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Why a Directory?

Simply put, to support quality growth.

Quality growth is a goal that many Atlanta-area communities are trying to achieve. But it's a goal that can only be attained through collaboration among government, civic organizations, business, and people in the community. Colleges and universities in the Atlanta region have much to offer in support of this collaboration, as evidenced by this directory. It contains an inventory of higher education resources and expertise available to those communities striving to grow in ways that ensure a high quality of life.

Information found in this directory is based on a survey by the Atlanta Regional Consortium for Higher Education (ARCHE) of its 21 member colleges and universities, a listing of which is found on the back cover. While these institutions have their main campuses in the Atlanta region, the scope of their activities encompasses the State of Georgia.

A searchable version of this directory is available on the ARCHE Web site at: www.atlantahighered.org.

Notes: The institutional information listed in this directory has been edited for length and consistency of style, but has not been independently verified by ARCHE. Due to the evolving nature of programs, services, research, and staff contacts, the reader should confirm the details of any particular item of interest with the sponsoring institution rather than relying exclusively on information found in this directory. While ARCHE's membership includes Mercer University's Atlanta Campus, this directory also includes information from the University's Macon Campus.





Higher Education Resources Related to Quality Growth

Overview of Capabilities

When it comes to quality growth, colleges and universities offer an array of resources in research, service, and education. Summarized below, these capabilities can be an asset to government officials, community planners, and civic and business leaders in the Atlanta region and across Georgia.

Agnes Scott College

www.agnesscott.edu

The mission of Agnes Scott College is to educate women to think deeply, live honorably, and engage the intellectual and social challenges of their times. As a result, the College provides its students with an educational environment that supports the development of leadership skills and community service experiences that will help them become effective contributors to society and world citizenship. As an institution in the City of Decatur, Agnes Scott seeks to ensure that its campus development adds to the quality of life in surrounding communities.

Atlanta College of Art

www.aca.edu

The Atlanta College of Art is a professional, Bachelor of Fine Arts degree-granting institution whose principal mission is to prepare students to become practicing artists and designers. Quality growth issues are addressed in some individual art and design projects. Overall, the College's students are taught to be aware of the visual environment in which they live and to contribute to that environment in a positive way through their work.

Brenau University

www.brenau.edu

Brenau University is seen as the cultural hub of the Gainesville region. The University makes its facilities available to the community for a wide range of arts events and exhibits. Examples include theater productions, Gainesville Ballet presentations, on-campus concerts by the Brenau choir, high school performing groups, and art shows featuring works by many well-known visual artists. Regional cultural organizations that use Brenau as their home base include: the Gainesville Chorale, Gainesville Symphony, Gainesville Ballet Company, Gainesville Theater Alliance, Wages Vintage Clothing Museum, and Gainesville Children's Theater (Wonderquest). The Gainesville History Center presently is under construction on the Brenau campus, and the North Georgia History Center will be built on land donated by Brenau. Brenau also is viewed by many as an asset in helping the Gainesville/Hall County community recruit new businesses to the area.

Clark Atlanta University

www.cau.edu

Clark Atlanta University recognized long ago the need to foster and encourage quality growth in the region and state, and its interest and involvement in quality growth and quality of life issues span several decades. Ten years ago, the Environmental Justice Center (EJC) was relocated to campus. The EJC recently completed a study that demonstrated the links between polluted air, sprawl, and asthma in children who live inside the City of Atlanta. The University also has partnered with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to sponsor programs focused on the housing needs of elderly citizens.

Clark Atlanta has several initiatives in the area of transportation, including projects with the Federal Highway Administration, highway safety projects conducted by engineering department faculty, and collaborative projects between the Southern Center for Studies in Public Policy and agencies such as MARTA. In the past two years, the University held transportation education forums that brought together various federal agencies and researchers to collaborate on quality of life transportation issues.

Clayton College & State University

www.clayton.edu

Clayton College & State University's mission is to prepare students to succeed in the workplace of the 21st century and to provide services and continuing education that will improve the quality of life in the state. Clayton State is involved in quality growth in three fundamental ways. First, the campus serves as a lynchpin site in the development of the Route 54 corridor in Clayton County through the award-winning Gateway Village development (which houses University students) and through the construction of the new Georgia State Archives building and new regional National Archives facility. These projects, coupled with related development that is planned (including a hotel/conference center), will help transform the community surrounding Clayton State. In addition, Clayton State serves as an arts center for the Atlanta region by virtue of Spivey Hall, which is recognized as one of the finest concert venues in the nation. Finally, the University provides a wealth of resources to the surrounding community through both the academic expertise of its faculty and a variety of work force development programs that can be applied to quality-growth issues, and through the service of its students in community-based internships and on-the-job learning experiences.

Columbia Theological Seminary

www.ctsnet.edu

Columbia Theological Seminary is an educational institution of the Presbyterian Church (USA), and a community of theological inquiry and formation for ministry in the service of the Church of Jesus Christ. Outreach programs to the broader community stress the importance of developing strong civic communities and seek to identify the appropriate role of religion and faith-based values in contributing to an improved quality of life for all. The Seminary's partnership with other institutions in the "Faith and the City" program emphasizes the role of ministers in providing public leadership.

Emory University

www.emory.edu

Emory University seeks to foster a community that sustains ecological systems and educates for environmental awareness, local action, and global thinking. In doing so, the University adheres to the following fundamental principles: 1) incorporate environmental concerns as a significant priority in University decision making, 2) seek alternative practices and procedures to minimize negative impacts on the environment, 3) conserve natural resources and restore environmental quality, 4) protect the biodiversity of the region and serve as a living library and habitat for local species, and 5) consider the social and economic impacts of Emory's environmental policies and foster a participatory process in developing these policies.

As a learning institution, Emory recognizes that planning for sustainability will be an evolving practice. It seeks to be a campus where: 1) part of the University's mission is to be an environmental leader in all aspects of University functioning, including buildings, operations, planning, and purchasing; 2) we live responsibly as part of a forested ecosystem; 3) all students, faculty, and employees are provided opportunities to become environmentally literate and where environmental leadership is seen as a continuous, participatory process of learning; 4) environmental studies are available through strong undergraduate programs, graduate-level and professional specializations in environmental issues, and diverse opportunities for environmental learning across the curriculum; 5) environmentally-oriented faculty and student research is encouraged and supported; 6) environmental efforts encourage cross-university ties and multi-unit collaboration; 7) University leadership and expertise contribute to local and

regional environmental efforts, fostering links with other regional institutions; and 8) environmental understanding and concern contribute to a dynamic sense of campus cohesion and community.

Georgia Institute of Technology

www.gatech.edu

The mission of Georgia Tech is to provide Georgia with the scientific and technological knowledge base, innovation, and work force it needs to shape a prosperous future and sustainable quality of life for its citizens. Within this mission is included the goal of expanding local, regional, and global outreach to ensure that Georgia Tech's education and research benefit society at large. When partnered with social and environmental responsibility, economic development is the key to fostering a sustainable society.

Georgia Tech is emerging as a leader in the development of technology policies that link economic, social, and environmental sustainability. The University considers the incorporation of sustainability and ethics into the curriculum of all degree programs essential to the education of future technology developers and leaders. Some degree programs have direct connectivity to smart growth issues, such as the city and regional planning program. Further, quality growth and sustainability are central to the mission of several research centers on campus: the Advanced Wood Products Laboratory (AWPL), Air Resources and Engineering Center, Center for Assistive Technology and Environmental

Access (CATEA), Center for Geographic Information Systems (CGIS), Center for Quality Growth and Regional Development (CQGRD), Construction Resource Center (CRC), Environmental Resources Center, Georgia Transportation Institute, Georgia Water Resource Institute, IMAGINE Group, Institute for Sustainable Technology and Development (ISTD), and University Center of Excellence for Photovoltaic Research and Education.

Georgia State University

www.gsu.edu

Georgia State University's various schools and colleges contain the faculty expertise necessary to fully implement a multidisciplinary approach to issues of regional quality growth. A five-year goal of the University's Strategic Plan 2000-2005 is the creation of an urban initiative that will bring together the relevant strengths existing across departments, schools, and colleges. These strengths include emphases on urban sociology, anthropology, geography, economics, legal issues, politics, public policy, urban policy studies, historic preservation, real estate, community and clinical psychology, African-American and ethnic studies, immigration, nursing, criminal justice, social work, and labor and public history. Together, these areas house a critical mass of faculty with strong reputations and extensive experience both in basic research – which produces clearer understandings of urban structures and dynamics, planning and zoning issues, land use, and community development – and applied research that lends itself to policy and programmatic analysis and reform.

Institute of Paper Science and Technology

www.ipst.edu

IPST is involved with regional quality growth through its active involvement in research, technology transfer, and educational activities in the areas of land use, gas and liquid phase emission concerns, and industrial wastewater treatment and remediation. The institution also contributes to the arts and cultural aspects of community life through its Robert C. Williams American Museum of Papermaking.



Interdenominational Theological Center

www.itc.edu

The Interdenominational Theological Center is a Christian, ecumenical, graduate professional school of theology. The faculty and administration create a spiritual environment in which critical thinking, investigation, reflection, evaluation, communication, decision making, and responsible action are fostered. They challenge all students to become involved in problems that affect the human spirit; to become active on behalf of both the academic community and the community beyond the campus; to develop an appreciation for the disciplines that contribute to theological thinking; to incorporate contemporary technological resources in an ethically responsible fashion; and to maintain continuous development of the intellect, spirit, and skills required for spiritual growth.

Kennesaw State University

www.kennesaw.edu

Promotion of quality growth in the region is part of the mission of Kennesaw State University. Chartered in 1963, KSU serves as a highly valued resource for the region's educational, economic, social, and cultural advancement. The institution's collaborative relationships with other University System of Georgia institutions, state agencies, local schools and technical institutes, and business and industry ensure the sharing of physical, human, information, and other resources to expand and enhance programs and services available to the citizens of Georgia.

KSU has significant resources that promote quality growth in the region. These resources include a diverse faculty with research interests that foster quality growth in the region; a number of centers and institutes that focus on a variety of issues related to quality growth; an array of community outreach programs; partnerships with regional and state agencies; and a variety of undergraduate and graduate degree programs that provide a well-educated and highly-skilled work force to meet local, regional, and state needs. The University also plays a vital role in promoting and supporting regional interests in the visual, performing, and cultural arts.

Mercer University

www.mercer.edu

Mercer University is strongly committed to community quality growth and is active in the revitalization of areas near its Macon campus. In Macon, the Mercer Center for Community Development (MCCD) provides coordinating leadership for a partnership of agencies and foundations working on a comprehensive redevelopment project to remodel and rebuild housing, revitalize the community, and bring supporting programs to improve learning at inner-city schools. Faculty, staff, and students are providing expertise and services in law, community medicine, education, social organization, and community building. The University provides incentive programs for employees to purchase homes in the area. Mercer and the MCCD received the Jimmy and Rosalyn Carter Partnership Award for Campus-Community Collaboration for leadership of this project.

In Atlanta, Mercer has faculty expertise in health affairs through the schools of pharmacy and nursing, both of which are dedicated to educating practitioners and focus on community health elements of quality growth in the area. The School of Business Center for Business Research and Development has experience working with local governments in creating development plans.

Morehouse College

www.morehouse.edu

Morehouse College's interest in quality growth of the Atlanta region is manifested in the long-standing and continuing involvement of its faculty and staff with major regional organizations and various community development initiatives. Members of the Morehouse faculty from the disciplines of biology, chemistry, economics, sociology, and urban studies have conducted applied research on a number of quality growth topics. Morehouse faculty and staff have considerable experience in providing technical assistance to neighborhood development organizations.

Morehouse School of Medicine

www.msm.edu

Morehouse School of Medicine is dedicated to ensuring that community growth occurs within the context of a healthy environment. It does this by working to ensure that all populations have access to affordable, effective, culturally competent health care.

Morris Brown College

www.morrisbrown.edu

Morris Brown College, founded in 1881 by the African Methodist Episcopal Church, is the only college in Georgia founded by African-Americans. Through joint programs with Georgia Tech and six other universities throughout America, Morris Brown offers degrees in architecture, construction, and industrial design in addition to its regular curriculum. Morris Brown has a long-standing commitment to quality growth in the Atlanta metropolitan area through the research and community involvement of its faculty. In addition, the institution cooperates with other member institutions of the Atlanta University Center in collaborative efforts to encourage redevelopment in surrounding neighborhoods.

Oglethorpe University

www.oglethorpe.edu

As a traditional, residential campus located on a 100-acre wooded plot of land in the heart of metropolitan Atlanta, Oglethorpe University has an active concern for intelligent urban development. The University works in partnership with neighborhood associations to preserve its campus and local environment, and provides students with a far-ranging core curriculum that features community service and ethical decision-making. Specifically, programs in urban leadership and urban ecology address issues of growth in the context of political and environmental responsibility.

Southern Polytechnic State University

www.spsu.edu

Southern Polytechnic State University has a strong interest in regional quality growth as evidenced by its involvement with local communities and its efforts to provide faculty and student expertise to help advance good design/planning and sustainable environments. Some of the projects in which the University is involved include: 1) a collaborative effort between the City of Marietta and architecture students in comprehensive vision and conceptual studies, 2) engagement of fifth-year architecture students in local urban design challenges, 3) involvement of civil engineering technology faculty in water quality research in Paulding County, and 4) involvement of construction faculty in researching the recycling of waste carpet into building materials.

As a resource, the University offers the School of Architecture, Civil Engineering Technology, and Construction with three complementary disciplines focused on the built environment. The full-time faculty of the school includes 24 industry-experienced professionals, 12 of whom hold Ph.D.'s and have significant research experience. The greater institution also has faculty resources in the field, in such areas as biology, chemistry, and physics that help support quality growth.

Spelman College

www.spelman.edu

Spelman College, founded in 1881, has a strong commitment to regional quality growth. The founders of the College described their work as "building for 100 years hence." Today, Spelman is still building for the future and sees itself not only as an integral part of the future of this region but also as a player in shaping that future. In terms of quality growth, Spelman has demonstrated significant leadership in these areas: community/neighborhood development, housing options, arts and cultural opportunities, historic preservation, public safety, and the involvement, input, and equitable treatment of citizens.

State University of West Georgia

www.westga.edu

The State University of West Georgia, a charter member of the University System of Georgia, is a selectively-focused, comprehensive institution providing undergraduate and graduate public higher education in arts and sciences, business, and education, primarily to the people of West Georgia. The University is the only institution of higher learning in the immediate area, and makes its resources and facilities available to the community by engaging in various outreach initiatives that help improve the quality of life in the Carrollton region. The University's leadership also has been involved in the collaborative Carroll Tomorrow Project since its initiation.

University of Georgia

www.uga.edu

The University of Georgia is one of the state's premier public institutions for comprehensive education, research, and outreach at the university level and has a number of programs relating to "smart growth." The new College of Environment and Design coalesces the established expertise of UGA's School of Environmental Design with the internationally-renowned scientific capabilities of the Institute of Ecology. The region's capacity for science-based environmental design is further enhanced by faculty from the Warnell School of Forest Resources, the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, Engineering, the Terry College of Business, the College of Family and Consumer Sciences, the School of Law, and the College of Education. Many public service and outreach units such as the Carl Vinson Institute of Government and the River Basin Science and Policy Center have programs dedicated to growth management topics and contribute to the education of government officials and the general public. UGA students can earn undergraduate and graduate degrees in a range of fields related to quality growth issues (such as landscape architecture or environmental health), and can enroll in certificate programs in environmental ethics, water resources, and conservation ecology and sustainable development.

Departments/Centers/Institutes which Address Growth

One of the first steps for collaborating with a college or university is identifying whom to contact on a campus. Listed below (by ARCHE member institution) are the departments, centers, and institutes that address growth, with a note for each entry showing which of the following topics are addressed:

Planning/zoning

Land use

Surface transportation (including planning and alternative modes)

Air & water quality

Other environmental quality (including greenspace, soil, plants, and wildlife)

Infrastructure (including sewerage, solid waste disposal, wastewater treatment, water supply, stormwater management, electric power, telecommunications, and technology)

Community/neighborhood development

Housing options (including mixed income and affordable housing)

Arts/cultural opportunities and their impact on communities

Historic preservation

Public safety

Citizen involvement (including input from and equitable treatment of low-income, minority, and underserved populations)

Public finance (including budgeting, project cost estimating, and public financing)

Other growth-related topics

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AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE

Office of Public Safety

Topic(s): Public safety

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CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

Environmental Justice Center

Topic(s): Air & water quality, environmental quality, citizen involvement

The center serves as a research, policy, and information clearinghouse on issues related to environmental justice, race and the environment,

civil rights, facility siting, land use planning, brown fields, transportation equity, suburban sprawl, and smart growth. The center's goal is to assist, support, train, and educate people of color, students, professionals, and grassroots community leaders with the goal of facilitating their inclusion into the mainstream of environmental decision-making. The center is multidisciplinary in its focus and approach, serving as a bridge among the social and behavioral sciences, natural and physical sciences, engineering, management, and legal disciplines to solve environmental problems.

Dr. Robert Bullard, 404-880-6911, rbullard@cau.edu

Southern Center for Studies in Public Policy

Topic(s): Surface transportation

The center serves as a research, training, teaching, and community outreach organization to enable the University to more effectively provide needed services to minority and low-income communities. Its many research, evaluation, and technical assistance projects have focused on employment and training, housing, leadership skills development, human services, housing, and transportation.

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CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY**Department of Natural Sciences**

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

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Gateway Village

Topic(s): Community/neighborhood development

President's Office, 770-961-3403

Spivey Hall

Topic(s): Arts/cultural opportunities

Spivey Hall is the University's specialized music performance venue with professional staff dedicated to presenting for the broader community. Activities include: an internationally acclaimed concert series of classical, jazz, and world music; campus and regional music instruction programs; and Music Department student and faculty concerts.

Sherryl Nelson, 770-961-3683, sherrynelson@mail.clayton.edu

EMORY UNIVERSITY**Department of Environmental Studies**

Topic(s): Air & water quality, environmental quality

The department offers an interdisciplinary curriculum that combines coursework in both natural and social sciences and the humanities. Classroom activities and field and individual study courses allow students to engage in real world issues.

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www.emory.edu/COLLEGE/ENVS

Environmental Justice Initiative

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

Partners with environmental, legal, and education organizations to study and promote environmental justice by providing scientifically sound, politically sensible and practical advice, and technical assistance to minority communities faced with hazardous environmental exposure.

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Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit (PEHSU)

Topic(s): Air & water quality

One of several PEHSUs, each serving a specific region, this unit serves Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, the Carolinas, Tennessee, and Kentucky. The unit aims to improve the health of children in the region with respect to environmental exposures and inform families, communities, and health care providers regarding environmental hazards, their effects, and practical ways to protect children's health. To achieve these goals, the unit: develops educational materials on children's environmental health; carries out health education activities at Emory and in the Southeast; offers information and technical assistance to agencies, health care providers, and concerned individuals; provides clinical pediatric environmental health services; and supports and participates in children's environmental health research.

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www.sph.emory.edu/PEHSU

Turner Environmental Law Clinic

Topic(s): Environmental quality

Provides free legal assistance to individuals, community groups, and nonprofit organizations that seek to protect and restore the natural environment for the benefit of the public. The clinic trains law students to be effective environmental attorneys with high ethical standards and sensitivity to the natural environment.

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**Advanced Wood Products Laboratory (AWPL)**

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

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Center for Assistive Technology & Environmental Access (CATEA)

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

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Center for Geographic Information Systems (CGIS)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, housing options, air & water quality, environmental quality, surface transportation, infrastructure, arts/cultural opportunities, historic preservation, public finance, citizen involvement, various other topics

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Center for Quality Growth & Regional Development (CQGRD)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, housing options, air & water quality, environmental quality, surface transportation, infrastructure, arts/cultural opportunities, historic preservation, public finance, citizen involvement, various other topics

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Center for Urban Regional Ecology

Topic(s): Air & water quality

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Communications Systems Center

Topic(s): Infrastructure

The center conducts system-level research on topics related to high-quality, economical communications systems to support mixed media applications. The center's research focuses on end-to-end issues related to transporting voice, video, and data over the Internet Protocol (IP) at the network layer, and heterogeneous networks at the data link and physical layers.

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www.csc.gatech.edu

Construction Resource Center (CRC)

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

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Georgia Centers for Advanced Telecommunications Technology (GCATT)

Topic(s): Infrastructure

GCATT is an initiative for creating real and virtual clusters of excellence in advanced telecommunications – the latest technologies and applications in communications, computing, and content processing. The GCATT partnership of industry, government, and universities works in a three-pronged strategy for high-tech economic development in Georgia: discovering new technologies, leading public policy initiatives, and commercializing innovations.

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Georgia Tech Broadband Institute

Topic(s): Infrastructure

The mission of the institute is to create a center of excellence in broadband communications research and in applications that bring broadband technologies and services to the home and the community. The institute promotes educational programs in related science and engineering, as well as technology transfer by means of fundamental and applied research and the creation of research testbeds. The institute partners with many internal and external constituencies to maximize impact. In linking broadband technology to economic and business prosperity, the institute supports the broader missions of GCATT and the Georgia Research Alliance (GRA).

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Interactive Media Architecture Group in Education (IMAGINE)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, housing options, air & water quality, environmental quality, surface transportation, infrastructure, arts/cultural opportunities, historic preservation, public finance, citizen involvement, various other topics

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www.coa.gatech.edu/ imagine

National Electric Energy Testing, Research & Applications Center (NEETRAC)

Topic(s): Infrastructure

The NEETRAC research and development team, in conjunction with industry members, are engaged in: conducting leading edge pre-competitive research and development; developing state-of-the-art test methodologies, equipment, and practices; providing a venue for sustained technology transfer; coordinating and leading selective efforts in the standards arena; and supporting high-level educational and training programs.

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Office of Technology Policy (OTP)

Topic(s): Public safety

OTP monitors and assesses public safety issues including spectrum management for public safety agencies, technologies to improve public safety services and support interoperability, and security and privacy issues of government use of the public safety spectrum.

Helena Mitchell, School of Public Policy, 404-894-6822

University Center of Excellence in Photovoltaics Research & Education

Topic(s): Environmental quality

The purpose of the center is to advance crystalline-silicon solar cells technology through research, to investigate industrially relevant processes that may result in lower-cost processing techniques, to collaborate with U.S. manufacturers of crystalline silicon cells to improve performance and reduce cost, and to provide educational assistance to university students through the operation of a silicon solar cell fabrication laboratory. Hence, the center will help train undergraduate and graduate students in the field of crystalline-silicon solar cells, both at Georgia Tech and at other universities through joint research efforts.

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY**Environmental Policy Center**

Topic(s): Air & water quality

Center focuses on design and assessment of policies related to environment and water resources systems.

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Fiscal Research Program

Topic(s): Public finance

Promotes development of sound public policy and public understanding of fiscal issues of concern to state and local governments. Conducts research on tax policy, budget policy, school financing, intergovernmental relations, and the Georgia economy.

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<http://frp.aysps.gsu.edu/frp/index.html>

Heritage Preservation Program

Topic(s): Historic preservation

Identification and preservation of historic sites, districts, landscapes and preservation planning.

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www.gsu.edu/heritagepr

Urban/Regional Policy Group of Domestic Programs

Topic(s): Land use, community/neighborhood development

Conducts research on the development of cities and regions.

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INSTITUTE OF PAPER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**Forest Biotechnology Unit**

Topic(s): Land use

Plant cell and tissue culture, clonal propagation through in vitro techniques, somatic embryogenesis of conifers, fundamentals of natural embryo development, forest plant pathology, and paper microbiology.

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Recycling Unit

Topic(s): Air & water quality, infrastructure

Analytical, environmental, and organic chemistry.

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Robert C. Williams American Museum of Papermaking

Topic(s): Historic preservation

The museum is an internationally renowned resource on the history of paper and paper technology. In addition to more than 2,000 books, it features a collection of over 10,000 watermarks, papers, tools, machines, and manuscripts.

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY**A.L. Burruss Institute of Public Service**

Topic(s): Land use, community/neighborhood development, air & water quality, environmental quality, surface transportation, public safety, citizen involvement

The A.L. Burruss Institute of Public Service supports KSU's commitment to community outreach by conducting applied research and providing resource acquisition, as well as strategic planning, training, and technical assistance to local and regional nonprofit organizations, and government agencies and officials. By promoting the use of empirical data for the development and evaluation of public policy, the institute seeks to promote informed dialogue on critical issues facing Georgia, the Southeast, and the nation. The institute utilizes the expertise of professional staff and university faculty to analyze and research public sector issues and problems in order to provide key community decision-makers with information to help them solve problems and enhance quality of life. The institute performs other services consistent with its mission upon request.

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Center for Community Healthcare

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

The center works with community agencies to provide health care for vulnerable and underserved populations, and other groups in the Atlanta region. The center promotes community understanding of the needs of vulnerable and underserved populations; encourages research into the identification of health care needs, effectiveness of service provision, and other topics related to community health care; facilitates the provision of health care services through community clinics; serves as a resource to other communities interested in addressing the health care needs of these populations; and promotes collaboration among agencies providing health care and social services. The center also provides consultation services to communities and community agencies wishing to provide health services to vulnerable populations. It oversees the contributions of KSU's School of Nursing to three clinics that provide primary health care services in community locations.

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www.kennesaw.edu/chhs/schoolofnursing/centercommunity.htm

Center for Election Systems

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

The center is a cooperative venture of the Georgia Office of the Secretary of State and KSU. Georgia acquired and installed a uniform, statewide voting system based upon direct recording electronic (DRE) voting systems. The center was established to provide services for Georgia election officials and poll workers to assist with the transition to the new DRE system.

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Center for Industrial Collaboration (CIC)

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

Mentor-protégé programs are being developed to ensure that academic and professional pursuits are fully integrated in the student's learning and work experiences. The CIC provides a mechanism for both faculty and students to pursue these objectives. The CIC has expanded its offerings to include all members of the KSU faculty and student body who wish to pursue relationships with technology-focused businesses and now is offering its services to all Georgia public and private colleges and universities. The CIC also provides free guidance, training, and assistance to all Georgia inventors, innovators, and technology-focused small businesses wishing to successfully participate in federal research grants through the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program.

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Center for Regional History & Culture

Topic(s): Historic preservation

The center's mission is to promote a deeper understanding of the Northwest Georgia region among area residents. Drawing on the expertise of respected faculty from many disciplines at KSU, the center provides outreach programs; conducts and encourages research on the history and culture of Northwest Georgia; gathers historical materials; and provides programs open to the public.

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Center for Suburban Studies (CSS)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues

This new center will focus on suburban growth. Important goals to be pursued include the implications of rapid suburban expansion for quality of life and the role of smart growth in improving quality of life.

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Econometric Center

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

The research center serves as a resource to business groups, professional associations, and governments throughout the nation. Its economic conditions surveys and forecasts are assets to Georgia private and public sector decision-makers.

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Graphic Design Center for Non-Profit

Topic(s): Arts/cultural opportunities

Combines community involvement with classroom instruction.

Department of Visual Arts, 770-423-6139

www.kennesaw.edu/visual_arts

Small Business Development Center (SBDC)

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

The center offers information and support to small business owners. It houses the Franchise Institute, which hosts the yearly Franchise Forum. The SBDC also is a partner in the Cobb Microenterprise Council which gives business training and assistance to low-income people who want to run their own businesses.

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MERCER UNIVERSITY**Mercer Center for Community Development**

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, housing options, historic preservation, citizen involvement

In Macon, the center was established to: coordinate activities of the University that are involved in quality growth, development, and service learning in neighborhoods adjacent to the University; serve as an administrative and coordinating agent for

collaborative partnerships that are working to rebuild and revitalize these areas; and establish funding mechanisms to support the activities of the collaborative partnerships as well as Mercer's autonomous activities in community building. Activities include: housing repair and in-fill building for mixed income housing; architectural planning and design for rebuilding neighborhoods for mixed income residents; community building through organization of neighborhood residents, churches, and schools; and providing professional services (legal, health, and education) to facilitate the housing program and the readiness of the community for quality growth. Three target districts have slightly different activities: Huegenin Heights (historic preservation of existing homes); Central South (community building, housing redevelopment, volunteer and service learning projects in schools); and Beall's Hill (designing and rebuilding the area after removing a large public housing project).

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MOREHOUSE COLLEGE

Environmental Studies Program

Topic(s): Environmental quality

Interdisciplinary program includes community outreach efforts and programs to maximize the positive environmental impact of the college community.

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Public Health Sciences Institute

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

Addresses the fields of epidemiology, biostatistics, and occupational safety and health. Institute also has research programs on minority community public health disparities and health issues unique to urban and minority communities.

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Urban Studies Program

Topic(s): Planning/zoning, land use

Academic programs in urban planning, management, and research.

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MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

National Center for Primary Care

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

Delivery of equitable, efficient, cost-effective primary health care to diverse populations.

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OGLETHORPE UNIVERSITY

Rich Foundation Urban Leadership Program

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, community/neighborhood development

The program challenges students to develop their leadership abilities throughout their college years, and awards the Certificate of Urban Leadership at graduation. Through a balance of academic courses, workshops, and various on- and off-campus experiences, it prepares graduates to meet the challenges of responsible citizenship in local, national, and international communities. Students gain a broad understanding of leadership concepts, theories, and applications.

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Environmental Science Program

Topic(s): Air & water quality, environmental quality

The program addresses the global changes and responses affecting a sustainable environment.

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Center for Public History

Topic(s): Historic preservation

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Center for Water Resources

Topic(s): Air & water quality, environmental quality

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Department of Political Science

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues

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Economic Forecast Center

Topic(s): Public finance

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Townsend Center for Performing Arts

Topic(s): Arts/cultural opportunities

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**Carl Vinson Institute of Government (CVIQG)**

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

Responding with continuing education relevant to the job challenges of today's leaders is a top priority of the institute. Collectively, faculty design and conduct more than 850 programs a year in which more than 25,000 individuals participate. Outreach programs help governments and communities anticipate needs and improve operations. The institute also provides technical assistance to local governments, state agencies, school districts, and nonprofits. The institute equips officials with applied research on specific clients concerns, legislative research requested by the General Assembly, legal research analyzing state and federal law, and scholarly research. Publications bring relevant information to a wide audience, making it easily accessible.

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CVIQG Division of Community & Regional Development (CRD)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, community/neighborhood development, citizen involvement

The CRD helps communities, state agencies, and not-for-profit organizations take a proactive approach to anticipating and planning for growth and change. Using cutting-edge strategies, the division brings together all the relevant parties to formulate their own strategies and solutions in a group decision setting. Faculty expertise focuses on these subjects: community, economic, and regional development; leisure and recreation; natural resources; participatory policy design; and strategic planning.

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CVIQG Financial Management Training Programs

Topic(s): Public finance

The CVIQG offers training programs to local and state government groups to aid them in developing sound financial management plans for their communities.

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CVIQG Research & Policy Division

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, community/neighborhood development, citizen involvement

The Research & Policy Analysis Division provides policymakers with objective, systematic research. Through such activities as conducting an economic impact study, staffing a special legislative committee on state water issues, and conducting public opinion surveys, the division helps expand knowledge about a wide range of state and local government management and policy issues while also promoting the proper utilization of research for more informed decisions and providing arenas for information exchange.

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Center for Agribusiness & Economic Development

Topic(s): Various growth-related topics

This center's objectives are to provide feasibility and marketing services; provide agricultural and demographic data for private and public decision makers; and conduct analysis related to policy issues in Georgia agriculture and provide that information to relevant decision makers.

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Center for Forest Business

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, public finance

The center is a collaborative effort between the School of Forest Resources faculty, the forest products industry, private landowners, and state and federal agencies. Created to integrate the business aspects of forest production and processing with the biological and ecological requirements of sustainable production, the center supports a graduate instruction program in management, finance, strategic planning, forestland accounting, corporate and capital investment, procurement, marketing, etc. The center also supports an active research program on some of these same topics, as well as timber supply assessments, forestland investments and land ownership options, corporate organizational structures, private property rights, impact of state and federal regulations on industrial and private landowners, etc. The center conducts service and outreach programs for the forest business community and private landowners.

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Center for Social Services Research & Development

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

This center provides technical and problem solving assistance in the development of new patterns and approaches to the delivery of social services. Faculty and staff engage in applied research, training, technical assistance, and consultation on a variety of current and emerging issues in human services. They design specific projects in cooperation with leaders in policy and management, and have roles in a variety of social service organizations statewide. The center provides a structure for developing partnerships with divisions of government as well as private organizations, supporting their efforts to

improve decision-making, program implementation, technology transfer, service monitoring and evaluation, innovation, and change. Collaborative learning across projects and shared resources for proposal development, data collection and analysis, and dissemination enable the center to add value beyond the efforts of individual faculty members.

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College of Family & Consumer Sciences (FACS) Cooperative Extension Service

Topic(s): Housing options, environmental quality

FACS teaches Georgians how to reduce exposure to environmental contaminants in the home, enables consumers to acquire and maintain affordable housing, and teaches the most efficient ways to manage household demand on natural resources.

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Department of Housing & Consumer Economics

Topic(s): Housing options

This department focuses on teaching, research, and outreach programs in consumer economics, family financial management, housing, technology and environmental issues, consumer journalism, and Georgia families and communities.

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Engineering Outreach Services

Topic(s): Infrastructure

Engineering Outreach Services provides practical solutions to Georgia industries, communities, and agencies to achieve profitability, sustainable development, and conservation.

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Georgia Center for Continuing Education

Topic(s): Citizen involvement

The center initiates and facilitates life-long learning for individuals and organizations by serving as a University portal and providing full-service educational programs in an innovative, integrative, cost-effective manner through state-of-the-art delivery.

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Georgia Museum of Art Traveling Exhibition Service

Topic(s): Arts/cultural opportunities

The museum has organized a series of exhibitions from its collections that are available for use by community centers around the state.

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www.uga.edu/gamuseum

Housing & Demographics Research Center (HDRC)

Topic(s): Housing options

This center provides sound housing research, promotes a more rational regulatory environment for the building community, and disseminates research findings to policy makers, interested parties, and the general public. Created in partnership with the Research Center of the National Association of Home Builders, the HDRC is part of a network of housing research centers located regionally at major research universities.

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Information Technology Outreach Services (ITOS)

Topic(s): Infrastructure, public safety

ITOS, in cooperation with the public and private sectors, helps the University System of Georgia, nonprofit groups, and state, local, and national governments expand and improve their use of information technology in the public interest. ITOS core areas of expertise are GIS mapping and application development, data integration, and development of Web applications.

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Institute of Ecology

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, air & water quality, environmental quality, infrastructure, various other topics

The institute encourages multidisciplinary research and service activities in ecology involving faculty and graduate students from a variety of departments, schools, and research sites. In addition to laboratory facilities on campus, access to research facilities off-campus may be arranged at the Savannah River Ecology Laboratory, Coweeta Hydrologic Laboratory, and the Joseph Jones Ecological Research Center. Other field sites include the McGarity Wetlands and Odum Watershed, Sapelo Island, and international sites in Ecuador, Guatemala, Costa Rica, and Puerto Rico. Agro-ecological research is conducted on the institute's nearby Horseshoe Bend site. The institute supports applied and basic research in marine, freshwater, and terrestrial ecosystems in temperate and tropical regions with active programs in physiological, behavioral, biophysical, and evolutionary aspects of ecology. Its service programs aid schools, communities, industry, and government through special short courses and participatory research. The institute also has an active program in environmental policy.

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J.W. Fanning Institute for Leadership

Topic(s): Community/neighborhood development, citizen involvement

The institute challenges and supports individuals to become productive members of their communities and organizations by learning to lead collaboratively. Leading collaboratively involves learning what one has to offer others, and how to make that offering relevant.

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James C. Bonbright Utilities Center

Topic(s): Infrastructure

The center conducts research and organizes conferences on regulatory aspects of electric and natural gas issues.

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Marine Extension Service (MAREX) Water Quality Division

Topic(s): Air & water quality

MAREX Water Quality Division monitors water quality on each of Georgia's five major coastal rivers and makes the data available through workshops and other programs to the public and those who make decisions concerning Georgia rivers and streams.

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The Marine Institute

Topic(s): Environmental quality

The institute, on Sapelo Island, is a research facility for resident staff and for campus-based faculty members. Research has centered on marsh and estuarine ecology to provide an understanding of energy flow, cycling of minerals and nutrients through the marshes and nearby ocean, and factors regulating the metabolism of the salt marsh ecosystem. Research related to "smart" growth includes impact of population growth on marine ecology.

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Natural Resources Spatial Analysis Laboratory Geographic Information Systems (NARSAL GIS Labs)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, air & water quality, environmental quality, surface transportation, infrastructure

NARSAL's mission is to conduct research, training, and public service and outreach in the application of geospatial technology to natural resource management and planning. Its goal is to bring ecological science to the environmental policy arena. NARSAL serves as a resource for the natural resources research community throughout the University System of Georgia.

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River Basin Science & Policy Center

Topic(s): Land use, air & water quality

The center involves UGA faculty members from 16 academic areas, affiliated units, and governmental agencies, and addresses complex problems of water management through interdisciplinary collaboration. Scientific expertise in the area of hydrology, engineering, and riverine ecosystems are combined with political expertise to advance the creation of cutting-edge science and informed public policy relating to the problems facing water resources. The center conducts and compiles scientific research, analyzes public policies, and educates public policy makers and students on the science of riverine ecosystems and the protection of these ecosystems through public policy.

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www.rivercenter.uga.edu

Savannah River Ecology Laboratory (SREL)

Topic(s): Infrastructure, air & water quality

The mission of the laboratory is to acquire and communicate knowledge of ecological processes and principles. SREL conducts basic and applied ecological research as well as education and outreach programs under a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Energy at the Savannah River Site.

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School of Environmental Design (SED)

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, housing options, surface transportation, infrastructure, historic preservation

SED is a center for providing education for students who wish to play a role in the planning, design, and management of the outdoor environment. The undergraduate program provides professional instruction in landscape architecture. The discipline of landscape architecture is both an art and a science, and includes the creation and management of environments which meet human needs and are ecologically sensitive. Whether practicing in urban settings or natural environments, the landscape architect's tools blend horticultural, engineering, and artistic skills with an understanding of natural processes and a sense of stewardship.

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SED Public Service & Outreach Office

Topic(s): Planning/zoning issues, land use, community/neighborhood development, infrastructure, arts/cultural opportunities, historic preservation, public finance, citizen involvement

The mission of the Public Service and Outreach (PS&O) Office of the School of Environmental Design (SED) is to provide service-learning experience for graduate students in landscape architecture and historic preservation. By utilizing a mix of professional and student staff members, towns throughout Georgia have the opportunity to obtain professional design services from this office. These communities are provided high-quality services they could not otherwise afford and students receive practical hands-on experience. The PS&O office contracts with governmental agencies, nonprofit organizations, civic groups, and other funding sources to carry out projects, conduct research, provide training, and deliver administrative services. The PS&O office at SED produces community-based results to meet the goals of students, citizens, elected officials, local decision makers, and UGA faculty.

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School of Law

Topic(s): Land use, various other topics

The School of Law has several environmental law offerings including standard courses in environmental law, international environmental law, real estate finance, land use, and natural resources. In addition to these courses, it provides several clinical offerings including the Environmental Law Practicum and a Land Use Clinic. These clinical offerings are done in

cooperation with the Institute of Ecology. The Law School also places students as interns with agencies like the EPA through the Civil Externship Program. In addition, the school participates in the University's Environmental Ethics Certificate Program.

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Simon S. Selig, Jr. Center for Economic Growth

Topic(s): Surface transportation

The center serves the state by issuing economic forecasts, conducting applied economic and marketing research, and publishing research findings and economic statistics. The center also provides information to business leaders, government agencies, media, and the general public and is an official cooperating agency with the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the Construction Statistics Division, U.S. Bureau of the Census. Faculty serve as economic and financial advisors to many public and private organizations. The center also assesses the economic impact of various surface and air transportation infrastructure projects.

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The State Botanical Garden of Georgia

Topic(s): Air & water quality, environmental quality, arts/cultural opportunities

The State Botanical Garden of Georgia is a 313-acre preserve set aside by UGA to foster appreciation, understanding, and stewardship of plants and nature through collections and displays, horticultural gardens, educational programs, and research. The garden is a "living laboratory," a vital resource for the teaching, research, and public service missions of the University. Each year, the garden offers a wide variety of educational programs and events.

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Stripling Irrigation Center

Topic(s): Air & water quality

This facility allows faculty to study water use and quality.

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Faculty & Staff Engaged in Growth-Related Research

The best resource on quality growth at a college or university is the expertise of faculty and staff. This section identifies faculty/staff engaged in growth-related research at ARCHE member institutions. They are grouped by the following topics and are listed by institution under each topic:

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PLANNING/ZONING

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Planning/zoning issues

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Methods to evaluate the effects on travel, air quality, and physical activity of alternative development scenarios (under different land use plans and zoning) for major activity centers, town centers, etc.

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Research Area(s): Extension of environmental philosophy to the built environment, especially to the process of suburbanization and metropolitan growth
Robert Kirkman, School of Public Policy, 404-894-6822

Research Area(s): College of Architecture faculty address a range of planning/zoning topics
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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): International real estate, real estate law, real estate investment analysis

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Research on Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA), and Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) and Transportation Management Associations (TMAs) in collaboration with colleagues in California and Maryland (GRTA and BID/TMA research projects are directly pertinent to transportation issues, and also are relevant to land use and planning areas)

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Planning/zoning

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): City planning, community organization, economic development

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Research Area(s): Resort planning, urban design, development

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Research Area(s): Community planning, preservation and design

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Research Area(s): Urban and regional planning and zoning

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Research Area(s): Policy and taxation

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Research Area(s): Legal aspects and planning and zoning

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Research Area(s): Applied research and technical assistance in planning, growth management

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Research Area(s): Suburbanization and sprawl

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Research Area(s): Impact of zoning on land prices, impact of zoning over time

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Research Area(s): Planning and zoning law

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LAND USE

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Land use

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Affordable housing and urban redevelopment

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Research Area(s): Sprawl policy and environmental law

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Effects of land use on travel (mode choice, miles, and time traveled), motor vehicle emissions, air quality, physical activity (type, level, and duration), and social interaction

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Research Area(s): Extension of environmental philosophy to the built environment, especially to the process of suburbanization and metropolitan growth

Robert Kirkman, School of Public Policy, 404-894-6822

Research Area(s): Employed spatial econometrics and microeconomic theory, as well as survey design methods, to examine the value of environmental goods; current research includes a survey of quality of life in Chicago and the economics of genetic resources (e.g., antibiotic and pesticide resistance)

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Research Area(s): College of Architecture faculty address a range of land use topics

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): International real estate, real estate law, real estate investment analysis

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Research Area(s): Zoning, land use law, growth management, sprawl, local government powers

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INSTITUTE OF PAPER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Biomass productivity enhancement

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Research on Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA), and Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) and Transportation Management Associations (TMAs) in collaboration with colleagues in California and Maryland (GRTA and BID/TMA research projects are directly pertinent to transportation issues, and also are relevant to land use and planning areas)

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Land use density as it relates to trip generation and traffic growth

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): City planning, community organization, economic development

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Research Area(s): Community planning, preservation and design

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Research Area(s): Urban and regional planning and zoning

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Effect of having unlicensed drivers on insurance, public health, and safety

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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Research Area(s): Extension of environmental philosophy to the built environment, especially to the process of suburbanization and metropolitan growth

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Transportation, management and policy

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

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Research Area(s): Research on Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA), and Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) and Transportation Management Associations (TMAs) in collaboration with colleagues in California and Maryland (GRTA and BID/TMA research projects are directly pertinent to transportation issues, and also are relevant to land use and planning areas)

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Demand modeling for multimodal transportation systems; trip generation; signal optimization; two-lane roadway capacity; bicycle transportation: planning, safety, and design; data acquisition techniques in transportation

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

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AIR & WATER QUALITY**CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY**

Research Area(s): Save a Lake and Save a Stream Program

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Public health aspects of urban sprawl; health consequences of global climate change; pediatric environmental health; effects of economic globalization on environmental and occupational health; hazards faced by marginalized workers and communities, including immigrant workers, service workers, and minority communities

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Research Area(s): Impact of environmental pollutants on human health

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Effect of land use and travel behavior (mode choice, distance traveled, etc.) on air quality

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Research Area(s): Extension of environmental philosophy to the built environment, especially to the process of suburbanization and metropolitan growth
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Research Area(s): Ground water quality, aquifer remediation (e.g., surfactant flushing, thermal treatment, soil vapor extraction), contaminant fate and transport (e.g., chlorinated solvents, gasoline), cryptosporidium parvum (in watersheds, subsurface), contaminant sensors/probes, ground water treatment
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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

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MERCER UNIVERSITY

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MOREHOUSE COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Health effects of chronic low-level exposure to heavy metals in children

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OGLETHORPE UNIVERSITY

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Bioremediation of water addressing critical metal contamination from acid mine drainage, coal pile run off, and industrial effluents (to ensure that rural communities have access to safe, clean water)

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Air and water quality issues

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OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE

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BRENAU UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Wastes that affect the environment

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CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Use of electronic commerce technologies for environmental and supply chain management, environmental impacts of supply chain management and applications of qualitative research methods

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Research Area(s): Extension of environmental philosophy to the built environment, especially to the process of suburbanization and metropolitan growth

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Research Area(s): Employed spatial econometrics and microeconomic theory, as well as survey design methods, to examine the value of environmental goods; current research includes a survey of quality of life in Chicago and the economics of genetic resources (e.g., antibiotic and pesticide resistance)

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

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MOREHOUSE COLLEGE

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OGLETHORPE UNIVERSITY

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Environmental politics

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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Research Area(s): International environmental law,
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INFRASTRUCTURE

EMORY UNIVERSITY

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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of information over various media including space,
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Research Area(s): Nuclear power

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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Research Area(s): Application of remote sensing and GIS technologies for natural resource planning and management and as decision support tools, effectiveness of incentive-based programs to achieve public policy initiatives for natural resource conservation

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Research Area(s): Public-private partnerships designed to address human resources, environmental, and infrastructure needs in local communities and various regions of Georgia

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COMMUNITY/NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

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Research Area(s): Collaboration and empowerment in urban settings, community-based organizations working together to revitalize neighborhoods

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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Research Area(s): Tourism in downtown and suburban areas as an economic development tool

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): City planning, community organization, economic development

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HOUSING OPTIONS

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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ARTS/CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES**ATLANTA COLLEGE OF ART**

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Employed spatial econometrics and microeconomic theory as well as survey design methods to examine the value of environmental goods; current research includes a survey of quality of life in Chicago and the economics of genetic resources (e.g., antibiotic and pesticide resistance)

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

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INSTITUTE OF PAPER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Visual improvement of public spaces

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Research Area(s): Links between waves of recent migrants and religious expression in the built environment (e.g., temples and mosques) in Atlanta

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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Research Area(s): Parks, open space, leisure studies

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

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 planning and design
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Research Area(s): Community preservation,
 planning, surveys
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Research Area(s): International historic preservation,
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Research Area(s): Preservation history, historic preservation policy

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PUBLIC SAFETY

AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Effect of having unlicensed drivers on insurance, public health, and safety

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EMORY UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Youth violence in Metro Atlanta – incidence, prevalence, and spatio-temporal patterns of firearm violence as well as the knowledge, beliefs, attitudes, and behaviors of youth, adults, and law enforcement regarding firearm violence

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Monitor and assess public safety issues including spectrum management for public safety agencies, technologies to improve public safety services and support interoperability, and security and privacy issues of government use of the public safety spectrum

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Criminal law and procedure

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Research Area(s): Community policing

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Research Area(s): Street crime

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Research Area(s): Disaster and emergency response and management

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Conducting crime-modeling research, developed a GIS model to predict crime (using Atlanta as a case study)

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Safety issues for the construction industry

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Public safety

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Research Area(s): Public safety

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Child protection, family and children services

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Research Area(s): Public safety law

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Research Area(s): Risk analysis

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CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Citizen involvement

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Recruitment methods to increase participation of low-income minority populations in household travel surveys

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Dr. Lawrence Frank, Georgia Tech Research Institute, 404-385-2279, larry.frank@arch.gatech.edu

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Research Area(s): Rehabilitation Engineering
Research Center develops wireless technologies for persons with disabilities and provides policy research and assessment of workplace accommodations to help them (also involved in e-government, citizen security and privacy issues, and citizen participation in policy making)

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Research Area(s): College of Architecture faculty address a range of topics related to citizen involvement

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Director of tax clinic serving low-income taxpayers

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Research Area(s): Human rights, public interest law, urban law

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Research Area(s): Employment discrimination

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Research Area(s): Access to health care

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Research Area(s): Spatial mismatch

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Research Area(s): Citizen participation

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Health services for vulnerable populations

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Research Area(s): Health services for vulnerable populations and HIV infection in minority women

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Research Area(s): Health care to vulnerable populations, breast cancer detection in minority women

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Cultural anthropology

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Research Area(s): Citizen participation in governmental processes

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Citizen involvement

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Research Area(s): Citizen involvement

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Environmental ethics

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Research Area(s): Latino issues

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Research Area(s): Citizen participation in environmental planning and policy development

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Research Area(s): Human service planning and administration

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Research Area(s): Environmental justice

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Research Area(s): Ethics

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Research Area(s): Urban labor markets, gentrification, race and suburbanization

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Research Area(s): Housing, poverty

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PUBLIC FINANCE

CLARK ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Public finance

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): College of Architecture faculty address a range of public finance topics

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Local government powers and finance

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SOUTHERN POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Value engineering models and partnering impacts on the construction industry

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STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Public finance

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Research Area(s): Public finance

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Community grants, programs

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Research Area(s): Forest finance

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Research Area(s): Public and private partnerships and public financing mechanisms

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Research Area(s): Economic development
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Research Area(s): Taxation
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OTHER GROWTH-RELATED TOPICS

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Research Area(s): Affects of community design on people's levels and durations of physical activity and health
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Dr. Lawrence Frank, Georgia Tech Research Institute, 404-385-2279, larry.frank@arch.gatech.edu
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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Research Area(s): Ongoing interrelated research interests in land use patterns and impacts, quality of life of suburbanites, incidence and geographic distribution of crime, and responses to and management of crime
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MOREHOUSE COLLEGE

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Research Area(s): Bioprocessing, resource conservation, byproduct recovery and utilization, new product development

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Research Area(s): Participatory policy design, strategic planning, group problem solving, and process consultation

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Research Area(s): Organizational development, public personnel administration

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Research Area(s): Systems-thinking, motivation and productivity, effective leadership patterns, human resource development

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Research Area(s): Regional, intra- and interstate and multi-jurisdictional solutions to local problems, Georgia's state retirement systems, and personal liability of public officials

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Research Area(s): Mediation systems design, employment mediation, public policy mediation, collaboration

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Research Area(s): Local government law, municipal annexation, city and county consolidation

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Research Area(s): Public policy making, analysis and administration

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Research Area(s): Strategic planning, leadership development

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Research Area(s): Social and education policies

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Research Area(s): Performance management, administrative justice, health policy and management

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Research Area(s): Sustainable agriculture professional development

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Research Area(s): Public interest practicum

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Research Area(s): Public administration, human resource development

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Research Area(s): Regional governance, intergovernmental relations, strategic planning

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Community Outreach Programs & Services

Colleges and universities actively engage in many different outreach efforts to benefit the greater community. This section features growth-related community outreach programs and services offered by ARCHE member institutions. They are grouped by the following topics and are listed by institution under each topic:

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A searchable version of this directory also is available on the ARCHE Web site at: www.atlantahighered.org.

PLANNING/ZONING

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Local Government Outreach Event

Includes listening sessions regarding legal and political barriers hindering smart growth in this region, with representatives from local and regional governments, including both staff and elected officials. Surveys are used to gauge attendees' perspectives about smart growth and obstacles to it. Facilitated discussions are used regarding solutions either already in place or deemed locally viable. Documentation of findings and recommendations is developed.

James Chapman, Georgia Tech Research Institute, 404-385-2278, jim.chapman@gtri.gatech.edu

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Smart Growth Survey

Faculty worked with students to survey 13 metro-Atlanta counties to investigate data needs of public administrators that can facilitate the smart growth of this rapidly growing metropolitan region.

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MERCER UNIVERSITY

Beall's Hill & Central South Revitalization Projects

Planning and zoning compliance enforcement assistance related to housing improvement projects.

Dr. Peter Brown, Assistant to the President, 478-301-5372, brown_pc@mercer.edu

STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA

Carroll Tomorrow

Addresses growth in Carroll County through the continuous interaction of five areas of strategic planning: economy, quality of life, education, planning and infrastructure development, and local government and leadership.

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Analysis of Environmental & Land Use Impacts of Animal Feeding Operations

This project analyzes the environmental and land use impacts associated with concentrated animal feeding operations and identifies the role of federal, state, and local governments to address those concerns. It also provides guidance to local governments in siting such facilities and identifies tools available to address potential concerns.

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Community Planning Academy

Content facilitation and curriculum development assistance for a program offered by the Atlanta Regional Commission to appointed planning commission members in the metro Atlanta region. This course is offered in Gainesville for the Georgia Mountains Region and similar classes are being discussed for delivery in other parts of Georgia.

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Community & Regional Development

Creation of historic and thematic overlay districts for local municipal and county governments and communities.

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Growth Management & Environmental Protection

This work focuses on balancing growth and environmental protection. It includes several studies and publications designed to help state and local government officials effectively address growth-related issues.

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Information Technology Outreach Services – Local Government Group

Help develop GIS datasets for use in tax assessor's office.

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The Land Use Clinic

The clinic provides UGA law students with real-life experience in land use, planning, and zoning law by working to protect natural resources and address other pressing growth and development issues. Students also research unresolved legal issues surrounding growth management, and draft legislative policies to promote quality growth in Georgia and nationally. Students work with individual clients or on research projects, and also collaborate on a clinic-wide project.

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Planning & Zoning Board Training

The Community and Regional Development Division (Carl Vinson Institute of Government) contracts with local government (planning and zoning commissions, county commissions, city councils, etc.) to carry out design, provide training, and deliver technical assistance services.

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Planning & Zoning for Quality Growth

Course taught to elected city and county officials through partnerships with state government organizations.

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Public Service & Outreach (PS&O) for the College of Environment & Design

The PS&O office contracts with government agencies, nonprofit agencies, and civic groups to carry out projects, conduct research, provide training, and deliver administrative services.

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Strategic Planning/Community Investment Program

The Community and Regional Development Division (Carl Vinson Institute of Government) contracts with local agencies (planning and zoning commissions, county commissions, city councils, chambers of commerce, etc.) to carry out design, gather community input, develop community strategic action agendas, and provide necessary technical assistance.

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Wildland-Urban Interface

Offers research on the role of land-related public policies as a driving force of change at the wildland-urban interface (which results from the conversion of agricultural and forested land to urban uses).

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LAND USE

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Local Government Outreach Event

Includes listening sessions regarding legal and political barriers hindering smart growth in this region, with representatives from local and regional governments, including both staff and elected officials. Surveys are used to gauge attendees' perspectives about smart growth and obstacles to it.

Facilitated discussions are used regarding solutions either already in place or deemed locally viable. Documentation of findings and recommendations is developed.

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MERCER UNIVERSITY

Beall's Hill & Central South Re-Development Projects

Widespread housing re-development project.

Dr. Peter Brown, Assistant to the President, 478-301-5372, brown_pc@mercer.edu

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Analysis of Changes to Trout Stream Buffers

The study is a joint project of faculty from the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, the Institute of Ecology, and the School of Forest Resources to assess amendments made to the Erosion and Sedimentation Control Act – relating to vegetative buffer requirements along Georgia trout streams – made during the 2000 Legislative Session. When the study is completed, a report will be prepared for the General Assembly to consider if the amendments are effective in protecting trout streams or if policy changes are needed.

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Analysis of Environmental & Land Use Impacts of Animal Feeding Operations

This project analyzes the environmental and land use impacts associated with concentrated animal feeding operations and identifies the role of federal, state, and local governments to address those concerns. It also provides guidance to local governments in siting such facilities and identified tools available to address potential concerns.

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Balanced Growth Initiative/Community & Regional Development

The Balanced Growth Initiative is a public service and outreach effort to increase awareness and understanding – among policymakers, planners, developers, municipalities, and the general public – of the wide variety of planning and growth tools available to promote efficient and sustainable land use and natural resource development.

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Cooperative Extension Service

A comprehensive water quality program that includes faculty at the state level and faculty based in almost every Georgia county. Many of the county staff have received in-depth training on water issues. They are equipped to deliver information on water policy and regulatory issues, and to provide technical assistance on both urban and agricultural practices to improve water quantity and quality. Many have been very active in leading citizen monitoring efforts, working with citizen groups and policy makers, and developing youth educational programs. A pool of statewide experts presents workshops or presentations that enable local efforts to make the most scientifically sound solutions. In addition, state teams have been formed to address issues such as animal waste management, biosolids/land application, establishment of stream buffers, drinking water publications, water conservation, and stormwater management and onsite treatment center.

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<http://srwqis.tamu.edu/states/georgia>

Georgia Land Use Trends Project

The project, a cooperative effort between the Institute of Ecology and the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, is designed to use LANDSAT data and GIS technology to determine land use trends in Georgia from 1974 to the present. Current efforts focus on analysis of trends by various regional units (i.e., physiographic province, river basins and watersheds, RDCs, and counties). Policy publications, Web-based data sets, and maps are planned or in process. This project can provide insights into how growth may occur while minimizing adverse impacts.

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The Land Use Clinic

The clinic provides law students with real-life experience in land use, planning, and zoning law by working to protect natural resources and address other pressing growth and development issues. Students also research unresolved legal issues surrounding growth management, and draft legislative policies to promote quality growth in Georgia and nationally. Students work with individual clients or on research projects, and also collaborate on a clinic-wide project.

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Land Use Impact Modeling

Land use, 3-D, visualization, financial, environmental, and accessibility impact computer models which are both Web-based and geographic information system based.

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Natural Areas & Greenspace Preservation

Outreach related to natural areas and greenspace (which are increasingly important as the population increases, both for active and passive recreation purposes and for environmental protection reasons).

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Wildland-Urban Interface

Offers research on the role of land-related public policies as a driving force of change at the wildland-urban interface (which results from the conversion of agricultural and forested land to urban uses).

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

EMORY UNIVERSITY

Alternative Transportation

Addresses alternative transportation issues.

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www.epcs.emory.edu/AltTransp/alternative_transportation.HTM

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Alliance for Quality Growth

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Information Technology Outreach Services

Develops and maintains state transportation base map.

Eric McRae, 706-542-3442, mcrae@itos.uga.edu

AIR & WATER QUALITY

EMORY UNIVERSITY

The K-12 Water Quality Project

The project is an alliance of faculty and students from Emory and Atlanta-area schools participating in a collaborative water quality monitoring project. They work with civic organizations like The Upper

Chattahoochee RiverKeeper to create a comprehensive database of water quality data for the Upper Chattahoochee Watershed.

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www.emory.edu/CHEMISTRY/faculty/ram/waterquality_project.htm

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Georgia Tech Ambient Air Monitoring

Detailed, real-time air quality data.

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http://cure.eas.gatech.edu/ga_air/today-0/Georgia.html

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Environment & Water Policy Center

Design of offset banking system for water quality (works with Gwinnett County officials and home builders association).

Ron Cummings, 404-651-1888, rcummings@gsu.edu

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Georgia Adopt-a-Lake

Service learning in freshman general chemistry associated with Georgia Adopt-a-Lake programs.

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OGLETHORPE UNIVERSITY

River Rendezvous

This annual event recruits volunteers who take water samples for analysis, conduct a visual streambank survey, and collect and identify macrobiotic invertebrates from nearly 100 pre-selected sites in the community. Collected water samples are analyzed at Oglethorpe for pH, dissolved oxygen, conductivity, turbidity, fecal coliform, temperature, and other factors. Visual stream surveys provide long-term monitoring of streambank and riparian habitat status.

Charlie Baube, 404-364-8404

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Analysis of Changes to Trout Stream Buffers

The study is a joint project of faculty from the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, the Institute of Ecology, and the School of Forest Resources to assess amendments made to the Erosion and Sedimentation Control Act – relating to vegetative buffer requirements along Georgia trout streams – made during the 2000 Legislative Session. When the study is completed, a report will be prepared for the General Assembly to consider if the amendments are effective in protecting trout streams or if policy changes are needed.

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Information Technology Outreach Services – National Hydrography Dataset (NHD)

NHD (national standard waterflow, EPA and USGS)

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Joint Legislative Comprehensive State Water Plan Study Committee

Provide policy and scientific research, technical assistance, and staff support to the Joint Legislative Comprehensive State Water Plan Study Committee and Water Plan Advisory Committee. This project is in response to SR 142 passed by the General Assembly which created the study and advisory committees to develop the framework for a comprehensive state water plan and to recommend actions to address related water issues.

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Public Service & Outreach for Institute of Ecology

The institute's service and outreach mission is to provide expertise to Georgia citizens in the development of policies and practices to protect natural resources, which are critical to the state's economic well-being. Faculty, staff, and graduate students provide research and policy assistance to government agencies, community groups, and citizens. Most efforts focus on Georgia's land use, biodiversity, water, and air quality, but some focus on regional, national, and international problems.

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Rural Air Quality Team

A group of researchers and extension workers are involved in finding solutions to air quality problems normally associated with rural areas, such as odors and emissions from animal operations, rendering and food processing plants, and pulp and paper mills.

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Upper Suwannee River Basin Water Quality Assessment

Assesses the water quality impacts of implemented BMPs and animal production in the Upper Suwannee River Basin.

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Water Management

Assists state agencies and local governments in better managing water resources by providing research, technical assistance, and production of policy and guidance documents.

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OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TOPICS

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The Georgia Endangered Plant Stewardship Network

This network is a project of the State Botanical Garden of Georgia and the Georgia Plant Conservation Alliance. It consists of public school sites for endangered plant propagation. Through these school projects, students propagate and care for unusual, rare, threatened, and endangered wildflowers

at their school sites. Teachers attend a training workshop and classes receive official permits through the Georgia Department of Natural Resources to grow endangered plant species on their sites.

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The Georgia Plant Conservation Alliance

The alliance is a consortium of botanical gardens, environmental organizations, and state and federal agencies working to: study and preserve Georgia's flora through multidisciplinary research, education, and advocacy; facilitate the recovery of rare, threatened, and endangered plants of Georgia and the Southeast U.S.; and communicate the importance of preserving biodiversity worldwide.

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Environmental Management Training for Local Government Officials

This is a certification course for local government officials required by the Association County Commissioners of Georgia and the Georgia Municipal Association. It addresses air quality, water resources, land use, sustainable development, and waste management, and builds local government capacity to manage those concerns. The course provides education on the legislative/regulatory framework for major federal and state environmental laws. It informs local officials of current environmental programs such as the state air quality implementation plan, stormwater management permits, greenspace program, and solid waste recycling. It offers insight into the environmental issues Georgia local governments face and provides tools for managing those issues in a balanced manner as communities

grow. The course builds the capacity of local officials to provide services to citizens, meet regulatory requirements, and protect local environmental resources.

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Environmental Policy Trend Analysis

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Information Technology Outreach Services – Local Government Group

Parcel mapping with soil content.

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Institute for Georgia Environmental Leadership

Training component for the Fanning Institute to provide environmental awareness for policy making in Georgia. The program's goals include learning more about regional and state environmental issues, providing a forum for participants to develop an understanding of each other's views, and engaging participants in key aspects of leadership (such as creative program solving, building trust, and developing communication skills).

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INFRASTRUCTURE

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Solid Waste Reduction & Management

This project includes policy research and analysis, and works with the General Assembly, state agencies, local governments, and the private sector to develop effective solid waste reduction and management policies and programs.

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COMMUNITY/NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT

BRENAU UNIVERSITY

Gainesville Redevelopment Authority

Brenau's president is actively engaged with this Authority, which has revitalized downtown Gainesville.

President's Office, 770-534-6110

Neighborhood Development

Brenau works with its surrounding neighborhoods to ensure that campus buildings are an integral part of the community, and benefit those living in the area.

President's Office, 770-534-6110

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Developer Outreach Event

Event includes listening sessions with Atlanta-area developers and in-depth interviews to follow up on issues raised in the session. Surveys are used to gauge attendees' perspectives about smart growth and obstacles to it. Facilitated discussions are used to assess solutions either already in place or deemed locally viable. Documentation of findings and recommendations is developed.

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Office of Community Outreach & Partnership

Forms partnerships with community organizations as part of GSU service learning activities.

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<http://frp.aysps.gsu.edu/ocop/index.html>

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY**Service Learning in the Undergraduate Honors Program**

Recent projects include: crime mapping for the City of Woodstock using GIS technology, location strategies for ethnic restaurants, psychological profiling in an unsolved murder case for Cobb County, and Web site for an organization providing relief to families of men and women in the armed services.

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www.kennesaw.edu/university_studies/honors

MERCER UNIVERSITY**Central South Re-Development Project**

Community-building through organization of residents.

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MOREHOUSE COLLEGE**The Morehouse College Revitalization Initiative**

The Revitalization Task Force (RTF) works with 11 resident-based neighborhood organizations in Neighborhood Planning Unit T (NPU-T) near Morehouse. NPUs were initiated by the City of Atlanta to deal with urban problems at the neighborhood level. The RTF seeks to assist neighborhood organizations build capacity through enhancing communication between and within the organizations, and educating and training community members through development workshops. Student interns are matched with the neighborhood organizations based on organizational needs. Recent successes include: providing each neighborhood organization with a computer and Web pages (to access Web sites of service providers, and to communicate between each other); program assistant and intern support for newsletters, research projects on historical designation, and planning for community development activities; presenting community development workshops; and utilizing Geographic Information Systems to inventory land areas and generate neighborhood maps.

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SPELMAN COLLEGE**Neighborhood Development**

Spelman's commitment to the improvement of the neighborhood in which it is located and the Metro Atlanta community is evident in a number of ways. Spelman is active in the University Center Development Corporation (UCDC), which includes the six Atlanta University Center (AUC) institutions and representatives from surrounding residential and business communities. UCDC seeks to improve the community by providing more quality, affordable housing. The College also is an active participant in Neighborhood Planning Unit-T. Students, faculty, and staff support NPU-T through meetings, active involvement in neighborhood clean up and beautification events, health fairs, and other community improvement efforts. In addition, Spelman faculty are helping plan the University Community Academy charter school.

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**Communities Partnering for the Protection of Children**

Nine communities across the state are participating in a grassroots community-based model of child protection through the Department of Family and Children Services. The program provides technical assistance to each community in its planning and implementation phases.

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Community & Economic Development Program

The program works with local and regional community development organizations (chambers of commerce, development authorities, regional councils, community development corporations, faith-based organizations, etc.) to design unique programs that match unique community needs, gather community input, develop community strategic action agendas, train, facilitate, and provide technical assistance to entities that will carry out community and neighborhood development.

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HOUSING OPTIONS

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Neighborhood Collaborative/The Atlanta Project

Work to support and enhance low-income communities.

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www.gsu.edu/~wwwtap

MERCER UNIVERSITY

Central South, Beall's Hill & Heugenin Heights Area Programs

Repair, replacement, preservation, and design of residential areas.

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Housing & Environment

Outreach programs: teach Georgians how to reduce exposure to environmental contaminants in the home, enable consumers to acquire and maintain affordable housing, and teach the most efficient ways to manage household demand on natural resources. Other outreach areas include residential water protection and conservation, and indoor air quality.

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www.fcs.uga.edu/extension/housing/index.html

ARTS/CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES

BRENAU UNIVERSITY

Arts/Cultural Opportunities

Brenau is seen as the cultural hub of the Gainesville region because it makes its artistic resources and programs available to the community, and because of the campus facilities it makes available to a range of regional arts groups.

President's Office, 770-534-6110

CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

Spivey Hall

Spivey Hall's education outreach program provides exemplary musical opportunities for a diverse community of children and adult learners.

Sherryl Nelson, 770-961-3683, sherrylnelson@mail.clayton.edu

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

The Annual Contemporary Literature & Writing Conference

Conference offers free public readings by regionally, nationally, and internationally renowned authors. The objective is to offer cultural experiences and opportunities not only to the campus community, but also to the greater North Georgia community.

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Instituto de México

Affiliated with the Mexican Consulate, the institute promotes Mexican culture through collaboration with various Georgia private and government agencies.

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Latin American Art Circle

Promotes Hispanic cultures through art exhibits and forums.

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Roberta Griffin, School of the Arts, 770-423-6239, rgriffin@kennesaw.edu

Music Performances

Performances include the Starlight Summer Series, Premiere Series, and other ensembles, chorales, symphonies, etc.

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www.kennesaw.edu/music

North Georgia Institute for Education in the Arts

Serves various school systems delivering discipline-based art education partnered with the Booth Western Art Museum of Cartersville.

Carol Edwards, Director, 770-423-6139

www.kennesaw.edu/visual_arts

Theater Productions

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Visual Arts Exhibits

Exhibits featured at the library's Sturgis Gallery, the Fine Arts Gallery, "Be a Part of the Arts," and the Family Arts Festival.

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Art & Cultural Events

Throughout its history, Spelman has been a cultural resource for the community and a center for the arts that welcomed all people. Atlanta arts lovers and school age youth have attended plays, dance recitals and concerts at Spelman for many years. The Cosby Academic Center adds the attractions of a museum which exhibits works from important collections and the artistry and creativity of visiting faculty who hold the Cosby Endowed Professorship in the Fine Arts. Spelman, along with other AUC institutions, is a site for the National Black Arts Festival annual celebration of arts and culture.

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Community & Economic Development Program

The program works with local and regional community development organizations (chambers

of commerce, development authorities, regional councils, community development corporations, faith-based organizations, etc.) to design specific programs that utilize arts and cultural events to enhance community development opportunities. Provides linkages between communities to enhance existing resources through corridor development activities and heritage trail development.

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Heritage Preservation Program

Identification and preservation of historic sites, districts, and landscapes, and preservation planning.

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MERCER UNIVERSITY

Huegenin Heights Preservation Project

Partnership with Heritage Foundation to restore historic homes after giving incentives to employees to purchase homes in this area.

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SPELMAN COLLEGE

Campus Preservation

Spelman College is diligent in preserving its historic campus facilities. A number of buildings that were completed or under construction before 1900 have been renovated in recent years or are scheduled for renovation.

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Public Service & Outreach (PS&O) for the College of Environment & Design

The PS&O office contracts with government agencies, nonprofit agencies, and civic groups to carry out projects, conduct research, provide training, and deliver administrative services.

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PUBLIC SAFETY

CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

Forensic Science Education for Public School Teachers

Addresses public safety issues.

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GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Georgia International Law Enforcement Exchange Program (GILEE)

The program's goals are to enhance inter-agency cooperation between Georgia law enforcement agencies and the police force of Israel; to offer an educational professional program to senior Israeli law enforcement officials in Georgia, primarily in the area of community policing; and to offer an educational professional program to senior Georgia law enforcement officials in Israel, primarily in the areas of counter-terrorism and drug interdiction.

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www.cjgsu.net/initiatives/gilee.htm

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Lyman Homes Housing Project

Faculty and students conducted a study that looked at public safety in Marietta's Lyman Homes Housing Project.

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UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Fire & Emergency Medical Services

An effort to establish a multi-jurisdictional plan for the provision of fire and other emergency services for the counties of McDuffie, Warren, and Glascock and the cities of Thomson and Warrenton.

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CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Outreach to Low-Income, Minority Communities

Development and completion of presentations to low-income, minority communities regarding the importance of transportation planning process and travel survey participation.

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www.smartraq.net

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Byromville Community Development Association

The organization was created to help citizens of rural South Georgia develop an organization to promote a productive health community. It coordinates community education programs, food and clothing distribution, housing assistance, and community beautification projects.

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Cobb Health Partners Clinics/Center for Community Healthcare

Offers free health services and prescriptions for approximately 2,500 homeless and low-income people annually in Cobb and surrounding counties at three clinic sites. Services offered in partnership and collaboration between the following agencies: KSU School of Nursing, WellStar Health System, MUST Ministries, Cobb YWCA, and Cobb-Douglas Health Department.

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www.kennesaw.edu/chhs/schoolofnursing/centercommunity.htm

Legal Interpreting Certificate Program

In response to the need for interpreters at federal, state, and local governments and private agencies, KSU Departments of Foreign Languages and Political Science offer the Legal Interpreting Certificate (LIC). The LIC is an interdisciplinary program designed to provide students with the foundation of interpreting as well as the legal

knowledge to become registered court interpreters. Because of its applied component, the LIC expands opportunities of employment for Spanish, political science, and international affairs majors.

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Zion Baptist Church Workforce Development Program

This program, conducted jointly by Zion Baptist Church and KSU Continuing Education, is designed to help citizens develop job-readiness skills, and then find and keep jobs.

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MERCER UNIVERSITY

Macon Center for Community Development Central South Revitalization Project

“Willing Workers” organization.

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MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

National Center for Primary Care

Delivery of equitable, efficient, cost-effective primary health care to diverse populations.

George Rust, 404-752-1546

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Alliance for Quality Growth

The alliance was formed to increase awareness and understanding among Georgia policy makers, planners, developers, and the general public of the wide variety of planning and growth management tools available to promote efficient and sustainable land use and natural resource development.

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Compliance Auditing in Georgia’s Counties & Municipalities Handbook

The handbook is the only resource available in Georgia that provides a summary of all state laws that deal with the collection or expenditure of public monies. In addition to the legal summary of such laws, the guide includes a checklist that auditors of local governments can use when they are in the field to determine if the collection and expenditures of public monies have been handled as required by state law. This book was first prepared in partnership with the Georgia Society of CPAs, and now is maintained in partnership with the State Department of Audits.

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Office of Economic Development Assistance

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OTHER GROWTH-RELATED TOPICS

CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

Dental Hygiene & Health Programs for Citizens

Community outreach.

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EMORY UNIVERSITY**“Environmental Issues Across the Curriculum” - The Piedmont Project**

Curriculum development and faculty discussion on environmental sustainability.

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Kenneth Cole Fellowship in Community Building & Social Change

The fellowship is an intensive 12-month program that introduces Emory undergraduates to the challenges and opportunities for building community in contemporary urban America. Through academic coursework, an intensive 12-week summer field experience, site visits, small group meetings, and an annual leadership conference, Kenneth Cole Fellows have the opportunity to see first-hand the critical role that collaboration plays in the resolution of important public problems.

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GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**Financier Outreach Event**

Listening session for financial officials to discuss barriers and provide dialogue on surmounting banking obstacles to investing in smart growth development projects and consumer obstacles in financing homes purchases in smart growth communities. Surveys are used to gauge attendees perspectives. Facilitated discussions are used regarding solutions either already in place or deemed locally viable. Documentation of findings and recommendations is developed.

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KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

CobbWorks!

CobbWorks, partnering with the Kennesaw Regional Business and Education Collaborative (KRBECC), is utilizing School-to-Work Initiative Grants to purchase career development materials and fund training conferences and workshops promoting academic and work-based learning. The program also provides work force development information for Cobb County.

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Cox Family Enterprise Center

Known worldwide for its leadership in family business issues, the center sponsors the Family Business Forum, Family Business Academy, and Family Business Awards.

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Econometric Center

The research center serves as a resource to business groups, professional associations, and governments throughout the nation. Its economic conditions surveys and forecasts are assets to Georgia private and public sector decision-makers.

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Entrepreneurship Center

The center is a resource for students and community members who want to start their own businesses.

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Girls, Incorporated

Girls, Inc. develops and implements programs for Hispanic girls in the Cobb County area. These programs include sessions on career development, technology, and health issues.

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Lucia Ribeiro

Workshops for the Cobb County Department of Health provide language and culture training so health officials can work more effectively with Hispanic patients.

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Small Business Development Center

Offers information and support to small business owners. It also is a partner in the Cobb Microenterprise Council, which gives business training and assistance to low-income people who want to run their own businesses.

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Summer Hill Education & Recreation Complex

The College of Education and several partners are collaborating to renovate the former Summer Hill African-American school to preserve its historical authenticity. The complex serves housing project residents and the local community by offering after-school tutorial programs, GED classes, college-level courses, English classes, an outdoor classroom, and a library.

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Central South Revitalization Project

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MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Community Health & Preventive Medicine

Outreach programs related to community health and preventive medicine.

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Carroll Tomorrow

Addresses growth in Carroll County through the continuous interaction of five areas of strategic planning: economy, quality of life, education, planning and infrastructure development, local government and leadership.

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Business Outreach Services/Small Business Development Center (SBDC)

SBDC provides business and economic development assistance. It is comprised of four programmatic divisions: Business Expansion Support Services, Economic Development Services, Minority Business Development, and the Small Business Development Center. The center's objectives are to: (1) support entrepreneurship and business expansion by offering direct business consulting and educational opportunities that address human resources, management, technology, capital formation, and infrastructure needs; (2) address regional economic development information needs by providing geographic information system technology and a wide range of primary and secondary research resources; (3) assist the expansion of international trade by educating new exporters; (4) deliver in-house managerial and employee training to businesses which have difficulty obtaining affordable training; (5) facilitate the creation of economic development leadership groups that focus on the creation, retention, and expansion of business; (6) identify procurement opportunities, locate sources of capital, and support outreach efforts of historically black colleges and universities to meet the needs of minority entrepreneurs; and (7) assist existing businesses in taking advantage of state and local incentives for job creation, employee training, and other expansion efforts.

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Civil Externships

The Law School's civil externship clinic places its students with experienced attorneys in active practices and exposes them to legal work in a mentoring relationship. Governmental placements include major

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Consolidation of Local Governments

Offers cities and counties technical assistance in forming new consolidated governments.

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Handbook for County Commissioners

The handbook, published and updated by the Vinson Institute, contains sections on comprehensive planning, environmental management, and intergovernmental relations; extraterritorial powers, annexation, merger, and consolidation; and state and federal relations. The book is provided through ACCG to every newly-elected county commissioner in Georgia.

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Houston County Service Delivery & Funding Equity Study & Workbook

This project is a byproduct of the Future Communities Commission recommended legislation requiring coordination of local government service delivery. The Houston County study will look at services which may have funding duplication. A workbook will be created for use by other communities wishing to evaluate their local government services funding issues.

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Land Use Dispute Resolution Services

Offers local governments mediation services in resolving land use disputes.

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Local Government Service Delivery

Study and evaluation of more efficient joint city, county, or regional service delivery options.

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Municipal Annexation

Offers cities and counties technical assistance in evaluating the impacts of proposed annexations.

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NACo Fiscal Capacity Study

This project focuses on the sources of county government revenue and the extent to which each source is being utilized. Information on Georgia county government revenue sources compared to other states could be useful in Balanced Growth Initiative projects.

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The Peach State Poll

The poll is a quarterly survey of public opinion in Georgia which may include questions that gather information relevant to the Balanced Growth Initiative.

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The Power Alley Initiative

An analysis of the economic impacts of a proposed investment in transportation, telecommunications, natural gas lines, and electric power generation and

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REMI Modeling Unit

At the regional level, this unit can provide economic and demographic data and forecast for each of the 12 Department of Community Affairs development regions (including the economic impact of policy initiatives at the regional level, such as tax policy changes, transportation infrastructure, business recruitment, etc.). The unit also is working with the Department of Industry, Trade and Tourism on a series of economic impact analysis studies that may be relevant to the Balanced Growth Initiative (including an analysis of the economic impact of the proposed Atlanta-Macon high-speed rail line and a study of a proposed oil seed processing facility). A new beta community-level model will allow the unit to provide a detailed database and forecast at the ZIP code and county level for each Georgia city, town, and county (the model will address issues such as business recruitment and transportation infrastructure, and assist with industrial targeting and cluster analysis).

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Savannah-Chatham County Consolidation

A multi-divisional team helps a committee created by the Georgia Legislature study both functional (service) consolidation and full governmental consolidation in Savannah and Chatham County.

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The Urban Georgia Initiative

Developed to create a forum for study and policy development that is specifically focused on medium and small metropolitan areas in Georgia and bordering counties of Tennessee, South Carolina, and Alabama.

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Educational Offerings & Student Interns

Degrees & Programs of Study Related to Growth

Key to achieving long-term quality growth is educating the next generation of society's leaders about growth and associated topics. Listed in this section are the degrees and programs offered by ARCHE member institutions in growth-related fields.

Major Programs of Study	Degrees	Institution
Applied Computer Science	MS in Applied Computer Science	Kennesaw State University
Architecture	Bachelor of Science Master of Architecture Doctor of Philosophy	Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Institute of Technology
Biological & Agricultural Engineering	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Biological Engineering	BS in Biological Engineering MS in Biological Engineering	University of Georgia University of Georgia
Biology	Bachelor of Science in Biology	Kennesaw State University
Biotechnology	Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology	Kennesaw State University
Bldg. Construct. & Integ. Fac. Mgmt.	MS in Bldg. Const. & Integ. Fac. Mgmt.	Georgia Institute of Technology
Building Construction	BS in Building Construction	Georgia Institute of Technology
Business	Bachelor of Business Administration	Mercer University
City & Regional Planning	Master of City & Regional Planning	Georgia Institute of Technology
Conservation Ecol. & Sustainable Dev.	Master of Science	University of Georgia
Consumer Economics	BS in Family & Consumer Sciences	University of Georgia
Consumer Journalism	BS in Family & Consumer Sciences	University of Georgia
Earth & Atmospheric Science	BS in Earth & Atmospheric Science MS in Earth & Atmospheric Science Doctor of Philosophy	Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Institute of Technology
Ecology	Bachelor of Science Master of Science Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia University of Georgia University of Georgia
Economics	Master of Arts	Georgia State University
Electrical & Computer Engineering	MS in Electrical & Comp. Engineering Doctor of Philosophy	Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Institute of Technology
Electrical Engineering	BS in Electrical Engineering	Georgia Institute of Technology
Engineering	Bachelor of Science	Clark Atlanta University
Environ. & Occup. Health & Epidem.	Master of Science in Public Health	Emory University
Environmental & Occupational Health	Master of Public Health	Emory University
Environmental Engineering	Bachelor of Science in Engineering	Mercer University
Environmental Health	BS in Environmental Health Master of Science	University of Georgia University of Georgia
Environmental Science	Bachelor of Science	Mercer University
Environmental Studies	Bachelor of Science Bachelor of Science	Emory University State University of West Georgia
Fisheries	Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources	University of Georgia
Fisheries & Aquaculture	Master of Forest Resources Master of Science Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia University of Georgia University of Georgia

Major Programs of Study	Degrees	Institution
Forest Biology & Silviculture	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Business Management	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Environmental Design	Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources	University of Georgia
Forest Management & Biometrics	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Products	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Resource Economics	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Resource Information Systems	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Resource Management	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Resource Policy	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forest Soils, Hydrology & Environ. Sys.	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Forestry	Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources	University of Georgia
Geographic Information Systems	BS in Geographic Info. Systems (GIS)	Kennesaw State University
Heritage Preservation	Master of Heritage Preservation	Georgia State University
Housing	BS in Family & Consumer Sciences	University of Georgia
Housing & Consumer Economics	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Industrial Design	Bachelor of Science in Industrial Design	Georgia Institute of Technology
	Master of Industrial Design	Georgia Institute of Technology
Landscape Architecture	Bachelor of Landscape Architecture	University of Georgia
	Master of Landscape Architecture	University of Georgia
Leadership & Community Service	Bachelor of Arts	Mercer University
Natural Resource Management	Master of Public Administration	Georgia State University
Natural Science	Bachelor of Science	Spelman College
Public Administration	Master of Public Administration/JD	Georgia State University
	Masters of Public Administration	State University of West Georgia
Public Health	Master of Public Health	Mercer University
Regional Policy & Administration	Master of Public Administration	Kennesaw State University
Sociology	Bachelor of Arts	Mercer University
Textiles, Merchandising & Interiors	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Toxicology	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia
Wildlife	Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources	University of Georgia
Wildlife Ecology & Management	Master of Forest Resources	University of Georgia
	Master of Science	University of Georgia
	Doctor of Philosophy	University of Georgia

Programs of Study	Certificates & Minors	Institution
Conservation Ecology & Sustain. Dev.	Cons. Ecology & Sustain. Dev. Certificate	University of Georgia
Environmental Ethics	Environmental Ethics Certificate	University of Georgia
Environmental Studies	Environmental Studies Minor	Kennesaw State University
Geographic Information Systems	Geographic Info. Systems Certificate	Kennesaw State University
Natural Resource Management	Certificate in Natural Resource Mgmt.	Georgia State University
Public History	Public History Certificate	Kennesaw State University
Urban Leadership	Certificate in Urban Leadership	Oglethorpe University
Water Resources	Water Resources Certificate	University of Georgia

Contacts for Student Interns

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