



2016 Georgia Postsecondary State Leadership and Skills Conference Summary

- GTC had 51 students to compete in the 2016 Georgia Postsecondary State Leadership and Skills Conference events, placing in 23 competitions, receiving 38 medals. **This was the largest group in GTC's history!**
 - **Core team:**
 - **GTC College Advisor:** Gail Edwards
 - **SkillsUSA Team Advisors** – Albená Asenova-Belal, Andrew Miller, Charles Hardnett, Dennis Bowers, Garfield Anderson, John Leonguerrero, John Thacher, Johnny Stallings, Judith Pishnery, Kathleen Torrance, Kathy Nesbit Kerri Crean, Lorenzo Clark, Lorri Chin-Shue, Margaret Long, Mark Whittaker, Penny Waddell, Saphronia Johnson, Steve Jessup,
 - **Committee Chairs:**
 - **Administrative Support / Budget:** Pamela Spann
 - **Competitions:** Charles Hardnett
 - **Hotel:** Saphronia Johnson
 - **Uniforms:** Gail Edwards, Pamela Spann, Penny Waddell
 - **Transportation:** Dennis Bowers
 - **Event Support:**
 - **Business Office:** Dragana Zulfic, Janice McClendon
 - **Diesel Competition:** Johnny Stallings
 - **Purchasing:** Candace Do
 - **Student Life:** Rachel Mariano, Morgan Taylor-Burns
 - **World of Construction:** Samuel Delgado, Irish Horsey

2016 Awards / Medalist

Dwight Lewis: GTC's first SkillsUSA Postsecondary State Officer

2nd Year in a row to hold the State Prepared Speech Title!

NOTE: All Gold Medal winners are eligible to compete in the SkillsUSA National Competition June 20-24, 2016 in Louisville, Kentucky!

Gold Medals	Student	Advisor
Computer Programming	Alyssa Harvey	Charles Hardnett
Diesel Equipment	Shawn Wood	Johnny Stallings
Cabinet Making	Shamaah Matos	Dennis Bowers
Health Occupations Professional Portfolio	Lauren Pelletier	Margaret Long
Internetworking	Azm Uddin	Lorenzo Clark
Job Interview	Eric Skinner	Penny Waddell
Photography	Omega Ruth	Judith Pishnery
Prepared Speech	Gisella Brust	Penny Waddell
Restaurant Service	Rhonda Ducuing	Kerri Crean
Web Design Team	Nahida Sutara, Segunda Macawile	John Thacher

Silver Medals	Student	Advisor
Computer Programming	Greg Dagnan	Charles Hardnett
Culinary Arts	Anastasia Noah	Kerri Crean
Carpentry	Aimee Johnson	Dennis Bowers
Extemporaneous Speech	Victoria Coker	Penny Waddell
Internetworking	Stephane N Zi	Lorenzo Clark
Technical Computer Applications	Jhazzaire Peoples	Albena Asenova-Belal
Welding Art Sculpture	Lauren (Ashley) Stewart	Steve Jessup
Opening & Closing Ceremonies	Rebecca Bentley, Kyle Davis, Rachelle Regenstein, Bryan Granzella, Dwight Lewis, Christiana Stevenson, Janiece Sutherland, Anna (Nancy) Finch	Penny Waddell
Quiz Bowl Team	Alison Fanning, Christy Proctor, Caroline Davis, Ed Cotter, KoKou Koudri	Saphronia Johnson

Bronze Medals	Student	Advisor
Cabinet Making	Shawn Lowry	Dennis Bowers
Carpentry	Andrew Murray	Dennis Bowers
First Aid-CPR	James Lane	Margaret Long
Health Knowledge Bowl Team	Khadija Vanscoy , Dawn Curry, Erika Shadoff, Jessica Maris	Margaret Long

	2015	2016
Number Students	21	51
Number of Competitions	18	23
Number of Medals		38

Opening and Closing Ceremonies Team – SILVER AWARD

Left to right: Bryan Granzella, Rebecca Bentley, Anna Finch, Kyle Davis, Janiece Sutherland, Rachelle W. Regenstein, Dwight Lewis, Christiana Stevenson



Gissella Brust (center) GOLD Medal Winner for Prepared Speech



Dwight Lewis (center) – GTC's FIRST SkillsUSA State Officer



SkillsUSA Blazer, Name Tag, and GOLD Medal



Victoria Coker (left) SILVER Medal Winner for Extemporaneous Speech



Left : Gisella Brust – Prepared Speech GOLD;

Center: Eric Skinner – Job Interview GOLD;

Right: Victoria Coker – Extemporaneous Speech SILVER

