trafficking victims receive quality care and services in the state of Georgia.

For more information click here.

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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.

For more information click here.

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!!!

For more contact Ebony Starks.

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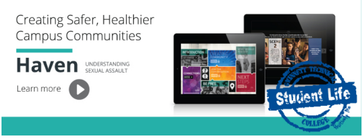
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UNDERSTANDING SEXUAL ASSAULT
Learn more
Student Life

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Alpharetta-North Fulton Campus . 2875 Old Milton Parkway . Alpharetta, GA 30009

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