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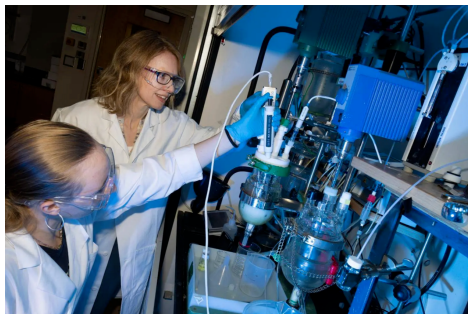
Work and Life at Georgia Tech Monday, June 17, 2024



## Celebrating Juneteenth at Georgia Tech

With campus closed on Wednesday, a Juneteenth celebration will take place Tuesday, June 18. Maurice Hobson will deliver a keynote address, followed by an afternoon of entertainment, games, and food showcasing Black culture.

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## Grover Named Thomas A. Fanning Chair

Martha Grover, a longtime chemical and biomolecular engineer, was selected for her teaching, research, and advocacy that strives to ensure equal access to opportunity.

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## Fall Education Assistance Applications Now Open

Eligible staff members can apply for education assistance through the Tuition Assistance Program and Staff Tuition Reimbursement Assistance Program. Applications are due July 15.

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## Human Resources Updates



### Staff Hiring Interview Process

A comprehensive suite of resources and learning opportunities to support the interview process will be available July 1. The new resources will help improve the interviewing experience for both managers and candidates.

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### Leading Women@Tech Nominations Open

This four-month experience was created to champion career and leadership development opportunities for women leaders. Apply or nominate a colleague by June 26.

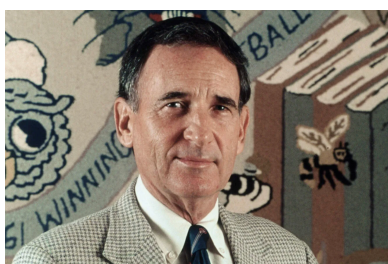
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### Buzzin' Back to School Supply Drive

This annual school supply event benefits Georgia Tech employees who need support equipping their children in grades K-12 with school supplies. GTHR will not be accepting donations this year, but will provide supplies to those who submit a request.

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## In Memoriam



### Homer C. Rice, 1927 – 2024

Rice served as the Yellow Jackets' director of athletics from 1980 to 1997. His legacy is the Total Person Program, which he developed and implemented at Tech and went on to be the model for the NCAA Life Skills Program now practiced across college athletics.

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### Joseph R. Bankoff, 1945 – 2024

Bankoff, the former chair of the Sam Nunn School of International Affairs, leaves an enormous legacy of service to Georgia Tech, the Atlanta metropolitan region, and beyond.

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## Upcoming Events

### Juneteenth Celebration

Tuesday, June 18

11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Instructional Center and  
Ferst Center for the Arts  
Plaza

### Juneteenth: Campus

Closed

Wednesday, June 19

Georgia Tech Campus

### Staff Council General

Meeting

Thursday, June 20

2 – 3 p.m.

Online

### CPR/AED Training

Friday, June 21

9 – 11 a.m.

Environmental Health and  
Safety Building

### QEP Faculty Design

Charette

Tuesday, June 25

10 – 11:30 a.m.

Room 292, Bill Moore  
Student Success Center

### Week of Welcome Program

Submission Deadline

Sunday, June 30

All Day

Online

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