



The Whistle

Work and Life at Georgia Tech Monday, July 6, 2026



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Mid-Year Check-In

The middle of the calendar year provides a chance to evaluate changing workplace demands, identify skill gaps, and prepare for what's next.



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Unified ERP Program Moves Forward

The University System of Georgia's Unified Enterprise Resource Planning Program team continues to make progress through the Architect and Configure phase.



BENEFITS

Apply for Education Assistance Through July 15

If you've been thinking about starting a program or continuing your education this fall, you have until next week to apply for education assistance.



Getting to Know You



Designing What Comes Next

Ellen Dunham-Jones, who retired this spring, built her work around a reality many cities are still catching up to: The future of urban design is not just about building new places, but transforming existing ones. That topic came full circle with her final class at Georgia Tech.



Campus Updates



Baseball, Softball Season Tickets On Sale Now

Georgia Tech Athletics offers discounted season tickets for faculty and staff members, and baseball and softball season

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Join the Wellness Planners Network

If you organize programs, events, or initiatives that promote well-being for faculty, staff, or students, the Wellness Planners Network is for you. This Microsoft Teams community brings together individuals across campus who are advancing wellness. [Complete this survey to join the network.](#)



Faculty/Staff Achievements



Gong Chen, assistant professor in the School of Mathematics, has received a National Science Foundation Faculty Early Career Development Award to study the long-term behavior of solitons — coherent, particle-like waves observed across physics and mathematics.



School of Electrical and Computer Engineering Associate Professor **Visvesh Sathe** received the 2025 Intel Outstanding Researcher Award for his work on thermal monitoring in 3D chips. It was his second time winning the award, having previously received it in 2020.



Upcoming Events

July 7

Leading at Tech: Appreciative Inquiry
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Online

July 9

Techmasters (GT Chapter of Toastmasters) Meeting
7:30 – 9 a.m.
Pettit Microelectronics Research Center and Online

July 10

Campus Recreation Welcome Community Day
All Day
Campus Recreation Center

July 14

Leading at Tech: Stop, Look, and Listen — Communicating in Conflict
9 a.m. – noon
Online

July 16

Unified ERP: Inside the Build
11 a.m. – noon
Online

Leading at Tech: Driving Engagement and Understanding Gallup

2 – 3:30 p.m.
Online

More Events



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