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Work and Life at Georgia Tech Monday, April 28, 2025



It's Commencement Week

Commencement ceremonies will take place at both McCamish Pavilion and Bobby Dodd Stadium at Hyundai Field this weekend, with College celebrations across campus as well.

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Outstanding Employees Honored at Annual Luncheon

Members of the Tech community were honored at the 2025 Faculty and Staff Honors Luncheon on Friday, April 25.

[Full Story](#)

Getting to Know You



Chirico Champions the Business Sense of Sustainability

As associate vice president for Sustainability, Jennifer Chirico, a proud Double Jacket, works to make sure campus is making strides toward lowering emissions and waste while also saving the Institute money.

[Meet Jennifer](#)

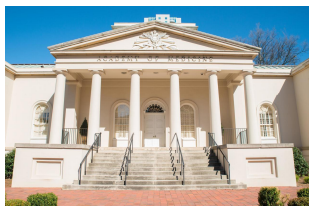
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Campus Updates



Kostka Named Director of Science for Georgia's Tomorrow

Professor Joel Kostka will serve as the inaugural faculty director of the center, which will drive research aimed at improving life across the state of Georgia.

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Host Your Event at the Academy of Medicine

Whether you're planning a conference, retreat, or celebration, the Historic Academy of Medicine at Georgia Tech offers an elegant and historic venue that is perfect for faculty and staff gatherings.

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Human Resources Updates



Coming Soon: Updated Telework Request Process

With the transition to in-person work for the 2025-26 academic year, campus partners have been working to update the telework request process. A new approval workflow and form will launch soon.

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HR Services Temporarily Moving to 755 Marietta Street

Due to renovations at 500 Tech Parkway, services, including onboarding for newly hired faculty, staff, and student employees, will temporarily relocate to the Administrative Services Center beginning May 5.

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Faculty/Staff Achievements



School of Mathematics Associate Professor [Benjamin Jaye](#) has been awarded a prestigious Simons Fellowship in support of his research into related qualities, like time and frequency, and how precisely we can know one without knowing the other.



School of Mathematics Professor [Anton Leykin](#) has been awarded a prestigious Simons Fellowship for his proposal of applying nonlinear algebra to tackle one of the key mathematical questions of the 21st century.



Biology Professor [Lewis Wheaton](#) has been named president of the [American Society of Neurorehabilitation](#). Established in 1990, the organization is dedicated to advancing the science of neurorehabilitation and helping patients with chronic neurological disabilities by advancing clinical care and research.



Partnership, was elected to the executive board of the International Association of Food Protection its secretary.



Upcoming Events

Microsoft Power Platform:

Office Hour

Wednesday, April 30

11 a.m. – noon

Online

Monthly Group Bike Ride

and Class

Wednesday, April 30

4 – 5:30 p.m.

Path Parkway, Behind the
Campus Recreation Center

Techmasters Meeting

Thursday, May 1

7:30 – 9 a.m.

Pettit Microelectronics
Research Center and Online

Staff Appreciation Day

Monday, May 5

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Midtown Ballroom,
Exhibition Hall

Nontraditional Employment

Practices Among People

With Physical Disabilities

Wednesday, May 7

2 – 3 p.m.

Online

AI and the Future of Work

Panel Discussion

Tuesday, May 13

9 – 11:30 a.m.

Room 312, Scheller College
of Business

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