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The academic and administrative policies of the College subscribe to the non-discrimination provision of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which states: "No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity" of Georgia College. Georgia College also adheres to the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 in that it does not discriminate on the basis of handicap in regard to admission, employment, and access to programs or activities.

The academic and administrative policies of the College also subscribe to the non-discrimination provisions of Title IX of the Higher Education Act of 1972, which states: "No person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any educational program or activity" of Georgia College.

It is understood that throughout this Catalog and all other publications of Georgia College, the terms he, his, himself, chairman, etc. are used without regard to gender.

Georgia College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award Bachelors, Masters and Specialist degrees. Degree programs of the College are accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, the National Association of Schools of Music, the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, the National Association for Music Therapy and the National League for Nursing. The College is a member of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, the American Council on Education, the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business, the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, and the Georgia Association of Colleges.

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Georgia College, in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 "Buckley Amendment," releases no personal information restricted by that Act without written consent of the student. This Act prohibits college officials from disclosing any records, including quarterly grade reports, academic standings, transcripts of records, or any other records, files, documents, and materials in whatever medium, which contain information directly related to the student and from which the student can be individually identified.

Authorization for parental access to student records covered by this Act must be made in writing by the student and addressed to the Associate Vice President for Enrollment Services, Georgia College.

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PREFACE: IMPORTANCE OF THE CATALOG

This Georgia College Catalog is prepared primarily for students, parents, and high school counselors. It is also used as the basic resource document for faculty advisement once a student has been admitted to Georgia College. All the information in it should be considered very important to prospective and current students. Upon admission, each student is entitled to one copy of the current catalog without charge. Additional copies are sold at the College Bookstore.

The reader should know that in the academic community, of which Georgia College is a part, "the catalog" is regarded as the primary authoritative source of information on all college policies, procedures and requirements, and any advice provided by college officials or employees or information in other publications to the contrary is null and void.

In the academic community, statements contained in the catalog are provided by the institution from official sources because both the student and the institution should be able to rely on them as the ultimate source of accurate information about college policies, procedures and requirements until the next printing of the catalog, which normally occurs every two years. Therefore, every effort has been made in the preparation of this catalog to ensure accuracy of information, but this catalog should not be regarded as a binding contract between the student and this institution because Georgia College reserves the right to change any provisions listed in this catalog, including but not limited to, admission requirements and academic requirements for graduation, without notice to individual students. However, an effort will be made to generally advise students and the public of such changes before they take effect.

The requirements for admission, degrees, and all other academic rules described in this catalog will be applicable to prospective students and those who are currently enrolled. Programs of students who began their work prior to the last approved programs of the college will either be the same or the equivalent of current requirements, at the discretion of the college. The college reserves the right to accept or reject any applicant for any program, course, or degree for any reason and to restrict participation in any of its programs or services when it is determined to be in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the college community. The college also reserves the right to change admission and degree requirements and all other academic rules at any time.

Admission to Georgia College does not admit the student to all of its academic programs or schools. Each school and degree program also has admission requirements, specified in this catalog, which must be met in order for the student to be admitted to it. Students have six calendar years from the year they're admitted to Georgia College to complete their graduate degree. Students must graduate under the degree requirements in effect in the current catalog. Students who take longer than six calendar years to complete their degree requirements must repeat the courses, if they're still required, that were taken before the start of the six-year period.

The student is hereby informed and given due legal notice that all of these decisions are within the prerogative of the college, as previously determined by the courts, and are not subject to disciplinary-type due process requirements or strict application of contract law. When the student accepts admission into the college, he/she is agreeing to abide by and be governed by the policies, procedures and requirements contained in this catalog.

Students are responsible for keeping themselves apprised of current graduation requirements for the degree programs in which they're enrolled. Information of this type is available primarily in this catalog, and any changes made since the publication of this catalog are available in the offices of the Associate Vice President for Enrollment Services and the Dean of the School in which the student is enrolled.

Important division of information may be found by referring to the Table of Contents. Specific topics are listed in the Index.

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GEORGIA COLLEGE OFFICIAL CALENDAR

1996-1998 MILLEDGEVILLE CAMPUS

SUMMER QUARTER 1996

First term — June 18 - July 18 (970)

June	16	Residence halls open at 2:00 pm
	17	Orientation and registration—Milledgeville
	17	Registration for those students who have not preregistered and paid fees—Milledgeville
	18	Registration at commuter locations
	18	Classes begin at all locations
	19	Last day to add a course
	19	Last day to drop a course

July	4	Holiday
	8	Last day to drop a first term course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	18	For full length summer courses, last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	18	Final exams for first term classes
	18	First term ends after last class period
	18	Residence halls close at 6:00 pm

Second term — July 24 - August 22 (971)

July	22	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	23	Registration for Summer Session II
	24	Classes begin
	25	Last day to add a course
	25	Last day to drop a course
Aug.	7	Last day to drop a second term course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by the professor for absences)
	21	Learning Support Services preregistration
	22	Final Exams for second term and full summer classes
	22	Second term ends after last class period
	22	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	22	Deadline to apply for graduation for students completing requirements Winter Quarter, 1997

FALL QUARTER 1996 (972)

Sept.	15	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	16	Orientation of new students
	17	Registration for new freshmen, new transfers, and graduate students—Milledgeville
	17	Registration at commuter locations
	18	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees—Milledgeville
	19	Classes begin at all locations
	23	Last day to add a course
	23	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty

Oct.	22	Mid-Quarter
	24	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
Oct. 21-Nov. 1		Schedule planning period for currently enrolled students planning to attend the Winter Quarter, 1997
Oct. 29-Nov. 4		Preregistration for Winter Quarter, 1997 (Preregister at your assigned time)
Nov.	22	Fall Quarter classes end
	25-27	Fall Quarter Exams
	26	Learning Support Services preregistration
	27	Deadline for applying for graduation for students completing degree requirements Spring Quarter, 1997
	27	Thanksgiving Holidays begin after last examination
	27	Residence Halls close at 6:00 p.m.
Dec.	2	Final exam date for students who did not complete exams during the week of November 25-27

WINTER QUARTER 1997 (973)

Jan.	5	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	6	Orientation and registration for new freshmen, new transfers, and graduate students-Milledgeville
	6	Registration at commuter locations
	7	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees-Milledgeville
	8	Classes begin at all locations
	10	Last day to add a course
	10	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
	20	Martin Luther King Holiday (No Classes)
Feb.	11	Mid-Quarter
	13	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	10-21	Schedule planning period for currently enrolled students planning to attend Spring Quarter, 1997
	18-24	Preregistration for Spring Quarter, 1997 (Preregister at your assigned time)
Mar.	14	Winter Quarter classes end
	17-19	Winter Quarter Exams
	18	Learning Support Services preregistration
	19	Spring Holidays begin after last examination
	19	Residence Halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	19	Deadline to apply for graduation for those completing degree requirements Summer Quarter, 1997
	20	Final exam date for student who did not complete finals March 17-19

SPRING QUARTER 1997 (974)

Mar.	30	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	31	Orientation and registration for new freshmen, transfers and graduate students-Milledgeville
	31	Registration at commuter locations
Apr.	1	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees-Milledgeville
	2	Classes begin at all locations
	4	Last day to add a course
	4	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
	25	Honors Day

May	5	Mid-Quarter
	7	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	5-16	Schedule planning period for currently enrolled students planning to attend Summer I, Summer II and Fall Quarters
	13-19	Preregistration for Summer I, Summer II and Fall Quarters (Preregister at your assigned time)
	26	Memorial Day Holiday (No Classes)
June	6	Spring Quarter classes end
	9-11	Spring Quarter Final Exams
	10	Learning Support Services preregistration
	11	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	11	Deadline to apply for graduation for those completing requirements Fall Quarter, 1997
	12	Final exam date for students who did not complete exams June 9, 10 or 11
	14	Graduation

SUMMER QUARTER 1997**First term — June 24 - July 23 (1980)**

June	22	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	23	Orientation and registration-Milledgeville
	23	Registration for those students who have not preregistered and paid fees-Milledgeville
	24	Registration at commuter locations
	24	Classes begin at all locations
	25	Last day to add a course
	25	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
July	4	Holiday
	9	Last day to drop a first term course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	23	For full length summer courses, last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	23	Final exams for first term classes
	23	First term ends after last class period
	23	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.

Second Term — July 29 - August 27 (1981)

	27	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	28	Registration for Summer Session II
	29	Classes begin
	30	Last day to add a course
	30	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
Aug.	12	Last day to drop a second term course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	26	Learning Support Services preregistration
	27	Final Exams for second term and full summer classes
	27	Second term ends after last class period
	27	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	27	Deadline to apply for graduation for students completing requirements Winter Quarter, 1998

FALL QUARTER 1997 (982)

Sep.	14	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	15	Orientation of new students
	16	Registration for new freshmen, new transfers, and graduate students-Milledgeville
	16	Registration at commuter locations
	17	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees-Milledgeville
	18	Classes begin at all locations
	22	Last day to add a course
Oct.	22	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
	21	Mid-Quarter
	23	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	20-31	Schedule planning period for currently enrolled students planning to attend the Winter Quarter, 1998
Oct. 28-Nov. 3		Preregistration for Winter Quarter, 1998 (Preregister at your assigned time)
Nov.	21	Fall Quarter classes end
	24-26	Fall Quarter Exams
	25	Learning Support Services preregistration
	26	Deadline for applying for graduation for students completing degree requirements Spring Quarter, 1998
	26	Thanksgiving Holidays begin after last examination
	26	Residence Halls close at 6:00 p.m.
Dec.	1	Final exam date for students who did not complete exams during the week of November 24-26

WINTER QUARTER 1998 (983)

Jan.	4	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	5	Orientation and registration for new freshmen, new transfers, and graduate students-Milledgeville
	5	Registration at commuter locations
	6	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees-Milledgeville
	7	Classes begin at all locations
	9	Last day to add a course
	9	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
	19	Martin Luther King Holiday (No Classes)
Feb.	10	Mid-Quarter
	12	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	9-20	Schedule planning period for currently enrolled students planning to attend Spring Quarter, 1998
	17-23	Preregistration for Spring Quarter, 1998 (Preregister at your assigned time)
Mar	13	Winter Quarter classes end
	16-18	Winter Quarter Exams
	17	Learning Support Services preregistration
	18	Spring Holidays begin after last examination
	18	Residence Halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	18	Deadline to apply for graduation for those completing degree requirements Summer Quarter, 1998
	19	Final exam date for students who did not complete finals March 16-18

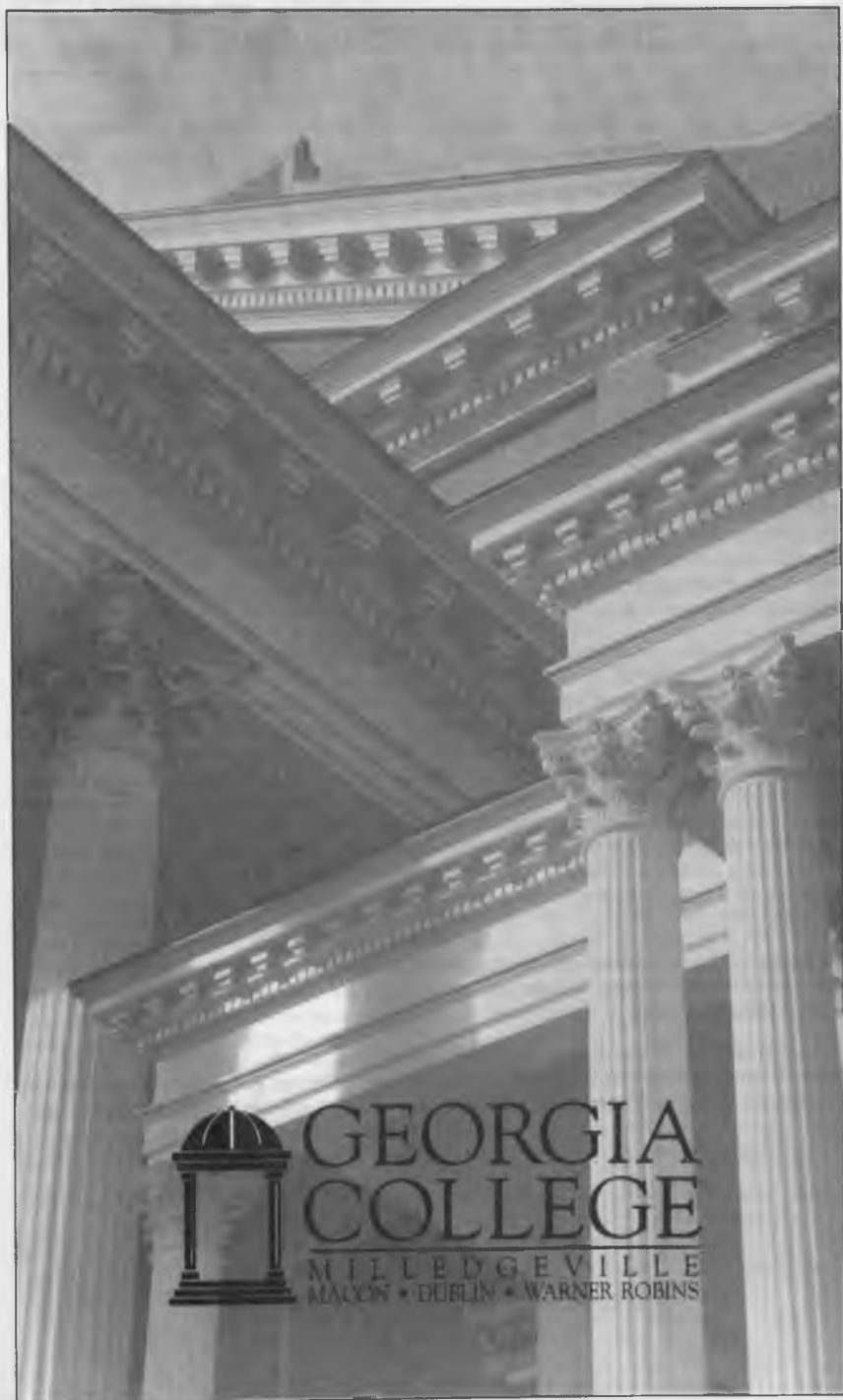
SPRING QUARTER 1998 (984)

Mar.	29	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	30	Orientation and registration for new freshmen, new transfers and graduate students—Milledgeville
	30	Registration at commuter locations
	31	Registration for returning students who have not preregistered and paid fees—Milledgeville
Apr	1	Classes begin at all locations
	3	Last day to add a course
	3	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
	24	Honors Day
May	4	Mid-Quarter
	6	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
	4-15	Advisement period for currently enrolled students planning to attend Summer and Fall Quarters
	12-18	Preregistration for Summer and Fall Quarters (Preregister at your assigned time)
	25	Memorial Day Holiday (No Classes)
June	5	Spring Quarter classes end
	8-10	Spring Quarter Final Exams
	9	Learning Support Services preregistration
	10	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	10	Deadline to apply for graduation for those completing requirements Fall 1998
	11	Final exam date for students who did not complete exams June 8-10
	13	Graduation

SUMMER QUARTER 1998 (991)

Georgia College will be making a transition from the quarter to the semester calendar. All dates and times listed for Summer 1998 are subject to change.

June	21	Residence halls open at 2:00 p.m.
	22	Orientation and registration—Milledgeville
	22	Registration for those students who have not preregistered and paid fees—Milledgeville
	23	Registration at commuter locations
	23	Classes begin at all locations
	24	Last day to add a course
	24	Last day to drop a course without fee penalty
July	3	Holiday
	9	Mid-Quarter
	13	Last day to drop a course without academic penalty (unless previously assigned an F by professor for absences)
Aug.	5-8	Summer Quarter exams
	6	Learning Support Services preregistration
	8	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m.
	8	Deadline to apply for graduation for students completing requirements Spring 1999



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Georgia College, a senior college of the University System of Georgia, is a comprehensive, coeducational, residential institution with its residential campus in Milledgeville. Additional campuses are located in Macon and Dublin, and centers located in Warner Robins. Georgia College enrolls students from almost all counties in the state, as well as from other states and several foreign countries.

Milledgeville is less than a dozen miles from the geographic center of Georgia and is the county seat of Baldwin County. It is approximately 100 miles from Augusta, Albany, Atlanta, and Columbus and 30 miles from Macon. The town, which is the antebellum capital of Georgia, has a population of over twenty thousand and is a center of history and culture. Located on the fall line in a setting of rolling hills and recreational lakes, Milledgeville's natural beauty is among its most appealing assets. Georgia College was chartered in 1889 as Georgia Normal and Industrial College. Its emphasis at that time was largely vocational and its major task was to prepare young women for teaching or industrial careers. In 1917, in keeping with economic and cultural changes in the state, Georgia Normal and Industrial College was authorized to grant degrees, the first of which was awarded in 1921. With this change the College introduced more cultural enrichment courses, and the liberal arts degree was offered. In 1922, the institution's name was changed to Georgia State College for Women. In 1932, the state of Georgia created the University System of Georgia to include all state institutions. Since that time the College has operated as a unit of this University System under one chancellor and a Board of Regents.

A graduate program was initiated in the summer of 1958, and the first Master of Education Degree was conferred in 1959. With an emphasis on broader academic and professional programs, the name was changed to Women's College of Georgia in 1961. Integration was achieved without incident in 1964, although the number of black students remained low until after the College became coeducational in 1967. With the admission of men, the College expanded the curriculum, provided residence halls for men, and changed the name to Georgia College at Milledgeville, which was later shortened to Georgia College. As a coeducational school, the emphasis on teacher education was expanded to include a greater emphasis on business courses, increased graduate education, additional programs in the arts and sciences, and a nursing program. Commuter center programs were also added to the college schedule. The first courses in the Master of Business Administration degree program were offered in 1969.

Continuation of quality and growth on the residential campus and at the commuter campuses and centers makes Georgia College an outstanding senior college for men and women in the Central Georgia area.

Former presidents of the college are Dr. J. Harris Chappell, Dr. Marvin M. Parks, Dr. J.L. Beeson, Dr. Guy H. Wells, Dr. Henry King Stanford, Dr. Robert E. Lee, and Dr. J. Whitney Bunting. Dr. Edwin G. Speir, the current president, assumed the presidency on July 1, 1981.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Georgia College is a public regional comprehensive institution of the University System serving Central Georgia. Georgia College is composed of a residential campus in Milledgeville, commuter campuses in Macon and Dublin, and a commuter center in Warner Robins. The College promotes affirmative action and equal opportunities.

The undergraduate course offerings of Georgia College include liberal arts and professional degree programs which provide students with breadth and depth of preparation for their intended careers. The College admits qualified applicants on the basis of increasingly selective criteria. All degrees build on a broadly based general education program which includes the humanities, natural sciences, mathematics, and the social sciences. The undergraduate programs offer opportunities for specialization in the arts and sciences and in preprofessional and professional areas including business, education and nursing. An Honors Program is provided for advanced students; Learning Services is offered for those needing remediation.

Georgia College also provides graduate studies in several specialties of the arts and sciences and in business, education and nursing. Admission is based on criteria specific to each program. These programs are designed and delivered to be responsive to the needs of contemporary students.

The College provides international and global educational opportunities by enrolling international students, through student and faculty interchanges and by providing an increasingly intercultural curriculum.

A wide range of non-credit continuing education experiences and services are offered on both the residential and the commuter campuses. Those include business services, leisure activities, in-service workshops for area professionals, and varied programs for pre-college populations and out-of-school adults.

Academic quality is achieved through service to students and attention to faculty development. The College supports instructional quality by providing relatively small classes and low student/faculty ratios. The campus context is one in which students receive personal attention and conscientious service from their instructors and their faculty advisers. Teaching is the foremost area for faculty contribution. A strong instructional program is reinforced by a philosophy of faculty development which stresses professional creativity, including research and service to the College and community, and is further reinforced by a faculty-centered advising system.

Georgia College recognizes that education occurs beyond the classroom. Students have access to information in various forms and delivery systems. Instruction in accessing and processing information is available through the library and academic computing services. Through its cocurricular and wellness programs, the college provides opportunities on the residential campus to fulfill the students' cultural, recreational, athletic, and other personal needs and promotes healthy lifestyles.

Long-range planning, evaluation and program assessment are part of the decision-making process at all levels of the college. The college commitment to improving quality extends to its administrative services and provides support to maintain the infrastructure, beautify the grounds, ensure fiscal responsibility, provide public safety and promote institutional advancement.

With its residential campus located in Milledgeville, Georgia's former capital, the college recognizes that it is a partner with the community in the enrichment of the lives of students and in encouraging and supporting service on the part of both students and faculty. The college takes this partnership seriously and provides a wide array of cultural opportunities and a number of business, health and educational services to the regional community.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

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The mission of the Graduate School and Research Services is to provide high quality graduate programs in several specialties of the arts and sciences, and in business, education and nursing. These programs are designed to be delivered to the contemporary students of Central Georgia in a manner that is responsive to their academic and career objectives. Admission is based on criteria specific to each program. The programs of study emphasize independent and advanced applied research skills, professional development, cultural breadth beyond the baccalaureate degree, and sophisticated techniques that are applicable to many paths taken by students with superior academic qualifications who are judged capable of performing acceptably in advanced studies. The mission of the Graduate School and Research Services is supportive of the stated purpose of the College and emphasizes continuous quality improvement in all programs.

Graduate study is much more than a continuation of undergraduate work and should be contemplated only by students who have demonstrated in earlier studies an exceptional intellectual ability and capacity for independent thought and investigation. Admission requirements serve to maintain the high standards that are characteristic of graduate study and serve to benefit the students in helping them decide early whether they should undertake such a course of action. By means of an admission classification system, Georgia College provides for the maintenance of high standards in its degree programs. It also provides for and makes its facilities available to a wide variety of students who are not eligible for advanced degrees or who do not wish to become applicants for degrees.

All graduate programs are administered through the office of the Dean of the Graduate School. The Dean chairs the Graduate Council which includes representative faculty from throughout the College. The Graduate Council advises the Dean on all matters appropriate to the Graduate School including program development, admission standards and program evaluation. Program coordinators monitor graduate programs, provide assistance to students, make admission decisions, and perform other operational functions for their particular program areas.

Graduate programs at Georgia College are designed to provide advanced training in professional studies including business, education, logistics systems, management information systems, nursing, and public administration as well as disciplinary areas including biology, history and psychology. The programs award the degrees of Master of Arts, Master of Arts in Teaching, Master of Business Administration, Master of Education, Master of Management Information Systems, Master of Public Administration, Master of Science, Master of Science in Administration, Master of Science in Logistics Systems, Master of Science in Nursing, Joint MSN/MBA, and Specialist in Education.

Programs of teacher education at the Masters level are provided in administration and supervision, early childhood education, middle grades education and in the following secondary fields: English education, health education, health and physical education, instructional technology (library media), instructional technology (technology coordination), mathematics education, natural science education (biology), social science education and special education. Programs at the Specialist level in the areas of administration and supervision, early childhood education, health and physical education, middle grades education, natural science education (biology), and social science education are also offered.

COMMUTER CAMPUSES AND CENTER DEGREE PROGRAMS

Georgia College provides graduate education programs in Macon, Dublin, and at Robins Air Force Base. Classes are available in the evening, and in some locations, during the day. Students enrolled in the commuter campuses and center programs can complete all course work required for the degree at any of the external locations without having to travel to the residential campus or other locations for courses. Students participating in one of the campuses or center programs also have access to all of the facilities located on the residential campus in Milledgeville. A campus director at each location is available for assistance and program coordination. In addition, program and campus coordinators are available for advisement and other student services.

The Master of Business Administration and Master of Public Administration are available at the Robins Graduate Center with classes conducted in the evening. The Master of Science in Logistics Systems and the Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management are available at the Logistics Education Center at Robins Air Force Base. Classes at the Logistics Education Center are available during noon hours, late afternoon, and in the evening. The Master of Arts in Teaching, Master of Business Administration, Master of Education, Master of Management Information Systems, Master of Science in Nursing, and Master of Public Administration degrees are offered at the Georgia College Macon Campus located at the CIGNA Building on Arkwright Road. The Specialist in Education in Administration and Supervision is also offered at the Macon Campus. The Master of Education and the Master of Business Administration degrees are available at the Dublin Campus.

In Macon, the Master of Education degree is offered with majors in administration and supervision, health and physical education, instructional technology (library media), and special education. The Dublin Campus offers the Master of Education degree with majors in early childhood education and middle grades education. Education classes at all commuter campuses begin in the late afternoon and extend into the evening. All evening classes are conducted one night per week. During the summer, some Education classes meet daily during daytime hours over a shorter period of time to accommodate in-service teachers.

SUMMER PROGRAM

The Georgia College Milledgeville Campus offers a summer quarter in which courses may be taken on either the normal 10 week session or in two five week sessions. Courses are offered in all programs in both daytime and evening programs enabling students to pursue summer studies on either a full-time or part-time basis. The summer program is designed to allow students to engage in continual study for the graduate degree, seek teacher certification, take refresher courses and pursue further study. Programs are also offered in the summer in Macon, at the Robins Center and in Dublin.

FACILITIES AND SERVICES

INFORMATION SERVICES

The Information Services department has overall responsibility for meeting the needs of students, faculty, staff, and the administration for high-quality computing, library, and media services. In addition, through the Institutional Planning and Policy Analysis department, Information Services collects, analyzes, and disseminates data essential to ongoing assessment of the college's overall effectiveness.

COMPUTING SERVICES

In addition to supporting the computing needs of the college's administration, Computing Services maintains high-quality instructional labs with various types of microcomputers, minicomputers, and terminals on-line to a large mainframe computer located in Atkinson Hall. Computer labs are also available at the college's three commuter campuses.

These networked labs are completely functional as "electronic classrooms" with large screen projection, desktop publishing peripherals, high quality printing, scanning, copying, fax, and EMAIL services. The labs are continuously staffed with assistants and open seven days a week.

Training, consulting, installation, and maintenance of equipment campus-wide are also provided by the staff. Similar labs and services are situated in Kilpatrick Hall (main campus), Macon Campus, and Dublin Campus.

LIBRARY SERVICES

The Ina Dillard Russell Library is the center of research activities at the College. The resources of the Library include over 160,000 books, 1100 current magazine and newspaper subscriptions, and extensive microform collections. As a U.S. Government depository, the Library receives approximately 4,000 documents annually. Some 30,000 items in various formats are added to the collection each year to support educational programs. Access to books and other cataloged materials in the collections of Russell Library, and the Georgia College commuter campuses is provided through the Georgia College Libraries computerized public access catalog. The catalog is on-line and helps users find items in the library easily and quickly. Other indexes on compact disc (CD-ROM), and on-line, also assist users in locating magazines, journal articles and research published in general fields, as well as in the fields of business, education, nursing, general science, and psychology. The Library subscribes to the DIALOG Information Retrieval Services through which access to over 200 million records in over 200 databases is provided. Searches are performed by the reference staff for faculty and students.

The Library is an attractive and comfortable building with a variety of seating arrangements, including individual study carrels and tables for group study. Copying service for print and non-print materials is available at a nominal cost. The Library is normally open 83 hours a week with a reference librarian on duty much of this time to provide assistance and instruction in the use of the library.

Through GALILEO, the University System of Georgia's statewide library network, students and faculty have on-line access to over 1,500 journals, magazines, and newspapers in all disciplines. GALILEO also provides easy access to the catalogs of over 40 public and private academic libraries in Georgia. Access to the Internet and World Wide Web resources is also available through GALILEO.

The Library's Special Collections contain material on local history, Georgia history, books by and about Georgians, rare first editions and other valuable books, manuscripts, maps, and the College archival materials. The most notable special collection is the Flannery O'Connor collection of manuscripts and books housed in the Flannery O'Connor Room. This valuable collection of manuscripts, books and memorabilia of the world-renowned author, who was a member of the class of 1945, was given to the Library by her mother, Regina Cline O'Connor. A separate collection of antique clocks and watches with appropriate horological literature is also maintained as part of the Special Collections.

A unit of the Library's Special Collections department, the Museum and Archives of Georgia Education collects, preserves and researches those three dimensional, written and oral documents and artifacts that reflect the development of the educational process in Georgia, and to make those documents and materials public through exhibits and supportive programs in order to develop a better awareness, understanding and appreciation of the educational heritage of the State of Georgia. Exhibits, programs, research collections and provision of meeting space are intended to support the college's educational and public service mission.

The Library is a member of SOLINET/OCLC (Southeastern Library Network/On-Line Computer Library Center) through which the library catalogs materials on-line, and secures and provides interlibrary loans. Access to over thirty-three million records is available through SOLINET/OCLC. Membership in other consortia facilitates the borrowing of material from libraries throughout Georgia, thereby increasing the resources available to Georgia College students and faculty.

MEDIA SERVICES

Media Services includes an equipment distribution center, production laboratories, and television studio.

The equipment distribution center, located in Kilpatrick Education Center, makes the various types of media equipment available to faculty and students. Staff deliver and, upon request, set up equipment in campus facilities. Original media may be requested and/or produced in the production laboratories. Types of materials produced include audio and videotapes and photographs. Assistance is also provided in selecting, designing, and scripting programs. A television studio is available for the purpose of providing remote and studio productions for instructional purposes, public service broadcasts, and public relations needs of the College.

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND PUBLIC SERVICES

The Department of Continuing Education and Public Services administers the college-wide program of the schools and departments in Continuing Education/Public Services. These are conducted on the Milledgeville and Macon Campuses of Georgia College, as well as in communities throughout Central Georgia.

Public Services and Continuing Education programs at Georgia College are designed to aid persons in the Central Georgia area to continue their education and to assist in resolving problems encountered in their communities. The staff in Continuing Education and Public Services desire to learn the needs and interests of area residents which can be met by the college. Efforts will be made to identify resources located in the College and the community for developing appropriate educational programs or for providing services to meet these needs and interests. For additional information, contact the Dean of Continuing Education and Public Services at 912-454-2753.

NON-CREDIT PROGRAMS

Each quarter, and at special times during the year, non-credit programs are scheduled for the service area. These programs are in the form of seminars, conferences, camps, institutes, workshops, short courses, films, lectures, and demonstrations designed to assist the participant to develop professional capacities or to enrich personal life. Admission to any non-credit course is usually by interest only and the payment of a nominal fee. In most cases, there are no formal admission requirements. A mailing list is maintained for persons wishing to receive a catalog of these non-credit offerings. Individuals interested in receiving a catalog or suggesting possible courses are invited to contact the Dean of Continuing Education and Public Services.

CONTINUING EDUCATION UNIT

The University System of Georgia has established the use of the Continuing Education Unit (CEU) as a measuring device for non-credit programs offered by System institutions. The Department of Continuing Education and Public Services administers the implementation of the CEU. The CEU is defined as: "One Continuing Education Unit is ten contact hours of participation in an organized continuing education experience under responsible sponsorship, capable direction, and qualified instruction." The CEU attests to an individual's efforts to continue learning regardless of age or previous educational accomplishments.

Generally, Continuing Education Units are awarded only for programs which are oriented toward occupational skills and knowledge or significant social issues. Continuing Education Units are accumulated for each student on a permanent transcript which may be obtained from the Department of Continuing Education and Public Services. The CEU is not transferable for academic credit.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

A college campus is a tremendous resource for a community, and the physical and human resources of the College are available to assist individuals and groups to develop educationally related programs and to work on resolving community problems. College personnel are available as resource persons, consultants, speakers, and group leaders, or as representatives of the College to serve on community-oriented projects. The Department of Continuing Education and Public Services is available to provide technical assistance to individuals and groups to plan, develop, and conduct educational or educationally related projects.

Under certain conditions, the facilities of the College may be used by local organizations. Through Continuing Education and Public Services, the Center for Health and Lifestyle provides educational opportunities to the community as do the Centennial Center and Russell Auditorium. The Museum and Archives of Georgia Education, a unit of the Russell Library, coordinates a number of educational exhibits each year. Lake Laurel Lodge and The Ann Simpson Smith House, coordinated by the College's Outdoor Center, are also available as conference sites and for housing.

SPECIALIZED INSTITUTES AND PROJECTS

Georgia College recognizes that many of the complexities of modern life are such that many current problems do not lend themselves to solution within traditional academic lines of study. To direct the College's resources to addressing these multifaceted problems, special institutes have been established where problems seem especially acute.

While the specific purposes of the institutes vary, they share the same general objective: To make the resources and services available to the communities throughout the area in whatever form these services can best be used.

CONTRACT TRAINING, TELECONFERENCES, AND CAMPS AND CONFERENCES

The Department of Continuing Education and Public Services can custom design courses to meet the training needs of area businesses, industries, and service agencies. Many of these programs can be provided at the site of the requesting organization. Telecourses and teleconferences are also available through the Department of Continuing Education and Public Services. Another service that can be provided by the department is professional planning and logistical support for various camps and conferences. Individuals interested in discussing any of these services should phone 453-5277.

ESL (ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE)

Students may obtain information about Support Services available to those who speak English as a Second Language through the Department of Learning Services, Kilpatrick 201.

CENTER FOR TESTING

The Center For Testing, located in Kilpatrick Education Center, Room 201, currently administers these national graduate-level exams: GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test), the MAT (Miller Analogies Test), and the GRE (Graduate Record Examination). Announcement bulletins, application forms, and other information on these tests are available in the Center for Testing.

MAXWELL COLLEGE UNION

The first level of the Maxwell College Union houses recreation areas, conference rooms, T.V. lounge area, study rooms, and a snack bar. Offices located on the first level include Student Government Association, *The Colonnade*, Student Activities, Intramural/Recreational Programs, Student Support Services, Multicultural Student Affairs, College Bookstore, Mailroom, and the Information Desk.

The second level accommodates the College Dining Hall, and two private dining rooms.

CENTENNIAL CENTER

This 97,000 square foot multi-purpose center opened in October 1989, and was constructed to enhance educational opportunities through facilitating comprehensive Health/Physical Education and Intercollegiate athletic programs, and upon serving this priority, to provide special center services to a remaining college family and its community.

Complete with a 4,000 seat arena, classrooms, racquetball courts, indoor track, and weight room, this facility serves many educational and public service needs.

EAST CAMPUS (LAKE LAUREL, POWER POINT)

The East Campus includes Lake Laurel and Power Point on Lake Sinclair. Lake Laurel Lodge is situated on a six-acre lake and is an ideal clubhouse for parties, workshops, student organizational meetings, and retreats. Opportunities exist for boating, picnicking, fishing and other water sports at Lake Laurel and all of East Campus. Arrangements for services and information may be obtained by calling the Outdoor Center at 912/453-5186.

WEST CAMPUS (ATHLETIC COMPLEX)

The athletic complex consists of soccer, baseball and softball fields and eight tennis courts. A Health, Physical Education and Recreation department building, a shelter and picnic facilities are located at the complex, and accessed through Continuing Education/Public Services.

CAREER CENTER

The Career Center is a comprehensive career information office. For this reason, the office offers and encourages the use of career information, experiential learning opportunities including volunteer, cooperative education and internship experiences, and technical skill building in the areas of resume writing, interviewing, job search and career advancement strategies. The Career Center also offers assistance in identifying part-time, summer, and full-time employment opportunities through on-campus interviewing schedules, Career Fairs, and an array of employment resources in the Career Resource Library.

It is the mission of the Career Center to make these career information resources available to all current students of Georgia College including those students at commuter campuses in Macon, Dublin and Warner Robins, and to alumni of Georgia College as time and resources permit. It is also the responsibility of the Career Center to identify and make available information on employment trends and the skills needed for current and future work environments, and to adjust the services of the office as technology and the needs of the students change.

Career advice, occupational exploration and current employment information is available through the Career Center to graduate students who seek assistance in making decisions about and entering the world of work.

COOPERATIVE EDUCATION AND INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Two types of experiential learning opportunities are available as part of the Georgia College curriculum: the Cooperative Education program and the Internship program.

The Cooperative Education program is an academic program that provides students an opportunity to enrich their educational program by alternating meaningful, full-time work experience with classroom studies. Students participating in the Cooperative Education program work a minimum of two quarters under supervision of departmental faculty coordinators, the Career Center staff, and on-site work supervisors. These experiences are graded, educational experiences that may earn up to 15 hours credit, depending upon department.

Like Cooperative Education experiences, Internships are graded, academic experiences that provide students an opportunity to put classroom learning into practice. Internships are one quarter in length and may vary from half-time to full-time work experiences. Many Georgia College students participate in the Governor's Intern Program, working in government agencies around the state. Others elect to intern in business or industry in areas convenient to their homes or to Georgia College.

In order to be placed with an employer in the Cooperative Education or Internship program, a graduate student must have and maintain a minimum academic average of 3.0 while participating in the program and be recommended by the department coordinator in the student's major field of study. Work areas have the option of requiring higher standards.

All students participating in the Cooperative Education or Internship program must enroll in the appropriate course and earn academic credit in accordance with the policies and procedures outlined in their academic department and those outlined in the Cooperative Education and Internship Program brochure available in the Career Center. All students must complete the necessary application paperwork in the Career Center.

CAREER ASSISTANCE

The Career Center provides career assistance to students and graduates who are seeking employment through on-campus interviewing programs, current listings of employment notices, and a variety of employment resources. Information on part-time and summer employment opportunities is also available in the Career Center. While the office does not function as an employment agency, the staff seeks to assist students in identifying potential employers, developing resumes and preparing for job interviews. In addition, the Career Center hosts a number of Employer Fairs each academic year which enable students to meet with college recruiters from business, industry and government agencies to gather information and develop job prospects. Information about a variety of these companies, school systems and government agencies is available in the Career Resource Library.

The Career Center also offers students an opportunity to place resumes in a referral program to be sent to prospective employers. All students participating in on-campus interviews must have a resume on file. Students are strongly encouraged to become familiar with placement resources prior to the beginning of their last year of graduate study.

AUXILIARY SERVICES

FOOD SERVICE

The Milledgeville campus meal plan is a complete dining program. The plan combines unlimited selection with a wide variety of menus, convenient hours and a computerized meal card system.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The Public Safety Department maintains a staff of state certified police officers who provide service and patrol functions on campus 24 hours daily. Some of the services provided are: investigate criminal incidents and motor vehicle accidents, provide escort service on request, provide jumper cables and lock out service on vehicles, first aid response and transportation to medical facilities, admission to restricted areas with proper identification, and police reports for all activities which occur on Georgia College property. Students are asked to report all suspicious behavior to the Public Safety Office immediately at 453-4054.

TRAFFIC AND PARKING

Georgia College students are also required to register and obtain a parking decal for all vehicles used on campus at the public safety office in Mayfair Hall. Parking information and maps are given out with all decals issued at Public Safety. State traffic laws are enforced on all Georgia College property. Those individuals with three or more unpaid traffic fines may have their vehicles towed and stored at the owner's expense until the traffic fines are paid.

BOOKSTORE

Textbooks and school supplies are sold in the Georgia College Bookstores located in the Maxwell College Union on the Milledgeville campus and in the CIGNA Building at the Macon Campus. Textbooks for the Robins Graduate Center are sold at registration in Warner Robins. Textbooks for the Dublin Campus are sold by the Middle Georgia College Bookstore in Cochran.

Refunds for textbooks may be obtained the first week of class provided the book is in original condition and accompanied by a cash register receipt. Buy-back of selected used textbooks is conducted on campus, as well as the Macon Campus and Robins Center, during the week of final exams each quarter.

IDENTIFICATION CARDS

At registration, each student is issued an identification card (ID) as official college identification of student status. A fee of \$10 is charged for the replacement of the identification card. Students are required to present an ID card to any properly-identified faculty or staff member upon request and the ID card may be required for admission to certain student activities and college facilities.

The ID card is needed to use the Academic Computing Service labs during the weekend hours.

ACADEMIC POLICIES

Every graduate student and every prospective graduate student is expected to become thoroughly familiar with the regulations and requirements for degrees contained in this catalog. Failure to follow the regulations and requirements almost inevitably results in complications which cause inconvenience to students. It is especially important that students note that it is their responsibility to keep apprised of current graduation requirements for the degree program in which enrolled.

A student is advised by the chairperson of the chosen major program, the degree program coordinator or by other professors designated for such advising. Advisement in matters pertaining to teacher certification is the responsibility of the Coordinator of Graduate Programs in the School of Education and the appropriate department chairperson.

No more than 15 hours of required work may be taken in or under the auspices of another graduate school. Such work must have been completed within the prescribed period of six years, must have a relationship to the student's program, must be recommended by the adviser in the major field of study, must be approved by the graduate coordinator, and must comply with other requirements specified by the College. No student will be allowed to pursue two degrees simultaneously.

No graduate credit will be allowed for correspondence work.

Courses numbered 600 are exclusively for graduate students. Courses numbered 500 are primarily for graduate students, but, on occasion, are open to qualified seniors or special students. Admission to graduate standing is a prerequisite for enrollment in graduate courses for graduate credit. Each graduate student is responsible for consulting with the appropriate faculty adviser for the completion of individual courses.

All credit applied to the planned program must have been earned within the prescribed period of six years after initial acceptance to the graduate program. At least 30 hours of graduate work must be completed in regular Georgia College courses on campus or at a Regents' approved Residence Center. Courses taken at a facility other than an approved commuter campus or center do not meet the residence requirement.

Georgia College, with the approval of the Board of Regents, provides degree credit programs in specific majors through campuses located in Macon and Dublin and the commuter centers at Robins Air Force Base. Students admitted to these programs must satisfy the same requirements for a degree as those who attend classes on the Milledgeville campus.

RESIDENCY DEFINITION

A student is "in residence" if enrolled in courses offered at an approved Georgia College residential facility. These facilities are the Milledgeville Campus, the Robins Residence Center, the Robins Graduate Center, the Dublin Campus, the Macon Campus, and the Logistics Education Center.

GRADUATE LEVEL ADMISSIONS

Consideration for admission to graduate study at Georgia College will be given to applicants who hold a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution and who present evidence of probable success in graduate work. Students who are presently enrolled or have

taken graduate work elsewhere must be in good standing at that institution to be eligible for admission to graduate study at Georgia College.

Georgia College and The University System of Georgia require immunization documents from every newly admitted student. Georgia College will forward to each newly admitted student an immunization certificate to be completed immediately and returned to Georgia College for evaluation prior to enrollment.

It is recommended that applications for admission be submitted at least three weeks prior to the first date for matriculation. International students and other applicants to the program requiring standardized test scores should complete these examinations at least eight weeks prior to matriculation. International students must submit additional documents as required by the Admissions Office.

All applicants desiring to enroll in graduate classes are required to provide the Office of Enrollment Services an official copy of the transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate academic work taken at each college attended where letter grades were awarded. Application for admission (accompanied by a \$10 non-refundable application fee) should be mailed to the Office of Enrollment Services on forms provided for this purpose. All applicants for degree programs must also provide acceptable results of their performance on the applicable graduate test, ie: Graduate Record Examination, Graduate Management Admission Test, Miller Analogies Test, or Law School Admission Test. Other supporting materials may be required by specific degree programs. Test scores may not be more than ten years old; with the exception of the Miller Analogy test which must be dated July 1, 1991 to present. An application is not considered complete nor will it be processed until all required transcripts and examination scores are on file in the Office of Enrollment Services.

The degree program coordinator gives approval for admission to a degree program, subject to the minimum requirements of the College. Program admission requirements are frequently more demanding and specific than general admission requirements. A student will be admitted to a degree program only with the recommendation of the degree program coordinator and approval of the Dean of the Graduate School. A student will not be allowed to register for more than 20 hours in any degree program without being regularly admitted.

CLASSIFICATION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

A student admitted to Georgia College who already has a baccalaureate degree will be classified as a graduate student. Students admitted to Georgia College graduate programs will be classified as:

DEGREE CATEGORIES

REGULAR ADMISSION

An applicant who has been determined by the coordinator of the program to have met all requirements for admission to a degree program as described in the degree program section of the catalog may be admitted as a regular graduate student.

In no instance will more than a total of 20 quarter hours from any other classification(s) be applied toward a degree program.

REGULAR ADMISSION TO THE GEORGIA COLLEGE GRADUATE PROGRAM INCLUDES ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY. The admission to candidacy includes a program of study which serves as a mutual agreement between the student applicant and Georgia College. **This agreement (program of study) must be followed and cannot be changed without the prior written approval of the coordinator of the student's graduate program.** A program of study will be forwarded to each student upon admission. A student will not be able to register for more than 20 hours before the program of study is completed.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION

Students who have submitted all requirements for admission but do not meet minimum standards for regular admission may be placed in the provisional admission classification by the graduate coordinator in the student's degree program. **Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.**

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION *

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

Provisional and conditional students who are able to remove the condition which caused them to be designated as provisional or conditional may be eligible for assignment to another classification. A maximum of 20 quarter hours earned in this classification can be applied toward meeting the requirements of a degree program. This maximum will be reduced according to the number of hours a student has earned in the enrichment, certification, or transient categories.

For example, a student who has earned 20 quarter hours of credit while in the enrichment category is not eligible to apply any of the hours earned as a provisional student toward a degree program. In no instance will more than a total of 20 quarter hours from any one or a combination of the provisional, conditional, enrichment, certification or transient designations be counted toward a degree program.

* Conditional registration provisions may vary by degree program. Please refer to degree program sections of the catalog for individual program requirements.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

To exit provisional admission and to be classified as a regular student, all admission criteria for the degree program as described in the provisional admission exit requirements section of each program included in the catalog must be satisfied and approved by the degree program coordinator.

BIOLOGY AND LOGISTICS

Students on provisional admission who complete 20 quarter hours of graduate courses at Georgia College with no grade less than a B may be admitted to a degree program without having to make the required score for the program. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the graduate coordinator for the degree program in which the student is seeking admission.

HISTORY

Applicants who score below the formulas for regular admission may be granted provisional status. The formulas are: GRE verbal score + GRE quantitative or analytical score + (100 times the undergraduate grade point average) = 1200 **OR** MAT score + (10 times the undergraduate grade point average) = 70.

Provisional students who take 20 quarter hours of graduate history courses with no grade less than a B will be granted regular status. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the graduate coordinator for the degree program in which the student is seeking admission.

PSYCHOLOGY

Provisional status is reserved for students who lack one of the three courses required for regular admission status or who have a GRE Advanced Psychology score below 500 and are therefore enrolling in PSY 499 for remediation. All students must meet the minimal GRE verbal and quantitative scores and the undergraduate GPA requirements. These scores are 400 verbal and 400 quantitative. The combined verbal and quantitative scores, plus the undergraduate grade average times 100, must be at least 1050. Provisional status is exited by achieving at least a C in PSY 201, PSY 315 or PSY 320 and an A in PSY 499.

BUSINESS

Provisional admission status may be granted to students who do not meet the score requirements for regular admission. Provisional admission score requirements will be 50 points below the formula for regular admission. (Admission score is the sum of the GMAT score plus 200 times the overall undergraduate grade point average). Students may take no more than 20 hours of class work in conditional and provisional status combined. Students who complete 20 hours of courses in provisional status (or a combination of conditional and provisional status) with no grade lower than a B, and a minimum grade point average of 3.5, and have a minimum admission score of 50 points below the formula for regular admission, may be granted regular admission status. All classes taken in conditional (500-level courses only) and provisional status must be approved in advance by the Director of Graduate Programs in Business.

EDUCATION

Provisional admission to M.Ed. programs may be granted by either of two sets of criteria. A person may present:

1. a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.25 *and* a minimum score of 44 on the MAT or 800 on the GRE General Test (minimum of 400 verbal + 400 analytical) or
2. a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.5 *and* a minimum score of 35 on the MAT or 700 on the GRE General Test (350 verbal + 350 analytical).

For those persons who meet provisional admission requirements by (1) or (2) above, regular admission may be acquired by earning a B or better in the first 15-20 hours taken under provisional admission, providing those 15-20 hours include EFS 630, and ten hours in the content field through advisement. If these conditions are met, the student's status will change to regular admission after meeting with an assigned adviser and submitting a Program of Graduate Study. Persons who do *not* meet these conditions will not be permitted further enrollment in the M.Ed. program.

NURSING

Students will be eligible for provisional admission to the MSN program under the following circumstances:

- (a) using the GRE score (verbal and quantitative) + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) X 10 = 850.
- (b) using GMAT score (verbal and quantitative) + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) X 200 = 850.
- (c) using the MAT score + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) X 10 = 55.

Students in the above circumstances must complete 17-20 quarter hours of graduate course work at Georgia College with no grade less than B to be considered for regular admission to the MSN program. The 17-20 hours of course work must be earned in courses approved by the Coordinator for Graduate Programs in Nursing.

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Applicants who score under 1200 on the formula used for regular admission may be granted provisional status. Provisional students who take 20 quarter hours of graduate Public Administration courses with no grade less than a B will be granted regular status. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the graduate coordinator for the degree program in which the student is seeking admission.

NON-DEGREE CATEGORIES

ENRICHMENT

A person who holds a baccalaureate degree and wishes to enroll in graduate courses for purposes of self-improvement or enjoyment may be admitted for graduate study as an enrichment student. Should the student later decide to transfer to a degree seeking category, not more than 20 quarter hours of credit earned while in this category may be applied toward a graduate degree program and then only if approved by the coordinator of the degree program desired. Students interested in taking psychology courses must have the approval of the Graduate Coordinator of the Psychology Department. (See additional limitations under the provisional category.)

CERTIFICATION

A person who holds a baccalaureate degree and certification to teach in the State of Georgia and wishes to enroll in graduate courses for the purposes of certificate renewal, may be admitted to graduate study as a certification student. Students admitted to certification classification are not considered to be in pursuit of a degree. Should the student later decide to transfer to a degree seeking category, not more than 20 quarter hours of credit earned while in this category may be applied toward a graduate degree program and then, only if approved by the coordinator of the degree program in consultation with the adviser of the planned field of study. (See additional limitation under the provisional classification.)

GRADUATE TRANSIENT

A student in good standing at another regionally accredited graduate school who wishes to take courses at Georgia College may be allowed to enroll as a transient student for one quarter. In lieu of the usual transcripts and test scores this student must submit a letter from the registrar of the institution in which the student is regularly enrolled, which certifies that the student is in good standing and recommends admission to Georgia College as a transient student.

REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

To qualify for a graduate degree at Georgia College it is the student's responsibility to know and satisfy the following requirements:

1. Fulfill the departmental requirements for the degree chosen. These requirements are described in the degree programs section of this catalog.
2. File application for diploma at least two quarters prior to completion of degree requirements.

3. A graduate student must have an academic average of B (3.0 GPA) and a B average (3.0 GPA) in the degree program. Only grades in courses numbered 500 and 600 shall be counted in a student's academic grade point average. Courses in which the student has earned less than a C cannot be counted for degree credit. The Georgia College Permanent Record and Grade Reports will reflect an academic and cumulative average of all work attempted at Georgia College once a student enters a graduate classification.
4. A student planning to use transfer work to qualify for a degree must have official transcripts submitted to the Records Office no later than the beginning of the Spring Quarter immediately preceding June exercises.
5. Students may graduate in absentia provided they submit written notice to the Records Office of their intention to do so at least seven days before the date of commencement.
6. Georgia College reserves the right to refuse to forward transcripts for any student who has an unsatisfactory conduct record or who is in financial arrears to the College.
7. Students enrolled in degree programs requiring a thesis or final research paper must deposit the approved unbound original and provide one bound copy of their work in the Ina Dillard Russell Library. Other copies of the thesis or final research paper may be required by the department in which the major work has been done.

APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION

Each applicant for a graduate degree from Georgia College must make formal application for graduation by the deadline printed in the official catalog of the year in which the student plans to graduate. This application is submitted to the Records Office by the applicant. The degree program coordinator approves the applicant's plan to graduate for the Graduate Dean.

Any student who is unable to complete final requirements for graduation after formally applying for a degree will be ineligible to graduate. Students will be notified if graduation requirements are not completed and will be required to resubmit the application for graduation for a future quarter.

CREDIT

Academic credit assigned to a subject is expressed in quarter hours. A passing grade on a subject that requires five one-hour meetings a week (or the equivalent) for one quarter earns credit for five quarter hours. A laboratory period of two or three hours is equivalent to one class hour.

A normal course load is ten to fifteen credit hours each quarter. Students are encouraged to use their own judgment in deciding the course loads they will take each quarter. The advice of the student's faculty adviser should be given serious consideration. Ten quarter hours is considered a full-course load for graduate students and for Veteran's Certification purposes.

Veteran Students—The University System will grant credit according to the recommendations of "A Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Services," published by the American Council on Education. Recommendations as to the amount of credit have already been made for many of the service schools. Credit for other service educational programs may be established through examinations administered by the college in which the student is enrolled.

GRADES

METHODS FOR DETERMINING STUDENT ACADEMIC STANDING

A student's academic standing is determined by the academic grade-point average at the end of each quarter. The grade-point average is computed by equating letter grades earned at Georgia College to the following numerical code:

- A = 4 points (excellent)
- B = 3 points (good)
- C = 2 points (satisfactory)
- D = 1 point (passing)
- S = 0 points (satisfactory)
- U = 0 points (unsatisfactory)
- F = 0 points (failing)
- WF = 0 points (withdrew failing)

Each point represents a quality point earned per quarter hour credit. Total quality points are determined by multiplying the number of points awarded for the grade in the course (a student who receives an A in a five-hour course would earn twenty quality points for work in that course). It should be noted that students may earn credit through wellness activities, internships, student teaching and similar experiences which generate grades of either S (satisfactory) or U (unsatisfactory). When these grades are earned for courses in which credit toward graduation is received, the credit will be counted but there will be no quality points given. The academic grade average will thus be determined by the total quality points for those courses in which A through F grades were given divided by the number of credit hours in which those grades were given. Students may repeat courses under the academic average as described below. In the calculation of the academic average only the last grade earned will count toward the academic grade-point average.

The following symbols are used in the class indicated, but they are not included in the determination of the grade-point average:

- I — Indicates that a student was doing satisfactory work, but for non-academic reasons beyond the student's control was unable to meet the full requirements of the course. An I grade must be satisfactorily removed during the next quarter of enrollment or by the end of one calendar year if not enrolled, whichever comes first, or the symbol I will be changed to the grade of F in the calculation of the cumulative and academic average.

Note: registering in a subsequent quarter for a course in which an I has been received will not remove the "I" in the cumulative average.

- W — Indicates that a student, doing passing work, was permitted to withdraw from the course without penalty. Withdrawals without penalty will not be permitted after the mid-point of the total grading period (including final examination), except in cases where hardship status has been determined by the Dean of the Graduate School and the student is doing passing work, as determined by the student's instructor. Students withdrawing after mid-term for hardship reasons must file a petition with the Dean of the Graduate School.
- S — Indicates that credit has been given for completion of degree requirements other than academic course work. This symbol is used for thesis hours, student teaching, clinical practicum, internship, wellness activity courses, and proficiency requirements in graduate programs.
- U — Indicates unsatisfactory performance in an attempt to complete degree requirements other than academic course work. This symbol is used for thesis hours, student teaching, clinical practicum, internship, wellness activity courses, and proficiency requirements in graduate programs.

- V — Indicates that a student was given permission to audit. Students may not transfer from audit to credit status or vice versa after the last date to add a course. Students may register on a credit basis at a later time.
- K — Indicates that a student was given credit for the course via a credit-by-examination program approved by the faculty (CLEP, AP, proficiency, etc.)
- IP — Indicates that work is in progress.
- NR— Indicates that the instructor did not report the student's grade for the course. An NR grade must be removed during the next quarter of enrollment or by the end of one calendar year if not enrolled, whichever comes first, or the symbol NR will be changed to the grade of F in the calculation of the cumulative and academic average.

GRADE AVERAGES

Policies of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia state:

Cumulative Grade-Point Average. The cumulative grade-point average in each institution of the University System of Georgia will be calculated by dividing the number of hours scheduled in all courses attempted in which a grade of A,B,C,D,F, or WF has been received into the number of grade points earned on those hours scheduled. The cumulative grade-point average will be recorded on the student's permanent record. Institutional credit shall in no way affect the cumulative grade-point average.

Other averages may be computed by each institution for internal uses as may be required.

Georgia College calculates three averages each quarter. One is the quarterly average, based upon all work attempted in a particular quarter. A second is the cumulative average, as defined in the above statement from Regent's regulations. The third is the academic average which is described below and is used to determine academic standing and graduation average.

ACADEMIC AVERAGE

Georgia College uses an "academic average." Under the academic average, students may repeat a course or courses and have only the last grade earned count toward the academic grade point average. The official transcript reflects both the academic average and the cumulative average. The academic average is the basis for determining academic standing and eligibility for graduation. The academic average applies to all students. The academic average became effective Fall Quarter, 1993; the policy is retroactive and all students who are currently matriculated or who have yet to graduate from Georgia College are eligible for the calculation of the academic average. The decision to use the academic average for purposes other than academic standing and graduation is covered in other sections of this handbook. Students should be aware that when transferring to other institutions or when making application for graduate school, most receiving institutions make admission decisions based on the cumulative grade point average. The academic grade point average is for internal use at Georgia College and is based on all 500 and 600 level courses.

ACADEMIC RENEWAL

Students who have not been enrolled at Georgia College during the past five years may re-enter under the Georgia College academic renewal program and begin a new academic grade point average at the time of re-entry. Students who elect to participate in the academic renewal program may not count course work previously taken at Georgia College toward graduation, academic standing, or other program requirements. Transfer courses and grades are not affected by this policy.

Students who wish to participate in the academic renewal program must file an application for academic renewal directly to the Office of Admissions and Records. Students on academic exclusion must apply for academic renewal **prior** to reentering Georgia College. Students that are not on academic exclusion must apply for academic renewal prior to the end of the first quarter of readmission. A decision to participate in the academic renewal program is irreversible.

A cumulative average will continue to be maintained and all work attempted at Georgia College will be reflected on the student's permanent record.

ACADEMIC STANDARDS

Any student whose academic grade point average falls below 3.0 will receive an academic warning. If the grade point average falls to or below the equivalent of 10 hours of uncompensated Cs, the student will be academically dismissed from the degree program. An uncompensated C is one letter grade below a B where there is not an A to bring the grade point average up to a 3.0. For example, one C without an A equals one uncompensated C; one D without an A would equal two uncompensated Cs. Academic credit towards a graduate degree will not be granted for any grade below a C. However, these grades will be used in determining the academic average for courses that have not been repeated.

In order to be considered for readmission to the program the student must petition the degree program coordinator and be approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

AUDITING COURSES FOR NONCREDIT

To audit a class a student may register as an auditing student with the permission of the instructor. Audited courses will NOT be counted as part of the normal course load and no grade will be awarded. Instructors may set special conditions on students who audit their courses. Audited courses will be designated by a V on the grade sheet and will be considered in fee assessment. Auditing a course will not prevent a student from taking the course for credit at a later time. A student must register and pay regular fees.

As noted above, students may not transfer from audit to credit or vice versa.

ADDING COURSES AFTER REGISTRATION

A student may add courses to the schedule for a period of three class days after formal registration during Fall, Winter and Spring quarters (for a period of two days after formal registration during the Summer quarter). The add card is available from the Records Office and must be signed by the student's faculty adviser before being returned to the Records Office by the student. Changing course sections does not require an advisers signature. If the course is closed, the chairperson's signature is required. Adding courses after the period of three days requires the dean's signature, the adviser's signature, and the instructor's signature. No credit will be awarded in any course for which the student is not properly registered.

DROPPING COURSES

A student may drop courses from his/her schedule for a period of three class days after formal registration during Fall, Winter, and Spring quarters (for a period of two days after formal registration during the Summer quarter). No signatures are required to drop a course during this time period.

After the three day drop period, but before midterm, students may drop courses by presenting to the Records Office a drop card signed by his/her instructor and faculty adviser.

A student who drops a course at any time after midterm but prior to the beginning of the final examination period will receive the grade WF for the course or courses being carried at the time of the drop. However, with the approval of class instructors, the student may petition the Dean of the Graduate School for a W if the drop is due to hardship reasons and if the student is passing all courses being carried at the time of the drop. Documentation supporting the hardship will be maintained by the Dean of the Graduate School.

The timing of dropping a course in order to avoid academic penalty is the responsibility of the student. Deadlines are published in the calendar in the introductory section of this Georgia College catalog.

WITHDRAWAL FROM COLLEGE

To withdraw from the College, a student must report first to the Office of Student Records. Failure to withdraw officially will result in the final grade of F in all courses.

A student who withdraws from the College either temporarily or permanently at any time after midterm but prior to the beginning of the final examination period will receive the grade WF for each course being carried at the time of withdrawal. However, with the approval of class instructors, the student may petition the coordinator of the degree program and Dean of the Graduate School for a W if the withdrawal is due to hardship reasons and if the student is passing all courses being carried at the time of withdrawal. Documentation supporting the hardship will be maintained by the Dean of the Graduate School.

The timing of the withdrawals in order to avoid academic penalty is the responsibility of the student. Deadlines are published in the college calendar in the introductory section of the Georgia College catalog.

CREDIT FOR ARMED FORCES PERSONNEL

Georgia College has been designated as an institutional member of Service members Opportunity Colleges (SOC), a group of over 400 colleges and universities providing voluntary postsecondary education to members of the military throughout the world. As a SOC member, Georgia College recognizes the unique nature of the military lifestyle and has committed itself to easing the transfer of relevant course credits, providing flexible academic residency requirements, and crediting learning from appropriate military training and experiences. SOC has been developed jointly by educational representatives of each of the Armed Services, the Office of the Secretary of Defense and a consortium of thirteen leading national higher education associations; it is sponsored by the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU) and the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges (AACJC).

ENROLLMENT BY UNDERGRADUATES

An undergraduate student who is within 10 hours of graduation and who has at least a B average in the major subject may enroll for courses carrying graduate degree credit. Approval by petition must be obtained from the degree program coordinator prior to registration. No course taken without this approval may be counted for graduate credit.

Graduate work taken under this provision may not be used to meet undergraduate requirements. An undergraduate who is permitted to enroll for graduate work as indicated above will be classified as a nondegree student until such time as the student has attained regular admission to a graduate degree program.

No more than 10 quarter hours of graduate work may be completed prior to the completion of baccalaureate degree requirements and admission to the graduate program as an applicant for a graduate degree. No student will be allowed to pursue two degrees simultaneously.

NONFEE APPLICANTS FOR OLDER AGE ADMISSION

Georgia residents who are 62 years of age or older and who meet all regular and special admission requirements for this category may register for classes and receive credit without payment of tuition and fees on a space available basis. Contact the Office of Student Records for detailed information.

READMISSION TO GRADUATE SCHOOL

A student previously registered in a graduate program at Georgia College who has failed to maintain continuous enrollment and who wishes to resume studies after one or more quarters of absence must file an application for readmission. Applications for readmission are available in the Office of Student Records and must be submitted to that office prior to the published deadlines for each term. The student will register during the usual registration period. If the student has attended any other institution during the period when not registered at Georgia College, official transcripts must be submitted before being classified as having regular status.

TRANSIENT STUDENT PROCEDURE

Students wishing to attend another college and take courses to count toward their degree at Georgia College must be in good standing, petition the degree program coordinator and obtain the approval of their faculty adviser prior to enrolling at the other institution. The petition must specify the courses to be taken at the other college and the student must have the other college send a transcript of the courses taken to the Office of Student Records at Georgia College to receive credit for the work at Georgia College. Ordinarily, students are permitted to be transient students away from the College for only one quarter.

Transient status means that a student is admitted to Georgia College for a specified period of time, normally a single quarter, with the understanding that the student is to return to the student's own college at the opening of the next quarter.

STUDENT ACADEMIC APPEALS

Any student or former student of Georgia College has the right of timely petition. Petitions are available from the dean of the appropriate school and are to be initiated by the student, in consultation with the faculty adviser, to remedy undue hardships and specific inequities that may adversely affect the student's ability to fulfill the academic requirements of the College. Petitions may be used to secure approval of special agreements between faculty and students on academic matters and to provide for emergency situations caused by unforeseen complications in fulfilling academic requirements. Petitions must have the approval of the Dean of the Graduate School.

An academic grievance or appeal is an allegation by a student of substantial, and/or unjustified, deviation to the student's detriment, from policies, procedures and/or requirements regarding admission, grading policies, special agreements, instructors' requirements and academic requirements of the College. Students shall have the right to file academic grievances or appeals according to the following procedures approved by the College.

PROCEDURES FOR ACADEMIC GRIEVANCE OR APPEAL

Following are the proper procedures for resolving academic grievances or appeals:

1. The student shall petition in writing to the appropriate academic or administrative official responsible for the action which forms the basis of the grievance or appeal. The petition shall contain a clear and concise statement of the grievance or appeal, the remedies sought and a request for a meeting with the involved person or persons.
2. The respondent shall schedule a meeting with the student within ten class days of receipt of the written grievance or appeal to discuss the matter.
3. If the student is not satisfied with the results of the discussion and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the respondent's supervisor to seek a resolution. This consultation must begin within ten class days after the conclusion of the discussion with the respondent.
4. If the student is not satisfied after seeking consultation at the supervisor's level and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the secondary supervisor to seek a resolution. This consultation must begin within ten class days after the supervisor has completed consideration of the grievance or appeal.
5. If the student is not satisfied and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the next appropriate supervisor. This grievance or appeal must be filed within ten class days after the secondary supervisor has completed consideration of the grievance or appeal. The decision of the next appropriate supervisor will become the final decision on the academic grievance or appeal. The decision as to the resolution of the grievance or appeal shall be accompanied by a clear statement of the reasons for the decision. The student and appropriate College officials shall be notified in writing of the decision within ten class days after consideration of the grievance or appeal.

Students should be aware that their faculty adviser, the Office of Counseling Services, the Student Government Association and the Office of Student Affairs may be resource areas from which students may receive assistance. The time limit may be extended upon approval of a written request to the Vice President/Dean of Faculties.

STUDENT NONACADEMIC APPEALS

POLICY STATEMENT

Georgia College recognizes the importance of providing a prompt and efficient procedure for fair and equitable resolutions of a nonacademic grievance or appeal. A nonacademic grievance or appeal alleges discrimination by a college employee on the basis of race, color, gender, religion, national origin, age, physical handicap/disability or involves personal behavior and/or College policy. Accordingly, students are encouraged to use the nonacademic grievance or appeal process without fear of prejudice or reprisal for initiating the process or participating in its resolution.

DEFINITION

A nonacademic grievance or appeal is an allegation by a student concerning (1) a College employee, (2) administrative policies, procedures, regulations or requirements of the College, (3) student employment, or (4) a College program service or activity. Students shall have the right to file a grievance or appeal according to established procedures.

PROCEDURES FOR NONACADEMIC GRIEVANCE OR APPEAL

Following are the proper procedures for resolving a nonacademic grievance or appeal:

1. The student shall submit a complaint in writing to the appropriate College official responsible for the action which forms the basis of the grievance or appeal. The complaint shall contain a clear and concise statement of the grievance or appeal, the remedies sought and a request for a meeting with the involved person or persons. The complaint must be submitted within five (5) days of the event, unless there are extenuating circumstances.
2. The respondent shall schedule a meeting with the student within ten (10) class days of receipt of the written grievance or appeal to discuss the matter. A written reply by the respondent to the student indicating the results of the meeting and including further action, if any, to be taken shall be attached to the written grievance or appeal.
3. If the student is not satisfied with the results of the discussion and reply and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the respondent's supervisor to seek a resolution. This consultation must begin within ten (10) class days after the conclusion of the discussion with the respondent. A written reply by the respondent's supervisor to the student indicating the results of the meeting and including further action, if any, to be taken shall be attached to the written grievance or appeal.
4. If the student is not satisfied after seeking consultation at the supervisor's level and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the secondary supervisor to seek a resolution. This consultation must begin within ten (10) class days after the supervisor has completed consideration of the grievance or appeal. A written reply by the secondary supervisor to the student indicating the results of the meeting and including further action, if any, to be taken shall be attached to the written grievance or appeal.
5. If the student is not satisfied and wants the grievance or appeal to be considered further, the student shall appeal in writing to the next appropriate supervisor. This grievance or appeal must be filed within ten (10) class days after the secondary supervisor has completed consideration of the grievance or appeal. A written reply by the next appropriate supervisor to the student indicating the results of the meeting and including further action, if any, to be taken shall be attached to the written grievance or appeal.

6. The decision of the President will become the final campus decision on the grievance or appeal. A written reply by the President to the student indicating the results of the meeting and including further action, if any, to be taken shall be attached to the written grievance or appeal. The student and appropriate college officials shall be notified in writing of the decision within ten (10) class days after the last consideration of the grievance or appeal.

Students should be aware that their faculty adviser, the Office of Counseling Services, the Student Government Association and the Office of Student Affairs, may be resource areas whereby students may receive assistance on a grievance or appeal. The time limit may be extended upon approval of a written request submitted to the Vice President/Dean of Students.

STUDENT ACADEMIC DISHONESTY

I. POLICY STATEMENT

Georgia College acknowledges the need to preserve an orderly process with regard to teaching, research and public service as well as the need to preserve and monitor students' academic rights and responsibilities. Since the primary goal of education is to increase one's own knowledge base, academic dishonesty will not be tolerated at Georgia College. Possible consequences of academic dishonesty, depending on the seriousness of the offense, may range from a revision of assignment, an oral reprimand, a written reprimand, an F or a zero for graded work, removal from the course with a grade of F to possible suspension or exclusion from the College. Academic dishonesty includes the following examples as well as other closely similar conduct aimed at making false representation with respect to a student's academic performance:

- A. Cheating on an examination;
- B. Collaborating with others in work to be presented, contrary to the stated rules of the course;
- C. Plagiarizing, including the submission of others' ideas or papers (whether purchased, borrowed or otherwise obtained) as one's own. When direct quotations are used in themes, essays, term papers, tests, book reviews, and other similar work, they must be indicated, and when the ideas of another are incorporated in any paper they must be acknowledged according to a style of documentation appropriate to the discipline;
- D. Stealing examination or course materials;
- E. Falsifying records, laboratory results, or other data;
- F. Submitting, if contrary to the rules of a course, work previously presented in another course;
- G. Knowingly and intentionally assisting another student in any of the above—including assistance in an arrangement whereby any work, classroom performance, examination or other activity is submitted or performed by a person other than the student under whose name the work is submitted or performed.

Students accused of academic dishonesty may appeal through the student academic dishonesty procedures in effect at Georgia College.

II. PROCEDURES

A. *Informal conference*

If an informal conference designed to explore academic dishonesty with the instructor and the student does not end in satisfactory resolution, the following formal procedures for an academic misconduct appeal will apply. Options for the instruc-

tor at the conclusion of an informal conference may include the following: a revision of assignment, an oral reprimand, a written reprimand, and/or an F or a zero for the graded work or an F for the course.

B. *Formal conference with student enrolled in course.*

If the instructor and/or the student is dissatisfied with the results of the informal conference, the student must state in writing to the instructor his/her dissatisfaction within ten class days following the informal conference. The instructor shall schedule a formal conference within ten class days of the informal conference or receipt of the student's written complaint. The Vice President/Dean of Faculties may extend the ten class day time period in unusual circumstances. The purpose of the formal conference shall be to review the evidence against the student, to review the evidence and argument presented by the student in defense, and to review the appropriateness of the penalty which may be imposed by the instructor. The instructor and the student may each be accompanied at the formal conference by a student, faculty or staff person of their choice.

C. *Notice.*

At least five class days in advance of the formal conference, the instructor shall inform the student in writing of the alleged offense and of the facts or conduct on which that allegation is based. The student shall be informed of the date, time and place of the formal conference. This notice shall be served on the student in person or by certified return-receipt requested mail and shall be accompanied by a copy of the Academic Dishonesty Policy and Procedures.

D. *Academic penalties imposed by the instructor.*

The instructor may give the student a revision of assignment, an oral reprimand, a written reprimand, an F or zero for the graded work or an F for the course. If the instructor also believes that the student should be considered for more serious non-academic disciplinary sanctions, the instructor may request the Vice President/Dean of Students to proceed in accordance with the College's non-academic disciplinary procedures. An academic penalty may or may not be imposed where the student's own academic performance was not affected such as in the following instances: (i) the student assisted another student to engage in academic dishonesty, or (ii) the student stole a copy of an examination and the theft was discovered before the exam so that the student did not take the exam. In such cases, if the student is enrolled in the course, the instructor may impose the penalties permitted by this section, or if the student is not enrolled in the course, refer the matter to the Vice President/Dean of Students.

E. *Instructor's decision.*

If after the formal conference the instructor believes that the student has not violated the Georgia College Academic Dishonesty Policy, the student shall be informed in writing within 24 hours. If the instructor believes that the student has violated the Academic Dishonesty policy the instructor shall inform the student of the decision in writing with a copy to their supervisor; such decisions shall be served in person or by mail and shall include: (1) a full explanation of the facts on which the instructor's conclusions were based; (2) specification of the penalty or penalties imposed; (3) further action in the case, if any, which the instructor has recommended; and (4) notice that the decision may be appealed to the instructor's supervisor.

F. *Offenses committed by a student not enrolled in the course.*

When the instructor for a course believes that acts which violated the Academic Dishonesty Policy have been committed by a student not enrolled in the course, the instructor shall refer the matter to the Vice President Dean of Students who shall proceed in accordance with the College's disciplinary policy.

G. *Appeal from the instructor's decision.*

The instructor's decision may be appealed to the instructor's appropriate supervisor either as to the issue of whether the student did engage in conduct as alleged or as to the penalty or penalties. Appeals shall be in writing and must be filed with the office or person designated within ten class days of service of the instructor's decision. While such appeal is pending, the penalty or penalties shall be stayed and no grade assigned for the course. If the student does not file an appeal within ten class days of service of the instructor's decision, the instructor's decision shall become final.

H. *Appeal from the supervisor's decision.*

The supervisor's decision may be appealed by either party to the appropriate Dean of the school who shall refer it to the appropriate academic misconduct hearing committee of the school. The appeal must take place within ten class days of the decision of the supervisor. The committee shall act consistent with the bylaws of the school in which the alleged violation occurred. The committee must include student representation.

1. Jurisdiction. The committee shall hear appeals of the supervisor's decision.
2. Procedures. The appropriate academic misconduct hearing committee proceedings shall be regulated by the same procedures established by the Georgia College Disciplinary Policy Statement except that this committee may establish less rigorous procedures for cases in which the penalty or penalties do not include suspension or expulsion. The student
 - a. may be represented by a student, faculty or staff person of their choice.
 - b. shall be afforded written notice of the offense with which he/she is charged and of the facts or conduct on which that charge is based,
 - c. shall be afforded advance written notice of an opportunity for a hearing at which the evidence against the student shall be reviewed and, at which the student shall have an opportunity to present evidence and argument, including a written statement to refute the charge, and
 - d. shall be given a written decision which shall include findings of fact and conclusions.
3. Penalty. The penalty recommended to the Dean of the school by the appropriate committee may exceed the penalty imposed by the instructor. Further, the committee may or may not; according to the bylaws of the appropriate school, modify the academic penalty imposed by the instructor. If the committee finds that no violation of the Academic Dishonesty Policy occurred, and the Dean concurs, the instructor shall eliminate any academic penalty which was based on the alleged academic misconduct.

I. *Appeal from the Dean of the School.*

The Dean's decision may be appealed by either party to the Vice President/Dean of Faculties within ten class days of the decision of the Dean.

J. *Appeal from the Vice President/Dean of Faculties.*

The Vice President/Dean of Faculties decision may be appealed by either party to the President of Georgia College within ten class days of the decision of the Vice President/Dean of Faculties. The President's decision on Academic Dishonesty shall be the final decision on the Georgia College campus.

III. ROLE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT/DEAN OF STUDENTS

With regard to academic misconduct, the Vice President/Dean of Students shall receive and maintain copies of all correspondence and final decisions on academic misconduct. The Vice President may proceed in accordance with Georgia College disciplinary procedures if the charge includes non-academic misconduct and/or warrants suspension or expulsion. The Vice President may do so

- A. When the student alleged to have violated the Georgia College Academic Dishonesty Policy was not enrolled in the course against which the offense was committed.
- B. When the violation found by the instructor was so serious that disciplinary penalties appear to the Vice President/Dean of Students to be warranted and not more than sixty days have elapsed from the date of the occurrence.
- C. When there are multiple instances shown of a student's misconduct and not more than sixty days have elapsed from the date of the occurrence.

IV. NOTICE TO STUDENTS

Georgia College shall publish and make freely available to students, a copy of the Academic Dishonesty Policy, any amendments to the policy that are made, any provisions that have been adopted, and any other supplementary provisions consistent with the policy. The policy will be published in the current catalogs and/or Student Handbook and made available at the Office of the Dean of the school throughout the year.

EXPENSES

As a unit of the University System of Georgia, Georgia College is a state-supported institution. Students who do not qualify as residents of Georgia must pay tuition in addition to matriculation fees shown below. Regents' guidelines for determining residency are found later in this section.

All matriculation charges, board, room rent, and other charges are subject to change.

Fee assessments are subject to audit and correction and any such adjustments will be made. Students will be notified by mail of any such adjustments.

The basic charges are as follows:

GENERAL FEES (1996)

	Academic	Health	Athletics	Student Activity	Parking	Total
STUDENTS TAKING 12 OR MORE QUARTER HOURS:						
Legal Resident of						
Georgia	\$ 564.00	\$ 21.00	\$ 57.00	\$ 29.50	\$ 5.00	\$ 676.50
Nonresident	1932.00	21.00	57.00	29.50	5.00	2044.50
STUDENTS TAKING 6 OR MORE QUARTER CREDIT HOURS BUT LESS THAN 12 QUARTER HOURS:						
Legal Resident of Georgia						
(per qtr. hour)	47.00	21.00	57.00	29.50	5.00	
Nonresident						
(per qtr. hour)	161.00	21.00	57.00	29.50	5.00	
STUDENTS TAKING 5 OR LESS QUARTER HOURS:						
Legal Resident of Georgia						
(per qtr. hr.)	47.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.00	
Nonresident						
(per qtr. hr.)	161.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.00	

All Summer Quarter rates are by the quarter hour.

RESIDENCE HALL CHARGES

Per quarter \$585.00 to \$950.00

FOOD SERVICE

The following choices are available:

5 meals a week (for non-residents only)	\$265.00
10 meals a week Monday thru Friday	\$510.00
14 meals a week	\$550.00
21 meals a week	\$595.00
Any 10 meals a week	\$530.00

All students living in the residence halls must have one of the meal plans.

SPECIAL FEES

APPLICATION FEE (\$10.00)—A nonrefundable fee is required of all students applying for admission to the College. The fee will be sent with the application for admission.

GRADUATION FEE (\$30.00 graduate)—This fee is required of all degree candidates and is payable at the time that Graduation Application or Application for Degree or Diploma Request is made. The fee is nontransferable and nonrefundable. It entitles the student to one diploma and use of academic regalia.

LABORATORY FEE—Certain college departments may charge a laboratory fee in courses requiring extra materials or services of instruction. These fees are indicated in the course descriptions.

LATE PAYMENT FEE (\$10.00)—All student fees are due and payable at the time stated in the College calendar. A student is not officially registered until all fees and charges are paid. A late payment fee of \$10.00 will be charged beginning the day following the stated registration period.

COMMUTER CAMPUSES OR CENTERS FEES—The College offers courses throughout its service area. The cost for these courses is dependent upon the program under which they are offered. When courses are dropped at a commuter campus and added at the Milledgeville campus applicable fees will be added.

TRAFFIC AND PARKING VIOLATION FEES—Each year the College prints an up-to-date set of traffic and parking regulations. These are available upon request from the Department of Public Safety. The fine as indicated on the ticket is payable to the cashier of the Business Office. Any student who has unpaid traffic fines may be denied registration, transcripts, refunds, payments, check-cashing privileges, and other college records.

PAYMENT OF COLLEGE EXPENSES

Students are expected to meet all financial obligations when they are due. Georgia College reserves the right to deny admission, to withhold transcripts, refunds, payments, and other educational records, or cancel the registration of any student who fails to meet financial obligations promptly. It is each student's responsibility to keep informed of all registration and fee payment dates, deadlines and other requirements by referring to the official calendar of events in the catalog, as well as printed and posted announcements.

All student fees and charges are due and payable at the time stated in the calendar. A student is not officially registered until all fees and charges are paid. Payment may be made by cash, check, money order, VISA, MasterCard or Discover Card.

REFUNDS

Students may expect requested refunds within 30 days of the beginning of the quarter or date of the request, whichever is later.

A student who elects to drop a course for which he has registered and paid fees shall receive a refund of fees only if notice is given to the Student Records Office and to the Business Office on or before the last day to make course changes as indicated in the College calendar. The student shall then be charged at the per quarter hour rate applicable to the remaining number of quarter hours for which he is registered.

Please note: If reduction of course load results in no (0) hours remaining registered for that quarter, formal withdrawal is necessary.

Withdrawal from the College must begin with formal approval from the Student Records Office, Parks Hall.

THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS APPLY TO THE REGULAR FEES WHEN FORMAL WITHDRAWAL IS APPROVED.

Refund	Formal Withdrawal
100%	On or before the first day of class (please note this is the first day following registration, listed in the college catalog as "Classes Begin")
90%	Withdrawal after the first day of class but before the end of the first 10% (in time) of the period of enrollment.
50%	Withdrawal after the first 10% (in time) of the period of enrollment but before the end of the first 25% (in time) of the period of enrollment.
25%	Withdrawal after the first 25% (in time) of the period of enrollment but before the end of the first 50% (in time) of the period of enrollment.

Students who formally withdraw from the institution after the first 50% (in time) of the period of enrollment are not entitled to a refund of any portion of tuition and fees.

NONRESIDENTS OF GEORGIA FOR FEE PURPOSES

Students who do not qualify as residents of the state of Georgia must pay non-resident tuition in addition to regular matriculation fees. These fees are due during registration period at the beginning of each quarter.

A student is responsible for registering under the proper residency classification. If a student believes that he/she is entitled to reclassification, please see the following section regarding change of classification procedure.

REGENTS' RULES FOR DETERMINING IN-STATE STUDENT STATUS

Under the Constitution and laws of Georgia, the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia was created to govern, control and manage a system of public institutions providing quality higher education for the benefit of Georgia citizens. The State, in turn, receives a substantial benefit from individuals who are attending or who have attended these institutions through their significant contributions to the civic, political, economic and social advancement of the citizens of the State of Georgia.

Because the overwhelming proportion of financial support for the operation of the public institutions of higher education in Georgia comes from the citizens through the payment of taxes, the determination of whether a student is classified as a resident or a non-resident of the State for tuition purposes becomes a significant matter. The tuition paid by in-state students covers only about one-fourth of the total cost of their education in the University System. Georgia taxpayers are contributing three-fourths of the necessary funds to provide quality education for the citizens of the State.

The practice followed by state colleges and universities of assessing out-of-state students a higher tuition rate is a rational attempt by states to achieve a partial cost equalization between those who have and those who have not recently contributed to the state's economy, even though there is no precise way to determine the degree to which higher tuition charges equalize the cost of educating in-state and out-of-state students.

The durational residency requirement (usually twelve months) imposed by most, if not all, states is considered by the courts to be a reasonable period during which the new resident can make tangible or intangible contributions to the state before being allowed the benefit of attending state colleges upon the payment of in-state fees. Courts which have been faced with challenges to residency classification procedures have consistently recognized the right of public institutions of higher education to charge higher rates to out-of-state students and to adopt reasonable criteria for determining the establishment of in-state status. Examples of recent cases are: *Martinez v. Bynum*, 51 U.S.L.W. 4524 (Sup. Ct. May 2, 1983); *Starnes v. Washington*, 368 Supp. 38 (W.D. Wa. 1973) aff'd mem. 414 U.S. 1057 (1973), and *Michelson v. Cox*, 476 F. Supp. 1315 (S.D. Iowa, 1979).

For the purpose of these regulations, the question to be answered is not primarily whether a student is a "resident" or "non-resident" of Georgia, but rather whether the student meets the criteria to pay University System fees on an "in-state" basis. The term "resident" is confusing because it is susceptible of several meanings as it relates to voter registration, driver's licenses, automobile registration, deeds, contracts, wills, income taxes, and other matters. A student may be a resident of Georgia for some purposes, but not entitled to in-state status for tuition purposes. To be considered as a "resident" for tuition purposes, one must have been a bona fide resident of Georgia for at least twelve months preceding the date of registration.

The Board of Regents has adopted certain policies governing the classification of students as residents and non-residents for tuition purposes in keeping with its responsibilities to the citizens of Georgia for an appropriate assessment of fees and to insure that out-of-state students pay a fair and reasonable share of the cost of their education. The taxpayers of Georgia are thereby assured that they are not assuming the financial burden of educating persons whose presence in the state is not intended to be permanent.

RESIDENCY STATUS CHANGE OF CLASSIFICATION

A student is responsible for registering under the proper residency classification. Students classified as non-residents who believe that they are entitled to be reclassified as a legal resident may petition the Associate Vice President of Enrollment Services for a change in status. The petition must be filed no later than sixty (60) days after the quarter begins in order for the student to be considered for reclassification for that quarter. If the petition is granted, reclassification will not be retroactive to prior quarters.

Students/applicants who are classified by Georgia College as out-of-state but who later claim to qualify as in-state students must file an "Affidavit in Support of Residency Appeal" form with the Admissions Office. A student's tuition status is not changed automatically, and the burden of proof that the student qualifies as an in-state student under the regulations of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia rests with the student.

A person's legal residence is their permanent dwelling place. It is the place where they are generally understood to reside with the intent of remaining there indefinitely and returning there when absent. There must be a concurrence of actual residence and of intent to remain to acquire a legal residence.

IN-STATE CLASSIFICATION POLICIES

To register as a legal resident of Georgia at an institution of the University System a student must establish the following facts to the satisfaction of the registering officer:

1. (a) If a person is 18 years of age or older, the student may register as an in-state student only upon showing evidence of having been domiciled in Georgia for a period of at least twelve months immediately preceding the date of registration.

- (b) No emancipated minor or other person 18 years of age or older shall be deemed to have gained or acquired in-state status for tuition purposes while attending any educational institution in this State, in the absence of a clear demonstration of the establishment of legal residence in this State.
2. If a person is under 18 years of age, registration as an in-state student occurs only upon showing that the supporting parent or guardian has been a legal resident of Georgia for a period of at least twelve months immediately preceding that date of registration.
 3. If a parent or legal guardian of a minor changes legal residence to another state following legal residence in Georgia, the minor may continue to take courses for a period of twelve consecutive months on the payment of in-state tuition. After the expiration of the twelve-month period, the student may continue registration only upon the payment of fees at the out-of-state rate.
 4. In the event that a legal resident of Georgia is appointed as guardian of a non-resident minor, such minor will not be permitted to register as an in-state student until the expiration of one year from the date of court appointment, but only upon a proper showing that such appointment was not made to avoid payment of the out-of-state fees.
 5. Aliens shall be classified as non-resident students; provided, however, that an alien who is living in this country under an immigration document permitting indefinite or permanent residence shall have the same privilege of qualifying for in-state tuition as a citizen of the United States.
 6. Waivers: An institution may waive out-of-state tuition for:
 - (a) non-resident students who are financially dependent upon a parent, parents or spouse who has been a legal resident of Georgia for at least twelve consecutive months immediately preceding the date of registration; provided, however, that such financial dependence shall have existed for at least twelve consecutive months immediately preceding the date of registration;
 - (b) international students, selected by the institutional president or his authorized representative, provided, however, that the number of such waivers in effect at any time does not exceed one percent of the equivalent full-time students enrolled at the institution in the fall quarter immediately preceding the quarter for which the out-of-state tuition is to be waived;
 - (c) full-time employees of the University System, their spouses, and their dependent children;
 - (d) non-resident graduate students who hold teaching or research assistantships requiring at least one-third time service at such institution;
 - (e) full-time teachers in the public schools of Georgia and their dependent children. Teachers employed full-time on military bases in Georgia shall also qualify for this waiver;
 - (f) career consular officers and their dependents who are citizens of the foreign nation which their consular office represents, and who are stationed and living in Georgia under orders of their respective governments. This waiver shall apply only to those consular officers whose nations operate on the principle of educational reciprocity with the United States;
 - (g) military personnel and their dependents stationed in Georgia and on active duty unless such military personnel are assigned as students to System institutions for educational purposes.

APPEALS PROCEDURE

Any student wishing to appeal a decision of institution officials concerning residence classification shall file a Notice of Appeal with the appropriate review committee at the Institution. The highest level of appeal at Georgia College is the President.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

Student Responsibility to Register Under Proper Classification—The responsibility of registering under the proper tuition classification is that of the student. If there is any question of the right to in-state tuition status, it is a student's obligation, prior to or at the time of registration, to raise the question with the administrative officials of the institution in which registering and have it officially determined. The burden always rests with the student to submit information and documents necessary to support the contention that they qualify for a particular tuition classification under Regents' regulations.

Notification of Change in Circumstances—A student who is classified as an in-state student must notify the proper administrative officials of the institution immediately of any change in residency status, or any other change in circumstances which may affect tuition classification.

Official Change of Tuition Status—Every student classified as a non-resident shall retain that status until such time as they shall have petitioned for reclassification in the form prescribed by the institution and shall have been officially reclassified in writing as an in-state student by the proper administrative officers. No more than one application may be filed for a given quarter.

Reclassification—Every student who has been granted in-state tuition as a legal resident of Georgia shall be reclassified as an out-of-state student whenever it is reported, or there have been found to exist, circumstances indicating a change in legal residence to another state.

FINANCIAL AID

The purpose of the Office of Financial Aid is to provide financial support for students who can benefit from higher education but who could not attend without assistance. Financial aid awards at Georgia College are based on scholastic ability, financial need, and contribution to the campus community, or a combination thereof. Students may receive aid in the form of scholarships, grants, loans, or work opportunities. All students are encouraged to apply.

Many students do not have the financial resources to accomplish their educational objectives. Through financial aid programs, Georgia College makes every effort to assure that no qualified student will be denied the opportunity to attend school because of a lack of funds. Each year over 50% of Georgia College students receive some form of financial aid.

Because of the many federal, state, and local agencies which regulate financial aid programs, the administration of financial aid is complex and ever-changing. To help simplify the process, the federal government has produced a publication, *The Student Guide*, to provide accurate, up-to-date information on financial aid. As a consumer of higher education, it is important that you understand the financial aid programs you are applying for and the requirements of you and your family. Please contact the Financial Aid Office to request a copy. Policies and procedures are subject to change without notice.

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS FOR RECEIVING FINANCIAL AID

The Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, mandates institutions of higher education to establish a standard of satisfactory academic progress for students who receive financial aid. This standard must apply to the student's entire academic history, whether Title IV financial aid was received or not. In order to remain eligible to receive aid at Georgia College, students must meet the standards specified for acceptable academic performance and for satisfactory progress toward the completion of their program of study. The standards are established within the framework of applicable federal regulations specifically for the purpose of determining the eligibility of students to receive aid under the generally funded Title IV programs, including Federal Perkins Loan, Federal Work-Study, Federal Subsidized and Unsubsidized Direct Stafford Loans, and Federal Direct PLUS Loan Programs. The standards should not be confused with Probation or Good Standing as defined by academic regulations.

The Georgia College definition of satisfactory academic progress for receiving financial aid includes the following components:

Academic Standards

Georgia College uses the 4.0 grade point average system and numerical code:

4.0 = A, 3.0 = B, 2.0 = C, 1.0 = D, 0.0 = F, 0.0 = WF

Graduate students

Any student whose academic GPA falls below a 3.0 will be on financial aid probation. If the GPA falls to or below the equivalent of 10 hours of uncompensated C's, the student will become ineligible for financial aid.

Incremental Progress

Students are expected to successfully complete the following number of hours based upon enrollment status:

Graduate students

Enrollment Status	Need to complete each quarter	Need to complete each academic year
10-up (full-time)	7	20
6-9 (3/4 time)	5	15
5 (1/2 time)	3	9

Enrollment status will be verified by the Student Financial Aid Office staff three days after classes begin according to the following table:

	Full-Time	Three-Quarter Time	One-Half Time
Undergraduate	12-up	9-11	6-8
Graduate	10-up	6-9	5

Students who attend during the summer are expected to successfully complete the appropriate number of hours required for the summer plus the required number for the academic year based upon their enrollment status.

Maximum time frame

Students who attend on a full-time basis at Georgia College will have the following time frame (subject to individual program regulations) in which to receive consideration for financial aid:

Graduate students — Master's degree	9 quarters
Specialist in Education	6 quarters

The time frame for students who attend other than full-time will be determined on a yearly basis taking into account the enrollment status of the student. Students who begin their education at another school and then transfer to Georgia College will have their standing classified by the appropriate office. For these students, financial aid eligibility is identical to that of Georgia College students with comparable hours. (e.g. transfer students who are classified as juniors will have the same eligibility as Georgia College juniors).

The review procedure is as follows:

Academic standards and/or incremental progress

At the end of each academic year (spring quarter), the Student Financial Aid Office will determine whether the student has successfully completed the minimum expected number of hours with the required grade point average and shown progress toward the educational degree for all completed quarters. This review, which will occur during the summer, will include all hours attempted during the student's attendance period.

The following will be considered as quarter hours successfully completed:

1. A through D grades
2. S satisfactory
3. K credit (credit by examination)
4. IC institutional credit

The following shall not be considered as quarter hours completed:

1. F grade
2. I incomplete
3. W withdrew
4. U unsatisfactory
5. V audit
6. WF withdrew failing
7. IP used in Learning Services

For repeated courses, both grades are computed in the grade point average and both courses will remain as a part of the aggregate hours attempted.

Time frame

The minimum percentage of hours shall be the percentage represented by the number of quarters completed by the student compared to the maximum time frame set forth by Georgia College, taking into account the student's course load. For example, based upon a full-time graduate student with a time frame of 3 years, 1/3 of the degree requirements (usually 20 hours) must be successfully completed each year. For students who enroll other than full-time, the same procedure is used with the time frame being determined by the enrollment status.

Financial Aid Probation

A student will automatically be placed on financial aid probation in the event that the student fails to meet the cumulative GPA and/or incremental progress requirements. A student in this category may receive financial aid for the next academic year, but, by the end of that academic year, that student must have completed both the aggregate number of quarters hours required and attain the overall cumulative GPA required to establish satisfactory academic progress. If the student does not make up the deficiencies and remove himself/herself from financial aid probation, the student is considered to be making unsatisfactory academic progress and is placed on financial aid suspension. Financial aid suspension means the termination of all financial aid.

A student who does not meet the time frame requirement will, without warning, become ineligible for financial aid.

Conditions for Reinstatement

A student whose financial aid has been suspended for failure to meet the cumulative GPA and/or incremental progress requirements, can become eligible for consideration for financial aid by:

- 1) Sitting out an academic quarter (Fall, Winter or Spring), or
- 2) Attending Georgia College without financial aid and re-establishing satisfactory academic progress.

A student who fails to meet satisfactory progress requirements a second time or who, after sitting out a quarter, fails to establish satisfactory academic progress requirements, will become ineligible for any further aid.

A student who returns to Georgia College after being on financial aid suspension is automatically on financial aid probation.

Appeal

A student whose financial aid has been suspended may appeal, in writing, to the Director of Financial Aid. In the appeal, the student should state the reason(s) why satisfactory academic progress was not maintained, why aid should not be terminated, and list any extenuating circumstances that should be considered. A student wishing to appeal the decision of the Director may do so, in writing, to the Financial Aid Internal Review (FAIR) Committee. A student wishing to appeal the decision of the FAIR Committee may do so, in writing, to the Associate Vice President for Enrollment Services. An appeal of the Associate Vice President for Enrollment Services may be submitted in writing to the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs. The decision of the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs may be appealed to the President of the College who has final authority on the campus.

All appeals are to be submitted through the Director of Student Financial Aid and must be submitted to the appropriate authority within five (5) school days or seven (7) calendar days after suspension from financial aid.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

To receive consideration for aid, please submit:

1. A Georgia College Financial Aid application which is available from the Financial Aid Office.
2. A copy of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) must be submitted to P.O. Box 4032, Iowa City, IA, 52243. The FAFSA may be obtained from a secondary school or the Georgia College Financial Aid Office located in Parks Hall.
3. If a transfer student, a Financial Aid Transcript from each postsecondary school attended whether financial aid was received or not. Contact the Financial Aid Office at the school attended for details.
4. Other forms and documents as requested.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. To be considered for student financial aid you must:
 - A) be a United States citizen or permanent resident of the United States, and
 - B) have been accepted for admission and classified as a degree-seeker at Georgia College by the Office of Enrollment Services; or be currently enrolled in an approved degree seeking program; and
 - C) be making progress toward the completion of your course of study according to the "Academic Requirements for Receiving Financial Aid"; and
 - D) not be in default on any loan and have not borrowed in excess of loan limits under the Title IV programs at any institution; and
 - E) not owe a refund on any grant received under the Title IV programs at any institution.
Exception:(Applicable to SL, PLUS, and Loans only). A non-degree seeker may be eligible for a loan under one or more of these programs if (s)he is enrolled or accepted for enrollment as at least a half-time student in a program that is necessary for either a professional credential or certification from a state if that credential or certification is required for employment in that state as an elementary or secondary school teacher.
2. Many loan programs require special applications. Contact the Financial Aid Office for details.
3. First consideration will be given to those students whose file is complete by 15 April.

SCHOLARSHIPS

HOPE TEACHERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The HOPE Teacher Scholarship Program provides forgivable loans to the individuals seeking advanced education degrees in critical fields of study. Students must be accepted into graduate school and into an advanced teacher certification program. The amount of the scholarship is up to \$10,000. Students earn their award by teaching in a Georgia public school after graduation.

Applications may be obtained from the Financial Aid Office.

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

Some scholarships for graduate students available through the Alumni Association, are listed in a booklet of all Georgia College Scholarships, Awards, and Grants published by the Financial Aid Office, 103 Parks Hall.

LOANS

FEDERAL PERKINS LOANS

The College participates in the Federal Perkins Loan Program. Students in need of assistance to meet educational expenses are eligible to receive consideration for the loan.

The aggregate maximum loan amount a graduate or professional student may borrow is \$18,000, including loans borrowed for undergraduate study.

Repayment begins nine months after the student graduates or leaves school. The student may be allowed up to ten years to repay the loan. During the repayment period, the student will be charged 5% simple interest on the unpaid balance of the loan principal. The minimum monthly payment is \$40.

Students who complete the Georgia College application process are considered for this loan.

FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOANS (SUBSIDIZED)

These federally-sponsored, Title IV loans, which are now need-based, are arranged through Georgia College from the U.S. Department of Education. For a qualified student, the federal government pays the interest until the student ceases enrollment as at least a half-time student.

The amount a student can borrow will vary, depending upon the student's demonstrated financial need. The maximum amount in any academic year may not exceed \$8,500. The aggregate guaranteed unpaid principal amount of all FSL loans made to a graduate or professional student may not exceed \$65,500, including loans made for undergraduate study.

To apply, the student must complete the College's application procedure and a special loan application which is available from your local lender or the Georgia College Financial Aid Office.

FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOANS (UNSUBSIDIZED)

Students, regardless of income, may borrow from this program. The unsubsidized loan's terms and conditions are the same as the Federal Stafford (Subsidized) Loan, such as loan limits, deferments and interest rates. Students are charged with interest while in school and during grace periods.

FEDERAL DIRECT PLUS LOANS

The Federal Direct PLUS program provides Title IV educational loans to parents on behalf of their dependent graduate or professional student. The maximum amount a parent may borrow on behalf of each student is the average cost of attendance less any financial aid awarded per academic year. Students must have a complete financial aid file to apply for this loan.

Repayment begins within 60 days of receiving the loan. The parent makes arrangements with the lender to begin installment payments, including interest at a rate not to exceed 10% per year.

Applications are available from the Georgia College Financial Aid Office.

STATE DIRECT STUDENT LOANS

Under the State Direct Student Loan program, students may be eligible to borrow funds that are either repaid in cash or are service-cancelable.

As a lender in the Georgia Federal Stafford Loan program the Georgia Student Finance Authority (GSFA) makes interest subsidized loans to students that are subject to the same eligibility, interest and repayment as other student loans made by commercial lenders and guaranteed by the Georgia Higher Education Assistance Corporation.

In addition, the GSFA makes loans which can be cancelled through service to students preparing for professions in which there is a critical manpower shortage in Georgia. Applicants who are preparing for careers in certain teaching and health fields and members of the Georgia National Guard may be eligible to borrow funds and to have a portion or all of these loans cancelled by service.

Additional details and applications are available from the Georgia College Financial Aid Office or the Georgia Student Finance Authority, 2082 East Exchange Place, Suite 200, Tucker, GA 30084.

SPECIAL LOAN FUNDS

Additional funds which have been established to be administered by the college as educational loans are:

Philo Sherman Bennett Loan Fund
Jane Coleman Allen Daughtry Loan Fund
Eleanore C. Hess Nursing Loan Fund
Antoinette Smith Jenkins Loan Fund
Thomaston Mills Loan Fund
Charles D. Moore Loan Fund
Morel Fund
Sylvester Mumford Fund
Alice Walker Shinholser Memorial Funds 1 and 2
Joseph M. Terrell Loan Fund
Fannie Trammell D.A.R. Fund

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

Approximately twenty percent of the College's students hold part-time jobs on campus. Students fill a variety of positions in administrative offices, departmental offices, the library, science laboratories, residence halls and elsewhere.

FEDERAL WORK-STUDY PROGRAM

The Federal Work-Study program provides jobs for students who show financial need and who must earn funds to pay for part of their educational expenses. Most positions are located on-campus, but there are some off-campus positions available involving community service at non-profit organizations.

In general, a student earns at least the current minimum wage. Students in this program may work up to 20 hours a week while classes are in session and 40 hours a week during vacation periods.

Students who complete the financial aid application process are considered for this program.

GEORGIA COLLEGE STUDENT EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

The Georgia College Student Employment Program provides additional opportunities for students to secure campus employment. While financial need is often not a factor, earnings under this program could affect other aid received.

Students are interviewed and hired by the various administrative offices, departmental offices, and others at the College.

REFUND POLICY AND PROCEDURES

Financial Aid Refunds and Repayments

Students who are entitled to a refund for withdrawal and are receiving student financial aid are subject to having all or part of the refund returned to the appropriate financial aid programs. After the Financial Aid Office is notified by the Fiscal Services Office of the refund amount, accounts are credited according to the following distribution policy:

- 1) Unsubsidized Direct Loan
- 2) Subsidized Direct Loan
- 3) Direct Plus Loan
- 4) Federal Perkins Loan
- 5) HOPE Teacher Scholarship

Loan programs include only the amount attributable to the payment period of withdrawal.

If more aid is received than could have reasonably been spent for non-institutional costs during the portion of time of enrollment, students may be subject to repayment. The amount of repayment, if any, is determined on a prorated basis by the number of days following distribution policy:

- 1) Federal Perkins Loan
- 2) HOPE Teacher Scholarship
- 3) Institutional Scholarships
- 4) Non-Institutional Scholarships

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

A limited number of graduate assistantships are offered through the departments which have graduate degree programs. Recipients provide educationally beneficial assistance to the department which awards the assistantship. Duties must be relevant to the student's major field of study and shall be of academic value.

Applications for graduate assistantships should be directed to the school dean or director. Approval is granted by the Dean of the Graduate School upon recommendation of the school dean or director.

Graduate assistants will be required to work between fifteen and twenty hours per week. Course loads for graduate assistants must be at least five hours per quarter.

A graduate assistant must have been approved for regular admission to a graduate program and have at least a 3.0 GPA on any graduate courses taken at Georgia College. To continue an assistantship, the graduate student must maintain academic good standing, except that if a student's grade point average falls below 3.0 (academic warning) that student will have one quarter to improve and return to academic good standing before termination of the assistantship. Should a student fail to return to good standing after one quarter, or should a student receive academic exclusion and be dismissed from the degree program, the assistantship will be terminated at once.

REGENTS OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS

The Regents Opportunity Scholarships offer stipends of \$2500 per academic year to selected economically disadvantaged students entering a full-time graduate program of Georgia College. For eligibility, an applicant must be a resident of Georgia and must maintain good standing. The scholarships are renewable and priority is given to previous recipients who continue to meet eligibility requirements. Persons interested are encouraged to contact the Dean of the Graduate School and Research Services, 3920 Arkwright Road, Suite 160, Macon, GA 31210.

SENIOR ARMY ROTC

The mission of the United States Army Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) program is to attract, motivate and prepare selected students with high potential to receive a commission in the United States Army Reserve. In addition to providing the courses required to earn a commission through the ROTC program, military science instruction and associated activities have the aim for all students of developing leadership and managerial potential, providing an understanding of the requirements and organization for national security, and instilling a strong sense of personal integrity and individual responsibility.

Selected students may enter the two-year Senior Army ROTC program available to Georgia College. Qualified applicants may receive \$150 per month for up to twenty (20) months or a maximum of \$3000. Additionally, students receive approximately \$750 for a six week leadership practicum taught during the summer at a major military installation.

Additional information and applications can be obtained by calling collect (912) 453-4737 or writing Georgia College, Army ROTC Opportunities, Box 2395, Milledgeville, GA 31061.

VETERANS SERVICES

In addition to the regular benefits, veterans can obtain financial aid in the form of work-study. For further information, contact the Veterans Administration Regional Office, 730 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, GA. 30365. The Veterans Secretary in Parks Hall is available to assist you.

STUDENT LIFE

Student life at Georgia College offers students a wide range of opportunities to become involved in college programs, services and activities. Learning that takes place outside the classroom is an integral part of personal and educational development.

THE DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

The educational mission of Georgia College is the advancement of student learning both within and outside the classroom. The persons and offices which comprise the Division of Student Affairs contribute to this mission by providing programs and services which support curricular or classroom learning, by taking leadership in the development of significant cocurricular or non-classroom experiences, and by contributing to an enriched sense of campus community.

The Division of Student Affairs supports the educational purposes of Georgia College and promotes personal growth and development for students. This Division is committed to helping students meet their full potential through providing co-curricular experiences that complement the College's academic experiences. In order to help students progress toward their educational and career goals, a number of student services, programs and activities are provided by the Student Affairs Office which is responsible for leadership, management and supervision of the operations of all departments within the Division. Counseling services, health services, intramural-recreational programs, athletics, multicultural student affairs, residence life, student activities, and student support services are coordinated by this office.

The Student Affairs Office administers the College's disciplinary code of rights, responsibilities and conduct and assures due process procedures for students accused of misbehavior. The College's disciplinary policy is administered by the Vice President/Dean of Students. The Office represents student interests and concerns to the faculty, staff and administration of Georgia College.

COUNSELING SERVICES

Georgia College provides a full range of counseling services free of charge to all Georgia College students and limited services to faculty and staff. Services are designed to help students adjust to the college, understand themselves and others, and plan life goals. Personal counseling is available to help individuals deal with the stress and concerns that college students experience. Career counseling and educational counseling on such matters as study skills, time management and academic requirements are also available. Confidentiality is maintained, and test or interview results are released only by authorization of the student. Services to faculty and staff include consultation, presentation to classes and crisis intervention.

Information is provided to assist individuals in assessing life interests. Group experiences, workshops, and seminars are offered to help students develop goals and achieve skills.

STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

The purpose of the Student Health Services is to provide for the maintenance of good health. Students eligible for treatment must complete a medical history questionnaire including an appropriate record of immunizations prior to Georgia College registration.

Outpatient medical care for the treatment of minor illnesses and accident related injuries is available at the Health Service facility on campus for students taking more than 5 hours. Referrals are made to the local Oconee Regional Medical Center Emergency Room or consultant specialists for more serious problems. In cases of a serious illness or accidents, parents or guardians will be notified with the student's permission.

The College Nurse Practitioners hold daily clinics Monday through Friday. Other staff members include licensed nurses and a part-time pharmacist.

The Health Services Office promotes the "Wellness Concept" as an educational process and lifestyle for students. Health education information, designed to have a positive influence on students' health, behavior, and manner, is provided through the office.

INTRAMURAL AND RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS

The office of Intramural and Recreational Programs is twofold: to provide students with recreation opportunities and to enhance their development outside the classroom. The Intramural Office provides team as well as individual sports. Included also is the chance to compete in Intramural Sports events at a state level.

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

A key element in furthering a sense of community at Georgia College is the athletic program. Annually, 140 men and women compete in nine intercollegiate varsity teams. In addition, students participate in extramural fencing, water skiing, bowling, soccer, and rugby teams.

MULTICULTURAL STUDENT AFFAIRS

The Office of Multicultural Student Affairs helps minority students to resolve academic, personal or career concerns through direct assistance or referral. The Office helps new students identify and use the student services provided by the College, consults with minority student groups and organizations, and works for a better understanding of minority student culture and heritage. It sponsors intercultural associations, minority student programs, and events.

RESIDENCE LIFE

The goal of the Office of Residence Life is to provide a positive living-learning environment. Georgia College provides eight residence halls for student occupancy on campus. Rooms are assigned using a priority system based on date of application and payment of a deposit. A meal plan is required of all students who live in the residence halls. Students interested in information on residence hall living and/or a room reservation should contact the Director of Residence Life. Information and guidelines for living in the residence hall will be distributed to students upon check-in.

Only regularly enrolled students may live in the residence halls. When accepting a room assignment, the student agrees to abide by the rules and regulations established by the College, including carrying at least ten hours each quarter. Exceptions to the ten hour minimum requirement may be granted through the Office of Residence Life.

Each residence hall is staffed by a Resident Director. All residence halls have at least one student on each floor who serves as the Residence Adviser (R.A.). The R.A. represents the Office of Residence Life and is available to provide assistance, to develop a community atmosphere and to insure that the rights of all students are respected.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

The Student Activities Office in Maxwell College Union coordinates and supervises student organizations. The office helps to schedule social, recreational, cultural, and entertainment activities. An information desk, gameroom, lounge, and conference room are supervised by the Student Activities Office.

Georgia College students may participate in a variety of activities, including concerts, drama productions, comedians, intramurals, movies, clubs sports, special interest groups, academic organizations, honor societies, and Greek organizations. The College provides a number of campus facilities for student use.

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

The Office of Student Support Services provides services to commuters, Greek organizations, disabled students and other special groups.

POLICY FOR ACCESS OF INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

Georgia College is committed to the full and total inclusion of all individuals and to the principle of individual rights and responsibilities. To this end, policies and procedures will ensure that persons with a disability will not, on the basis of that disability, be denied full and equal access to academic and co-curricular programs or activities or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under programs or activities offered by Georgia College.

This policy was developed to ensure equal access at Georgia College for individuals with disabilities and to ensure full compliance with all pertinent federal and state legislation, including Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended by the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1992.

Definitions

For the purpose of clarification, the following terms will have the meanings outlined below:

Auxiliary Aids — includes but is not limited to Brailled and taped material, interpreters, and other aids for persons with impaired cognitive, sensory, motor, or speaking skills.

Modifications — includes but is not limited to the use of auxiliary aids in classroom settings; allowances for time and energy level considerations such as reduced course loads, additional time for taking exams; substitutions of other acceptable assignments, courses, tests, or test formats when necessary to ensure equal access for individuals with disabilities; also includes physical modifications such as ramps, elevators, lifts, curb cuts, etc.

Person with a disability — means any person who has a physical or mental condition which substantially limits one or more major life activities or has a record of such a condition.

Physical disability — means any physical condition, anatomic loss, or cosmetic disfigurement which is caused by bodily injury, birth defect, or illness.

Mental disability — includes (1) developmental disabilities such as mental retardation, autism, or any other neurological conditions; (2) an organic or mental condition that has substantial adverse effects on an individual's cognitive or volitional functions, such as central nervous system disorders; significant discrepancies among mental functions of an individual, including any mental or psychological disorder, such as head injury; emotional or mental illness;

and specific learning disabilities. The term "mental disability" does not include active alcoholism or current drug addiction and does not include any mental condition, disease, or defect that has been successfully asserted by an individual as a defense to any criminal charge.

Major life activities — means functions such as caring for oneself, performing manual tasks, walking, seeing, hearing, speaking, breathing, learning, working, and experiencing leisure.

Has a record of such condition — means has a history of or is regarded as having a mental or physical condition that substantially limits one or more major life activities.

Qualified Person with a Disability —

- (1) with respect to postsecondary services, a person with a disability who meets the academic and technical standards for admission or participation in the education program or activity given appropriate accommodations.
- (2) with respect to any other program or activity, a person with a disability who meets the essential eligibility requirements for participation in, or receipt from, that program or activity given appropriate accommodations.

Programs include but are not limited to:

Academic majors and degree plans, including coursework and practical; research; occupational training; housing; counseling; financial aid; physical education; athletics; recreation; transportation; student organizations; placement; and any other programs offered by the college.

The Board of Regents has established definitions and criteria for documentation of disorders which affect learning. Georgia College will adhere to these definitions as delineated in Section 2.22 of the Academic Affairs Handbook.

Rights and Responsibilities

In order to ensure the full translation of this policy for access of individuals with disabilities into procedures, two important areas of rights and responsibilities have to be considered: (a) the right of the individual with a disability to be included on the basis of criteria that do not unfairly discriminate because of the disability and (b) the right of the college to set and maintain standards for admitting and evaluating the progress of students.

To assure full consideration of both areas, this document outlines the rights and responsibilities of the college and the rights and responsibilities of students who have disabilities. The procedures that follow create a mechanism for dispute resolution for those instances in which the usual channels have not resulted in decisions that are acceptable to both the individual and the college's decision making authorities.

Rights and Responsibilities of the College

Georgia College recognizes that its basic responsibility is to identify and maintain the academic and technical standards that are fundamental to providing quality academic programs while ensuring the rights of individuals with disabilities. To meet this obligation, Georgia College recognizes the following rights and responsibilities:

Rights;

has the right to identify and establish the abilities, skills, and knowledge necessary for success in its programs and to evaluate applicants and students on this basis;

has the right to identify and establish the abilities, skills, and knowledge that are fundamental to academic programs/courses and to evaluate each student's performance against these standards. Fundamental program and course standards are not subject to modifications;

has the right to request and receive documentation that supports request for modifications. The college has the right to deny a request if the documentation demonstrates that no modification is necessary, or if the individual fails to provide such documentation.

has the right to select among equally effective modifications for individuals with a disability;

has the right to refuse an unreasonable modification or one that imposes an undue hardship on the college.

Responsibility;

has the responsibility to ensure that its recruitment information and activities are available in accessible formats and facilities;

has the responsibility to evaluate applicants based solely on their abilities and qualifications. If an evaluation method of criterion unfairly discriminates against an applicant with a disability, the college will seek reasonable alternatives.

has the responsibility to ensure that all of its academic programs are accessible and usable;

has the responsibility to select and administer tests used to evaluate students so as to best ensure that test results accurately reflect aptitudes or competencies and do not discriminate against an individual with a disability. Tests designed to measure specific skills related to fundamental/essential course goals are allowable even when those skills are impacted by the disability.

has the responsibility to adjust, substitute or waive any academic requirements within Regents' policy that unfairly discriminates against student with a disability and that are not essential to the integrity of the student's academic program;

has the responsibility to make reasonable modifications for a student with a disability in the delivery, instructional method, and evaluation system of a course;

has the responsibility to inform its applicants and students about the availability of auxiliary aids and the range of possible modifications as well as the procedures for requesting them. If a request for modification is denied, Georgia College has the responsibility to inform the individual of his or her right to appeal the decision and the procedures for initiating an appeal.

Rights and Responsibilities of Individuals with Disabilities

An individual with a disability has a right to an equal opportunity to participate in and benefit from programs offered at Georgia College. To ensure this right, individuals with disabilities at Georgia College must identify themselves as disabled to Dr. Craig Smith, Chair, Georgia College Committee On Learning Accommodations.

Rights of individuals with disabilities;

have the right to an equal opportunity to learn. They have a right to reasonable modifications in aspects of their educational experiences such as location, delivery system, or instructional methodologies that limit access, participation, or ability to benefit.

have the right to an equal opportunity to participate in a benefit from the academic community. This includes access to services and co-curricular activities when reviewed in their entirety, that are comparable to those provided any other student;

have the right to confidentiality of all information and have the right to choose to whom information about their disabilities will be disclosed;

have the right to information regarding the availability of auxiliary aids and possible modifications as well as procedures for making requests for either;

have the right to be informed of procedures for initiating an appeal of a decision by the institution regarding auxiliary aids or modifications;

have the right to be informed of procedures for initiating further appeal of an institutional decision through external channels. This typically would be done through filing a complaint with the Office of Civil Rights or filing a case through the civil court system.

Responsibilities of individuals with disabilities;

have the same responsibility as any other student to meet and maintain the institutions academic standards;

have the responsibility to advocate for their own individual needs and to seek information, counsel, and assistance as necessary to be effective self advocates;

have the responsibility to demonstrate or document how their disabilities limit their ability to benefit from a particular delivery system, instructional method, or evaluation criteria when they make a request for modification. The individual must provide documentation from an appropriate professional as required by Regents Policy.

have the responsibility to follow published procedures for making such requests and to do so in a timely fashion;

have the responsibility to follow published procedures for filing an appeal.

Procedures for Access

Admissions

Admission to Georgia College is based on the requirements outlined in the college catalog. Admissions decisions are made to ensure that applicants with disabilities will not be subjected to discrimination in admissions on the basis of their disability. A prospective student who needs a modification in the admissions process should document such need when the application is requested or submitted. For those individuals who choose to identify their disabilities in the admissions process, the Admissions Office will provide assistance and accessible admissions material upon request.

Auxiliary Aids of a Long-Term or Permanent Nature

Georgia College seeks to ensure that individuals with disabilities who can meet the academic and technical standards for admission are not excluded from full participation in the programs the college operates because of the absence of necessary auxiliary aids or reasonable modifications.

Students with disabilities are expected to exercise initiative in identifying and obtaining auxiliary aids and assistance through every reasonable channel available to them. The primary role of the college in this effort should be informative/supportive of active self-advocacy on the part of the student. The coordinator of services for individuals with disabilities will serve as a resource in this process. The college has a responsibility to determine the necessity of aids and ensure that students are not denied the right to participate in programs, benefits, classes, or services because of the absence of reasonable and appropriate auxiliary aids that would make participation possible.

Students who believe they will need auxiliary aids to participate fully in the activities inherent in their programs at Georgia College should make those needs known as early as possible, preferably as soon as they have been admitted or determined to have a disability. These requests should be made through direct contact with the Chairman, Georgia College Committee On Learning Accommodations. To expedite the process, requests should be accompanied by a written evaluation of the student's disability. For students with learning disabilities (LD) or Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), this documentation must meet the criteria established by the Georgia Board of Regents.

Course Modifications and Substitutions

All students are expected to meet the essential requirements of their programs. Requests for course modifications and substitutions will be decided on a case-by-case basis. Students should report to Dr. Craig Smith, Chairman, Georgia College Committee On Learning Accommodations, to obtain procedures for requesting modifications and substitutions.

Course Modifications

When the ADA supports course modifications, the Chairman of the Georgia College Committee On Learning Accommodations will confer with the student to determine individualized modifications according to the student's specific disabilities and course requirements. Such modifications may require changes in the distribution and presentation of course material and in the evaluation of academic performance. The student will meet with the instructor to discuss implementation of the modifications. The Academic Adviser will assist as needed.

Course Substitutions

Courses may be substituted when the documentation supports a determination that the disability precludes learning a specific subject, that modifications would most likely be futile, and that the course is determined not to be essential to the student's program of study. The student, in consultation with the approved adviser, will select substitute courses from the approved list of courses or may petition the dean for approval of alternative substitutes. In the absence of an approved list, the degree granting unit will provide a list of acceptable substitutions.

Appeals Process

Georgia College recognizes both the wide variation in the needs of students with disabilities and the variation in course contexts as students progress through their programs. When needs arise, the Chairman of the Georgia College Committee on Learning Accommodations will, at the request of students, faculty, or staff, review the process by which the current modifications were determined and seek to revise the modifications. The dissatisfied party may file an appeal.

Basis for Appeal

Students may appeal on one of the following bases:

- (1) The access plan does not represent a reasonable accommodation of their disability. The basis for such an appeal should be that their disability, in the absence of the requested alternatives or additional modifications, limits their full participation or their accurate evaluation in a specific activity, service, program, or course. The appeal must include a rationale for the requested additions or alternatives.
- (2) A particular course or requirement is not essential to the integrity of the program of instruction being pursued. The basis for such an appeal should be that their disability, in the absence of the requested substitution, limits their full participation in the academic program. The appeal must include a rationale for the requested substitution.

Faculty/Department Heads/Program Coordinators may appeal a student's access plan on the grounds that the modifications represent a fundamental alteration in a course, program, or service.

Filing Appeals

Students and instructors should make every effort to work together to implement modifications determined to be reasonable and appropriate.

Appeals should be directed to:

Dr. Craig Smith
 Chairman, Georgia College Committee on Learning Accommodations
 Kilpatrick Education Center, Room 217

WELLNESS SERVICES

Georgia College's Wellness Services provides students, faculty and staff with numerous educational activities and opportunities for lifestyle enhancement. Information and resources are available in the areas of physical, emotional, social, spiritual, and environmental health. Seminars and workshops are offered on a range of wellness topics such as sexual choices, fitness, smoking cessation, and alcohol awareness. Individual health counseling is also offered through the offices of Counseling Services and Health Services.

STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Students are expected, under all circumstances, to show a proper respect for law and order, care of property, rights of others, and a sense of personal honor and integrity as is required of good citizens. Students are expected to conduct themselves in a manner becoming a college student. Unacceptable behavior includes but is not limited to the possession or use of illegal drugs, the abuse or immature use of alcoholic beverages, and the obstruction or disruption of teaching, research, administrative, disciplinary, public service, or other authorized college activities or functions. All students are further expected to know and observe the regulations for resident living.

Students who disregard the expectations placed upon them as good citizens subject themselves to the disciplinary process. Georgia College has a policy on the standards and procedures for student nonacademic discipline. The policy acknowledges both the need to preserve the orderly processes of the College with regard to its teaching, research, and public service missions, as well as the need to observe the student's rights. While the rules and regulations of Georgia College are not meant to duplicate general laws, there are some respects in which the lawful interests of the institution as an academic community coincide with the broader public interests treated in general laws. Students who commit offenses against the laws of municipalities, states, or the United States are subject to prosecution by those authorities and are liable for disciplinary action under Georgia College rules.

Through delegation from the Board of Regents to the President of the College, the Vice President/Dean of Students is the administrative official with primary responsibility for student discipline.

Students accused of misconduct may choose between an Administrative Hearing or a Student Judicial Board hearing. The Administrative Hearing will be one in which the Vice President/Dean of Students hears the case, determines guilt or innocence, and imposes sanctions. The judicial board hearing will be conducted by the Student Judicial Board chaired by a designated Faculty Adviser.

Sanctions against a student adjudged guilty of misconduct could include oral or written reprimands, personal probation, revocation and/or limitation of privileges, restitution, probation, suspension, or expulsion. A student may be temporarily suspended pending final action on the charges if potential harm to self or others is judged to exist. The student shall be afforded an opportunity for a preliminary hearing prior to temporary suspension.

Further, the Vice President/Dean of Students shall have power to impose such temporary sanctions, including suspension, pending a hearing, when a group of students engages in conduct which materially and substantially interferes with the requirements of appropriate discipline in the operation of the College.

IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO OBTAIN AND BE FAMILIAR WITH THE STUDENT HANDBOOK AND THE COLLEGE STUDENT DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES.

GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

ARTS AND SCIENCES

Degree	Program
Master of Arts (M.A.)	History
Master of Science (M.S.)	Biology
Master of Science (M.S.)	Psychology
Master of Science in Logistics System (MS/LS)	Logistics Systems
Master of Science in Administration (MSA/LM)	Logistics Management
Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.)	Public Administration

BUSINESS

Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)	Business Administration
Master of Management Information Systems (M.M.I.S.)	Management Information Systems

EDUCATION

Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Administration and Supervision
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Early Childhood Education (P-4)
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Health and Physical Education (P-12)
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Middle Grades Education (4-8)
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Natural Science Education (Biology) (7-12)
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	Social Science Education (7-12)
Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.)	Secondary Education
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Administration and Supervision
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Early Childhood Education (P-4)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	English Education (7-12)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Health Education
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Health and Physical Education (P-12)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Outdoor Education Administration Track
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Instructional Technology (Library Media)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Instructional Technology—Technology Coordination
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Mathematics Education (7-12)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Middle Grades Education (4-8)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Natural Science Education (Biology) (7-12)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Social Science Education (7-12)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Special Education—Behavior Disorders
Master of Education (M.Ed.)	Special Education—Interrelated Teacher
	Special Education—Learning Disabilities
	Special Education—Mental Retardation

NURSING

Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)
MSN/MBA option

OFFICIAL DISCIPLINE ABBREVIATIONS

ACT	ACCOUNTING	ISC	INFO SYSTEMS AND COMMUNICATIONS
ART	ART		
AST	ASTRONOMY	JPN	JAPANESE
BIO	BIOLOGY	JRN	JOURNALISM
BOA	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION	LAS	LEGAL ASSISTANCE STUDIES
BOT	BOTANY	LEB	BUSINESS LAW
BUA	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	LOG	LOGISTICS
CHE	CHEMISTRY	LSS	LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICES
COM	COMMUNICATIONS	MAT	MATHEMATICS
CRJ	CRIMINAL JUSTICE	MGT	MANAGEMENT
CSC	COMPUTER SCIENCE	MIS	MGT INFORMATION SYSTEMS
DST	DEVELOPMENT STUDIES	MKT	MARKETING
EAS	ADMINISTRATION/SUPERVISION	MSC	MILITARY SCIENCE
ECO	ECONOMICS	MUA	APPLIED MUSIC
EEC	EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	MUE	MUSIC EDUCATION
EEX	SPECIAL EDUCATION	MUP	MUSIC ENSEMBLES
EFS	FOUNDATIONS AND SECONDARY	MUS	MUSIC
EIT	INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY	MUT	MUSIC THERAPY
EMG	MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION	NUR	NURSING
ENG	ENGLISH	PEM	PHYSICAL EDUCATION MAJORS
ENS	ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	PHI	PHILOSOPHY
ERD	READING	PHY	PHYSICS
EXM	EXERCISE SCIENCE	POS	POLITICAL SCIENCE
FIN	BUSINESS FINANCE	PSY	PSYCHOLOGY
FRE	FRENCH	PUA	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
GEO	GEOGRAPHY	REL	RELIGION
GER	GERMAN	SOC	SOCIOLOGY
HEA	HEALTH	SPA	SPANISH
HEM	HEALTH MAJORS	SPE	SPEECH
HIS	HISTORY	THR	THEATRE
HSC	HEALTH SCIENCES	WEL	WELLNESS
HUM	HUMANITIES	WMS	WOMEN'S STUDIES
IGC	GENERAL GEORGIA COLLEGE	ZOO	ZOOLOGY
INS	INTERNATIONAL STUDIES		

INTERNATIONAL SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

Assistant Vice President for International Education

The Office promotes the internationalization of the curriculum campus-wide through directing the International Studies Minor and the Core international studies course, organizing international lecture series, coordinating visits by foreign scholars and visits abroad by Georgia College faculty, coordinating the advisement of international students, and advising students on study abroad opportunities through Georgia College and other institutions.

GOALS

Internationalizing the curriculum at Georgia College is a process directed toward:

- a) Promoting a comprehension of global "interdependence" among students and faculty by incorporating international dimensions into existing courses within each academic school;
- b) Developing broad, interdisciplinary courses which transcend traditional departmental/school barriers while inculcating technological, economic and multi-cultural aspects implicit in the new global consciousness;
- c) Utilizing international students, visiting faculty, consulate personnel, etc.—their knowledge, skills, diverse backgrounds—so as to sensitize the Georgia College community to the importance of intercultural differences;
- d) Encouraging students to acquire competence in foreign language skills;
- e) Facilitating student participation in study abroad programs;
- f) Facilitating faculty participation in academic exchange programs abroad.

STUDY ABROAD

Studying abroad enables students to increase knowledge of a foreign language, provides the opportunity to gain insight into and appreciation for the cultures and institutions of other peoples, facilitates the development of relevant career skills, and contributes to personal maturity, a sense of independence, self-knowledge, and confidence.

ACADEMIC YEAR ABROAD

Georgia College recognizes the importance of spending a longer period abroad and has developed a program which enables students to study abroad for one or for part of one academic year while earning academic credit in their major field. Georgia College Degree Candidates may take part of their major curriculum abroad depending on subject field, after completion of the core curriculum. Criteria considered in selecting participants include grade point average, recommendations, and prerequisites completed. For further information contact the International Services and Programs Office, 103 Lanier Hall, telephone (912) 453-4789.

Academic Year Abroad is currently offered at these institutions:

Universidad de Valladolid, Spain

Curtin University, Perth, Australia

Facultés Universitaires Catholiques de Mons, Belgium
Université de Liège, Belgium

De Montfort University, Leicester, England
Kingston University, England
Liverpool John Moores University, England
University of Northumbria at Newcastle, England

Université de Reims, Champagne-Ardenne, France
Université des Sciences et Techniques de Lille 1, France

University of Ulster, North Ireland

Universidade Técnica de Lisboa, Portugal

Glasgow Caledonian University, Scotland

UNIVERSITY SYSTEM PROGRAMS AND OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

The International Services and Programs Office provides information on the various study abroad programs offered by institutions of the University System of Georgia. A multitude of opportunities to study abroad while earning academic credit toward completion of degree requirements at their home campus are available to students. Summer study abroad programs are available in Western Europe, the Pacific, Canada, and Mexico, and quarter, semester, and academic year opportunities are available in several countries in Western Europe.

The International Services and Programs Office also houses information on study abroad opportunities offered by various national and international institutions and organizations.

Students may go to the International Services and Programs Office at 103 Lanier Hall or call (912) 453-4789.

FINANCIAL AID/STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIPS

Students in the University System of Georgia who are eligible for financial aid may use that aid to participate in study abroad programs approved by the home institution. A limited number of scholarships are available from Georgia College. Deadline to apply for a study abroad scholarship is in the beginning of February each year. Contact the Financial Aid Office, 103 Parks Hall, telephone (912) 453-5149 for guidelines.

COOPERATION AGREEMENTS WITH FOREIGN INSTITUTIONS

Cooperation Agreements with institutions world-wide facilitate the participation of Georgia College faculty in exchange abroad and the visit of foreign scholars to Georgia College. Georgia College has Cooperation Agreements with institutions in the following countries:

Americas:

Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Federal University of Pernambuco, Brazil

ITESM (Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey) Campus Mazatlán, Mexico

Universidad del Valle de Mexico, Mexico

Asia:

Lanzhou Commercial College, People's Republic of China

International Academy of Pedagogy, Moscow, Russia

Australia:

Curtin University, Perth, Australia

Europe:

Facultés Universitaires Catholiques de Mons, Belgium

Université de Liège, Belgium

De Montfort University, Leicester, England

Kingston University, England

Liverpool John Moores University, England

University of Northumbria at Newcastle, England

Université de Reims, Champagne-Ardenne, France

Université des Sciences et Techniques de Lille 1, France

University of Ulster, North Ireland

Universidade Técnica de Lisboa, Portugal

Glasgow Caledonian University, Scotland

Universidad de Valladolid, Spain

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES

The Office provides information and counseling to international students on immigration regulations and procedures, medical insurance, housing, financial assistance, taxes, adjustment to life in the U.S. and academic concerns. The Office advises the International Club and organizes community and campus activities such as International Week, the International Dinner, the International Community Friend program, and International Student Orientation.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE STUDENTS

International students who will attend Georgia College under the terms of an exchange agreement between their home institution and Georgia College will be admitted according to the understandings specified in each agreement. Students should contact their home institution's exchange coordinator or the Office of International Services and Programs at Georgia College for specific guidelines.

INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE INTERNSHIPS

A limited number of international graduate internships are offered through the Graduate School by the schools/departments which have graduate degree programs, as well as through a limited number of administrative offices. Recipients provide educationally beneficial assistance to the schools and administrative offices to internationalize the curriculum, campus, and community. The interns work with faculty, staff, and native students on special projects designed to carry out this goal.

To be approved for an international graduate internship a student must be an international student, be approved for regular admission to a graduate program, and maintain academic

good standing. If a student's grade point average falls below 3.0 (academic warning), that student will have one quarter to improve and return to good standing before the termination of the internship.

International graduate interns are required to work ten hours per week when school is in session. Course loads for international graduate interns are at least ten hours per quarter and not more than fifteen hours per quarter. The interns will have all out-of-state fees waived; however, the usual in-state matriculation fees will be imposed.

Applications for international graduate internships should be directed to the Office of International Services and Programs, Georgia College, Box 049, Milledgeville, GA 31061. Approval is granted by the Dean of the Graduate School upon recommendation of the Assistant Vice President for Office of International Education.

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Bernie L. Patterson, Dean
Mae M. Carpenter, Assistant Dean

The graduate programs of the School of Arts and Sciences allow students who have completed an undergraduate degree to pursue further study in the areas of History, Public Administration, Logistics, Biology and Psychology. In addition the School offers a number of courses which serve students seeking graduate degrees in Education. Graduate programs of the School are offered on the residential campus in Milledgeville, in Macon at the Macon Campus, and in Warner Robins at the Robins Graduate Center and the Logistics Education Center. Financial assistance for graduate study is available; interested students should contact the degree program coordinator.

MASTER OF ARTS IN HISTORY

Frank B. Vinson, Coordinator

MISSION

The Master of Arts degree in history prepares students for further historical study and for a variety of occupations, including teaching, journalism, library work, and government service. The academic program consists of 45 quarter hours with a thesis or 60 hours without the thesis.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for admission to the program leading to the Master of Arts degree in history must comply with the general requirements of the University System and the college as described earlier in this catalog. Applicant must:

1. Hold a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution with a major in history. A person with a major in another field, but with substantial work in history, may be admitted.
2. Have an undergraduate cumulative grade average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
3. Applicants for regular admission to the MA History program must submit scores from the general test of the Graduate Record Examination or the MAT Examination. To be granted regular status, the applicant must score a minimum of 1200 on the GRE History MA formula or a minimum of 70 on the MAT History formula. The formulas are: "GRE verbal score + GRE quantitative or analytical score + (100 times the undergraduate grade point average) = 1200 or MAT score + 10 times the undergraduate grade point average = 70."
4. Give reasonable assurance of ability to satisfy the foreign language requirement (see "Language Requirement").

The complete application, including all supporting papers, should be filed with the Office of Enrollment Services not later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter in which the applicant proposes to begin graduate study. Applicants will be given a prompt decision upon receipt of necessary materials. Regular admission which includes Admission to Candidacy is granted upon recommendations of the degree program coordinator of the Department of History and Geography. Prospective applicants should consult in person or by mail, with

the coordinator of the Department of History and Geography prior to filing an application. A student may enter the program any quarter.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Applicants who fail to meet one of the requirements for regular admission may be granted provisional status. Provisional students who take 20 hours of graduate history courses with no grades less than a B will be granted regular status. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the graduate coordinator for the degree program in which the student is seeking admission.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The Master of Arts degree in history is offered under two plans: Plan A, with a thesis and 45 hours of graduate work in history, and Plan B, without a thesis and 60 hours of graduate work of which at least 45 must be in history. Two fields of concentration are offered: the United States and Europe. Graduate instruction in other fields is also offered. A program of graduate study based upon the programs described below subject to schedule availability, student interest, and adviser approval will be completed when a student is admitted as a regular student in the program. Students hoping to pursue further study elsewhere toward the Ph.D. degree should follow Plan A. One five-hour graduate-level political science or geography course may be substituted for one optional history course.

M.A., HISTORY (Thesis Option)

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| I. REQUIRED COURSES | 5 |
| HIS 600 Historical Methods and Interpretations | |
| II. ADVANCED CURRICULUM | 10 |
| Ten hours should be selected from the following: | |
| HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History | |
| HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History | |
| HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History | |
| III. MAJOR AREA | 30 |
| Select at least 30 hours from the following: | |
| HIS 503 Classical Greece | |
| HIS 504 Classical Rome | |
| HIS 506 The Middle Ages | |
| HIS 507 Colonial and Revolutionary America | |

- HIS 508 The Age of Jefferson
- HIS 511 Modern Europe
- HIS 513 Modern English Social History
- HIS 514 Tudor-Stuart England
- HIS 515 The Renaissance and Reformation
- HIS 517 Soviet Russia
- HIS 518 Age of Absolutism
- HIS 519 The French Revolution and Napoleon
- HIS 520 The American Civil War
- HIS 522 The Ante-Bellum South
- HIS 529 Hitler and Nazi Germany
- HIS 530 The South Since Reconstruction
- HIS 532 Georgia: Colony and State
- HIS 544 Religion in American History
- HIS 545 Topics in American Social History
- HIS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- HIS 556 The Vietnam War (See POS 556)
- HIS 560 Modern Middle East
- *HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History
- *HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History
- *HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History
- HIS 68E Independent Study

*If not taken in Area II listed above

IV. THESIS	15
HIS 65E-Q Thesis Research	

Minimum Hours **60**

M.A., HISTORY (Non-Thesis)

I. REQUIRED COURSES	5
HIS 600 Historical Methods and Interpretations	
II. ADVANCED CURRICULUM	10

Ten hours should be selected from the following:

- HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History
- HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History
- HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History

III. MAJOR AREA	45
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Select at least 45 hours from the following:

- HIS 503 Classical Greece
- HIS 504 Classical Rome
- HIS 506 The Middle Ages
- HIS 507 Colonial and Revolutionary America
- HIS 508 The Age of Jefferson
- HIS 511 Modern Europe
- HIS 513 Modern English Social History
- HIS 514 Tudor-Stuart England
- HIS 515 The Renaissance and Reformation
- HIS 517 Soviet Russia
- HIS 518 Age of Absolutism
- HIS 519 The French Revolution and Napoleon
- HIS 520 The American Civil War
- HIS 522 The Ante-Bellum South

- HIS 529 Hitler and Nazi Germany
- HIS 530 The South Since Reconstruction
- HIS 532 Georgia: Colony and State
- HIS 544 Religion in American History
- HIS 544 Religion in American History
- HIS 545 Topics in American Social History
- HIS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- HIS 556 The Vietnam War, (See POS 556)
- HIS 560 Modern Middle East
- *HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History
- *HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History
- *HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History
- HIS 68E Independent Study

*If not taken in Area II listed above

Minimum Hours **60**

CAREER INFORMATION

The Master of Arts degree in history prepares students for further study elsewhere toward the Ph.D. degree; for teaching in junior colleges; for work in historical societies, archives, museums, and state and national parks and historical monuments; for journalism and other types of professional writing such as newspapers, magazines, fiction, and non-fiction; for library work as a subject-field accompaniment to a professional library degree; and for government service, including the Federal Foreign Service, upon passing the appropriate entrance examination. Individuals who already hold a professional teaching certificate and who choose Plan B (without thesis) may use the elective courses to fulfill requirements for the NT-5 Certificate. Further details may be obtained from the degree program coordinator.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

A reading knowledge of one modern foreign language, ordinarily French, German, or Spanish, must be demonstrated. With consent of the chairperson of the department another language or, if concentrating in history of an English-speaking area, an appropriate course in statistics or computer science with a grade of at least B, may be substituted. A reading knowledge may be demonstrated in either of two ways:

1. By having completed, not more than four years prior to admission to graduate study, the fourth course or higher of a language with a grade of at least B.
2. By an examination, either standardized or local at the option of the student, administered by the Department of Modern Foreign Languages of the college. The local examination consists of two parts: (a) writing a satisfactory translation, with the aid of a dictionary, of a relatively brief passage from a previously unseen work in the field of history, and (b) writing a satisfactory general summary in English, with the aid of a dictionary, of a longer passage from a previously unseen work in the field of history, and satisfactorily answering oral questions on the passage.

The examination may be taken a maximum of three times in any one language. The student should make arrangements for taking the examination directly with the chairperson of the Department of Modern Foreign Languages.

THESIS

Students following Plan A will submit a thesis in an acceptable style of historical writing which demonstrates the ability to investigate independently a topic of historical significance. The topic will be selected in consultation with the student's adviser and be approved by the supervisory committee. Style and format will be in conformity with Kate L. Turabian, *A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Theses, and Dissertations* (Phoenix Books, University of Chicago Press). The original and four copies of the completed thesis in unbound form must be submitted to the supervisory committee for critical reading not later than four weeks prior to the date of proposed graduation. After the student has passed the Master's Comprehensive Examination on thesis and course work, the original will be placed in the vault of the college library for safekeeping, and the copies will be bound. The student will be charged a binding fee. One copy will be returned to the student and the others will be distributed to the library (for circulation), the Department of History and Geography, and the thesis supervisor. The student should be registered for HIS 65 E-Q (Thesis Research) in the quarter in which requirements are completed and thesis examination given. The thesis must also be approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

FINAL EXAMINATION

The candidate must pass an oral and/or written Master's Comprehensive Examination covering course work, and thesis if applicable. The examination will be given no later than ten days prior to anticipated graduation, and the candidate should be enrolled in the college at the time. The candidate will be assigned a supervisory committee to serve as the examining committee. A candidate who fails to pass the Master's Comprehensive Examination, may, upon recommendation of the examining committee, repeat the examination, but not earlier than the next quarter. If the candidate fails a second time, no further opportunity to take the examination is permitted.

ADVISEMENT

Upon admission to the program, each student is advised by the chairperson of the Department of History and Geography. The student is also assigned to a supervisory committee as per the Final Examination in the above section. The designated chairperson of the supervisory committee will serve as the student's adviser and thesis director, if applicable, for the final examination.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Inquiries concerning the nature of the program, the availability of given courses, and the availability of graduate assistantships should be sent to the chairperson of the Department of History and Geography.

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Michael F. Digby, Coordinator

MISSION

The purpose of the Master of Public Administration degree program at Georgia College is to offer advanced education in the knowledge, skills, competencies, and perspectives needed for effective, efficient, responsible, and humane public managers. We offer this program at our residential campus in Milledgeville and at our commuter campuses in Macon and Robins Air Force Base. The program provides students a strong generalized public administration education, covering those competencies and perspectives needed by all public managers, and provides students opportunities for concentrated study in specific functional areas.

ACCREDITATION

The Georgia College MPA program is fully accredited by the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (NASPAA).

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Persons seeking admission to the MPA program must hold a baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution and show promise of high quality work at the graduate level. There is no specific undergraduate course of study for admission. However, students demonstrating marginal achievement may be advised to take preparatory course work. Students may begin their programs during any academic quarter. All application materials must be filed with the Office of Enrollment Services. These materials consist of: (1) the application forms; (2) official copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts; (3) official scores from the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). Applicants need only submit scores from the GRE general test, not from a subject test. To be granted regular admission status, the applicant must score 1200 on the MPA admissions formula. The formula is: GRE verbal score + GRE quantitative or analytical score + (100 times undergraduate grade point average). For example, an applicant scoring 450 on the verbal portion and 450 on the quantitative or analytical portion and having a 3.00 GPA would have an admissions formula score of $450 + 450 + (100 \times 3.00) = 1200$.

PROVISIONAL STATUS EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Applicants who score under 1200 on the admissions formula may be granted provisional status. Provisional students who take 20 hours of graduate Public Administration courses with no final course grades less than B will be granted regular status, and those 20 hours can count toward the degree. Earning a final course grade of less than B while in provisional status will cause one to be dismissed from the MPA program. All courses taken in provisional status must be approved by the Graduate Coordinator.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures

of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

Students classified as in-service (i.e., working full-time in public sector-related positions) will take a 63-hour program with two major options. The first option consists of 60 hours of regular course work and a 3-hour career assessment project. The second option has 50 hours of regular course work and 13 hours of thesis research, writing, and defense. Detailed guidelines are available from the MPA Graduate Coordinator for both the career assessment option and the thesis option. Pre-service students (i.e., not having held full-time public sector-related employment) who choose the non-thesis option will take 60 hours of regular course work and a 15-hour internship (total of 75 hours); those choosing the thesis option will have 50 hours of regular course work, 13 hours of thesis, and a 15-hour internship (78 hours). The thesis option for in-service and pre-service students is designed for those who have strong research interests and who may want to enter doctoral programs after completion of the MPA.

There is a common base of knowledge which students of public administration should master and which is specified by the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration. The particular educational needs and interests of public administration students, however, can vary. The MPA program offers a core—the basic curriculum—which all students should take. There is some limited flexibility in the advanced curriculum and greater leeway in the concentration and elective areas. Some sequencing of courses may be desirable, but there is no one set arrangement of course scheduling to which all students must adhere. Every student's program must be approved by the MPA Coordinator.

I. BASIC CURRICULUM 20
 Required of all students:

- PUA 538 Government Organization and Administration
- PUA 558 Public Personnel Administration
- PUA 568 Legal Environment of Public Administration
- PUA 578 Public Finance

II. ADVANCED CURRICULUM 15
 Required of all students:

- PUA 601 Policy Making, Implementation, and Evaluation
- PUA 605 Quantitative Techniques in Public Administration

Students choose five hours from:
 PUA 615 Administrative Ethics
 PUA 625 Intergovernmental Relations

III. AREA OF CONCENTRATION 20

A concentration of 20 hours is selected to fit each student's requirements. Individualized programs can be developed. Additional information is available from the Graduate Coordinator. The following are some frequently chosen concentrations:*

- A. Policy Management
- B. General Management Systems
- C. Criminal Justice Administration
- D. Local Government Administration
- E. International Policy

* A variety of courses is available to complete each of these concentrations.

IV. ELECTIVE 5

Each student's program allows for five or more hours of elective course work. Students are allowed substantial flexibility in choosing their elective, with the resources of Georgia College's various graduate programs being generally available. Courses in Public Administration, Political Science, Criminal Justice, Logistics, Sociology, Psychology, Management, and Information Systems may be allowed.

V. CAREER ASSESSMENT PROJECT, THESIS, INTERNSHIP 3-18

PUA 689 Career Assessment Project (3 hours credit)

PUA 696, 697, 699 Thesis Research, Writing, and Defense (13 hours credit)

PUA 69Q Internship (15 hours credit)

Career Assessment Project—This project is required of all in-service students not taking the thesis option during the final quarter of course work. Under the supervision of the instructional faculty, each student demonstrates, both orally and in writing, the relationship among course work taken, present job performance, and future career plans.

Thesis Option—PUA 696 is Thesis Research Design (5 hours); PUA 697 is Thesis Writing and Development (5 hours); and PUA 699 is Thesis Defense (3 hours). Detailed guidelines are available from the Graduate Coordinator.

Internship—An individually structured course involving one quarter of full-time supervised work with a public sector agency. The internship is intended for pre-service students who have had little or no exposure to work in the public sector. Internship hours are in addition to the regular 60-63 hours of MPA course work.

Minimum Hours **63-78**

CAREER INFORMATION

Most students in the MPA program are already employed in the public sector and are interested in the MPA program for reasons of career development and mobility. In-service students come from practically every possible public sector setting and every level of government. Pre-service students will have available to them the information and assistance of the Georgia College Career Services Office. Faculty will work with students in exploring career options. Many students have found their classmates to be valuable sources of networking information. Students should understand, however, that the purpose of graduate education in public administration is to prepare one to be a better public manager. No graduate degree is a guarantee of employment.

A brief sampling of the positions now held by graduates of the Georgia College MPA program would include: city manager, county manager, director of social service agency, director of public works agency, budget officer, personnel officer, grants manager, contracts officer, director of planning agency, management analyst, county sheriff, city police chief, corrections administrator, health care administrator, and higher education administrator. Most MPA graduates work for governmental agencies. A growing number work with not-for-profit agencies that are neither fully public nor private in nature. Some work in private sector settings, especially for companies that have extensive dealings with the public sector.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Prospective students desiring further information may contact the Graduate Coordinator, Department of Government and Sociology, Georgia College, Milledgeville, GA 31061, or telephone at 912-453-4562.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOLOGY

Harold Reed, Coordinator

MISSION

Courses in the Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences are designed to serve general education, to provide a comprehensive view of the life sciences and their relations to human affairs, and to give fundamental training for graduate and professional work. Emphasis is placed upon new developments in the field and the importance of problem solving and the application of knowledge. An understanding and an appreciation for the role of science in the modern world is a goal of the department. Internships and independent studies are encouraged to expand the curriculum available to the students.

The Master of Science degree in biology prepares students for further study such as the Ph.D. degree, for employment as a professional biologist in industry or government agencies, and for teaching in a junior college.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The following admission standards are required for regular admission to the Master of Science program in biology:

1. A Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution.
2. A minimum of 50 quarter hours of undergraduate biological sciences course work.
3. A score of ≥ 3000 , computed as follows: (Undergraduate Grade Point Average \times 500) + Graduate Record Exam Scores (Verbal + Quantitative + Analytical)

The completed application, including all supporting papers, should be filed with the Office of Enrollment Services no later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter in which the applicant proposes to begin the graduate program. Applicants will be given a prompt decision upon the receipt of the necessary materials and the program may be initiated in any quarter. Admission to regular standing which includes admission to candidacy is processed by the Office of Enrollment Services upon the recommendation of the biology department. Prospective applicants should consult in person or by mail the graduate coordinator prior to filing an application.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

1. A Bachelors degree from an accredited institution.
2. A minimum of 35 quarter hours of undergraduate biological sciences course work.
3. A score of ≥ 2500 , computed as follows:(Undergraduate Grade Point Average \times 500) + Graduate Record Exam Scores (Verbal + Quantitative + Analytical)

Students will exit provisional admission status and become regular admission status upon completion of 20 hours of formal Biology Department graduate courses, selected by the Coordinator, with no grade below a B. Receipt of a grade less than B within any of these 20 hours of regular course work will result in dismissal from the program. These courses must be approved, prior to registration, by the Biology Department Graduate Coordinator.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The Master of Science degree in biology is a general degree consisting of 60 hours of graduate work. There are several potential areas of concentration which the student can pursue. However, any area of concentration must be undertaken within one of the two options available. These two are the thesis and non-thesis options. A program of study form **MUST** be completed within one week of registration for classes.

Thesis Option

Specific to the thesis option are the following:

I. REQUIREMENTS 15

BIO 60 E, K, Q, Thesis Research

Final Examination. The final oral examination consists of an oral presentation of thesis research and results as well as a defense of the thesis. This defense will include an oral examination on general knowledge of the field of biology. This examination will be administered by the student's graduate committee and the members of the department. The examination will be administered two weeks after receipt of the defense copies of the thesis. Passing of the defense will be determined by a favorable simple majority vote of the committee members. A failure must be redefended not sooner than the following quarter and not later than one calendar year after the failure. There will be no third defense possible.

II. COURSE WORK 45

Course work for the thesis option will be determined in consultation with the student's graduate advisement committee. Remedial undergraduate course work in biology may be required in addition to graduate level course work. Remedial work will be determined by the graduate advisement committee.

BIO 501 Recent Advances in the Biological Sciences

BIO 503 Vertebrate Zoology

BIO 520 Microbial Physiology

BIO 522 Immunology

BIO 523 Microbiological Techniques

BIO 525 Limnology

BIO 530 Endocrinology

BIO 541 Evolution

BIO 542 Ecology

BIO 543 Molecular Genetics

BIO 569 Freshwater Biology

BIO 570 Biology for Teachers

BIO 67E Special Topics

- BIO 68E Independent Study
- BIO 69E Internship
- BIO 605 Introduction to Scientific Research
- BIO 635 Population Ecology
- BOT 502 Field Botany
- BOT 550 Phycology
- BOT 555 Mycology
- BOT 560 Plant Anatomy
- BOT 570 Plant Physiology
- BOT 585 Advanced Microbiology
- ZOO 503 Vertebrate Zoology
- ZOO 544 Animal Embryology
- ZOO 546 Parasitology
- ZOO 550 Herpetology
- ZOO 555 Mammalogy
- ZOO 560 Biological Psychology I
- ZOO 561 Biological Psychology II
- ZOO 562 Psychopharmacology
- ZOO 565 Vertebrate Paleontology
- ZOO 567 Entomology
- ZOO 665 Selected Topics in Vertebrate Physiology

Minimum Hours **60**

Thesis

Students must successfully complete 15 hours of thesis research which will be supervised by the graduate advisement committee. Style and format used will follow the current Georgia College style guide for thesis preparation and the American Institute of Biological Science style manual. Unbound copies of the thesis must be available to the members of the graduate advisement committee at least two weeks prior to the final oral exam. The thesis must also be approved by the Dean of the Graduate School. Upon successfully completing the oral examination the student will present the required copies of the thesis to the college library and the Department of Biology. The student will be charged a binding fee.

Non-Thesis Option

Specific to the non-thesis option are the following:

I. REQUIREMENTS 10

BIO 605 Introduction to Scientific Research
 BIO 58E Independent Study — Writing a library paper on a subject selected in consultation with the members of the committee. This paper will be submitted and defended not less than two weeks from the date of submission at a time agreeable to the members of the committee.

Final Defense — The defense shall consist of an oral presentation based on the paper, a defense of ideas and concepts presented within the paper and an examination of the student's knowledge of the broad area of biology. The suitability of the defense shall be determined by a favorable vote by a simple majority of the members of the committee. A failure must be redefended not sooner than the following quarter and not later than one calendar year after the failure. There will be no third defense possible.

II. COURSE WORK 50

Course work for the non-thesis option will be determined in consultation with the student's graduate advisement committee. The student's graduate advisement committee shall consist of five members of the Georgia College Graduate Faculty. Remedial undergraduate

course work in biology may be required in addition to graduate level course work. The need for remedial work will be determined by the graduate advisement committee.

BIO 501 Recent Advances in the Biological Sciences
BIO 503 Vertebrate Zoology
BIO 520 Microbial Physiology
BIO 522 Immunology
BIO 523 Microbiological Techniques
BIO 525 Limnology
BIO 530 Endocrinology
BIO 541 Evolution
BIO 542 Ecology
BIO 543 Molecular Genetics
BIO 569 Freshwater Biology
BIO 570 Biology for Teachers
BIO 57E Special Topics
BIO 68E Independent Study
BIO 69E Internship
BIO 605 Introduction to Scientific Research
BIO 635 Population Ecology
BOT 502 Field Botany
BOT 550 Phycology
BOT 555 Mycology
BOT 560 Plant Anatomy
BOT 570 Plant Physiology
BOT 585 Advanced Microbiology
ZOO 503 Vertebrate Zoology
ZOO 544 Animal Embryology
ZOO 546 Parasitology
ZOO 550 Herpetology
ZOO 555 Mammalogy
ZOO 560 Biological Psychology I
ZOO 561 Biological Psychology II
ZOO 562 Psychopharmacology
ZOO 565 Vertebrate Paleontology
ZOO 567 Entomology
ZOO 665 Selected Topics in Vertebrate Physiology

Minimum Hours **60**

Non Thesis

Faculty recommendations concerning the student may include a non-thesis statement.

Language Requirement

There is no language requirement for the M.S. degree in biology.

CAREER INFORMATION

Graduates of the M.S. program have several career track options available to them. They can go into industry, for example, as microbiologists, food and drug technologists, environmentalists, laboratory research technicians; state and federal government positions such as entomologists, pathologists, horticulturists, forest and wildlife conservationists, biologists, environmental health scientists; or graduate and professional careers such as college teaching and research, veterinarians, doctors, dentists and optometrists.

The M.S. degree in biology qualifies graduates for immediate entry into some of these career areas and enables them to enter graduate programs for higher or more professional degrees.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY

David M. Compton, Coordinator

MISSION

The Department of Psychology offers graduate instruction leading to the Master of Science degree in psychology. The degree may be obtained by selecting one of the three tracks available. All three tracks require 60 graduate hours. The tracks are: 1. Applied Psychology, 2. General Theoretical Psychology, and 3. Adventure Therapy. The Applied Psychology track prepares students in the knowledge, theoretical bases, and skills needed to supply psychological services in such fields as professional counseling, mental health, rehabilitation, corrections, psychometry, and social and developmental services. The General Theoretical Psychology track emphasizes the basic principles and methods of experimental psychology, and it prepares the student for further graduate study or research in psychology. The Adventure Therapy track not only prepares students in the knowledge, theoretical bases, and skills needed to supply psychological services, but it emphasizes contemporary experiential therapy. Courses available to non-degree, provisional, and conditional students are limited to the 500 level courses, PSY 615, PSY 648, and PSY 687. APPLICANTS MUST INDICATE THE TRACK TO WHICH THEY ARE APPLYING.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for admission to the program leading to the Master of Science degree in psychology must meet these minimum requirements:

1. Hold a Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution or be assured of receiving the degree before entering the program with a major in psychology. Persons with a Bachelor's degree in a related field must demonstrate competence in psychology either by earning an A in PSY 499 (Advanced General Psychology), an undergraduate course which cannot be applied to graduate degree requirements, or by achieving at least a score of 500 on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) subject test in Psychology.
2. Have successfully completed at least the following psychology courses: introductory, statistics, and experimental with laboratory. (Any deficiency in this requirement may be remedied before admission by completing such work at the undergraduate level at Georgia College.)
3. Attain minimum scores of at least 400 on each subtest (i.e., Verbal, Quantitative, and Analytical) of the Graduate Record Examination. The minimum cumulative undergraduate grade point average is 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

Admission is processed by the Office of Enrollment Services upon recommendation of the department. It is important that all application materials, including official transcripts which list all college-level and graduate-level courses previously taken and all other supporting papers, be received no later than three weeks prior to the date a quarter begins. Applications will usually be processed within 15 days of the deadline date, and the applicant will be informed of the action taken. Applications received later than three weeks prior to registration for a quarter will not be considered for that quarter. The program may be entered in the Summer or Fall quarters only. If an admitted student should not enroll or should withdraw after enrollment, a new application for admission is necessary should the student desire to return to the program. There is a limit to the number of persons who can be accepted. Potential students are encouraged to apply no later than February 15th.

Admission to the Adventure Therapy Track is also processed by the Office of Enrollment Services upon recommendation of the Psychology Department. There is a limit to the number of persons that can be accepted; it is anticipated that between two and six students may be accepted each year. Application deadline is February 15th. Once the program slots are filled, new students will only be accepted on a space available basis. It is important that all application materials, including [1] official transcript(s), which lists all colleges and graduate courses previously taken, [2] a letter of intent describing the applicant's reason for pursuing this degree, [3] two letters of reference from someone with direct knowledge of the applicant's experience in an adventure therapy or related setting, and [4] all other supporting papers, be received by February 15th. If an admitted student should not enroll or should withdraw after enrollment, a new application for admission is necessary should the student desire to return to the program.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Provisional status is reserved for students who lack one of three courses required for regular admission status or who have a GRE Advanced Psychology score below 500 and are therefore enrolling in PSY 499 for remediation. All students must meet the minimal GRE verbal, quantitative, and analytical subtest scores and the undergraduate GPA requirements. Provisional status is exited by achieving at least a C in PSY 201, PSY 315, or PSY 320 (and an A in PSY 499 if required).

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

A. APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY TRACK

Note: Enrollment in all 600 level courses except PSY 615 and PSY 648 require Regular admission status in Psychology (i.e., these courses are not available to non-degree and provisional students).

1. Required Core Courses 40 hours

- PSY 615 Advanced Statistics and Research Design
- PSY 648 Psychopathology
- PSY 656 Psychometrics
- PSY 658 Intelligence Assessment
- PSY 660 Methods of Clinical Treatment
- PSY 661 Practicum in Clinical Treatment
- PSY 664 Theories of Psychotherapy
- PSY 665 Professional Ethics

2. Skill Courses (minimum 2 of the 3 following courses) 10 hours

- PSY 652 Group Counseling
- PSY 688 Cognitive and Behavior Therapy
- PSY 659 Personality Assessment

3. Electives 10 hours

Any additional graduate level Psychology courses approved by the adviser including internship (59K, Q), thesis (62E), and independent study (68E). All persons applying for doctoral training should complete a thesis research project.

B. GENERAL THEORETICAL PSYCHOLOGY

Note: Enrollment in all 600 level courses except PSY 615, PSY 648 and PSY 687 requires Regular admission status in Psychology (i.e., many of these courses are not available to non-degree, conditional and provisional students).

1. Required Core Courses 45 hours

- PSY 555 History and Systems of Psychology
- PSY 560 Biological Psychology I
- PSY 570 Cognitive Psychology
- PSY 615 Advanced Statistics and Research Design
- PSY 62E Thesis (10 hour minimum)
- PSY 640 Advanced Developmental Psychology
- PSY 651 Advanced Social Psychology
- PSY 687 Learning and Memory

2. Electives 15 hours

Note: For electives, the student must choose between the courses labeled Group A and Group B below. The student is required to take at least two courses in the group chosen. The third elective may be from either group should the student have the appropriate pre-requisites.

Group A

- PSY 561 Biological Psychology II
- PSY 562 Psychopharmacology
- BIO 523 Microbiological Techniques
- PSY 67E Advanced Topics

Group B

- PSY 563 Theories of Personality
- PSY 648 Psychopathology
- PSY 656 Psychometrics
- PSY 658 Intelligence Assessment

Elective courses subjected to the following limitations:

1. No more than 10 hours of PSY 62B-E (Thesis) will count toward the required 60 hours.
2. No more than 5 hours of PSY 67E (Advanced Topics) will count toward the required total of 60 hours.
3. One 500- or 600-level course outside the department may be accepted toward the required 60 hours, if approved by the faculty adviser.

C. ADVENTURE THERAPY

Note: Enrollment in all 600 level courses except PSY 615 and PSY 648 require Regular admission status in Psychology (i.e., these courses are not available to non-degree and provisional students).

Additional Requirements for Admission: First Aid & CPR, and Wellness courses Challenge I or II, or comparable experience. These may be taken during the first two quarters of residence as overloads if necessary.

1. Required Core Courses 52 hours

PSY 615 Advanced Statistics and Research Design
 PSY 648 Psychopathology
 PSY 652 Group Counseling
 PSY 656 Psychometrics
 PSY 664 Psychotherapy
 PSY 665 Professional Ethics
 PSY 59E Internship
 PSY 667 Adventure Therapy
 PSY 668 Processing Adventure Therapy Experiences
 PSY 67B (2 hours) Seminar in Adventure Therapy
 PSY 62E Thesis

2. Required Skills Courses 5 hours

Five hours taken from: PEM 551 (Games Facilitation) and PEM 552 (Ropes Course Facilitation), taught by Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department.

3. Elective Skills Courses 3 hours

Choose three hours from:
 Backpacking Facilitation, Rock Climbing Facilitation, Canoeing & Kayaking Facilitation, taught by Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department.

Thesis:

Prerequisite: PSY 615 and 30 hours of approved course work.

The thesis is an individual investigation in which the student presents an original research idea, surveys the literature, formulates a specific research problem statement, designs the research methodology, collects and analyzes the data, interprets the results, and submits the results in a comprehensive written report. The student's major professor ordinarily will be his supervisor in the project. The thesis described above is an essential experience for students who contemplate doctoral level work in Psychology. For students conducting Master's Thesis projects, a complete prospectus must be submitted to the Major and Reading Professors prior to completing 45 quarter hours of graduate coursework. Under certain conditions agreed to by the adviser, the student may submit a petition to do a nonempirical thesis for a minimum of five quarter hours credit, rather than the thesis described in the first sentence above, which requires a minimum of ten quarter hours credit. **Copies of the final thesis**, approved by the faculty supervisor and the reading professor, must be given to both the faculty supervisor and the reading professor **no later than two weeks before the date of the final oral examination**. Style and format of the thesis will be in conformity with the latest available edition of the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association*. A thesis style guide is available in the Psychology Department office. The thesis will be presented orally and successfully defended prior to graduation. The thesis committee will vote to determine whether the presentation and defense as well as the written product are worthy of a pass or fail. A second defense will be scheduled in the event of a failure. The student must submit at least five quality copies of the thesis to the library for binding. The original unbound version is stored in the library vault. The other copies are bound for library circulation, the Psychology Department, the major professor, and the student. The student will be charged a binding fee. Hours

of thesis beyond the ten-hour minimum (or, in the case of a nonempirical thesis, the five-hour minimum) required for the degree may be individually arranged with the faculty supervisor. The final oral examination **must** be scheduled at least two weeks **prior to** final examinations, and the final approved copy of the written thesis must be delivered to the Dean of the Graduate School for review **at least** one week before final exams. Thesis defenses may not be scheduled during the Summer quarter.

CAREER INFORMATION

Students completing the M.S. degree in psychology have assumed jobs as behavior specialists, mental health counselors, substance abuse counselors, social welfare workers, college and university professors, psychometricians, etc. Several graduates have gone on to pursue Ph.D., Psy.D., and M.D. degrees. Further career information is available in the office of the Department of Psychology.

FURTHER INFORMATION

ADVISEMENT

Upon admission, each student is assigned an adviser from the graduate faculty of the Department of Psychology. The student should, by the end of the first year, request a major professor who will be responsible for supervising the thesis, approving the program of graduate study, serving as chairperson of the comprehensive examination committee, and advising about progress toward the degree and career plans.

FACILITIES

In addition to classrooms and offices, the department maintains an animal colony, a small animal surgery room, research rooms for animal research, a histological laboratory, a laboratory for the study of human behavior, a one-way observation room, a counseling laboratory, a psychophysiology biofeedback laboratory, a communications laboratory, and rooms available to students for individual research projects. National Science Foundation Instructional Scientific Equipment Program grants have made possible an unusually complete conditioning and learning laboratory. The department has its own computers for teaching and research use, and the College has an Academic Computing Center for campus-wide use. Central State Hospital is just a few miles from the campus and provides opportunities for field trips, practicum experiences, work experiences, and volunteer experience. Several agencies of the Georgia Department of Corrections are also located in the Milledgeville area. The College also has a challenge ropes course, an indoor wall for climbing, and several other sites relevant to Adventure Therapy.

STEPS IN COMPLETING THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY PROGRAM.

1. Submit a complete application for graduate study and all supporting papers to the Office of Enrollment Services.
2. Consult, after admission, faculty adviser for approval of proposed course work each quarter.
3. Select the Applied, General Theoretical, or Adventure Therapy Psychology tracks no later than the end of the Fall quarter of the first year.

4. Submit three copies of the "Change of Program" form if any part of the approved program changes.
5. Present a written application for the degree on the form provided by the Dean of the Graduate School by the date specified on the official college calendar.
6. Meet thesis completion deadlines, including the scheduling of the oral presentation if applicable.

DIRECTING INQUIRIES

1. Inquiries concerning admission to graduate work in the college and to the program leading to the Master of Science in Psychology degree should be sent to the Office of Enrollment Services.
2. Inquiries concerning the nature of the program and the availability of given courses should be sent to the Coordinator of the Graduate Program in Psychology, Department of Psychology.
3. Inquiries concerning general financial assistance, described in detail elsewhere in this catalog, should be sent to the Director of Financial Aid.
4. Inquiries concerning graduate assistantships which may be available in the department should be sent to the Coordinator of the Graduate Program for the Department of Psychology.
5. Inquiries concerning housing should be sent to the Director of Residence Life.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ADMINISTRATION— LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT

Bobby G. Graham, Coordinator

MISSION

The Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management is intended for persons in the government sector and private industry with career fields related to logistics. As the logistics function spreads to the private sector, this program will enroll more students with career fields in business and industry. The program blends academic training in logistics with academic training in management for people who find themselves involved with the managerial or administrative side of the logistics function.

The total program in the Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management consists of 60 hours of academic course work divided into three parts. Part one is 25-hours of Logistics. Part two is 25-hours of Management. Part three includes 10 hours of graduate electives which may be composed of a formal research project.

The Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management is offered at the Georgia College Logistics Education Center located on Robins Air Force Base. For more information about this program contact the coordinator.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to this degree program is limited to holders of the baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution. The candidate's performance in his undergraduate degree program of study will be given primary consideration. A score of 30 or higher on the Miller Analogies Test (MAT) will be used to evaluate each candidate for admission. Other graduate admission exams will be used in place of the MAT when appropriate. These exams include the GRE, GMAT, and LSAT. Consideration will be given to relevant work experience and leadership if appropriate.

The completed application and all supporting documents should be received by Graduate Admissions in the Office of Enrollment Services prior to registration for course work. Applicants may enter any quarter. Admission is granted after evaluation of all materials supplied with the application.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Students who have submitted all requirements for admission but do not meet minimum standards for regular admission may be placed in the Provisional admission status by the Graduate Coordinator.

Students on provisional admission who complete 20 quarter hours of graduate courses at Georgia College with no grade less than a B may be admitted to Regular status without having to make the required test score. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the Graduate Coordinator.

NOTE: Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management degree achieves its maximum effectiveness through a flexible approach in designing each student's program of study.

I. LOGISTICS 25

Courses are selected among all lower-division and upper-division graduate courses in logistics depending upon the student's undergraduate background and job-related experiences.

II. MANAGEMENT 25

Courses are selected among all lower-division and upper-division graduate courses in business and public administration depending upon the student's undergraduate background and job-related experiences.

III. ELECTIVES 10

Electives in Logistics, Public Administration, or Political Science at the 500 or 600 level to be selected by the student. The student may elect to develop a Research Project as an alternative to completing additional classroom courses.

TOTAL HOURS **60**

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The Master of Science in Administration in Logistics Management candidate must meet the normal College requirements for graduation.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For information contact: Coordinator, Logistics Education Center, 78 MSS/DPEE, 620 Ninth St. Suite 217, Robins Air Force Base, Georgia 31098.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN LOGISTICS SYSTEMS

Bobby G. Graham, Coordinator

MISSION

The Master of Science in Logistics Systems is intended for persons in the government sector as well as persons in the private sector with career fields related to the more technical aspects of logistics. The program includes all areas of the logistics function with a program design that is technical in nature.

The total program in the Master of Science in Logistics Systems consists of 50-70 hours of academic course work in logistics divided into four parts. The first part is 20 hours of lower-division graduate course work in logistics for students who have no academic background in the field. The second part is the required core of logistics courses consisting of 20 hours. The third part includes 20 hours of upper-division logistics electives. The last part includes 10 hours of logistics electives or a research project option.

The Master of Science in Logistics Systems is offered at the Robins Air Force Base Logistics Education Center. For more information about this program contact the coordinator.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to this degree program is limited to holders of the baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution. The candidate's performance in his undergraduate degree program of study will be given primary consideration. A score of 30 or higher on the Miller Analogies Test (MAT) will be used to evaluate each candidate for admission. Other graduate admission exams will be used in place of the MAT when appropriate. The exams include the GRE, GMAT, and LSAT. Consideration will be given to relevant work experience and leadership if appropriate.

The completed application and all supporting documents should be received by Graduate Admissions in the Office of Enrollment Services prior to registration for course work. Applicants may enter any quarter. Admission is granted after evaluation of all materials supplied with the application.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Students who have submitted all requirements for admission but do not meet the minimum standards for regular admission may be placed in the Provisional admission status by the Graduate Coordinator.

Students on provisional admission who complete 20 quarter hours of graduate courses at Georgia College with no grade less than a B may be admitted to Regular status without having to make the required test score. The B grade must be earned in courses approved by the Graduate Coordinator.

NOTE: Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

I. LOWER-DIVISION LOGISTICS 20

Courses may be waived based upon undergraduate academic course work in the appropriate fields as evaluated by the coordinator.

LOG 501 Systems Engineering and Analysis

LOG 502 Logistics Engineering

LOG 506 Logistics Management

LOG 507 Reliability and Maintainability

II. LOGISTICS 20

LOG 633 Advanced Logistics Engineering

LOG 634 Advanced Logistics Support Analysis

LOG 647 Logistics Policy and Management

LOG 650 Purchasing and Materials Management

III. LOGISTICS ELECTIVES 20

IV. ELECTIVES OR RESEARCH PROJECT OPTION 10

TOTAL HOURS 70

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The Master of Science in Logistics Systems candidate must meet the normal College requirements for graduation.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For information, contact: Coordinator, Logistics Education Center, 78 MSS/DPEE, 620 Ninth St. Suite 217, Robins Air Force Base, Georgia 31098.

GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

NOTE: (4-3-5) following the course title indicates: 4 hours **lecture**, 3 hours **laboratory**, and 5 hours **credit**.
(Var.) indicates variable credits as stated in the course description.

ART (ART)

515. ART EDUCATION. (1-5-5) S

Designed to acquaint teachers with current art education, philosophy, methods, materials and resources for use in the classroom.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) On Demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The courses may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

652. HERITAGE EDUCATION. (10-20-5)

A workshop for school teachers (K-12) designed to introduce resources which can be used to instill in students a sense of family and community history. The course will focus on the built environment, oral history, cemetery study, use of photographs, maps, folklore, primary and secondary written sources. This is a hands-on, interpretative experience taught on a weekend schedule throughout the academic year. (Cross listed with HIS 652)

68X. INDEPENDENT STUDY

BIOLOGY (BIO)

501. RECENT ADVANCES IN THE BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES. (5-0-5)

A course designed to bring high school science teachers abreast of selected modern advances in the biological sciences. Special attention will be given toward developing deeper understanding of some of the fundamental concepts in the biological sciences.

520. MICROBIAL PHYSIOLOGY (3-4-5)

Prerequisite: BIO 301 or BOT 320. An in-depth study of the variety of physiologic capabilities of microorganisms as well as a detailed study of the structures associated with these capabilities. This includes the processes of replication, transcription and translation that are considered a part of molecular genetics. Also included are the processes that contribute to the process of cell growth and division.

522. IMMUNOLOGY (5-0-5)

The structure and normal as well as the abnormal function of the immune system in animals. Includes such topics as antibody structure and its normal as well as its abnormal function. The function and interrelationships of the cellular and humoral components of the immune system.

523. MICROBIOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES (3-4-5)

Advanced techniques used in microbiology: Including: enumeration, anaerobic cultivation, preservation of cultures, preparation of complex media, assay of trace materials, titrating enzymes and the use of the literature.

525. LIMNOLOGY (4-2-5)

The ecology of freshwater environments, including the interactions of biological, chemical, and physical factors.

530. ENDOCRINOLOGY (4-2-5)

An in-depth study of mechanisms of hormone secretion and interactions with receptors, specific endocrine tissues and their secretions, interactions of hormones with other physiological systems, methods used to quantitate hormone levels and receptor concentrations, and diseases and dysfunctions that involve the endocrine glands.

541. EVOLUTION. (5-0-5)

A study of the processes of organic evolution.

542. ECOLOGY. (5-3 (0-2) (5)

Investigations into the effect of environment on the structures, functions, and community organization of plants and animals.

543. MOLECULAR GENETICS. (4-2-5)

Prerequisite: Study of genetics from the molecular viewpoint. Structure of DNA, its replication, transcription, translation, and regulation in both prokaryotes and eukaryotes. The laboratory will involve genetic manipulation of prokaryotes.

569. FRESHWATER BIOLOGY. (3-4-5)

Study of freshwater organisms, their identification, natural history and environmental relationships.

570. BIOLOGY FOR TEACHERS. (5-0-5)

A course designed to show teachers how to use environmental and lab experiences for effective teaching. An inquiry approach for presenting biological concepts will be stressed.

67E. SPECIAL TOPICS. (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Permission of instructor. A course designed to cover certain specialized areas not currently offered by the department.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var.) by demand

Special problems in biology.

69A-E. INTERNSHIP. (Var.) by demand

Open to students participating in the Georgia Intern program. Credit: Five to fifteen hours.

605. INTRODUCTION TO SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. (5-0-5)

A practical guide to scientific research with emphasis on principles, techniques and procedures. Includes the choice and statement of the research problems, experimental design, sampling and analysis techniques, scientific illustration, and methods of reporting the results of research.

635. POPULATION ECOLOGY. (5-0-5)

The investigations of the functions, interactions and behavior of individual populations in the ecosystems.

60E,K,Q. THESIS RESEARCH. (Var.)

Credit: five to fifteen hours.

BOTANY (BOT)

502. FIELD BOTANY. (2-6-5)

A course designed to acquaint the student with interrelationships of living organisms through the use of plant material from the natural habitat.

550. PHYCOLOGY. (2-2-3) even-numbered years.

Prerequisite: BOT 200. An introduction to the distribution, morphology, evolution, and classification of algae.

560. PLANT ANATOMY. (2-6-5) even-numbered years.

A study of plant cells and primary and secondary tissues with an emphasis on development.

570. PLANT PHYSIOLOGY. (2-6-5) odd-numbered years.

A presentation of the principles of plant physiology through lecture topics, lab demonstrations, and experiments.

585. ENVIRONMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY. (2-6-5)

Selected topics covering freshwater bacteria, fungi, algae, protozoa, and microcrustacea.

CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS (CHE and PHY)

55E. SPECIAL TOPICS. (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Permission of instructor. A course designed to cover certain specialized areas not currently offered by the department.

COMPUTER SCIENCE (CSC)

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (CRJ)

501. PROBLEMS IN POLICE ADMINISTRATION (5-0-5)

Advanced study of administrative problems peculiar to police agencies. Problems in areas such as staffing, budgeting, organizing, planning, and legal responsibilities will be addressed.

502. CRIMINAL LAW (5-0-5)

Development of the criminal law and its interpretation and application. Special emphasis is placed upon the common law and the Georgia Criminal Code.

503. PROBLEMS IN INSTITUTIONAL CORRECTIONS (5-0-5)

Detailed examination of the administration of correctional institutions for adults and juveniles, including issues of organization design, staffing and personnel matters. Emphasis is placed on the theory of crime as well.

507. CONSTITUTIONAL LAW III (5-0-5)

A study of the development and current application of constitutional law, focusing on criminal procedure questions.

524. CRIMINOLOGY AND PENOLOGY (5-0-5)

Causes of crime and juvenile delinquency, analysis of criminal behavior and offenses, theories of punishment, and study of penal institutions. (Cross-listed with SOC 524)

574. DEVIANT BEHAVIOR (5-0-5)

Study of individual and group behaviors which violate institutional expectations.

585. POLICY PROBLEMS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PUA 605, or other course work in statistics and methodology. This course is designed to examine major public policy issues that affect criminal justice. Specific issues will vary. Topics could include the death penalty, alternative models of corrections, police liability, white collar crime, policy options in the war on drugs and others.

58E. INDEPENDENT STUDY (Var. 5)

An in-depth individualized study of a particular problem in contemporary criminal justice.

595. SPECIAL TOPICS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE (5-0-5)

Topics to be covered will vary, depending upon the interests of students and faculty, and will be announced prior to registration.

695. RESEARCH PROBLEM (Var. 5)

An in-depth individualized study of a particular problem in contemporary criminal justice.

ENGLISH AND SPEECH (ENG)

501. ADVANCED COMPOSITION (5-0-5)

A course emphasizing theory and practice in writing expository prose and including a component to ensure competency in speech. Required of all majors unless exempted by examination.

503. ADVANCED CREATIVE WRITING (5-0-5)

A practical study of the techniques and craft of creative writing.

504. LITERARY CRITICISM (5-0-5)

A study of literary criticism from Aristotle to the present.

505. HISTORY OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE (5-0-5)

A study of the development of the English language from its Indo-European roots to its present status as a world language.

506. STRUCTURE OF PRESENT-DAY ENGLISH (5-0-5)

A comprehensive study of the phonology, morphology, and syntax of present-day English with reference to standards, variations, and pedagogy.

507. LITERARY WOMEN (5-0-5)

A study of the contributions of women writers and critics to the development of literature.

508. AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of the contributions of African-American writers and critics to the development of literature.

509. MULTICULTURAL AMERICAN LITERATURE (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ENG 202 or 203 or 204. A comparative study of literature from marginal ethnic groups in the United States.

510. STUDIES IN MEDIEVAL ENGLISH LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of selected works in Old or Middle English. Read in the original language.

515. CHAUCER (5-0-5)

A study of selected works from Chaucer. Read in Middle English.

520. STUDIES IN RENAISSANCE ENGLISH LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of selected works from the English Renaissance

521. SHAKESPEARE (5-0-5)

A study of Shakespeare and his dramatic art.

525. MILTON (5-0-5)

A study of the major and minor selected works.

528. DEVELOPMENT OF ENGLISH DRAMA (5-0-5)

A study of the development of English drama from the Middle Ages through the early modern period.

530. STUDIES IN RESTORATION/EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY ENGLISH LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of selected Restoration/eighteenth-century works.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

536. EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY ENGLISH NOVEL (5-0-5)

A study of the development of the English novel in the eighteenth century.

540. STUDIES IN ENGLISH ROMANTICISM (5-0-5)

A study in selected Romantic works.

545. STUDIES IN VICTORIAN LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of selected Victorian works.

546. NINETEENTH-CENTURY ENGLISH NOVEL (5-0-5)

A study of the development of the novel in English in the nineteenth century.

558. STUDIES IN MODERN DRAMA (5-0-5)

A study of selected modern plays in English.

559. STUDIES IN TWENTIETH-CENTURY BRITISH FICTION (5-0-5)

A study of selected works of twentieth-century fiction from the British Isles.

560. STUDIES IN AMERICAN LITERATURE TO 1865 (5-0-5)

A study of selected American works before 1865.

565. STUDIES IN AMERICAN LITERATURE FROM 1865 TO 1920 (5-0-5)

A study of selected American works from 1865 to 1920.

571. STUDIES IN MODERN POETRY (5-0-5)

A study of selected modern poetry in English.

573. STUDIES IN SOUTHERN LITERATURE (5-0-5)

A study of selected works from the American South.

575. FLANNERY O'CONNOR (5-0-5)

A study of short stories, novels, and critical essays of Flannery O'Connor with access to the O'Connor collection.

579. STUDIES IN AMERICAN FICTION FROM 1920 TO THE PRESENT (5-0-5)

A study of selected American works from 1920 to the present.

580. STUDIES IN COMPARATIVE LITERATURE. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ENG 202 or 203 or 204. An investigation of comparative themes, techniques, cultural, or philosophical issues in the literature of various nations.

585. GREAT BOOKS OF THE WESTERN WORLD. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ENG 202 or 203 or 204. An examination of the literary masterpieces of the Western World.

56A-E. SPECIAL TOPICS IN ENGLISH (Var. 1-5)

Topics of special interest that are not listed in the catalog.

58A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-5)

Tutorial investigation of a topic or author of special interest. Department chairperson's approval required.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (ENS)

57E. SPECIAL TOPICS

592. METEOROLOGY (4-2-5)

Basic principles of meteorology with application to human activity. Suitable for teacher certification requirement.

GEOGRAPHY (GEO)

550. POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY. (5-0-5)

This course examines patterns of political control and the changes in these patterns as political systems evolve. Emphasis is placed upon the interrelationships between all the manifestations of politics and the physical environment. Special emphasis is placed on the study of the State and the interactions of individuals within the State to political institutions at every level. The last half of the course will focus on political regions, spatial interactions within and between political regions, geopolitics, and transnational interactions and institutions.

576. CULTURAL GEOGRAPHY. (5-0-5)

A world regional study of population and cultural phenomena. Emphasis is placed upon human organization of and relationship to the environment.

68E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (5) Each quarter.

Prerequisite: Approval of department chairperson. Independent reading and reports arranged by the instructor to the individual student's preparation, background, and needs.

69E. SPECIAL TOPICS. (5)

Consideration of topics in which courses are not offered otherwise, but for which there is current need. Subject matter varies.

HISTORY (HIS)

503. CLASSICAL GREECE (5-0-5)

Greece and the Aegean through Alexander the Great, with emphasis on political, social and cultural history.

504. CLASSICAL ROME (5-0-5)

Rome from its origins until the Empire became Christian, with emphasis on political, social and cultural history.

506. THE MIDDLE AGES. (5-0-5)

Europe from the fall of Rome to the Renaissance. The Byzantine and Islamic Empires are also considered.

507. COLONIAL AND REVOLUTIONARY AMERICA. (5-0-5)

A historical survey of the formative years of America. Emphasis is placed on the change from colonies to mature provinces, and on the national and comparative perspectives of the Revolution.

508. THE AGE OF JEFFERSON, 1787-1826. (5-0-5)

The United States from adoption of the Constitution to the death of Jefferson. Major themes include origins of political parties, evolution of foreign policy, and westward expansion.

511. MODERN EUROPE. (5-0-5)

Contemporary European problems and their background, with emphasis on social and political changes growing out of World War I.

513. MODERN ENGLISH SOCIAL HISTORY. (5-0-5)

A study of the nature and structure of modern English society, with emphasis on the changes in the lives of the people which accompanied the movement from an agrarian to an industrial society.

514. TUDOR-STUART ENGLAND. (5-0-5)

A study of the transition of England from small island-nation to major power during the 16th and 17th centuries, with special emphasis on the major personalities of the period.

515. RENAISSANCE AND REFORMATION. (5-0-5)

The rebirth of classical learning in Italy and its spread across Europe, and the religious upheavals of the 16th and 17th centuries.

517. SOVIET RUSSIA. (5-0-5)

A study of Lenin and the early Bolshevik movement, the great revolution of 1917, and the Soviet state under the rule of Stalin, Khrushchev, and Brezhnev.

518. THE AGE OF ABSOLUTISM, 1559-1789 (5-0-5)

Europe in the era of the great dynasties, from 1559 to the French Revolution.

519. THE FRENCH REVOLUTION AND NAPOLEON. (5-0-5)

Europe from 1789 to 1815, emphasizing the role of France in the events of the period.

520. THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR. (5-0-5)

The background of the war, followed by a detailed examination of the conflict between 1861 and 1865.

522. THE ANTE-BELLUM SOUTH. (5-0-5)

An examination of basic factors in Southern life such as the agrarian economy and racial dualism.

529. HITLER AND NAZI GERMANY. (5-0-5)

A historical and psychological study of Hitler and an analysis of his rise to power, the creation of the Third Reich, and the destruction of Germany through war.

530. THE SOUTH SINCE RECONSTRUCTION. (5-0-5)

Economic, social, and political developments in the South from the end of Reconstruction to the present.

532. GEORGIA: COLONY AND STATE. (5-0-5)

Major trends and events from the Indian background to the present.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

544. RELIGION IN AMERICAN HISTORY (5-0-5)

A study of the historical significance of religion in shaping American society and culture.

545. TOPICS IN AMERICAN SOCIAL HISTORY. (5-0-5)

A topical examination of social movements, institutions, and cultural trends in the American nation.

555. CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY. (5-0-5)

(See POS 555.)

556. THE VIETNAM WAR. (5-0-5)

A comprehensive and in-depth study of America's longest war with special emphasis placed on the historical background, political decisions, military strategy/tactics and "lessons" associated with that conflict. Cross-listed with POS 556.

560. MODERN MIDDLE EAST. (5-0-5)

A study of the history of the modern Middle East, with some attention to the historic background and to adjacent areas. Special attention given to the twentieth century.

59E-Q. INTERNSHIP. (5 to 15 hours)

Prerequisite: selection for participation in Georgia Intern Program, Georgia Legislative Intern Program, or other intern program. An individually designed course sequence involving off-campus study, research, and work in a governmental agency, the Georgia legislature, or other agencies or organizations.

600. HISTORICAL METHODS AND INTERPRETATIONS. (TBA-0-5)

A study of historical interpretations and the techniques of historical research, and preparation for publication.

605, 608, 611, 614. ADVANCED TOPICS

Topics will vary from year to year, and may be treated as lecture-discussion classes, research seminars, or directed reading and discussion. Topics listed below are examples.

605. ADVANCED TOPICS IN AMERICAN HISTORY. (TBA-0-5)

608. ADVANCED TOPICS IN EUROPEAN HISTORY. (TBA-0-5)

611. ADVANCED TOPICS IN SOUTHERN HISTORY. (TBA-0-5)

65E-Q. THESIS RESEARCH. (5 to 15 hours) Each quarter.

Prerequisite: admission to candidacy for the M.A. degree.

68B-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 2-5) Each quarter.

Prerequisite: Approval of chairperson of department. Independent reading and reports arranged by the instructor according to the individual student's preparation, background, and needs. Open to M.Ed. and Ed.S. students and required of all M.A. students.

69A-X. SPECIAL TOPICS. (Var.)

Consideration of topics in which courses are not offered otherwise, but for which there is current need. Subject matter varies.

JOURNALISM (JRN)

500. PUBLIC RELATIONS (5-0-5)

A study of the role of public relations and public opinion in determining the success of group relationships.

505. ADVERTISING IN JOURNALISM (5-0-5)

A study of the development of effective advertising media, both print and electronic.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

56X. SPECIAL TOPICS (Var.)

LOGISTICS (LOG)

501. SYSTEMS ENGINEERING AND ANALYSIS (5-0-5)

Development and implementation of the systems engineering process, definition of requirements, and extending through requirements allocation, system analysis, synthesis and optimization, system configuration, and system test and evaluation. Logistics is addressed in the context of the overall "systems approach."

502. LOGISTICS ENGINEERING (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: LOG 501 or instructor's consent. Concerned with the initial distribution and the sustaining life cycle maintenance and support of a system or product throughout the consumer use phase. Involves maintenance planning, reliability and maintainability considerations, supply support, test and support equipment, transportation, personnel and training maintenance facilities, and data. The costs associated with such systems from early planning and design decision.

506. LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT (5-0-5)

This course addresses the different management functions associated with a life cycle approach to logistics, production and material flow, distribution, and sustaining customer support. This course covers the basic concept of management, with an orientation toward the management of logistics activities throughout the life cycles.

507. RELIABILITY AND MAINTAINABILITY (5-0-5)

This course covers reliability/maintainability terms and definitions, analysis, design, prediction/assessment and test and evaluation, from the practical view point.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN LOGISTICS I (5-0-5)

Selected special topics in logistics. Independent individualized study and project report.

633. ADVANCED LOGISTICS ENGINEERING (5-0-5)

The consideration of logistics in the system/design process deals with the initial establishment of system requirements for supportability, the allocation of requirements, trade-offs, and analysis, the application of design tools/design methods, system test and evaluation, and ultimate system definition. Computer Aided Design (CAD) methods are employed with a specific case study application.

634. ADVANCED LOGISTICS SUPPORT ANALYSIS (5-0-5)

Considers the integration and application of different analytical techniques to solve a wide variety of problems; e.g., linear/dynamic programming, queuing theory, simulation, Monte Carlo analysis, economic analysis techniques. Involves the solving of a variety of problems, using different analytical methods/techniques, and employing a case study approach.

635. MODELS IN RELIABILITY AND MAINTAINABILITY (5-0-5)

Fundamental principles of reliability and maintainability. An in-depth coverage of reliability and maintainability models and their application. Reliability and maintainability as an element of systems analysis.

639. ADVANCED ENGINEERING ECONOMY (5-0-5)

Engineering economic analysis and the economic evaluation of alternatives. Investment decisions based on equivalent worth, rate of return, benefit-cost, and life cycle cost methods, considering the aspects of risk and uncertainty. Physical assets management employing life cycle cost analysis.

643. ADVANCED PRODUCTION PLANNING AND CONTROL (5-0-5)

Production planning, production system design and development, and production control and evaluation. Production models, Flow-Shop and Job-Shop requirements, materials management, facility design and management, and quality control. Emphasis is placed on a student project and the use of computer aided manufacturing techniques, numerical control, automation, robotics, etc.

646. ADVANCED TOPICS IN LOGISTICS (5-0-5)

Selected special topics in logistics. Independent individualized study and project report.

647. LOGISTICS POLICY AND MANAGEMENT (5-0-5)

An advanced survey course which provides information of the wide range of logistics activities. Included subjects are: integrated logistics management, customer requirements and interfaces; system movement, storage and control; system support and logistics organization, planning and management.

649. LOGISTICS QUANTITATIVE METHODS (5-0-5)

Quantitative methods and techniques as applied to the system life cycle. The course includes the application of the quantitative techniques to reliability, maintainability, human factors, and logistics support models.

650. PURCHASING AND MATERIALS MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

A review of major techniques involved in purchasing as a business function including materials management. Topics include specifications, vendor selection, contract negotiation, purchase timing, value analysis, contract administration and materials management principles and practices.

651. DISTRIBUTION MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

The functions of traffic management with emphasis on the role of transportation management in reducing the cost of the system through economical application of rates, rules and regulations. National and international transportation policies will also be reviewed.

652. COMMERCIAL GOVERNMENT CONTRACT LAW (5-0-5)

Statutes, regulations and decisions, as affects both commercial and government procurement. Concepts will be applied to problems of contract development.

653. INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND THE LOGISTICS ENVIRONMENT (5-0-5)

A study of international trade, the international monetary system, and financial markets and their effects on the system life cycle costing. Specific subjects will include tariffs, exchange rates, reciprocal demand, comparative advantage, transportation and insurance costs.

654. PACKAGING, WAREHOUSING AND INVENTORY CONTROL (5-0-5)

Course will discuss the interface between packaging, storage, inventory control and transport. Specific subjects include: package development, size and type of container, and their effects on storage and automated warehouse systems and inventory control and the ease and cost of transporting the system.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY (Var.)

Investigation of topics of special interest, with reports to the instructor. A research paper is required for the research project option. Prior approval by program coordinator and instructor is required.

MATHEMATICS (MAT)

513. ALGEBRA FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHERS (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 200 and 300 or permission of instructor. Topics include algebraic systems, equations and inequalities, elementary number theory, and abstract algebra.

515. GEOMETRY FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHERS (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 200 and 300 or permission of instructor. This course is a combination of the study of geometry and the history of mathematics. The unit on geometry will include the roles and nature of geometry, exploration in elementary geometry, patterns in geometry, polyhedra, motions in geometry, similarity-magnification, and measurement. The unit on the history of mathematics will be concerned with the origins, philosophy, and development of the mathematical sciences.

525. PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHERS (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 101 or 130 or permission of instructor or equivalent undergraduate course. This course is designed to acquaint the student with the theory of probability and apply this to statistical theory. Problems are taken from the life sciences, social sciences and business. Open only to elementary school teachers.

550. ABSTRACT ALGEBRA I (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 255 or equivalent. An introduction to groups, rings and fields with particular emphasis on proofs.

555. NUMBER THEORY I (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 255 or equivalent. Topics are selected from elementary number theory and usually include the study of diophantine equations, congruences, systems of congruences, prime theory among other topics.

562. MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS I (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 250 and MAT 255 or equivalent. Elementary probability theory, common theoretical distributions, moments, moment generating functions, sampling distributions, point estimations, interval estimations and hypothesis testing are among the topics covered.

570. INTRODUCTION TO GEOMETRY (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 255 or equivalent. A review of Euclidean Geometry and an introduction to Non-Euclidean geometry.

580. NUMERICAL ANALYSIS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 250 and MAT 255 and CSG 221 or equivalents. A general algorithmic approach to numerical analysis with emphasis on concrete numerical methods, especially those adaptable to computer utilization in finding solutions.

585. MATHEMATICAL IDEAS IN HISTORY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MAT 255 or equivalent. A review of the origins and development of the great ideas of modern mathematics.

590. SPECIAL TOPICS. (5-0-5)**POLITICAL SCIENCE (POS)**

500. PUBLIC POLICY MAKING. (5-0-5) A study of the institutions and processes of policy making with special emphasis on the national executive branch and comparative state legislative policy outputs. Consideration is also given to public budgeting as an instrument of policy making.

505. CONSTITUTIONAL LAW I. (5-0-5)

A study of the development and current application of constitutional law, focusing on federal questions, such as the commerce and supremacy clauses.

506. CONSTITUTIONAL LAW II. (5-0-5)

A study of the development and current application of constitutional law, focusing on individual political and civil rights questions.

507. CONSTITUTIONAL LAW III. (5-0-5)

A study of the development and current application of constitutional law, focusing on criminal procedure questions.

510. POLITICAL THEORY I. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: POS 101. A study of political theory from Plato to Locke. The political views of the traditional theorists are studied and their relevance to contemporary events is examined.

511. POLITICAL THEORY II. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: POS 101. A study of political theory from Montesquieu to the present. A continuation of POS 510.

520. AMERICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT I. (5-0-5)

A study of American political thought from the colonial era through the civil war period.

521. AMERICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT II. (5-0-5)

A study of American political thought beginning in the late 19th century continuing to the present. This course emphasizes the development of the concepts of liberalism and conservatism in the American setting; and the political thought animating the Progressive Era, the New Deal Era, the Great Society period, and the Civil Rights Movement.

530. POLITICS OF THE ENVIRONMENT. (5-0-5)

A study of how salient environment problems interact with political dynamics, both domestically and internationally.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance or registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

550. LEGISLATIVE POLITICS AND BEHAVIOR. (5-0-5)

A study of the legislative process focusing on Congress. Relationships with the executive branch and with interest groups are emphasized. Special consideration is also given to the roles and functions of the legislative parties and the committee systems.

553. THE PRESIDENCY. (5-0-5)

A study of the presidential institution and the people who have occupied the Oval Office. Attention will be given to the topics of presidential roles, powers, politics, and policy-making.

555. CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY. (5-0-5)

A study of the development of American foreign policy during the twentieth century. Emphasis is placed upon America's emergence as a world power and her role of alliance leadership in the nuclear age.

556. THE VIETNAM WAR. (5-0-5)

A comprehensive and in-depth study of America's longest war, with special emphasis placed on the historical background, military strategy/tactics, and legacy associated with that conflict.

560. PUBLIC OPINION. (5-0-5)

A study of the acquisition, distribution, and significance of political opinions held by the American public. Opinion sampling and opinion analysis are emphasized.

575. CONTEMPORARY INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS. (5-0-5)

An examination of the most critical problems in world affairs, with emphasis on those areas which have the greatest potential for increasing the level of the tension between the great powers.

590. COMPARATIVE FOREIGN POLICY. (5-0-5)

A comparative examination of superpower and non-superpower foreign policies. Emphasis will be placed on analyzing those factors which may affect the foreign policy of any nation.

592. THE POLITICS OF THE MIDDLE EAST. (5-0-5)

This course explores the contemporary political significance of this region, noting relevant leaders, institutions, power rivalries, elements of cooperation, and patterns of superpower involvement.

595. SPECIAL TOPICS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE. (5-0-5)

A detailed study of specific subjects, such as Southern politics, politics and policy in developing nations, disarmament and deterrence. Topics to be covered will vary, depending upon the interests of students and faculty, and will be announced prior to registration.

58E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 5)

An in-depth individualized study of a particular problem in contemporary political science.

59E, K, Q. INTERNSHIP. (Var. 5-15)

An individually designed course sequence involving field experience work in a government agency.

PSYCHOLOGY (PSY)

551. GROUP DYNAMICS. (6-0-6)

Prerequisite: PSY 201. A review of the theory and research dealing with group processes, with consideration of the relevance of this knowledge in "real world" settings.

555. HISTORY AND SYSTEMS OF PSYCHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201. Historical analysis of the schools of thought in psychology such as structuralism, functionalism, behaviorism, Gestalt, and psychoanalysis.

560. BIOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY I. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201 or BIO 123. An examination of neural and endocrine mechanisms of behavior. Topics include issues in neuroscience, neuron and glial cell anatomy and functions, neural transmission and neurotransmitters, neuropharmacology, gross neuroanatomy, development and evolution, internal regulation, states of consciousness, learning and memory, affective and psychotic disorders, and recovery from brain damage. (Cross listed as ZOO 560).

561. BIOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY II. (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: PSY or ZOO 460 or equivalent. An introduction to neuroscience research techniques with small mammals (rodents). Topics include: issues of animal care, handling and welfare; circadian rhythms, injections, euthanasia; animal pain, anesthesia and analgesia; basic stereotaxic surgery (cortical and subcortical); perfusion, organ removal and preservation; neuroanatomical tracers, neurohistology and microscopy; behavioral methodologies; conducting experiments in behavioral neuroscience. (Cross listed as ZOO 561.)

562. PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201 or BIO 123, strongly recommended PSY 460 or 560. A survey of drugs that influence the brain and behavior. The course focuses on mechanisms of drug action, chemical neuroanatomy, neural hypotheses of functional disorders, as well as progressive neuropathologies and their treatment. (Cross listed as ZOO 562)

563. THEORIES OF PERSONALITY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201. The historical development of the study of personality, the methods of studying personality, and the major theories of personality.

570. COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201. An overview of some of the current theories of "higher mental processes." Concepts are tied to a biopsychological model.

NOTE: All of the following except PSY 615, 648 and 687 require as prerequisite Regular admission status in the Master's program in the Department of Psychology and successful completion (i.e., grade of C or above) in PSY 615. These courses are not available to provisional, non-degree, and conditional students.

59E, K, Q. INTERNSHIP. (Var.)

Prerequisite: Permission of the student's faculty adviser, the Department Coordinator of Internship Education, and the agency supervisor of the internship; completion of PSY 456 or 656 with a B or better. An individually arranged, off-campus experience involving study, research, and field experiences in a service agency for academic credit. Application must be made to the department coordinator of off-campus education by the last day to drop a class without academic penalty in the quarter immediately preceding the quarter of the internship. Credit, 5 to 15 hours.

615. ADVANCED STATISTICS AND RESEARCH DESIGN. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 315 or an equivalent junior or senior level statistics course. Procedures for the statistical analysis of single-factor and higher-order factorial experiments, including experiments with nested factors, techniques of multiple comparison, trend analysis, experiments with fixed random factors, experiments with unequal sample sizes, and designs intended to decrease error variance such as the analysis of covariance and block designs.

62B-E. THESIS. (Var.)

Prerequisite: PSY 615 and 30 hours of graduate work in Psychology. An individual research in which the student presents an original research idea, surveys the literature, formulates a specific research problem statement, designs the research methodology, collects and analyzes the data, interprets the results, and submits the results in a comprehensive written report. Credit, two to five hours.

640. ADVANCED DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615. A critical examination of the main facts, theories, and research methods of developmental psychology, conception of death.

648. PSYCHOPATHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

An overview of theory and research into the origins of psychopathology. Anxiety Disorders, Mood Disorders, and the Psychoses will be the prime areas of interest. The biological, cognitive and behavioral models will be the main focus of investigation. The course will build a theoretical foundation for the subsequent therapy based courses.

651. ADVANCED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615. A critical review of the theories, methodology, and research of contemporary social psychology, with an emphasis on the experimental perspective.

652. GROUP COUNSELING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 648 and PSY 664. An exposure to the various theories and techniques of group counseling in relation to group goals, objectives, and dynamics. Particular emphasis will be given to problems encountered by beginning group counselors.

656. PSYCHOMETRICS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615. A comprehensive review of tests commonly used in psychology, education, and business. Students will review concepts and constructs useful in assessing the value and need for psychological tests, including pertinent psychometric theory, and test design and construction.

658. INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615 and PSY 656. A comprehensive course designed to acquaint the graduate psychology student with several intelligence tests commonly used in psychology and education. Particular attention will be given to the Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale-Revised, the Wechsler Pre-School and Primary Scale of Intelligence-Revised, the Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children-III, and the Stanford-Binet IV.

659. PERSONALITY ASSESSMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 615, PSY 656, and PSY 658. A comprehensive course designed to acquaint the graduate student with several objective and projective personality assessment instruments that are useful in clinical diagnosis and psychotherapy. Students will review the development of personality assessment and the nature and purpose of personality assessment in applied psychology.

660. METHODS OF CLINICAL TREATMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 615, PSY 648 and PSY 664. A survey and critical analysis of the various methods of psychiatry, psychotherapy, and behavior modification which have been and are being used in the treatment of behavior disorders. These techniques will be examined in terms of validates, problems connected with their use, and methods of scientifically investigating the effectiveness of these clinical methods.

661. PRACTICUM IN CLINICAL TREATMENT. (1-8-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 615, PSY 660, and enrollment in the Applied Psychology Track. Supervised applied practice of psychology in a community or institutional setting consistent with the student's professional goals.

664. THEORIES OF PSYCHOTHERAPY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 615 and PSY 648. An examination of the various theories of psychotherapy and the implications for the masters level practitioner are the primary topics of this course.

665. PROFESSIONAL ETHICS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PSY 615 and admission to the Applied or Adventure Therapy Track. An overview of goals and objectives of professional organizations in applied psychology. The various licensure and certification options available will be discussed along with approaches to preparing for qualification examinations. Particular emphasis will be placed on the understanding of legal and ethical issues faced by practicing counselors, psychometricians, and psychologists. Third party payments, malpractice, liability insurance, and future trends in practice will also be discussed.

67E. ADVANCED TOPICS IN PSYCHOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615. A detailed consideration of theory and research in such areas as learning sensation and perception, cognition, developmental psychology, physiological psychology, comparative psychology, motivation, emotion, measurement, social psychology, and personality. Topics to be covered will vary, depending upon the interests of students and faculty, and will be announced prior to registration.

667. ADVENTURE THERAPY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PEM 551, PSY 664, and PSY 652. An in-depth analysis of the theory and practice of adventure therapy including its history, current status, and future direction. Students will be expected to facilitate groups using adventure activities in a therapeutic context.

668. PROCESSING ADVENTURE THERAPY EXPERIENCES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 667. An in-depth analysis of debriefing and processing of adventure therapy experiences including frontloading, metaphorical introductions, and isomorphic presentations. Students will be expected to facilitate groups using adventure activities in a therapeutic context.

68B-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var.)

Prerequisite: PSY 615. Individually arranged advanced study or research in a special area of psychology not covered in a regular course. The student must have a written agreement with a graduate faculty member willing to supervise the independent study and must complete all arrangements with the department chairperson by the last day of classes of the quarter immediately preceding the quarter of the independent study. Credit, two or five hours.

687. LEARNING AND MEMORY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: An undergraduate course in learning and permission of instructor. The psychobiological substrates and correlates of learning and memory are examined at an advanced level. The focus is upon contemporary neurobiological and neuropsychological models and investigations.

688. COGNITIVE AND BEHAVIOR THERAPY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 615, PSY 648, and admission to candidacy in the master's program. The application of learning theory and research and cognitive theory and research toward the treatment of psychopathology. Emphasis is on therapeutic used in outpatient settings.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (PUA)

538. GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

A systematic analysis of government organization, management, and administration with primary focus upon the American national administrative structure. Emphasis is placed upon institutional, behavioral, and psychological factors of contemporary public bureaucracies. Problems of control, accountability, and responsiveness are given detailed treatment.

544. LABOR RELATIONS. (5-0-5)

An analysis of the development of labor-management relations and public policy in the United States.

558. PUBLIC PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

A comprehensive investigation of contemporary problems, practices, and issues in the management of public employment. Major emphasis is given to position analysis, career development, performance evaluation, and employee motivation.

568. LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

An examination of law in society and its influence upon public sector operations. Applications of substantive areas of the law such as regulatory processes, administrative adjudication, due process, ombudsmanship, are addressed.

571. URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNING. (5-0-5)

A study of the principles and practice of planning at the sub-state level. Special attention will be paid to such topics as land-use, transportation, and economic development planning. Political, legal, and social influences on the process and implementation of planning will also be emphasized.

578. PUBLIC FINANCE. (5-0-5)

A study of the public fiscal and budgetary decision-making institutions and operations. Sources of revenue, methods of expenditure, allocations of resources and their impact on the economy are given special emphasis.

581. BUREAUCRATIC BEHAVIOR. (5-0-5)

Emphasizes theories of individual behavior within public sector organizations. Students consider a range of organizational theory paradigms, but rational choice based theory is given primary consideration.

601. POLICY MAKING, IMPLEMENTATION, AND EVALUATION. (5-0-5)

An integrative course focused upon decision-making processes within agencies and within the larger context of general government. Policy, program, and project development are analyzed with respect to planning, adoption, implementation, and evaluation.

605. QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

A course in the uses and interpretation of quantitative information and analytical techniques commonly encountered in the management of public functions. Practical applications of basic data handling and organization are stressed.

615. ADMINISTRATIVE ETHICS. (5-0-5)

A study of the ethical dimensions of public administration, dealing with such topics as personal integrity, democratic values, the normative implications of public policy, and governmental corruption. Competing ethical systems, ethics legislation, and administrative case studies will be analyzed. Course will be relevant to administrators and potential administrators from a variety of backgrounds.

625. INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS. (5-0-5)

A study of structures, problems and current issues in public administration throughout the federal system with special emphasis on the state and sub-state levels. Subjects such as grants, grantsmanship, intergovernmental cooperation and conflict, and the effects of political factors on administrative performance receive attention.

635. COMPARATIVE ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

A comprehensive examination of administrative institutions, structures, and processes in the political systems of Western Europe, the Soviet Bloc, and the developing nations. Special consideration is given to systematic patterns of similarity and difference among individual nation states and among broader political-cultural groupings. Emphasis is given to the effects of administrative decision-making upon the international political system.

685. SPECIAL TOPICS IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

A detailed study of specific subjects, such as regulation, alternative service delivery systems, and public administration in the future. Topics to be covered will vary, depending upon the interests of student and faculty, and will be announced prior to registration.

689. CAREER ASSESSMENT PROJECT. (1-1-3)

Required of all in-service students in the non-thesis option during the final quarter of course work. Under faculty supervision the student demonstrates, both orally and in writing, the relationship between course work taken and current job performance as well as the impact of course work on individual career development.

695. RESEARCH PROBLEM. (Var.-5)

An in-depth individualized study of a particular problem in contemporary public administration.

696. THESIS RESEARCH DESIGN. (Var. 5)

Prerequisite: Permission of MPA Coordinator. First course in the three-course thesis option. Student, working under the supervision of a Thesis Supervisor, will prepare a detailed prospectus of the research topic. The prospectus will include a bibliography, a description of the methodology to be used, substantive goals to be achieved, a realistic schedule to be followed, and other details deemed necessary by the thesis supervisor.

697. THESIS WRITING AND DEVELOPMENT. (Var. 5)

Prerequisite: PUA 696 and permission of MPA Coordinator. Second course in the three-course thesis option. Student will prepare chapters of the thesis for submission to the Thesis Supervisor and Second Reader.

698. ADVANCED STUDY. (Var.-5)

Independent reading and reports arranged by the instructor according to the individual student's preparation, background, and needs.

699. THESIS DEFENSE. (Var. 3)

Prerequisite: PUA 697 and permission of MPA Coordinator. Third course in the three-course thesis option. Student will complete the thesis and defend it before a committee composed of the Thesis Supervisor, Second Reader, and a third faculty member. A successful defense is required to complete the thesis option.

69X. INTERNSHIP. (Var.-5/15)

An individually designed course sequence involving field experience and work in a government agency.

SOCIOLOGY (SOC)**510. POPULATION. (5-0-5)**

Composition of the population, its distribution in space and changes in size. Emphasis upon the three demographic variables—fertility, mortality, migration—and their relationship to social structure.

524. CRIMINOLOGY AND PENOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Causes of crime and juvenile delinquency, analysis of criminal behavior and offenses, theories of punishment, and study of penal institutions. (Cross listed as CRJ 524.)

544. RACE AND ETHNIC RELATIONS. (5-0-5)

American racial and ethnic groups, including ethnic, cultural and social backgrounds, are studied. Causes and results of contemporary ethnic conflicts, ethnic problems of adjustment, and ethnic contributions to modern society are considered.

552. ORGANIZATIONS. (5-0-5)

Structure and function of complex organizations with emphasis on large scale bureaucracies in both public and private sectors.

565. URBAN SOCIOLOGY. (5-0-5)

Study of spatial distribution and relationships of people in urban centers.

574. SOCIOLOGY OF DEVIANT BEHAVIOR. (5-0-5)

Study of individual and group behaviors which violate institutional expectations.

68E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (5)

Individual study of a particular topic under guidance of departmental faculty.

THEATRE (THR)

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance or registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guideline of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

ZOOLOGY (ZOO)

503. VERTEBRATE ZOOLOGY. (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 200. A study of the classes of vertebrates in relation to taxonomy, life history, behavior, populations and evolution.

534. HISTOLOGY (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 200. The microscopic anatomy of vertebrate tissues and organs, with emphasis on humans and other mammals.

544. ANIMAL DEVELOPMENT. (4-2-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 200. The early embryological development of vertebrates. Includes study of germ cells, fertilization, differentiation, and the origin of organ systems.

545. ICHTHYOLOGY. (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 200. Taxonomy, morphology, life history, ecology, economic importance, aquaculture and distribution principles of evolution, classification, structure, distribution, physiological adaptation, and life history of amphibians and reptiles. Laboratory and field work emphasizing Georgia species.

546. PARASITOLOGY. (2-6-5)

The biology, identification and control of protozoa, worms and insects that commonly parasitize man and domestic animals.

550. HERPETOLOGY. (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 200. Principles of evolution, classification, structure, distribution, physiological adaptation, and life history of amphibians and reptiles. Laboratory and field work emphasizing on Georgia species.

555. MAMMALOLOGY. (4-2-5)

A study of taxonomy, behavior, distribution, and natural history of mammals worldwide.

560. BIOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY I. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: PSY 201 or BIO 123. An examination of neural and endocrine mechanisms of behavior. Topics include: issues in neuroscience, neuron and glial cell anatomy and function, neural transmission and neurotransmitters, neuropharmacology, gross neuroanatomy, development and evolution, internal regulation, states of consciousness, learning and memory, affective and psychotic disorders, and recovery from brain damage. (Cross listed as PSY 560)

561. BIOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY II. (2-6-5)

Prerequisite: PSY or ZOO or equivalent. An introduction to neuroscience research techniques with small mammals (rodents). Topics include: issues of animal care, handling and welfare; circadian rhythms, injections, euthanasia; animal pain, anesthesia and analgesia; basic stereotaxic surgery (cortical and subcortical); perfusion, organ removal and preservation; neuroanatomical tracers, neurohistology and microscopy; behavioral methodologies conducting experiments in behavioral neuroscience. (Cross listed as PSY 561.)

562. PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY.

A survey of drugs that influence the brain and behavior. The course focuses on mechanisms of drug action, chemical neuroanatomy, neural hypotheses of functional disorders as well as progressive neuropathologies and their treatment. Cross listed with PSY 562.)

565. VERTEBRATE PALEONTOLOGY. (4-2-5)

Prerequisite: ZOO 305 or permission of instructor. A detailed study of the evolution and phylogenetic relationships of the major groups of vertebrates.

567. ENTOMOLOGY. (2-6-5)

An introduction to the biology classification, morphology and behavior of insects.

665. SELECTED TOPICS IN VERTEBRATE PHYSIOLOGY. (5-0-5)

An in-depth study of selected areas of vertebrate function. Various advanced physiological techniques and small mammal surgery are employed in the laboratory.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Jo Ann Jones, Dean
Glynn Morse, Acting Assistant Dean

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MISSION

The objective of the MBA is to prepare future business executives to deal with managerial problems related to operations in a modern economy. The academic program consists of 60-95 quarter hours of work. The first year of study consists primarily of foundation courses which are designed for students whose undergraduate academic experiences have been largely in non-business areas. If the individual's previous academic work satisfies a portion of the first year's course of study, then foundation courses may be waived accordingly. The curriculum for the MBA degree is based on the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) recommendations for this general professional degree.

Georgia College, through the J. Whitney Bunting School of Business, is nationally accredited by and is a member of the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) for the offering of these degree programs: (1) At the graduate level, for the Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and the Masters of Management Information Systems (MMIS) degrees; and (2) At the undergraduate level for the Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) degree.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the graduate program in business administration is limited to holders of a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution. It is expected that admission will be granted only to students showing high promise of success in graduate study.

The candidate's performance on the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) and the candidate's undergraduate work will be used to determine admission status. The formula used to determine regular admission is:

Fall 1996: $\text{GMAT score (minimum 430) + (200 \times \text{the undergraduate GPA}) = 1000$; or $\text{GMAT score (minimum 430) + (200 \times \text{the upper division GPA}) = 1050$.

Fall 1998: $\text{GMAT score (minimum 450) + (200 \times \text{the undergraduate GPA}) = 1050$; or $\text{GMAT score (minimum 450) + (200 \times \text{the upper division GPA}) = 1100$.

The completed application, including all supporting papers, must be received by Graduate Admissions in the Office of Enrollment Services no later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter in which the applicant anticipates beginning graduate study. Applicants may enter any quarter. Admission is granted after meeting the admission standards.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Provisional admission requirements will be 50 points below the formula for regular admission. To exit provisional status students must complete 20 hours of courses in provisional status (or a combination of conditional and provisional status) with no grade lower than a B, and have a minimum grade point average of 3.5.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Students may take ONLY 500-level courses while in conditional status. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

I. FOUNDATION COURSES * 0-45

- ACT 551 Financial Accounting Concepts
- COM 527 Advanced Communication and Reports
- ECO 571 Economic Theory
- FIN 505 Financial Management
- LEB 507 Legal Environment of Business
- MGT 501 Business Statistics
- MGT 542 Management Theory
- MIS 545 Computer and Decision Making Process
- MKT 561 Marketing and Distribution Theory

* Must have undergraduate grade(s) of C or better to waive

II. COMMON BODY OF KNOWLEDGE 50

Required of all students. Must have regular status to register for 600-level courses.

- ACT 655 Managerial Accounting
- ECO 675 International Economics
- ECO 676 Managerial Economics
- FIN 641 Financial Policies
- MGT 603 Statistical Applications in Business
- MGT 618 Business Ethics and Societal Responsibilities
- MGT 640 Production/Operations Management
- MGT 648 Organizational Theory and Behavior
- MGT 699 Business Policy (May be taken only by students with Regular standing in MBA program and with required prerequisites)
- MKT 661 Advanced Marketing Theory and Applications

III. ELECTIVES 0-10*+

Zero to ten hours selected from the following courses and approved by the graduate director. Must have regular status to register for 600-level courses.

- ACT 601 Special Topics in Accounting
- ACT 656 Governmental Accounting
- ACT 657 Advanced Auditing

ACT	658	Seminar in Tax Research
ACT	659	Accounting Theory
COM	627	Communication Theory in Management
COM	628	Advanced Managerial Communication
ECO	601	Special Topics in Economics
ECO	678	Economic Fluctuations and Forecasting
FIN	601	Special Topics in Finance
FIN	643	Investment Analysis
MGT	596	Small Business Institute
MGT	601	Special Topics in Management
MGT	605	Quantitative Methods for Business Research
MGT	608	International Management
MGT	632	Healthcare Management
MGT	644	Human Resources in Administration
MGT	646	Issues in Productivity Management
MGT	647	Management Systems Approach to Business Decision-Making
MIS	601	Special Topics in Information Systems
MIS	620	Microcomputer Systems and Applications
MIS	680	Information Systems Concepts
MIS	681	Decisions Support Systems
MIS	682	Data Communication and Distributed Processing
MIS	683	Data Base Management
MIS	684	Intelligent Office Systems
MIS	685	Research Project in Information Systems
MIS	690	Advanced Algorithm and Problem Oriented Language
MIS	691	Audit, Control, and Legal Aspects of Information Systems
MIS	692	Information Resource Management
MIS	693	Systems Analysis, Tools and Prototyping
MIS	694	Expert Systems in Business Applications
MKT	662	Strategic Marketing Planning

*Depending on the number of foundation courses required.

+Summer workshops cannot be used as MBA electives

Minimum Hours **60**

The entering student with an appropriate academic background may be able to complete the Master of Business Administration degree with a minimum of 60 quarter hours of graduate work. All programs of study are based on individual student needs as stipulated by the graduate director.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

In addition to meeting the normal College requirements for graduation, the MBA candidate must have an overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 on all graduate business courses taken in the Georgia College J. Whitney Bunting School of Business and a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on all 600 level courses taken in the Georgia College School of Business. All credit applied toward the degree shall have been earned within six years prior to the completion of the program of study.

CAREER INFORMATION

An informal survey of business executives in the local area showed a very positive response to the Master of Business Administration degree offered by the School of Business at Georgia College. The degree is used as a recruiting tool by the area chambers of commerce in their brochures designed to attract domestic and international industrial firms to the central

Georgia area. Graduates are employed in such areas as profit-oriented health care facilities, mining plants, CPA firms, mental health care facilities, consulting management and engineering firms, corporate communication firms, corporate accounting, regional marketing, the Internal Revenue Service, financial institutions, and other private and public organizations.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For information, contact: Director of Graduate Programs in Business, J. Whitney Bunting School of Business, Georgia College, Box 019, Milledgeville, GA 31061. The graduate director may be reached by telephone at 912-453-5115 or 912-454-2595.

MASTER OF MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

MISSION

The MMIS Program is designed to prepare graduates for positions and responsibilities in designing, implementing, and managing corporate information resources. The academic program consists of 60-100 hours of work. The first year of study consists primarily of foundation courses designed for students whose undergraduate academic experience has been largely in non-business areas. If the individual's previous academic work satisfies a portion of the first year's course of study, then foundation courses can be waived accordingly. The curriculum for the MIS degree is based on Data Processing Management Association and American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) recommendations.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the graduate program in Management Information Systems is limited to holders of the baccalaureate degree from regionally accredited institutions. In addition, proficiency in two 3rd or 4th generation programming languages is highly recommended.

It is expected that admission will be granted only to students showing high promise of success in graduate study. The candidate's performance on the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) and the candidate's undergraduate work will be used to determine admission status. The formula used to determine regular admission is:

Fall 1996 = $\text{GMAT score (minimum 430)} + (200 \times \text{the undergraduate GPA}) = 1000$; or $\text{GMAT score (minimum 430)} + (200 \times \text{the upper division GPA}) = 1050$.

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The completed application, including all supporting papers, must be received by the Graduate Admissions section of the Office of Enrollment Services no later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter in which the applicant anticipates beginning graduate study. Applicants may enter any quarter. Admission is granted after meeting the admission standards.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Provisional admission requirements will be 50 points below the formula for regular admission. To exit provisional status students must complete 20 hours of courses in provisional status (or a combination of conditional and provisional status) with no grade lower than a B, and have a minimum grade point average of 3.5.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Students may take ONLY 500-level courses while in conditional status. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

I. FOUNDATION COURSES *	0-40
ACT 551 Financial Accounting Concepts	
ECO 571 Economic Theory	
FIN 505 Financial Management	
LEB 507 Legal Environment of Business	
MGT 501 Business Statistics	
MGT 542 Organizational Management	
MIS 546 Hardware and Systems Software	
MKT 561 Marketing and Distribution Theory	
* Must have undergraduate grade(s) of C or better to waive	
II. BUSINESS CORE REQUIRED	15
Must have regular status to register for 600-level courses.	
ACT 655 Managerial Accounting	
MGT 605 Quantitative Methods for Business Research	
MGT 648 Organizational Theory and Behavior	
III. INFORMATION SYSTEMS CORE	30
Must have regular status to register for 600-level courses.	
MIS 680 Information Systems Concepts	
MIS 681 Decision Support Systems	
MIS 682 Data Communications and Distributed Processing	
MIS 683 Data Base Management	
MIS 685 Research Project in Information Systems may be taken only by students with regular standing in MIS program and with required prerequisites	
MIS 693 Systems Analysis Tools and Prototyping	
IV. INFORMATION SYSTEMS ELECTIVES	15+
Must have regular status to register for 600-level courses.	
MIS 601 Special Topics	
MIS 620 Microcomputer Applications in Business	
MIS 684 Intelligent Office Systems	
MIS 690 Advanced Algorithms and Problems Oriented Language	
MIS 691 Audit, Control and Legal Aspects of Information Systems	
MIS 692 Information Resource Management	
MIS 694 Expert Systems in Business Applications	
+Summer workshops cannot be used as MIS elective	

Minimum Hours **60**

The entering student with an appropriate academic background may be able to complete the Master of Management Information Systems degree with a minimum of 60 quarter hours of graduate work. All programs of study are based on individual student needs as stipulated by the graduate director.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

In addition to meeting the normal College requirements for graduation, the MIS candidate must have an overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 on all graduate business courses taken in the Georgia College School of Business and a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on all 600 level courses taken in the Georgia College School of Business. All credit applied toward the degree shall have been earned within six years prior to the completion of the program of study.

CAREER INFORMATION

A survey of business executives in Middle Georgia showed a very positive response to the Master of Management Information Systems degree offered by the School of Business at Georgia College. The degree was introduced at Georgia College in response to an analysis of corporate needs. From all available data, the job market for those who hold a Master of Management Information Systems degree appears to be healthy and growing.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

NOTE: (4-3-5) following the course indicates: 4 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory, and 5 hours credit.

ACCOUNTING (ACT)

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

+551. FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING CONCEPTS. (5-0-5)

The conceptual background for the measurement of income and the reporting of financial conditions for business.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN ACCOUNTING. (5-0-5)

This course meets special needs of students and/or the community. Approval of the graduate director is required prior to registering.

655. MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ACT 551.* An analysis of information provided by the accounting system with emphasis upon the special needs of management. Students review accounting literature for the purpose of strengthening their research and communication skills using accounting information.

656. GOVERNMENTAL ACCOUNTING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ACT 551 or undergraduate equivalent. A study of the special problems facing governmental entities in the areas of budgeting, controlling receipts and disbursements, and reporting.

657. ADVANCED AUDITING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: BBA in Accounting or equivalent. A study of theoretical concepts of auditing above those discussed in ACT 457. An investigation into areas of controversy, a review of auditing literature, and an intensive study of the Statements on Auditing Standards.

658. SEMINAR IN TAX RESEARCH. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: BBA in accounting or the equivalent or permission of the instructor. A study of the structure of Individual Income Tax Law. Tax research methods will be covered and students will be assigned a number of cases for research. Students will do both a written and oral presentation of their research efforts.

659. ACCOUNTING THEORY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: BBA in accounting or the equivalent or permission of the instructor. A study of the evolution of accounting theory with emphasis on recent developments. Various financial accounting and reporting issues will be discussed. Involves direct access to professional standards.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY (Var. 1-5)

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

COMMUNICATION (COM)

+527. ADVANCED COMMUNICATION AND REPORTS. (5-0-5)

Communication principles that incorporate word and data processing concepts and the use of information systems. Modern written and oral techniques for successful internal and external communications are applied. Issues concerning international and cross cultural communications are explored. The application of the principles of report writing, including writing style and graphic presentation, is emphasized.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

627. COMMUNICATIONS THEORY IN MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

A study of the nature, functions, and dynamics of communication. This course involves a study of the models of communication and an analysis of the component theories of the communication process. The theories presented are applied in various problem situations encountered at the management level in business. Included is a study of the verbal and nonverbal problems encountered when communicating with citizens of other nations.

628. ADVANCED MANAGERIAL COMMUNICATION. (5-0-5)

Designed to meet the needs of the practicing manager. Included are the communications carried out by managers in organizations and the organizational and human variables which influence these communications. Included is the management of information systems. Communication styles of managers from different cultures are discussed

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

ECONOMICS (ECO)

501. SPECIAL TOPICS IN ECONOMICS. (5-0-5)

This course meets the special needs of students and/or the community.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

+571. ECONOMIC THEORY. (5-0-5)

An analysis of the principles involved in the production, exchange and distribution of goods by the American economic system. An inquiry into macroeconomic theory, analyzing the factors influencing the level of and changes in the Gross National Product and other important economic aggregates.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN ECONOMICS. (5-0-5)

This course meets special needs of students and/or the community. Approval of the graduate director is required prior to registration.

675. INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ECO 571*. A study of the history, institutions, and theory of international trade and finance and analysis of international economic policies. Includes an examination of the institutions, markets, and methods of the international financial system.

676. MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: ECO 571* and MGT 603. The development of skill in the systematic analysis of the economic aspects of business decisions and in the development, understanding, and use of quantitative data bearing on the performance of the business firm as a whole and of individual units within the firm.

678. ECONOMIC FLUCTUATIONS AND FORECASTING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: ECO 571* and MGT 603 An applied macroeconomics course that includes the study of measuring fluctuations in economic activity, analysis of business cycles, economic forecasting techniques, and economic stabilization policies and their impact on business decisions.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-5)

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

FINANCE (FIN)

500. PERSONAL FINANCE. (5-0-5)

A study of the system of management of personal finance and other economic issues and problems confronted by the typical student first entering the marketplace. The course is designed to meet the needs of school teachers in such areas as social science, business education, and others. Graduate students in business administration must have approval of the graduate director prior to registering.

+505. FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ACT 551* and MGT 501 and ECO 571.* An introductory course in finance. An understanding of basic financial concepts and techniques, and an ability to apply them in arriving at management decisions within the context of specific business situations.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN FINANCE. (5-0-5)

This course meets special needs of students and/or the community. Approval of the graduate director is required prior to registration.

641. FINANCIAL POLICIES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: FIN 505* and MGT 501.* Examination and application of contemporary financial theory and analysis related to business finance. Cases and case readings in financial management, financial structure, obtaining and managing capital, issuing and placing securities and administering income

643. INVESTMENT ANALYSIS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: FIN 505* and MGT 501.* or permission of instructor. Study of theories and techniques of investment analysis for purposes of evaluation and selection of investments.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-5)

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS (LEB)

+507. LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS. (5-0-5)

A study of the legal and regulatory environment of business that focuses on ethical, global, political, economic, social, environmental, technological, and diversity issues.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

MANAGEMENT (MGT)

+501. BUSINESS STATISTICS. (5-0-5)

A general course designed to provide students with the background necessary for understanding the role of statistics in decision making. Data collection, organization, and applications including sampling and probability distributions, measures of association, hypothesis testing and forecasting with a consideration of ethical implications.

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

+542. ORGANIZATIONAL MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

An introduction to the management process, emphasizing planning and strategy, organizational theory and structure, organizational behavior, direction, and control including leadership, motivation, team building, management information systems and current managerial issues including Total Quality Management, multi-cultural impact, and ethical considerations.

596. SMALL BUSINESS INSTITUTE. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: Permission of the instructor. A hands-on experience concerned with the problems and responsibilities of starting and operating a small business. Students work in teams, consulting with small businesses and/or entrepreneurs on actual business cases. Graduate students are often used as team leaders.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

This course meets special needs of students and/or the community. Approval of the graduate director is required prior to registering.

603. STATISTICAL APPLICATIONS IN BUSINESS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 501*. An advanced course offering an in-depth examination of analysis of variance, multiple linear regression and correlation, experimental design, and nonparametric statistics. Computer applications provide students with the ability to apply sophisticated statistical tools to problem solving and decision making within business settings.

605. QUANTITATIVE METHODS FOR BUSINESS RESEARCH. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 501*. This course deals with the application of specific quantitative models to business problems. The emphasis is placed on decision making under uncertainty and risk, probability, programming, and simulation models. Computer-assisted problem solving is applied to the use of these models.

608. INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 542*. This course explores different economic, political/governmental, and social/cultural systems and their impact on managerial functions. It attempts to bring to the student a clearer awareness of the major facets of international operations.

618. BUSINESS ETHICS AND SOCIETAL RESPONSIBILITIES. (5-0-5)

This is a cross-functional course examining the impact of the environment, ethical, demographic, cultural, regulatory and public policy influences on organizational decision-making.

632. HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 542*. This course focuses on the unique problems of managing health services delivered in such settings as hospitals, ambulatory care centers, home health care agencies, long term care facilities, mental health centers, and public health centers. The course will stress competency in planning, designing, implementing, managing and evaluating health services with the primary objectives of improving organizational performance and service outcome within the context of emerging issues in health care.

640. PRODUCTION/OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 501* and MGT 542*. The course deals with the design and implementation of production systems for service and goods-producing organizations. Topics include strategic planning, facilities design, project management, and design of computer-based quality and performance control systems.

644. HUMAN RESOURCES IN ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 542*. The management of human resources emphasizing methods of job analysis and design, manpower planning, selection, placement, appraisal, reward systems, training and development, and member relations within the legal and social framework of organizations.

646. ISSUES IN PRODUCTIVITY MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 542*. This course provides a comprehensive study of the principles, practices, and their application in business process reengineering and total quality management. Research findings and case studies will emphasize those companies and organizations who claim to have implemented reengineering efforts. The course will focus on quality and productivity gains achieved by managerial applications designed to improve productivity compared to the damage done when reengineering is not effectively implemented.

647. MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS APPROACH TO BUSINESS DECISION-MAKING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: MGT 648 or permission of instructor. The study of systems organization design and the interaction of organizational design with the external and internal environment from a systems management perspective. Develops the use of diagnostic tools in solving organizational design problems.

648. ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND BEHAVIOR. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MGT 542*. Focuses on human behavior at the level of the individual, the small group, and the organization. Individual and cultural differences, group dynamics, power distribution, structure, environment, and technology are discussed in relation to the effectiveness of organizations.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-5)

699. BUSINESS POLICY. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: Regular admission status. ACT 655, ECO 676, FIN 641, MGT 648 and MKT 661 or permission of instructor. MGT 644 is also recommended. Integrates the subject matter of several disciplines in solving comprehensive, multi-faceted management problems at the strategic, policy-making level of the organization including ethical and international implications. Requires a knowledge of accounting, finance, marketing, economics, organizational theory, quantitative and behavioral decision-making, planning, and control methods. The importance of problem identification, strategy formulation, implementation, and evaluation is the focus of the course. This course is the capstone course for graduate business administration students. May be taken only by students with regular status in MBA program and with required prerequisites.

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS (MIS)

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

+545. COMPUTERS IN BUSINESS. (5-0-5)

An introductory study of the application of computers in business. The student is required to use word processors, spreadsheets, database and graphics to create documents, decision support systems, files, and graphic presentations. Other subjects covered at an introductory level are networks, data communication networks, management of the information resources, and the application of technology for strategic advantages.

+546. COMPUTER HARDWARE, SYSTEMS SOFTWARE, AND DATA COMMUNICATIONS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: ISC 209 or permission of instructor. This course presents a functional, systems-level review of computing equipment, data communications and systems software. Students learn the principles of software and build an understanding of combinations of hardware and software within both single-user and multi-user architectural designs.

601. SPECIAL TOPICS IN INFORMATION SYSTEMS. (5-0-5)

This course meets special needs of students and/or the community. Approval of the graduate director is required prior to registering.

620. MICROCOMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN BUSINESS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545* or permission of instructor. This course provides knowledge and experience in the most widely used microcomputer applications in word processing, data base management, spreadsheets, and networking. Emphasis is on employing these systems in an integrated intelligent office environment. Students are required to demonstrate the ability to construct practical applications in these applied systems. Case studies are employed.

680. INFORMATION SYSTEMS CONCEPTS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545* or permission of instructor. Comparative theory and practice of computer information systems. Topics include review of the systems development life cycle: investigation, analysis, design, development, and implementation. Information theory, types, functions and value of information, humans as information processors, documentation, structured, design tools, productivity tools, prototyping, natural languages, and demonstration are discussed. Organizational and communication skills for the analyst in a consulting role are explored.

681. DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEMS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 546 and 680. Conceptual foundation in evaluation and application of information systems tools in making complex decisions. Topics include formulation, development, and evaluation of decision making models and their integration with the information center. Development and future directions of decision support and knowledge based applications are considered. Case studies are used to illustrate the difference between decision support systems and traditional data processing applications.

682. DATA COMMUNICATIONS AND DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: MIS 546. Overview of geographically distributed computer-communications facilities. Network design, structure, optimization, reliability, error detection and encryption. Common carriers, value-added networks, packet switching, data transmission technologies, routing techniques, protocols, communication media as terminal devices, and communications controllers are included. Integration of data communication and computing technologies.

683. DATA BASE MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 546. Management of data as a resource. Development of a conceptual framework to evaluate, select, acquire, install, and maintain commercial data base management packages for use in information systems. Data structures, data storage, data representation, data flow, data dictionaries, access methods, utilities, query languages, security, backup, configuration control, distributed data bases, and future directions in data base management are explored.

684. INTELLIGENT OFFICE SYSTEMS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545. Overview of text and graphics based office systems. Application, selection, and implementation of artificial intelligence tools in the office environment. Integration of data, text, image, and voice processing. Electronic mail, public data banks, local and wide area networks, microcomputers, video conferencing and human/machine interfaces. Role of office systems in the information center and future directions in office augmentation.

685. RESEARCH PROJECT IN INFORMATION SYSTEMS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: MGT 501, MGT 605, MGT 648, MIS 545. An applied MIS research course. In-depth analysis of current research trends in MIS, research methodologies, data acquisition and analysis, and research findings reporting. Students will be required to conduct an MIS research project.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var 1-5)

690. ADVANCED ALGORITHM AND PROBLEM ORIENTED LANGUAGE. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 683. This course gives the student the opportunity to apply the fourth generation languages (4GL) to end-user problems. A working knowledge of at least one 4GL is required.

691. AUDIT, CONTROL AND LEGAL ASPECTS OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545. Exposure to EDP procedures standards and techniques, types of controls, data integrity, risk assessment, and expectations of the internal and external auditor in information systems auditing. Computer abuse, ethics, privacy, and security are emphasized. Legal considerations include contracts, copyrights, patents, trade secrets, warranties, product liability, software protection, and the role of regulatory agencies in information systems. Case studies will be used.

692. INFORMATION RESOURCE MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545. The organizing, staffing, budgeting, scheduling, coordinating, and controlling of information systems projects, as well as networking and global aspects of information systems are discussed. Emphasis is on managing multiple systems development and programming teams, estimating resource requirements, planning software, and productivity tools, and use of outside services. A project is assigned to reinforce management concepts.

693. SYSTEMS ANALYSIS, TOOLS, AND PROTOTYPING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 683. This course is an advanced systems analysis and design project. It requires the selection, proposal, functional specifications creation, design specifications creation, and implementation planning for a complete computer based information system project. Students will apply PERT, CPM, HIPO charts, data flow diagrams, Gantt charts, and microcomputer based systems of prototyping to an actual design project. Strong emphasis is on the creation of accurate and understandable documentation for the user and the maintainer of each system.

694. EXPERT SYSTEMS IN BUSINESS APPLICATIONS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MIS 545*. This course introduces students to basic concepts and techniques of artificial intelligence or intelligent systems, and gives insights into active research areas and applications relevant to industry and management. Emphasis is placed on representation as a central and necessary concept for work in intelligent systems. Strategies for choosing representations as well as notational systems and structures including commercial applications are covered. Other topics: natural languages, vision systems, search strategies, and control.

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

MARKETING (MKT)

53A-Q. STUDY ABROAD (Var.) on demand

Prerequisite: Acceptance into a Georgia College exchange program and permission of the Director of International Services and Programs. An individually designed and planned learning experience in the student's major program of study at an institution abroad. Specific credits to be determined in advance of registration and study. Grading to be based on evaluation reports of the exchange institution. The course may be used to fulfill major requirements limited only by the program specific requirements of a discipline or the guidelines of the Georgia College Study Abroad or Exchange Programs.

+561. MARKETING AND DISTRIBUTION THEORY. (5-0-5)

An analysis of the basic principles of marketing and its environment, with a focus on development of an understanding of ethical planning, implementing, and controlling marketing activities on a local, national, and international scale.

661. ADVANCED MARKETING THEORY AND APPLICATIONS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MKT 561*. In-depth analysis of theory, principles, expected market behavior, and demands on the resources of the firm within a dynamic socially responsible environment. International and domestic considerations are emphasized. Stresses cases involving applications of marketing decision making.

662. STRATEGIC MARKETING PLANNING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: MKT 561. This course gives students a "hands-on" approach to developing marketing plans. It focuses on the background analysis necessary for the foundation of marketing strategy including: competitor definition analysis, industry analysis, customer analysis and forecasting.

68A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-5)

*or approved undergraduate equivalent

+students with an approved undergraduate equivalent should not enroll in this course

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Edward M. Wolpert, Dean
Kathryn Powell, Assistant Dean

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

W. Bee Crews, Coordinator

MISSION

The Specialist in Education degree program provides advanced study for qualified master educators. It is designed to equip the master educator with additional professional leadership skills and abilities to serve both educational and social agencies within the community. Activities and experiences will be oriented toward developing: a) insight into the theoretical and foundational bases of teaching; b) understanding of human growth and development and of the guidance functions demanded of the professional educator; c) competence as a consumer of research findings and ability in developing and carrying out action research in the classroom; d) command of concepts, understanding, generalizations, and points of view, as well as knowledge and skill in the area of specialization; e) ability to communicate effectively with oral and written expression; f) ability to communicate ideas and facts with greater acuity and fluency; g) ability to exert leadership as well as willingness to accept responsibility in the broad field of education; and h) higher levels of competence in classroom performance thus leading to a better education for children and youth.

Approved teacher education programs leading to the Specialist in Education degree and level 6 certification are provided in these fields: Early Childhood Education (P-4), Health and Physical Education (P-12), Middle Grades Education (4-8), Natural Science (Biology) (7-12) and Social Science (7-12). The Specialist Program leading to the L6 Certification in Administration and Supervision is also offered.

THE EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY CENTER

The School of Education, in a unique partnership with the Georgia Department of Education and private corporations operates the Educational Technology Center at the Macon Campus. The 5000 sq. ft. facility includes computer labs, model classrooms equipped with modern educational technology, and an audio/video distance learning center.

The Educational Technology Center works with teachers, administrators, college students, and community members to address the following components of the Governor's initiative to improve schools in Central Georgia.

1. Technology Awareness
2. Technology Planning
3. Integrating Technology into the Classroom
4. Distance learning

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The complete application, including all supporting papers should be filed with the Office of Enrollment Services not later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter in which the applicant proposes to begin graduate study.

Applicants for admission to the program leading to the Specialist in Education degree must:

1. Hold either 1) a Master of Education or comparable degree which includes advanced professional education or 2) any other masters degree to which has been added advanced professional education and be eligible for a level 5 State of Georgia Teachers Certificate. In either case, the degree must be from an accredited institution and the content field must be the same or similar to the content field for the planned Specialist Program. Persons seeking a Specialist degree in Administration and Supervision must possess or be eligible for the NL-5 certificate.
2. Have a 3.25 academic grade point average on all graduate work attempted.
3. Submit a verification of experience letter from employing school system verifying two years of teaching experience prior to admission.
4. Submit a score from the GRE General Test: minimum score of 900 (minimum V450 + A450); or submit a score of 48 or higher on the MAT.

Work taken prior to regular admission cannot be applied toward the degree.

Applicants denied admission to the Ed.S. program may submit a written request for review of their application to the Coordinator of Graduate Programs.

PROVISIONAL/CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

All students applying for admission into the Specialist Degree program must be eligible for regular admission in accordance with the requirements described in the degree section of this catalog. There is no provisional or conditional admission in the Specialist degree program.

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

The Specialist in Education program requires work in two areas: classroom studies and a program of activities for professional and personal development. A thesis option requiring a field project in educational research is available in some programs. A minimum of 46 quarter hours of course work beyond the Master of Education degree is required. No grade below B may be counted toward meeting degree requirements.

Ed.S. with a major in ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 20-21

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs (3 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (3 hrs)
- EFS 635 Thesis or additional course in EAS (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD 15

- EAS 622 Advanced School Law (5 hrs)
- EAS 660 Trends in Instructional Leadership and Education (5 hrs)
- EAS 663 Internship: School and Business (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES (from major content) 10-15

- EAS 661 Supervision of School Program (5 hrs)
 - EAS 662 School Finance (5 hrs)
 - EAS 664 Seminar (5 hrs)
 - EAS 668 Telecourse Series (5 hrs)
 - EAS 695 The Learner and the Administrative Process (5 hrs)
- Any course in field not taken in M.Ed. if approved by adviser

Minimum Hours **46**

**Ed.S. with a major in
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (P-4)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 26-41

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs in Education (3 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (3 hrs)
- EFS 635 Ed.S. Thesis or additional course in teaching field (5 hrs)
- EEC 69E Seminar on Special Topics in Early Childhood Education (5 hrs)
- *EEC 593 Early Childhood Education (5 hrs)
- *EEC 594 Advanced Practicum in Early Childhood Education (5 hrs)
- *EEC 553 Advanced Child Development and Guidance (5 hrs)

*Unless taken at M.Ed. Level

II. CONTENT FIELD 19-30

Course selections are determined through advisement. A minimum of one course in each teaching area must be taken at either the master or specialist level. Course options are determined by previous courses taken.

- Communicative Arts (5 hrs) 5
- EEC 560 Writing Instruction for Young Children, ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading, or ERD 651 Literature in the School Program.
- Social Studies (5 hrs) 5
- EEC 511 Social Studies in Early Childhood Education or an additional social studies course selected from Arts and Sciences.
- Science (5 hrs) 5
- EEC 525 Life Science for Early Childhood Teachers or EEC 526 Physical Science for Early Childhood Teachers.
- Creative Activities (5 hrs) 5
- ART 515 Art Education or EEC 659 Creative Activities for the Young Child.
- Health/Physical Education (5 hrs) 5
- HEA 625 Health in the Schools: P-8 or PEM 540 Movement Education for Young Children.
- Mathematics (5 hrs) 5
- EEC 590 Development of Logical & Creative Thought for Young Children (required if not taken previously)

Additional Recommended Courses:

- EEC 540 Organization and Administration of Early Childhood Programs (5 hrs)
- EEC 585 Guiding Education Field Experiences (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES – (approved by adviser)0-15

Minimum Hours **46**

**Ed.S. with a major in
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (P-12)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 16

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (5 hrs)

II. REQUIRED CONTENT 5

- HEA/PEM 635 THESIS or HEA or PEM Content Course (5 hrs)

III. CONTENT ELECTIVES25-50

Program must contain a minimum of 50 content hours including courses from the level 5 and level 6 program.

- HEA 503 Foundations of Psycho-Social Health (5 hrs)
- HEA 504 Health Promotion (5 hrs)
- HEA 536 Seminar in Drug Education (5 hrs)
- HEA 590 Special Topics (5 hrs)
- HEA 605 Seminar in Contemporary Health Problems (5 hrs)
- HEA 625 Health in the Schools P-8 (5 hrs)
- HEA 635 Research Problems in Health (5 hrs)
- HEA 640 Environmental Health & Safety (5 hrs)
- HEA 653 Epidemiology (5 hrs)
- HEA 655 Sexuality (5 hrs)
- PEM 525 Analysis of Sports Techniques (5 hrs)
- PEM 540 Movement Education for Young Children (5 hrs)
- PEM 550 Outdoor Education (5 hrs)
- PEM 560 Physiology of Exercise (5 hrs)
- PEM 574 Organization and Administration of Health and Physical Education (5 hrs)
- PEM 590 Special Topics (5 hrs)
- PEM 635 Research Problems in Physical Ed (5 hrs)
- PEM 670 History of Philosophy of HPER (5 hrs)
- PEM 675 Application of Psychology to Physical Education and Sports (5 hrs)
- PEM 687 Seminar: Experimental Studies in Motor Learning (5 hrs)
- PEM 688 Perceptual Motor Learning (5 hrs)
- PEM 689 Physical Education and Recreation for the Exceptional Student (5 hrs)

Additional Courses:

The total program (Masters and Specialist) shall consist of a minimum of 106 quarter hours. A minimum of 46 quarter hours must be completed at level 6. Courses shall be determined according to results of the level 6 Health and Physical Education Evaluation Sheet based on the following guidelines: Foundations of Education (15), Curriculum Methods & Problems (15), Research & Projects (10-15), Electives (10-15), Subject Materials in Teaching or Related Field (50)

Minimum Hours **46**

Ed.S. with a major in MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION (4-8)

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION26-31

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs in Education (3 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (3 hrs)
- EFS 635 Ed.S. Thesis or additional course in teaching field (5 hrs)
- *EMG 640 Curriculum and Methods for the Middle Grades (5 hrs)
- *EMG 641 Practicum for Middle Grades Education (5 hrs)
- EMG 69E Seminar on Special Topics in Middle Grades Education (5 hrs)

*Unless taken at the M.Ed. Level

II. CONTENT FIELD15-30

Course selections are determined through advisement. A minimum of 15 hours in a primary concentration selection from language arts, social studies, math, or science must be taken at either the master or specialist level. A minimum of 10 hours in a secondary concentration selected from language arts, social studies, math, science, or health/physical education should be taken at either the master or specialist level. Additional courses are selected from each of the areas not selected as concentrations.

Concentration Areas: Required courses (*) must be taken in the selected concentration areas at either the M.Ed. or Ed.S. levels.

Language Arts:

- *EMG 514 Early Adolescent Literature (5 hrs)
- *EMG 560 Writing Instruction in the Middle Grades (5 hrs)
- *ERD 650 Literature, Reading, and Writing in the Content Fields (5 hrs)
- ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Development Reading (5 hrs)
- ERD 651 Literature in the School Program (5 hrs)

Science:

- *EMG 525 Life Science for Middle Grades (5 hrs)
- *EMG 526 Physical Science for Middle Grades (5 hrs)

Math:

- *EMG 590 Development of Logical and Creative Thought in Middle Grades Children (5 hrs)
- MAT 513 Algebra for Middle School Teachers (5 hrs)
- MAT 515 Geometry for Middle School Teachers (5 hrs)
- MAT 525 Probability and Statistics for Middle School Teachers (5 hrs)

Social Studies:

- *EMG 511 Social Studies in the Middle Grades (5 hrs)

Health/Physical Education:

- *HEA 625 Health in the Schools: P-8 (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES -- (approved by adviser)5-15

- EMG 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences

Ed.S. with a major in NATURAL SCIENCE (BIOLOGY) EDUCATION (7-12)

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 20-21

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs in Education (3 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (3 hrs)
- EFS 635 Ed.S. Thesis or additional course in teaching field (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD 25-30

Course selections are determined through advisement from the following five hour courses:

- BIO 501 Recent Advances in the Biological Sciences
- BIO 540 Genetics
- BIO 541 Evolution
- BIO 569 Freshwater Biology
- BIO 570 Biology for Teachers
- BOT 560 Plant Anatomy
- BOT 570 Plant Physiology
- ZOO 503 Vertebrate Zoology
- BIO 58E Independent Study
- BIO 59E Internship
- ENS 592 Meteorology

Other courses in field if approved by the adviser/department chair.

Minimum Hours **46**

Ed.S. with a major in SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATION (7-12)

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 20-21

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
or EFS 620 Philosophical Issues in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 628 Seminar in Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 632 Research Designs in Education (3 hrs)
- EFS 633 Applied Statistics (3 hrs)
- EFS 635 Ed.S. Thesis or additional course in teaching field (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD 25-35

Course selections are determined by courses taken at M.Ed. level and should be selected through advisement from the following five hour courses:

- HIS 503 Classical Greece
- HIS 504 Classical Rome
- HIS 506 The Middle Ages
- HIS 507 Colonial and Revolutionary America
- HIS 508 The Age of Jefferson
- HIS 511 Modern Europe
- HIS 513 Modern English Social History
- HIS 514 Tudor-Stuart England
- HIS 515 The Renaissance and Reformation
- HIS 517 Soviet Russia
- HIS 518 Age of Absolutism

- HIS 519 The French Revolution and Napoleon
- HIS 520 The American Civil War
- HIS 522 The Ante-Bellum South
- HIS 529 Hitler and Nazi Germany
- HIS 530 The South Since Reconstruction
- HIS 532 Georgia: Colony and State
- HIS 544 Religion in America
- HIS 545 Topics in American Social History
- HIS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- HIS 556 The Vietnam War
- HIS 560 Modern Middle East
- HIS 600 Historical Methods and Interpretations
- HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History
- HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History
- HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History
- HIS 614 Advanced Topics in British History
- HIS 652 Heritage Education
- HIS 69A-X Special Topics
- GEO 501 Economic Geography
- GEO 550 Political Geography
- GEO 576 Cultural Geography
- GEO 592 Meteorology
- ECO 570 Special Topics in Economics or
- ECO 571 Economic Theory
- SOC 544 Race and Ethnic Relations
- POS 500 Public Policy Making
- POS 505 Constitutional Law I
- POS 550 Legislative Politics and Behavior
- POS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- POS 556 The Vietnam War
- POS 560 Public Opinion
- POS 575 Contemporary International Problems
- POS 590 Comparative Foreign Policy
- POS 591 The Politics of Japan

Other courses in field if approved by the adviser/department chair.

III. ELECTIVES0-10

- EFS 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences
or electives chosen in consultation with social science adviser

Minimum Hours **46**

CAREER INFORMATION

Most teachers who complete the sixth-year program continue in their same positions where they provide leadership in the improvement of instruction. Others accept supervisory or other leadership roles. The job market is excellent for teachers with the level 6 certificate. Also, the level 5 leadership certificate must be updated to level 6 within five years.

ADVISEMENT

Each candidate for the Specialist in Education degree is assigned a graduate adviser in the selected area of specialization. The adviser will serve as a mentor to the Specialist Candidate and assist in proposing, scheduling and completing the Specialist in Education Program of Graduate Study. The student taking the thesis option is also assigned a graduate committee of three or four faculty members who will supervise the research project and serve as an examination committee at the time of the oral examination.

EXIT EXAMINATION

A comprehensive departmental exit examination must be successfully completed as a culminating activity. This exam is scheduled through the adviser and the department chairperson of the candidate's area of specialization. Students who do not complete this requirement successfully may repeat the examination after a lapse of one academic year.

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

At least 35 hours of the Specialist degree program must be completed on the Georgia College Milledgeville, Macon, or Dublin campuses. Ten hours in the selected field of study may be transferred from another institution if approved by the adviser. Specialist programs must be completed, with the degree awarded, within four years of the initial matriculation of Specialist course work.

TEACHER CERTIFICATION TEST

Persons who complete the Ed.S. program are no longer required to post passing scores on the Teacher Certification Test (TCT) unless they have not done so in the selected area of study. Level six certificates are renewable every five years.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

THESIS OPTION

Candidates for the Specialist in Education degree who choose the thesis option must complete a Thesis (EFS 635 or HEA/PEM 635) which utilizes historical, experimental, or descriptive research methodologies.

Before beginning the thesis, the candidate must have received approval from his/her graduate committee for this comprehensive study.

A copy of the completed thesis must be given to the Coordinator of Graduate Programs in Education at least six weeks prior to the date the student plans to graduate. The thesis will be discussed during a final oral examination. Oral examination must be scheduled two weeks in advance and must be held at least one week prior to graduation. The thesis is officially completed when all members of the committee and Graduate Dean have signed the final copy.

After final approval, the student and the Graduate Coordinator will arrange with the Director of the Libraries to have two copies of the completed thesis bound: one for the library and one for the School of Education. The original copy will be deposited in the library unbound.

YEAR LONG PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Before completion of the Specialist program, each candidate must complete a program of professional activities and development. A written plan, approved by the adviser must be submitted to the Graduate Coordinator before the program is begun. Activities in no less than four of the following areas are required.

Be an active member of a professional organization as evidenced by such activities as holding office, making presentations, or attending conferences and/or meetings.

Engage in a program of professional reading as agreed upon by the adviser. (These readings would be in addition to the readings required for courses and/or thesis preparation).

Engage in professional writing as evidenced by the preparation and submission to appropriate journals or other publishing formats of original articles or other creative endeavors.

Provide service to the education profession as evidenced by such activities as serving on a textbook selection committee, SACS committee, serving on a beginning teacher assessment team, serving as a referee for a professional journal, offering workshops and presentations, and speaking to lay audiences.

Demonstrate professional creativity through development of educational support materials such as, but not limited to, a curriculum model, text, media production, or computer assisted instruction program.

Engage in visitation for the purpose of observing notable or exemplary education activities.

Engage in travel for professional purposes such as acquiring cross-cultural insights, developing additional skills, acquiring additional knowledge, and/or broadening professional contacts.

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

W. Bee Crews, Coordinator

MISSION

The Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.) degree provides basic teacher preparation at the masters degree level for persons who have undergraduate degrees in various content areas. The degree program is offered with a major in secondary education and prepares persons for teaching positions in secondary schools. The program is comprised of a minimum of 60 quarter hours of graduate coursework: 45 in professional education and 15 hours in the content field. Through a heavy emphasis on field based activities, the program ensures quality performance in the classroom. Upon satisfactory completion of the program, including the passing of the Teacher Certification Test in the appropriate content field, a student may be recommended for a professional teaching certificate.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be admitted as a regular graduate student in the degree program, an applicant must:

1. Submit a complete application and all supporting papers to the Office of Enrollment Services.
2. Have earned a minimum 2.5 undergraduate academic grade point average on all work course work attempted, at each college attended, in which letter grades were awarded.
3. Submit a score from the GRE General Test: minimum score of 800 (minimum V400 + A400); or submit a minimum score on the MAT of 44.
4. Be admitted to the Master of Arts in Teaching Program before enrolling in course work.

PROVISIONAL/CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

There is no provisional or conditional admission classification for the Master of Arts in Teaching.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

Master of Arts in Teaching programs begin with the fall quarter. However, because the program is field based, classes will follow the public school calendar and will begin in August with the opening of the school year.

M.A.T. with a major in SECONDARY EDUCATION

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 45 hrs

EFS 501	Field Based Learning and the Learner I (3 hrs)
EFS 502	Field Based Learning and the Learner II (2 hrs)
EFS 556	Field Based Secondary Curriculum and Methods I (2 hrs)
EFS 557	Field Based Secondary Curriculum and Methods II (3 hrs)
EFS 59E	Special Topics (5 hrs)
EFS 588	Teaching through Learning Channels (5 hrs)
EFS 589	Secondary Teaching Skills I (5 hrs)
EFS 590	Secondary Teaching Skills II (5 hrs)
EFS 591	Secondary Student Teaching (15 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 15 hrs

Student and adviser will select relevant graduate course work in the established major. Fifteen hours will be the minimum required for individuals with an undergraduate major in the field in which they are seeking certification. Students who do not fulfill requirements for certification in a proposed content field will need to add additional course work.

All M.A.T. students must successfully complete a comprehensive departmental exit exam before completing the program.

TOTAL HOURS (minimum) 60 hrs

Completion requirements:

1. A minimum GPA of 3.0 on all graduate work attempted.
2. Submit application for graduation at least two quarters before the anticipated completion of program.
3. Schedule and successfully complete a comprehensive departmental exit exam.
4. Submit passing scores on the Georgia Teacher's Certification Test and
5. Apply for State of Georgia Teaching Certificate through the Office of the Coordinator of Graduate Programs.

MASTER OF EDUCATION

W. Bee Crews, Coordinator

MISSION

The Master of Education degree programs provide advanced study for qualified educators. They are designed to equip an educator with additional professional skills and the ability to serve the educational agencies in the community at a higher level of proficiency. Activities and experiences will be oriented toward developing: a) understanding of human growth and development and of the guidance functions demanded for the professional educator; b) command of concepts as well as knowledge and skill in the area of specialization, c) insight into the theoretical and foundational bases of teaching (research and practice), d) ability to communicate effectively with oral and written expression; e) ability to communicate ideas and facts with greater acuity and fluency; f) willingness to accept responsibility in the broad field of education g) evaluation of teaching, classroom and the educational growth of individuals; h) competencies in teaching methodologies as they relate to the learning of students and i) skills in guiding the student in developing affective, cognitive and psychomotor abilities.

Approved teacher education programs leading to the Master of Education degree and level 5 certification are provided in the following fields: Early Childhood Education, Middle Grades Education, English, Health and Physical Education, Mathematics, Natural Science (Biology), Social Science, and Special Education (Behavior Disorders, Interrelated Teacher, Learning Disabilities, or Mental Retardation). Approved programs leading to the Master of Education degree and NL-5 Certificate in Administration and Supervision and the Master of Education degree and S-5 Certificate in Library Media are also available. Additionally, the Department of Curriculum and Instruction offers the sequence of courses leading to supplementary certification in supervising teacher service.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be admitted as a regular graduate student in the degree program, an applicant must:

1. Submit a complete application and all supporting papers to the Office of Enrollment Services.
2. Hold or be eligible for a level 4 Georgia Teacher Certificate.
*Except for the M.A.T. program, the Instructional Technology Program, Health Education without Certification and Outdoor Education Administration.
3. Have earned a minimum 2.5 undergraduate academic grade point average on all course work attempted, at each college attended, in which letter grades were awarded.
4. Submit a score from the GRE General Test: minimum score of 800 (minimum V400 + A400); or submit a minimum score on the MAT of 44.
5. Meet with an assigned adviser and submit a Program of Graduate Study.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Provisional admission to M.Ed. programs may be granted by either of two sets of criteria. A person may present:

1. a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.25 *and* a minimum score of 44 on the MAT or 800 on the GRE (minimum V400 + A400) or

2. a minimum undergraduate academic GPA of 2.5 *and* a minimum score of 35 on the MAT or 700 on the GRE (minimum V350 + A350).

For those persons who meet provisional admission requirements by (1) or (2) on previous page, regular admission may be acquired by earning a "B" or better in the first 15 to 20 hours taken under provisional admission, providing those hours include EFS 630, and ten hours in the chosen content field with adviser approval. If these conditions are met, the student's status will change to regular admission after meeting with an assigned adviser and submitting a Program of Graduate Study. Persons who do **not** meet these conditions will not be permitted further enrollment in the M.Ed. program.

NOTE: Students who are pursuing an M.Ed. in Health and Physical Education or Health Education but **DO NOT** desire teacher certification may enter the program by meeting all of the entrance requirements other than holding or being eligible for a level 4 certificate. In consultation with the adviser, the student may substitute courses related to their professional goals for EFS 600, 640 and 690. All remaining requirements of the program of study must be met. **IN NO INSTANCE WILL THIS OPTION LEAD TO TEACHING CERTIFICATION IN GEORGIA.**

A student applying for the Master of Education degree may not take more than twenty hours in provisional status.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

The Master of Education degree requires a minimum of 60 hours of course work. Courses must be completed in these categories: professional education, courses in the certification area, and additional program requirements or electives. This degree program must be completed within six years beginning with the initial date of registration. If an individual has a bachelors degree in an area other than the one in which the masters is being pursued, the program of study may require more than 60 hours.

M.Ed. with a major in ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 20-25

- *EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- *EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level. (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD 35

- EAS 610 Administration & Organization of Public Education (5 hrs)
- EAS 611 School Law (5 hrs)
- EAS 612 Supervision and the Instructional Process (5 hrs)
- EAS 614 Education/School business Management and Finance (5 hrs)
- EAS 617 Personnel Administration and Supervision (5 hrs)
- EAS 618 Internship in Administration (5 hrs)
- EAS 619 Curriculum and Inst. for School Ldrs. (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES 0-5

Select courses from the following five hour courses through advisement:

- EAS 58A-E Special Topics
- EIT 609 Computers in the Educational Process
- EAS 613 Problems in School Administration & Supervision
- EAS 620 Politics of Education
- EAS 621 The School as a Social System
- EEC 540 Organization & Administration of Early Childhood Education Programs
- EEC 593 Early Childhood Education
- PEM 574 Organization & Administration of Health & Physical Education in the Public School
- EEX 687 Administration of Special Education Programs
- ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading
- EMG 640 Curriculum and Methods for the Middle Grades

Minimum Hours **60**

M.Ed. with a major in EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (P-5)

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25 hrs

- *EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EEC 553 Advanced Child Development and Guidance (5 hrs)
- *EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum)	35 hrs
Specific course selections are determined through advisement. Course options are determined by previous course work. Professional needs and/or goals of the students are also factors that may be considered. EEC 593 and EEC 594 are required of all students.	
EEC 593 Early Childhood Education	5 hrs
EEC 594 Adv. Practicum in Early Childhood Education	5 hrs
Students are required to have completed a course in each of the following areas at the undergraduate or graduate level. Select one course in five of the following six areas.	
Communicative Arts	5 hrs
EEC 560 Writing Instruction for Young Children. ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading, or ERD 651 Literature in the School Program	
Social Studies	5 hrs
EEC 511 Social Studies in Early Childhood Education. An additional social studies course selected from Arts and Sciences	
Science	5 hrs
EEC 525 Life Science for Early Childhood Teachers or EEC 526 Physical Science for Early Childhood Teacher	
Creative Activities	5 hrs
Art 515 Art Education or EEC 659 Creative Activities for the Young Child	
Health/Physical Education	5 hrs
HEA 625 Health in the Schools: P-8 or PEM 540 Movement Education for Young Children	
Mathematics	5 hrs
EEC 590 Development of Logical & Creative Thought for Young Children (required if not taken at undergraduate level)	
Additional Course Recommendations:	
ERD 650 Literature, Reading, and Writing in the Content Fields (5 hrs)	
EEC 540 Organization and Admin of Early Childhood Programs (5 hrs)	
EEC 555 Parent-Child Interaction	
Minimum Hours	60

M.Ed. with a major in ENGLISH EDUCATION (7-12)

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION	25
*EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690	
EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)	
EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)	
EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)	
EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)	
Professional education elective (5 hrs)	
or EEX 564 Exceptional Individuals in Regular Classes (5 hrs)	
*EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.	
II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum)	30
Thirty hours selected from the following five hour courses through advisement:	
ENG 56E Blacks in Literature	
ENG 56E English Novel	

- ENG 56E English Drama
- ENG 56E Technical Writing
- ENG 56E Literary Women
- ENG 56 A-E Special Topics in English
- ENG 58 A-E Independent Study
- ENG 511 Milton
- ENG 512 Restoration and Eighteenth Century
- ENG 521 Shakespeare
- ENG 522 Advanced Grammar and Syntax
- ENG 523 Creative Writing
- ENG 524 Advanced Composition
- ENG 534 Modern Poetry
- ENG 535 Modern Fiction
- ENG 537 Romantic Poetry
- ENG 538 Victorian Poetry
- ENG 539 Chaucer
- ENG 544 Flannery O'Connor
- ENG 549 History of the English Language
- ENG 550 The Southern Renaissance
- ENG 552 Literary Criticism

III. ELECTIVES	5
Minimum Hours	60

M.Ed. with a major in HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Health and Physical Education Certification (P-12)

In addition to the requirements for admission as a regular graduate student in the degree program, students applying for any M.Ed. program in Health and Physical Education must complete a personal interview with the degree program coordinator.

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION **20**

- EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- *EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- *EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- *EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)

II. REQUIRED CONTENT COURSES **10**

- HEA 502 Foundations of Physical Health (5 hrs)
- PEM 560 Physiology of Exercise (5 hrs)

III. CONTENT ELECTIVES (minimum) **30**

Through advisement 30 hours to be selected from the following five hour courses. Program must include a minimum of ten hours in Health and ten hours in Physical Education.

- HEA 503 Foundations of Psycho-Social Health
- HEA 504 Foundations of Health Promotions
- HEA 536 Seminar in Drug Education
- HEA 590 Special Topics
- HEA 605 Seminar in Contemporary Health Problems
- HEA 625 Health in the Schools P-8

- HEA 635 Research Problems in Health
- HEA 640 Environmental Health and Safety
- HEA 653 Epidemiology
- HEA 655 Sexuality
- PEM 501 Problem Seminar in Physical Education
- PEM 525 Analysis of Sports Techniques
- PEM 540 Movement Education for Young Children
- PEM 550 Outdoor Education
- PEM 574 Organization and Admin of Health, and Physical Education
- PEM 590 Special Topics
- PEM 635 Research Problems in Physical Education
- PEM 670 History and Philosophy of HPER
- PEM 675 Application of Psychology to Physical Ed. and Sports
- PEM 687 Seminar: Experimental Studies in Motor Learning
- PEM 688 Perceptual Motor Learning
- PEM 689 Physical Ed. and Recreation for the Exceptional Student

Electives from other departments may be used with the approval of the department chairperson.

Minimum Hours **60**

*Students enrolled in the M.Ed. program with a major in Health and Physical Education and NOT SEEKING TEACHER CERTIFICATION may, upon approval of the adviser and coordinator of the graduate program, substitute electives in related fields for EFS 600, 640 and 690.

M.Ed. with a major in HEALTH and PHYSICAL EDUCATION Health Education Certification (P-12)

In addition to the requirements for admission as a regular graduate student in the degree program, students applying for any M.Ed. program in Health and Physical Education must complete a personal interview with the degree program coordinator.

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 20

- EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.
- *EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- *EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- *EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)

II. REQUIRED CONTENT ON COURSES 20

- HEA 502 Foundations of Physical Health (5 hrs)
- HEA 503 Foundations of Psycho-Social Health (5 hrs)
- HEA 504 Foundations of Health Promotion (5 hrs)
- HEA 653 Epidemiology (5 hrs)

III. CONTENT ELECTIVES (minimum) 15

Fifteen hours selected from the following five hour courses with the approval of the student's adviser.

- HEA 536 Seminar in Drug Education
- HEA 590 Special Topics
- HEA 605 Seminar in Contemporary Health Problems
- HEA 625 Health in the Schools P-8

- HEA 635 Research Problems in Health
- HEA 640 Environmental Health and Safety
- HEA 645 Occupational/Industrial Health and Safety
- HEA 655 Sexuality

IV. ELECTIVES 5

Ten hours of electives are chosen in consultation with adviser from above or related disciplines appropriate to Health Education.

Minimum Hours **60**

*Students enrolled in the M.Ed. program with a major in Health Education and NOT SEEKING TEACHER CERTIFICATION may, upon approval of the adviser and coordinator of the graduate program, substitute electives in related fields for EFS 600, 640 and 690.

**M.Ed. with a major in
HEALTH and PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Outdoor Education Administration Track**

In addition to the requirements for admission as a regular graduate student in the degree program, students applying for any M.Ed. program in Health and Physical Education must complete a personal interview with the degree program coordinator.

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 37

- EFS 630 Educational Research (5 hrs)
- PEM 550 Outdoor Adventure Education (5 hrs)
- PEM 556 Processing Adventure Experiences (5 hrs)
- PEM 560 Physiology of Exercise (5 hrs)
- PEM 59E Internship (5 hrs)
- PEM 67B Seminar in Outdoor Adventure Administration (2 hrs)
- PEM 664 Program Planning Administration (5 hrs)
- PSY 551 Group Dynamics (5 hrs)

II. REQUIRED COURSES 5

- PEM 551 Games Facilitating (2 hrs)
- PEM 552 Ropes Course Facilitation (3 hrs)

III. ELECTIVE SKILL COURSES 3

- Choose one course from the following:
- PEM 553 Backpacking Facilitation (3 hrs)
 - PEM 554 Rock Climbing Facilitation (3 hrs)
 - PEM 555 Canoeing & Kayaking Facilitation (3 hrs)

IV. CONTENT ELECTIVES 15

- PEM 553 Backpacking Facilitation (3 hrs)
- PEM 554 Rock Climbing Facilitation (3 hrs)
- PEM 555 Canoeing & Kayaking Facilitation (3 hrs)
- PSY 665 Professional Ethics (5 hrs)
- MIS 545 Computers in Business (5 hrs)
- MGT 596 Small Business Institute (5 hrs)
- MKT 561 Marketing & Dist. Theory (5 hrs)
- HEA 503 Foundations of Psych-Social Health (5 hrs)
- HEA 504 Foundations of Health Promotions (5 hrs)

- HEA 536 Seminar in Drug Educations (5 hrs)
- HEA 655 Sexuality (5 hrs)
- PEM 525 Analysis of Sports Techniques (5 hrs)
- PEM 540 Movement Education for Young Children (5 hrs)
- PEM 574 Organization and Administration of HPE (5 hrs)
- PEM 635 Research Problems in Physical Ed. & Sports (5 hrs)
- PEM 689 PE & Rec for the Exceptional Student (5 hrs)

Other electives may be used with the approval of the Outdoor Education Administration Coordinator and HPE Department Chairperson.

Minimum hours **60**

M.Ed. with a major in INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY—LIBRARY MEDIA

The T-4 in a teaching field is not required for admission.

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

- *EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- Professional education elective
 - or EEX 564 Exceptional Individuals in Regular Classes (5 hrs)
- *EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.

II. CONTENT FIELD 25-60

The entering student with an appropriate academic background may be able to complete the Master of Education degree in Library Media with a minimum of 25 quarter hours in the specialization. Courses, based on the student's undergraduate program and approved by the adviser, are selected from the following:

- EIT 554 Operation of the Library Media Center (5 hrs)
- EIT 555 Technical Processing of Library Media Materials (5 hrs)
- EIT 556 Information Sources and Services in the Media Center (5 hrs)
- EIT 557 Practicum in Operating a Library Media Center (5 hrs)
- EIT 558 Production of Non-print Materials (5 hrs)
- EIT 559 Utilization of Media (5 hrs)
- EIT 565 Current Topics in Library Media (5 hrs)
- EIT 568 Selection of Library Media (5 hrs)
- EIT 575 Instructional Design (5 hrs)
- EIT 576 Instructional Television (5 hrs)
- EIT 577 Television Production (5 hrs)
- EIT 578 Photography I (5 hrs)
- EIT 579 Photography II (5 hrs)
- EIT 580 Color Photography (5 hrs)
- EIT 58E Independent Study (5 hrs)
- EIT 59E Internship (5 hrs)
- ERD 651 Literature in the School Program (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES 0-10

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY—
TECHNOLOGY COORDINATION**

The T-4 in a teaching field is not required for admission.

I. Professional Education	15
EFS 630 - Education Research (5 hrs)	
EIT 575 - Instructional Design (5 hrs)	
EIT 610 - Foundations of Instructional Technology (5 hrs)	
II. Specialization (Instructional Technology)	35
EIT 615 - Coordinating School-Based Educational Technology (5 hrs)	
EIT 620 - School-Based Technology Systems (5 hrs)	
EIT 625 - Telecommunications and Distance Learning (5 hrs)	
EIT 630 - Software Evaluation and Curriculum Integration (5 hrs)	
EIT 635 - Teaching with and about Technology (5 hrs)	
EIT 640 - Authoring and Multimedia Systems (5 hrs)	
EIT 60E - Internship (Practicum/Project in Instructional Technology) (5 hrs)	
III. Electives	10
ISC 601 - Desktop Publishing (5 hrs)	
ISC 601 - Desktop Presentation (5 hrs)	
EIT 559 - Utilization of Media (5 hrs)	
EIT 558 - Production of Instructional Materials (5 hrs)	
EIT 576 - Instructional Television (5 hrs)	
EIT 578 - Photography (5 hrs)	
EIT 579 - Photography II (5 hrs)	
EIT 580 - Color Photography (5 hrs)	
EIT 58E - Applied Photography (5 hrs)	
EIT 58E - Information Technologies in the Media Center	
Other courses approved through advisement.	

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
MATHEMATICS EDUCATION (7-12)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION	25
*EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690	
EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)	
EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)	
EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)	
EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)	
Professional Education Elective (5 hrs)	
or EEX 564 Exceptional Individuals in Regular Classes (5 hrs)	
*EEX 564 is required unless EEX 364 completed was at the undergraduate level.	
II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum)	25

All candidates for the M.Ed. in math must complete, with a grade of B or better, 15 hours distributed as follows:

- MAT 550 Abstract Algebra I (5 hrs)
 or MAT 555 Number Theory I (5 hrs)
 and MAT 562 Mathematical Statistics I (5 hrs)
 and MAT 570 Introduction to Geometry (5 hrs)
 or MAT 585 Mathematical Ideas in History (5 hrs)

and also choose ten hours from the following five hour courses:

- MAT 550 Abstract Algebra I
- MAT 551 Abstract Algebra II
- MAT 555 Number Theory I
- MAT 556 Number Theory II
- MAT 562 Mathematical Statistics I
- MAT 563 Mathematical Statistics II
- MAT 570 Introduction to Geometry
- MAT 580 Numerical Analysis
- MAT 585 Mathematical Ideas in History
- MAT 586 Methods for Secondary School Mathematics Teacher
- MAT 590 Special Topics

III. ELECTIVES 10

- EFS 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences (5 hrs)
- Electives chosen in consultation with adviser (5 hrs)

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
 MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION (4-8)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

- EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EMG 640 Curriculum and Methods for the Middle Grades (5 hrs)

*Note: If EMG 440 was taken at the undergraduate level, students may substitute a 500 or 600 level elective from EFS (Foundations and Secondary). EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 25

Course selections are determined through advisement. A minimum of 15 hours in a primary concentration selected from language arts, math, social studies, or science must be taken. A minimum of 10 hours in a secondary concentration selected from language arts, math, social studies, science, or health/physical education must be taken.

Concentration Areas: Required courses must be taken in the selected concentration areas. Additional courses are selected that are appropriate to the concentration.

Language Arts: Required (*)

- *EMG 514 Early Adolescent Literature (5 hrs)
- *EMG 560 Writing Instruction in the Middle Grades (5 hrs)
- *ERD 650 Literature, Reading, and Writing in the Content Fields (5 hrs)
- ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading (5 hrs)
- ERD 651 Literature in the School Program (5 hrs)

Science: Required (*)

- *EMG 525 Life Science for Middle Grades (5 hrs)
- *EMG 526 Physical Science for Middle Grades (5 hrs)

Math: Required (*)

- *EMG 590 Development of Logical and Creative Thought in Middle Grades Children (5 hrs)
- *MAT 501 Math for Elementary Education Majors (5 hrs)

Social Studies: Required (*)

- *EMG 511 Social Studies in the Middle Grades (5 hrs)

Health/Physical Education: Required (*)

- *HEA 625 Health in the Schools: (P-8) (5 hrs)

Additional Recommended Courses:

- ART 515 Art Education (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES 10

EMG 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences or
 Select one course from any of the remaining primary concentration areas.

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
 NATURAL SCIENCE EDUCATION (BIOLOGY) (7-12)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

- *EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- Professional education elective
 or EEX 564 Exceptional Individuals in Regular Classes (5 hrs)
- *EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 25

Twenty-five hours taken from the following five hour courses with approval of the biology adviser.

- BIO 501 Recent Advances in the Biological Sciences
- BIO 520 Microbial Physiology
- BIO 522 Immunology
- BIO 523 Microbiological Techniques
- BIO 525 Limnology
- BIO 540 Genetics
- BIO 541 Evolution
- BIO 542 Ecology
- BIO 569 Freshwater Biology
- BIO 570 Biology for Teachers
- BIO 635 Population Ecology
- BIO 58E Independent Study
- BIO 59E Internship
- BOT 502 Field Botany
- BOT 550 Phycology
- BOT 555 Mycology

- BOT 560 Plant Anatomy
- BOT 570 Plant Physiology
- BOT 585 Advanced Microbiology
- ENS 592 Meteorology
- ZOO 503 Vertebrate Zoology
- ZOO 546 Parasitology
- ZOO 555 Mammalogy
- ZOO 560 Biological Psychology I
- ZOO 561 Biological Psychology II
- ZOO 565 Vertebrate Paleontology
- ZOO 567 Entomology
- ZOO 665 Selected Topics in Vertebrate Physiology
- Other courses in field if approved by Department Chair.

III. ELECTIVES 10

EFS 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences (5 hrs)

Electives are selected from any area and subject to approval of adviser. (5 hrs)

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATION (7-12)**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.

EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)

EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)

EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)

EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)

Professional Education Elective

or EEX 564 Exceptional Individuals in Regular Classes (5 hrs)

*EEX 564 is required unless completed at the undergraduate level.

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 25

Course selections are determined through advisement from the following five hour courses:

HIS 503 Classical Greece

HIS 504 Classical Rome

HIS 506 The Middle Ages

HIS 507 Colonial and Revolutionary America

HIS 508 The Age of Jefferson

HIS 511 Modern Europe

HIS 513 Modern English Social History

HIS 514 Tudor-Stuart England

HIS 515 The Renaissance and Reformation

HIS 517 Soviet Russia

HIS 518 Age of Absolutism

HIS 519 The French Revolution and Napoleon

HIS 520 The American Civil War

HIS 522 The Ante-Bellum South

HIS 529 Hitler and Nazi Germany

HIS 530 The South Since Reconstruction

HIS 532 Georgia: Colony and State

HIS 544 Religion in America

- HIS 545 Topics in American Social History
- HIS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- HIS 556 The Vietnam War
- HIS 560 Modern Middle East
- HIS 600 Historical Methods and Interpretations
- HIS 605 Advanced Topics in American History
- HIS 608 Advanced Topics in European History
- HIS 611 Advanced Topics in Southern History
- HIS 614 Advanced Topics in British History
- HIS 652 Heritage Education
- HIS 68B-E Independent Study
- HIS 69A-X Special Topics
- GEO 501 Economic Geography
- GEO 550 Political Geography
- GEO 576 Cultural Geography
- ECO 570 Special Topics in Economics
or ECO 571 Economic Theory
- SOC 544 Race and Ethnic Relations
- POS 505 Constitutional Law I
- POS 506 Constitutional Law II
- POS 507 Constitutional Law III
- POS 520 American Political Thought
- POS 550 Legislative Politics and Behavior
- POS 553 The Presidency
- POS 555 Contemporary American Foreign Policy
- POS 556 The Vietnam War
- POS 560 Public Opinion
- POS 575 Contemporary International Problems
- POS 590 Comparative Foreign Policy
- POS 591 The Politics of Japan

III. ELECTIVES 10

EFS 585 Guiding Educational Field Experiences (5 hrs)
Electives chosen in consultation with social science adviser.

Minimum Hours **60**

**M.Ed. with a major in
SPECIAL EDUCATION—BEHAVIOR DISORDERS**

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

- EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EEX 683 Curriculum and Methods for the Behaviorally Disordered (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 35

- Substitutions must be approved by the department chairperson.
- EEX 565 Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 586 Practicum Behavior Disorders (10 hours)
- EEX 681 Nature of Behavior Disorders (5 hrs)

ERD 610 Trends & Issues in Developmental Reading (5 hrs) or
 ERD 650 Literature, Reading & Writing in the Content Areas (5 hrs)

Select 10 hours from the following:

- EEX 575 Behavior Management (5 hrs)
- EEX 685 Assessment of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- PSY 548 Abnormal Psychology (5 hrs)

Minimum Hours **60**

M.Ed. with a major in SPECIAL EDUCATION—INTERRELATED TEACHER

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EEX 679 Instructional Models for the Interrelated Classroom I (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD 30

Substitutions must be approved by the department chairperson

- EEX 678 Nature of Interrelated (5 hrs)
- EEX 680 Instructional Models for the Interrelated Classroom II (5 hrs)
- EEX 685 Assessment of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading (5 hrs)
- ERD 650 Literature, Reading and Writing in the Content Areas (5 hrs)
- EEX 588 Practicum-Interrelated Resource Program (5 hrs)

III. ELECTIVES 5

Electives approved by special education adviser.

Minimum Hours **60**

M.Ed. with a major in SPECIAL EDUCATION—LEARNING DISABILITIES

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690.

- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EEX 684 Curriculum and Methods in Learning Disabilities (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 35

Substitutions must be approved by the department chairperson.

- EEX 565 Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 587 Practicum Learning Disabilities (5 hrs)

- EEX 682 Nature of Learning Disabilities (5 hrs)
- ERD 650 Literature, Reading & Writing in the Content Areas (5 hrs)

Select 15 hours from the following:

- EEX 572 Language Development of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 575 Behavior Management (5 hrs)
- EEX 576 Educational Evaluation of Exceptional Children (5 hrs)
- EEX 685 Assessment of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- ERD 610 Trends and Issues in Developmental Reading (5 hrs)

Minimum Hours **60**

M.Ed. with a major in SPECIAL EDUCATION—MENTAL RETARDATION

I. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION 25

- EFS 630 must be taken prior to EFS 640 and EFS 690
- EFS 600 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (5 hrs)
- EFS 630 Education Research (5 hrs)
- EFS 640 Advanced Studies in Learning (5 hrs)
- EFS 690 Curriculum Planning (5 hrs)
- EEX 577 Curriculum and Methods for the Mentally Retarded I (5 hrs)

II. CONTENT FIELD (minimum) 35

Substitutions must be approved by the department chairperson.

- EEX 565 Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 567 Nature of Mental Retardation (5 hrs)
- EEX 579 Curriculum and Methods for the Mentally Retarded II (5 hrs)
- EEX 589 Practicum—Mental Retardation (5 hrs)

Choose 15 hours from the following:

- EEX 571 Counseling of Parents of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 572 Language Development for Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 574 Career Education for the Exceptional Individual (5 hrs)
- EEX 575 Behavior Management (5 hrs)
- EEX 576 Educational Evaluation of Exceptional Individuals (5 hrs)
- EEX 685 Assessment of Exceptional Individual (5 hrs)

Minimum Hours **60**

CAREER INFORMATION

Teachers completing the Master of Education program will be eligible for professional certification at the fifth-year level. Many teachers completing this type certification already hold positions which they maintain. Those desiring to change positions or to locate initial teaching assignments experience little, if any, difficulty except in metropolitan areas. The job market, therefore, is dependent upon the teacher's mobility.

ADVISEMENT

The Coordinator of Graduate Programs, in cooperation with the department chairperson and area coordinators, assigns each student an adviser. It is the responsibility of the student to check with this adviser before registration. A planning sheet signed by the adviser must be presented to the registrar in order to enroll in classes.

TEACHER CERTIFICATION

All applicants for an initial Georgia Teaching Certificate must attain a satisfactory score on the Teacher Certification Test (TCT) in the chosen field. In addition, applicants who are converting to new fields at the fifth year must submit satisfactory scores on the TCT for the added field. The TCT is administered several times a year in regional centers across the state. Information about the test is available from the Georgia College Testing Office.

CERTIFICATION (ADDING and RENEWING)

The graduate program at Georgia College offers teachers the opportunity to add new certification areas to already existing certificates or renew current certificates. Teachers who desire to add certification areas to an existing Georgia Certificate should apply for a transcript evaluation through the Georgia Professional Standards Commission (application forms are available through the office of the Coordinator of Graduate Programs/SOE). With the transcript evaluation, the student should consult with the appropriate department chairperson, faculty or the coordinator of graduate programs for the necessary course work and required hours. Students desiring to renew their current certification should contact and register through the coordinator of graduate programs office. The student must currently hold or be eligible for a state of Georgia Certificate.

CERTIFICATION (INITIAL)

Students who hold a degree and are interested in seeking initial certification in a teaching field in which Georgia College has an approved program must meet the following requirements:

- a. hold a degree from an accredited institution
- b. submit an application including all supporting papers to the Office of Enrollment Services
- c. have earned a minimum of 2.5 GPA on all undergraduate course work attempted, at each college attended, in which letter grades were awarded at the time one plans to begin the certification sequence.

Students must complete one of the approved teacher preparation programs at Georgia College and be recommended by the college for certification.

EXIT EXAM

All students must pass a comprehensive departmental exit exam before completion of the program. Student not meeting this exam requirement will be unable to graduate. This exam is scheduled through the department chairperson of the student's major area.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

At least 45 of the required minimum of 60 hours must be earned in residence at Georgia College (Milledgeville, Macon or Dublin). Fifteen quarter hours may be transferred from another institution, if prior approval is given by the adviser in the selected field of study and if the courses are no more than six years old at the time of completion of the Masters degree (all course work on the degree program must be within a six year time span). The program must be completed within six years of the date of the initial course work listed on the Program of Graduate Study with a minimum 3.0 grade point average.

All teachers in fields requiring a language arts sequence must complete course work in reading. This mandated regulation applies to completing approved programs in early childhood education, middle grades education, secondary english, mental retardation, behavior disorders, interrelated teacher and learning disabilities.

Students seeking teacher certification must also have course work in the identification and education of students who have special needs. If the applicant has completed such course work, the student should consult with the adviser as to the appropriateness in meeting this requirement.

COMPLETION CHECKLIST

1. A minimum GPA of 3.0 on all course work attempted.
2. Submit an application for graduation at least two quarters before the anticipated completion date.
3. Schedule and successfully complete a comprehensive departmental exit exam.

GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Note: (4-3-5) following courses indicates: 4 hours **lecture**, 3 hours **laboratory**, and 5 hours **credit**.

(Var.) indicates variable credits as stated in the course description.

ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION (EAS)

58 A-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY FOR ADMINISTRATORS AND SUPERVISORS. (Var.)

The main purpose of this course is to provide students an opportunity to propose, prepare and complete independent project under the direction of a specialist in the field.

610. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION OF PUBLIC EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

This course is designed to provide an overview of educational leadership responsibilities and concerns to prospective administrators and supervisors concentrating on history, theory, and future trends in education.

611. SCHOOL LAW. (5-0-5)

This course is designed to acquaint prospective teachers, administrators, and supervisors with various legal aspects concerning the school, and with the legal rights of students and teachers.

612. SUPERVISION AND THE INSTRUCTIONAL PROCESS. (5-0-5)

The primary purpose of this course is to assist prospective school administrators and supervisors in developing their leadership abilities. Knowledge, understanding, and philosophy of educational supervision.

613. PROBLEMS IN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION. (5-0-5)

This course is designed to acquaint students with the utilization of organization development techniques, and other problem solving and diagnostic skills as a means of reducing and resolving the problems confronted today in school administration.

614. EDUCATION SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE. (5-0-5)

This course is a study of school district business management functions and financing including such topics as accounting, purchasing, and auxiliary services.

617. PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION. (5-0-5)

This course is designed to examine the concept of personnel administration and problems related to personnel programs, policies and procedures; and relate goals of organization and management to goals and welfare of staff members.

618. INTERNSHIP IN ADMINISTRATION. (3-7-5)

This course is designed to provide prospective administrators an opportunity to experience the problems of leadership under the guidance of an experienced administrator and an opportunity to share those experiences during planned seminars.

619. CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION FOR SCHOOL LEADERS. (5-0-5)

This course is designed to provide students an opportunity to identify current trends and support for curricula designs to maximize organizational and instructional implementation.

620. POLITICS OF EDUCATION. (3-0-3)

The primary purpose of this course is to acquaint prospective administrators and supervisors with the complexities and interrelationship of politics at the national, state and local levels.

621. THE SCHOOL AS A SOCIAL SYSTEM. (2-0-2)

This course is designed to acquaint students with the concept of internal and external pressures of a school as a separate entity, and its relationship and role of the larger society.

622. ADVANCED SCHOOL LAW SEMINAR. (5-0-5)

Seminar in educational administration to promote study and exploration of legal issues related to P-12 education. Focus will be on identification and analysis of current legal and policy issues.

660. TRENDS IN INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP AND EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

The main purpose of this course is to identify and analyze issues and trends by examining major writings and research in the field of instructional supervision.

661. SUPERVISION OF SCHOOL AND PROGRAMS. (5-0-5)

The main purpose of this course is to identify and analyze issues and trends by examining major writings and research in the field of instructional supervision.

662. SCHOOL FINANCE. (5-0-5)

This course is elective for the major in Administration and Supervision leading to the Specialist Degree (L-6) and/or certification requirements at the sixth year level.

663. INTERNSHIP. (2-6-5)

The main purpose of this course is to provide the student with an opportunity to work with civic, business, and/or industrial personnel.

664. SEMINAR: SOCIETY, SCHOOLING AND SCHOOLS. (5-0-5)

The purpose of this course is to present an indepth study of the societal behaviors, the offerings of schools and the effect both have on learning.

668. TELECOURSE SERIES. (5-0-5)

The main purpose of this course is to provide the student an opportunity to an integrated learning experience via the utilization of technology and equipment.

695. THE LEARNER AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESS. (5-1-4)

The purpose of this course is to present an overview of the learner emphasizing principles of growth and development in learning styles, and characteristics in order to provide appropriate instructional programs.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (EEC)

511. SOCIAL STUDIES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Curriculum designs for teaching the social studies in grades P-4 are explored. A primary focus is on the integration of basic literacy skills with conceptual teaching that is consistent with the developmental stage of the children being taught. Interpersonal relations and multicultural values are also emphasized.

525. LIFE SCIENCE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHERS. (2-6-5)

A content course which integrates physical and life science. Students investigate the exchange of matter and energy between organisms and their environment.

526. PHYSICAL SCIENCE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHERS. (1-8-5)

A content course introducing the concept of the scientific model. Matter and energy are related to electrical phenomena as a basis for understanding the electrical nature of all matter.

540. ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS. (5-0-5)

Administrative procedures for programs for young children relative to policies, standards, financing, staffing, housing, supervision, and parent involvement. The competencies in such programs as day care, vocational laboratory schools, private preschools, parent cooperatives, and Head Start considered.

553. ADVANCED CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND GUIDANCE. (4-2-5)

Advanced study of theories of child development with emphasis on principles of human development and child study in relation to infancy and preschool through grade 4. (Cross listed as EHE 553.)

560. WRITING INSTRUCTION FOR YOUNG CHILDREN. (5-0-5)

A study of the composing process of young children.

585. GUIDING EDUCATIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: A valid Georgia NT-4 (or higher) teaching certificate and recommendations of principal and chairperson of childhood education. The first phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Stresses competence in human relations, communications, support, and feedback. Designed for those who will work with student teachers.

586. INTERNSHIP IN SUPERVISION. (0-10-5)

Prerequisites: EEC 585 and assignment of a student teacher. The second phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Demonstration of competence in human relations, communications, support, and feedback as they relate to the supervision of a student teacher.

590. DEVELOPMENT OF LOGICAL AND CREATIVE THOUGHT IN YOUNG CHILDREN. (2-6-5)

This course focuses on the development of the thinking processes of young children. Particular emphasis is placed on the learning of mathematics. Attention will be given to distinguishing between concrete and formal learners.

59A-K. SPECIAL TOPICS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. (Var.)

In-depth study of topics selected for supplementary background and enrichment.

593. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. (4-2-5)

An analysis of current trends and issues in curriculum development for young children, P-4, with emphasis on establishing effective classroom environments.

594. ADVANCED PRACTICUM IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. (3-3-5)

Seminars and workshops designed to improve the planning, organization and evaluation of early childhood programs. Includes a supervised practicum in the school setting. Students must be employed as a teacher in a grade P-4 or take on campus in summer school. Computer skills are developed.

659. CREATIVE ACTIVITIES FOR THE YOUNG CHILD. (2-6-5)

Study of creative development in the early childhood classroom with opportunities to develop and implement creative activities for young children. Includes a supervised practicum in a school setting.

66E, K. FIELD EXPERIENCE (Var.)

Provides advanced study in selected classrooms or in exemplary early childhood programs. Requires approval by department chairperson well in advance of quarter intended for study.

69A-K. Ed.S. SEMINAR IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (Var.)

Appropriate for Ed. S. students.

SPECIAL EDUCATION (EEX)

564. EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUALS IN REGULAR CLASSES. (5-0-5)

Focuses on the identification of and basic techniques for working with the exceptional individual in the regular classroom. Meets requirements of House Bill 671

565. EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUALS. (5-0-5)

Overview and discussion of the education, social, physical, and emotional characteristics of exceptional individuals and their implications for educational and social planning. Field experiences are included.

567. NATURE OF MENTAL RETARDATION. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Focuses on the mental, social, emotional, and physical characteristics of students with mental disabilities. Classification, etiology and definitions and their implications on the individual and society.

571. COUNSELING PARENTS OF EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUALS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Discussion of the impact of an exceptional child on the total family relationships. Basic techniques and theories of counseling parents and various social agencies working with parents.

572. LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT FOR EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUALS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Overview of the theories of language and speech development in exceptional individuals. Review of the literature and research in speech and language development.

574. CAREER EDUCATION FOR THE EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUAL. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Overview of the various types of materials, methods and principles for teaching career education experiences to exceptional students.

575. BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Theory and practices of behavior management techniques appropriate in instructional programs for exceptional individuals.

576. EDUCATIONAL EVALUATION OF EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. An introduction to standardized tests, criterion referenced and informal measures used in assessing children for educational placement and instruction. Students are required to administer, score, and interpret tests commonly used with exceptional children.

577. CURRICULUM AND METHODS FOR TEACHING THE MENTALLY RETARDED I. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 567. Instructional planning for students with moderate to severe mental disabilities will be reviewed and evaluated. Attention will be focused upon techniques for effective innovative curricula for individuals at the preschool through postsecondary levels.

579. CURRICULUM AND METHODS FOR TEACHING THE MENTALLY RETARDED II. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 567. Methods of organizing and planning education programs for students with mild mental disabilities. Study of special class organization, mainstream placement, curriculum practices, and methods and techniques useful in instruction.

585. TOPICAL SEMINAR IN SPECIAL EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Current topics and issues relevant to the education of exceptional individuals.

586. PRACTICUM BEHAVIOR DISORDERS. (0-10-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 683. Supervised practicum in a classroom for students with behavior disorders.

587. PRACTICUM LEARNING DISABILITIES. (0-10-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 684. Supervised practicum in a classroom for students with learning disabilities.

588. PRACTICUM INTERRELATED RESOURCE PROGRAM. (0-10-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 680. Supervised practicum in interrelated resource programs for individuals with mild disabilities.

589. PRACTICUM MENTAL RETARDATION. (0-10-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 577 or 579. Supervised practicum in a classroom for students with mental disabilities.

59 K-Q. INTERNSHIP IN SPECIAL EDUCATION. (Var.)

Prerequisite: Approval by the department chairperson and instructor. Advanced study and field experiences in selected exemplary special education classrooms.

678. NATURE OF INTERRELATED. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364, or 564. Characteristics of mildly learning-disabled, behavior-disordered, and mentally disabled individuals. Aspects of working with mildly disabled students in the special education resource room. Methods of communicating with regular classroom teachers are emphasized.

679. INSTRUCTIONAL MODELS FOR THE INTERRELATED CLASSROOM I. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 678. Individualization of instruction, perspective teaching strategies, and an overview of interpersonal relationships.

680. INSTRUCTIONAL MODELS FOR THE INTERRELATED CLASSROOM II. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EX 679. Curriculum and methods for teaching mildly disabled individuals. Specific emphasis on teaching language arts and mathematics.

681. NATURE OF BEHAVIOR DISORDERS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564. Behavioral characteristics of maladjusted students; theories and etiology of maladjusted behavior; biological, sociological, psychological aspects of teaching maladjusted students. Study of relationship between child abuse and neglect, and maladjusted behavior.

682. NATURE OF LEARNING DISABILITIES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364, or 564. Study of the definitions, etiologies, and characteristics of individuals with learning disabilities and their effect on individual social, emotional, physical, and educational functioning.

683. CURRICULUM AND METHODS FOR THE BEHAVIORALLY DISORDERED. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 681. Intensive investigation of the various psycho-educational and behavioral techniques for coping with and changing maladjusted behavior. Discussion of interpersonal interaction between teacher and maladjusted student. Use of in-dividual and group methods for working with maladjusted behavior. Consideration of education problems facing the seriously maladjusted student. Aspects of mainstream placements of maladjusted students.

684. CURRICULUM AND METHODS FOR LEARNING DISABILITIES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 682. Curriculum and methods for teaching the learning disabled individual. Emphasizes the application and development of various instructional strategies for developing learning.

685. ASSESSMENT OF EXCEPTIONAL INDIVIDUALS. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EEX 365, 565, 364 or 564 and EEX 576. Methods, techniques, and instruments used in assessing the social, emotional, and learning characteristics of exceptional individuals. Application of various assessment techniques in appropriate educational settings.

FOUNDATIONS AND SECONDARY (EFS)

501. FIELD BASED LEARNING AND THE LEARNER I. (2-2-3)

A study of the intellectual, physical, emotional, psychological, and social developmental characteristics of the secondary student. Includes the translation and alignment of classroom expectations, climate and instructional practices with those characteristics of secondary students.

502. FIELD BASED LEARNING AND THE LEARNER II. (1-2-2)

A continuation of EFS 501. In addition, the students will collaboratively participate, utilizing skills and concepts learned in 501-502, in implementing school improvement projects.

512. SOCIAL SCIENCE IN THE SECONDARY SCHOOL. (5-0-3)

The role of the social science teacher in promoting citizenship through critical thinking skills, inquiry, decision-making, and values clarification in all of the social sciences. Recent curriculum projects in the various social sciences and the resulting materials will be examined.

555. HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM AND METHODS (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: Admission to Teacher Education. A study of secondary curriculum, instructional objectives, learning materials, teaching strategies, evaluation techniques, and classroom management. Includes a practicum when offered during the academic year. The student must be passing the course with a C or better to be placed in a practicum. Enrollment restricted to in-service teachers when offered during the summer quarter.

556. FIELD BASED SECONDARY CURRICULUM AND METHODS I. (1-2-2)

A study of the secondary curriculum which involves the analysis and synthesis of developmentally appropriate teaching units which are culturally sensitive, challenging, and integrated subject matter. Computer supported learning and management systems are included.

557. FIELD BASED SECONDARY CURRICULUM. (1-4-3)

A continuation of EFS 556 plus how to meet the needs of exceptional individuals in the regular classroom.

585. GUIDING EDUCATIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: A valid Georgia NT-4 (or higher) teaching certificate and recommendations of principal and coordinator of field experiences. The first phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Stresses competence in human relations, communications, support and feedback. Designed for those who will work with student teachers.

586. INTERNSHIP IN STUDENT TEACHER SUPERVISION. (0-10-5)

Prerequisites: EFS 585 and assignment of a student teacher. The second phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Demonstration of competence in human relations, communications, support and feedback as they relate to the supervision of a student teacher will be required.

587. PROJECT T.E.A.C.H. (5-0-5)

Topics in questioning and paraphrasing skills; positive support skills; problem solving skills; counseling techniques; nonconfrontation strategies; group dynamics techniques, and discipline decision making.

588. TEACHING THROUGH LEARNING CHANNELS. (3-4-5)

Deals with individual differences, individualization, and effective delivery of instruction based on student needs. Teaching to preferred learning modalities, effective internalization of new material, how the brain conceptualizes and organizes information, and how to teach for long-term memory are included.

589. FIELD BASED SECONDARY TEACHING SKILLS I. (1-8-5)

Preactive, interactive, and postactive teaching skills are covered in this course. The major focus is on interactive skills via microteaching and postactive teaching skills via reflective teaching.

590. FIELD BASED SECONDARY TEACHING SKILLS II. (0-10-5)

A continuation of EFS 589.

591. FIELD BASED SECONDARY STUDENT TEACHING. (1-40-16)

A quarter of full time student teaching in a secondary school. In addition to the conventional student teaching experiences, students will work with support services for secondary students and their families and with youth services within and outside the schools. Students will also experience resource management activities to a greater extent than in conventional student teaching experiences.

598. SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Individuals or groups select topics related to need or special interest. In-depth study and application develop competency in selected areas. 1 to 5 quarter hours.

59E, K, Q. GEORGIA INTERN PLAN. (Var.)

Prerequisites: Approval by the instructor. Open only to students participating in the Georgia Intern Program. An individually designed course sequence involving off-campus study and research in a government agency for academic credit.

600. SOCIO-CULTURAL FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

An interdisciplinary cultural approach to understanding the basic issues in American education. Stress is given to ideological, economic, political, historical, anthropological, and social perspectives as they contribute to educational policy and practice. Emphasis is placed on teaching and learning.

628. SEMINAR IN EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: Admission to Ed.S. program. An opportunity to identify and critically analyze issues, theories, practices, and problems of the profession through investigation and discussion, ways to improve classroom procedures, curriculum problems, and professional leadership.

630. EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH. (5-0-5)

Seeks to develop research skills and related competencies involved in planning, conducting, and reporting of applied research studies. Also stresses skill development for interpretation and application of educational research.

632. RESEARCH DESIGNS. (3-0-3)

Prerequisite: Admission to the Ed.S. program and satisfactory completion of EFS 628. A study of research designs relevant to advanced educational research.

633. APPLIED STATISTICS. (3-0-3)

Prerequisite: Admission to the Ed.S. program and satisfactory completion of EFS 628. A study of the application of statistical tools and techniques to educational research.

635. FIELD PROJECT IN EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH. (0-10-4)

Prerequisites: EFS 630, 632, 633, and Admission to the Ed.S. Program. Includes securing and handling data, describing procedures, drawing conclusions, and reporting in a scholarly manner. (The project may utilize numerous research methodologies). This work is supervised by the student's Ed.S. Committee.

640. ADVANCED STUDIES IN LEARNING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EFS 600 and EFS 630 or permission of the instructor. A comprehensive study of learning theory with emphasis upon recent literature; a study of methods and techniques utilized in assessing human performance. Special attention is given to research findings in motivation, accountability, behavioral modification, and human relations in the classroom.

66E, K. FIELD EXPERIENCE. (Var.)

Provides graduate level field experience in selected classrooms or in exemplary educational programs. Requires notification of and approval by department chairperson well in advance of quarter intended for field experience.

690. CURRICULUM PLANNING. (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: EFS 630 or permission of the instructor. A study of trends in curriculum design, the principles and practices of curriculum planning, and the development of materials to be used in the individual school.

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY (EIT)

554. OPERATION OF THE LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER. (5-0-5)

Media center objectives, services, standards, and organizations. An overview of acquisition, circulation, and other functions concerned with the effective use of print and media materials.

555. TECHNICAL PROCESSING OF LIBRARY MEDIA MATERIALS (5-0-5)

A study of technical services operations with emphasis on the techniques of organizing, classifying, and cataloging print and media materials in an integrated collection.

556. INFORMATION SOURCES AND SERVICES IN THE MEDIA CENTER. (5-0-5)

Survey of the standard print and media reference tools emphasizing the selection and implementation of reference resources in school media centers.

557. PRACTICUM IN OPERATING A LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: EIT 554, and two of the following three courses: EIT 555, 556, or 558. Supervised experience in a school library media center providing the student an opportunity to function as a library media specialist. This satisfies the certification requirement for internship.

558. PRODUCTION OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS. (3-2-5)

The course employs a combination of tutorials, demonstrations, supervised laboratory exercises, and independent student projects in order to develop skills in the production of computer-based and traditional forms of instructional media.

559. UTILIZATION OF MEDIA. (5-0-5)

A survey course dealing with the use of various types of instructional materials and technologies in situations where learning takes place. The course seeks to develop within the student a broad understanding of the place of different types of instructional media in the teaching/learning process.

568. SELECTION OF LIBRARY MEDIA (5-0-5)

An introduction to standards, selection aids, and other methods of selecting materials for use in library media center collections.

575. INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY. (5-0-5)

An examination of strategies for the design and development of instruction. The course follows standard instructional design models with emphasis on learner characteristics, teaching-learning strategies, selection of resources, and evaluation techniques.

576. INSTRUCTIONAL TELEVISION. (2-3-5)

The design, production, and use of instructional television in the classroom and the school media center. Laboratory experiences focus on the use of inexpensive camcorders and related equipment.

577. TELEVISION PRODUCTION (3-2-5)

An introduction to television production techniques for the K-12 environment. Emphasis is placed on planning and conducting local productions. The use of video for staff development and for student productions will be explored.

578. PHOTOGRAPHY I (2-3-5)

Basic skills in black-and-white photography including camera handling, photographic composition and use of a darkroom. Darkroom procedures will include basic print and film processing and the use of the enlarger.

579. PHOTOGRAPHY II (3-2-5)

Prerequisite: 578 or permission of the instructor. This course introduces flash and studio lighting and may include more advanced darkroom techniques such as toning, high-contrast photography, multiple printing, and push processing. Students will work with a variety of film formats and some research in photographic style, history, technique, or other area will be required.

580. COLOR PHOTOGRAPHY (3-2-5)

Prerequisite: 578 or permission of the instructor. Processing of slide and negative color films as well as prints from various types of film are required. Special techniques for working with color are included.

58B-E. INDEPENDENT STUDY (Var)

Investigation of a topic of special interest with reports and projects submitted to the instructor.

59 B-E. INTERNSHIP - LIBRARY MEDIA (Var)

Prerequisite: Approval of the instructor. Supervised work and practical experience in instructional technology within an educational setting. This course satisfies the certification requirement for internship.

60 B-E. INTERNSHIP - TECHNOLOGY COORDINATION (Var)

Prerequisites: Permission of Instructor. Students will demonstrate the ability to identify problems, devise solutions, develop, implement and evaluate projects and apply their knowledge and skills in an appropriate work setting.

609. COMPUTERS IN THE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS (5-0-5)

This course builds experience and competence in working with various aspects of instructional technology, including instructional materials production, information access skills, and networking / telecommunications skills. Techniques for the effective utilization of these technologies in the educational environment are emphasized.

610. FOUNDATIONS OF INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

Prerequisites: Permission of instructor. Introductory survey of the role of instructional technology within K-12 and other organizations. Emphasis is on concepts, resources, and literature.

615. COORDINATING SCHOOL-BASED EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

Prerequisites: EIT 610. Responsibilities, knowledge, and skills required of the school-based technology coordinator. Includes managerial techniques, issues, staff development, curriculum integration, planning for new technologies and an introduction to facilities and resource management.

620. SCHOOL-BASED TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS

Prerequisites: EIT 615. Basic technical features of computer based hardware systems used in educational settings, including stand-alone computers, peripheral devices, and networking systems. Includes facilities and resource management. (Field-based).

625. TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND DISTANCE LEARNING

Prerequisites: EIT 615. An exploration of the educational opportunities distance learning affords via networks and telecommunications systems. Hands-on activities and techniques will be emphasized.

630. SOFTWARE EVALUATION AND CURRICULUM INTEGRATION

Prerequisites: EIT 615. This course will examine and apply fundamental evaluation criteria to assess the quality and appropriateness of software in light of instructional objectives. Techniques for effective curriculum integration of software within a wide range of classroom settings are explored, as well as means to gauge effective software use in support of instructional objectives.

635. TEACHING WITH AND ABOUT TECHNOLOGY

An introduction to the use of technology in the instructional process. The course focuses on the use of the computer as a medium or tool of instruction.

640. AUTHORING AND MULTIMEDIA SYSTEMS

Prerequisites: EIT 575. Students will develop competency-based educational materials using a popular authoring system. The students will explore various multimedia capabilities and learn to apply those capabilities by designing and producing instructional materials.

MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION (EMG)

511. SOCIAL STUDIES IN THE MIDDLE GRADES. (5-0-5)

A study of the social studies disciplines and instructional strategies appropriate for the middle grades. Emphasis is placed on developing concepts in geography, history, economics, and government.

514. EARLY ADOLESCENT LITERATURE. (5-0-5)

A study of current literature for the preadolescent/adolescent, focusing on contemporary realistic fiction, biographies, science fiction, poetry, and historical fiction.

525. LIFE SCIENCE FOR MIDDLE GRADES. (2-6-5)

A content course which integrates physical and life science. Students acquire a basis for understanding the electrical nature of all matter by relating matter and energy between organisms and their environment.

526. PHYSICAL SCIENCE FOR MIDDLE GRADES. (1-8-5)

A content course introducing the concept of the scientific model. Students acquire a basis for understanding the electrical nature of all matter by relating matter and energy to electrical phenomena.

560. WRITING INSTRUCTION IN THE MIDDLE GRADES. (5-0-5)

A study of the composing process in the middle grades. Emphasis will be placed on current trends in written discourse, language, and evaluating writing.

585. GUIDING EDUCATIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCES. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: A valid Georgia NT-4 (or higher) teaching certificate and recommendations of principal and chairperson. The first phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Stresses competence in human relations, communications, support, and feedback. Designed for those who will work with student teachers.

586. INTERNSHIP IN SUPERVISION. (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: EMG 585 and assignment of a student teacher. The second phase of a two-phase competency-based approach to supervision. Demonstration of competence in human relations, support, and feedback as they relate to the supervision of a student teacher.

590. DEVELOPMENT OF LOGICAL AND CREATIVE THOUGHT IN MIDDLE GRADES CHILDREN. (2-6-5)

This course focuses on the development of the thinking processes of middle grades children. Particular emphasis is placed on the learning of mathematics in the middle grades. Attention will be given to distinguishing between concrete and formal learners.

59A-K. SPECIAL TOPICS IN MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION (Var.)

In-depth study of topics selected for supplementary background or enrichment.

640. CURRICULUM AND METHODS FOR THE MIDDLE GRADES. (5-0-5)

Emphasis on characteristics of preadolescents, curriculum for the middle grade student, and instructional strategies appropriate for the preadolescent learner.

641. PRACTICUM FOR MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION. (0-10-5)

Prerequisites EMG 640. This practicum is designed for the professional teacher to expand upon the application of middle level instruction within the classroom.

66E-K. FIELD EXPERIENCES. (Var.)

Provides advanced study in selected classrooms or in exemplary middle grades programs. Requires approval by department chairperson well in advance of quarter intended for study.

69A-E. Ed.S. SEMINAR IN MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION. (Var.)

Appropriate for Ed.S. students.

READING (ERD)

610. TRENDS IN THE TEACHING OF READING. (5-0-5)

A study of reading and reading instruction which includes principles, approaches, and materials and focuses on the analysis of current trends and issues in reading instruction.

650. LITERATURE, READING, AND WRITING IN THE CONTENT FIELDS. (5-0-5)

A study of the reading and writing processes as they are related to instruction in the content fields. An analysis of current research will be related to an exploration of strategies and resources appropriate for integrating reading, writing, and content instruction in such subject fields as English, social studies, mathematics, science, and health. (Designed also to fulfill the 5 hour reading requirement for English majors.)

651. LITERATURE IN THE SCHOOL PROGRAM. (5-0-5)

Designed to broaden an understanding of the various genre of literature for children with emphasis on the use of literature and non-print materials as an integral part of the total curriculum. Focus will be placed on books which provide the child with a meaningful context for the application of reading skills. Attention is given to materials which reflect various linguistic and cultural perspectives.

665. MULTICULTURAL LITERATURE IN THE P-8 CURRICULUM. (5-0-5)

Study of how to successfully evaluate and incorporate multicultural literature into the P-8 curriculum, and how this can effect students' literacy learning and cultural awareness. Opportunities to read, discuss, and incorporate multicultural literature into various school settings will be provided.

HEALTH (HEA)

502. FOUNDATIONS OF PHYSICAL HEALTH. (5-0-5)

Designed to broaden knowledge of scientific facts and effective health practices pertinent to personal, family and community health problems.

503. FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHO-SOCIAL HEALTH. (5-0-5)

An investigation of scientific facts and effective health practices pertinent to personal, family and community psychosocial health.

504. FOUNDATIONS OF HEALTH PROMOTION. (5-0-5)

Theory and application of principles required for marketing, planning, implementing and evaluating health promotion programs.

536. SEMINAR IN DRUG EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

An exploration of drug use with emphasis on understanding and relating to youth, communication techniques and psychological causes and effects of drug use, as well as drug information, prevention, rehabilitation, and legal aspects.

58A-Q. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-15)

Investigation of a topic of special interest, with reports to the instructor. Prior approval by department chairperson is required.

59E, K, Q. INTERNSHIP. (Var.)

Prerequisite: Approval by the instructor. An individually designed course sequence involving off-campus study and research for academic credit.

590. SPECIAL TOPICS. (5-0-5)

This course is to meet special needs of the students and/or community.

605. SEMINAR IN CONTEMPORARY HEALTH PROBLEMS. (5-0-5)

Prominent health issues of today and the positive approaches which might be utilized in the home, school, community, and church which lead toward possible solutions to the problems.

625. HEALTH IN THE SCHOOLS P-8. (5-0-5)

A study of the components of the total school health education program. Discussion will center on problems faced by classroom teachers when dealing with health instruction, health services, and healthy environment.

635. RESEARCH PROBLEMS IN HEALTH. (5-0-5)

An in-depth individualized study of a problem in the health care delivery system.

640. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY. (5-0-5)

A survey of current environmental concerns and safety issues as they relate to individual and community health.

645. OCCUPATIONAL/INDUSTRIAL HEALTH AND SAFETY. (5-0-5)

An overview of current issues in occupational health and safety and the role of health education in industrial health.

646. PATIENT EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

An overview of methods and trends in patient education.

653. EPIDEMIOLOGY. (5-0-5)

An investigation of the dynamics, determinants, and distribution of disease.

655. HUMAN SEXUALITY. (5-0-5)

An investigation of the physiological, psychological, and sociological components of human sexuality education.

66E-K. FIELD EXPERIENCE. (Var.)

Provides graduate level field experience in selected classrooms or in exemplary educational programs. Requires notification of and approval by department chairperson well in advance of quarter intended for field experience.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PEM)

501. PROBLEMS SEMINAR IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

A survey of current problems and trends in these fields. Students have opportunity for independent investigations and research.

510. EVALUATION IN HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION. (5-0-5)

Application of statistical techniques to research problems in health, physical education, and recreation.

515. THEORY AND PRACTICE OF PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Needs and interest of students at the graduate level in designated areas of activity.

525. ANALYSIS OF SPORTS TECHNIQUES. (5-0-5)

Designed to provide teachers and coaches a scientific basis for the analysis of teaching of basic movement and sports skills through investigation of the forces which act upon the human body and the effects which these forces produce.

540. MOVEMENT EDUCATION FOR YOUNG CHILDREN. (3-4-5)

Method and materials for the teaching of movement education to young children. Emphasis is placed on meaning, content, materials needed, approaches to teaching, lesson plans, and coordinating movement with other areas of physical education.

550. OUTDOOR EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

Teachers and others interested in instructional programs involving use of outdoor settings and school camps. Historical and philosophical bases and implications for the curriculum. Field trips and observations arranged.

551. GAMES FACILITATION. (2-0-2)

Provides theoretical, practical, and experiential understanding of how to use adventure games and initiative activities in educational and therapeutic settings.

552. ROPES COURSE FACILITATION. (3-0-3)

Provides theoretical, practical, and experiential understanding of the use of a ropes course in educational and therapeutic settings. Course focuses on the theory and practice of facilitating high and low ropes course elements. Primary focus on physical and emotional safety to include rescues, equipment use and care, group management, and program design.

553. BACKPACK FACILITATION. (3-0-3)

Provides an overview of how to teach the use of equipment, logistics management, and back country etiquette used in wilderness backpacking programming with groups. Primary focus on management of groups in the back country to include physical and emotional safety considerations, rescue, site management, food selection and preparation, and environmental impact.

554. ROCK CLIMBING AND SITE MANAGEMENT (3-0-3)

Prerequisites: Ropes Course Facilitation PEM 352/552. Provides an overview of the theoretical foundations of adventure therapy focusing on the use of rock climbing as a venue for therapeutic change. Rock climbing equipment, site selection, set-up, and safety procedures used with special populations are covered.

555. CANOE & KAYAKING FACILITATION (3-0-3)

Provides an overview of how to teach appropriate boating equipment, canoeing skills and kayaking skills. Primary focus on management of groups in flat and white water settings to include physical and emotional safety considerations, rescue, site management, food selection and preparation, and environmental impact.

556. PROCESSING ADVENTURE EXPERIENCES (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: PEM 552. An in depth analysis of debriefing and processing of adventure and outdoor experiences including front-loading, metaphorical introductions, and isomorphic presentations. Students will be expected to facilitate groups using adventure activities in a therapeutic context.

560. PHYSIOLOGY OF EXERCISE. (5-0-5)

Includes an understanding of traditional concepts with regard to current advances related to muscular, respiratory, cardiovascular, nervous adaptations, and physical stress. Opportunity is offered to conduct experiments and studies on related topics.

574. ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL. (5-0-5)

A study of programs in elementary, junior, and senior high schools in health and physical education, including intramurals and athletics. Discussion of objectives, equipment, scheduling policies, and other administrative problems.

575. CURRICULUM PLANNING IN HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND RECREATION. (5-0-5)

A study of curriculum needs, program planning, and the actual setting up of curricula to meet secondary school demands and interests.

58A-Q. INDEPENDENT STUDY. (Var. 1-15)

Investigation of a topic of special interest, with reports to the instructor. Prior approval by department chairperson.

590. SPECIAL TOPICS. (5-0-5)

This course is to meet special needs of the students and/or community.

59E, K, Q. INTERNSHIP. (Var.)

Prerequisite: Approval by the instructor. An individually designed course sequence involving off-campus study and research for academic credit.

66E, K. FIELD EXPERIENCE. (Var.)

Provides graduate level field experience in selected classrooms or in exemplary educational programs. Requires notification of and approval by department chairperson well in advance of quarter intended for field experience.

67B. SEMINAR IN OUTDOOR ADVENTURE ADMINISTRATION (2-0-2)

Prerequisites: Admission to candidacy in Outdoor Adventure Administration Track. Provides a forum to discuss professional issues, hear speakers, participate in continuing education and incorporate learnings from traditional courses into an Outdoor Adventure Administration framework. Course will meet every quarter student is registered for classes but student will only register for these hours during quarter of proposed graduation.

635. RESEARCH PROBLEMS IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION. (5-0-5)

An in-depth individualized study of a problem in physical education.

664. PROGRAM PLANING ADMINISTRATION. (5-0-5)

Provides an overview of administering an outdoor education program. A study of the background, skills and knowledge specific to the outdoor leader, leadership in administration, and planning involved in outdoor pursuits.

670. HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND RECREATION. (5-0-5)

Historical and philosophical implications in the development of physical education from primitive man to the present day.

675. THE APPLICATION OF PSYCHOLOGY TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETICS. (5-0-5)

Need, purpose, and study of psychology in physical education and athletics.

687. SEMINAR: EXPERIMENTAL STUDIES IN MOTOR LEARNING. (5-0-5)

Components of skilled movement; analysis of research in selected areas; development of laboratory techniques.

688. PERCEPTUAL MOTOR LEARNING. (5-0-5)

A study of the perceptual basis of movement behavior with special emphasis upon the neuromuscular and conceptual aspects

689. PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION FOR THE EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT. (5-0-5)

A field based investigation of techniques, equipment, methods and graded programs for special populations.

SCHOOL OF NURSING GRADUATE PROGRAMS

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MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Cheryl P. Kish, Coordinator of Graduate Programs in Nursing

MISSION

The School of Nursing offers graduate education leading to the Master of Science in Nursing degree. The purpose of graduate education in nursing is to prepare scholars and leaders. Graduate study provides the opportunity for acquisition of in-depth theoretical knowledge on which advanced clinical practice is based. Specialization within nursing is introduced at the master's level at which time the practitioner demonstrates expertise in caring for individuals and families in a variety of settings and for planning and initiating change in the health care system. The student acquires advanced research skills and knowledge of nursing and other theories.

REGULAR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

In addition to fulfilling the admission requirements of the Graduate School for degree status, applicants for admission to the MSN program must have:

1. A baccalaureate degree in nursing from a National League for Nursing (NLN) -accredited program;
2. A cumulative grade point average of at least 3.00 on a 4.00 scale for the last 60 hours of undergraduate study;
3. Successful completion of an undergraduate statistics course; and for the Adult Health Nursing major and Family Nurse Practitioner program, completion of a physical assessment course;
4. Evidence of current licensure as a registered nurse in Georgia;
5. Successful completion of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Miller Analogies Test (MAT). Students entering the MSN/MBA option may only take the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT). The following formula is used to determine eligibility for admission to the MSN program:

Grade Point Average (GPA) earned for last 60 undergraduate hours x 10 + GRE score (quantitative and verbal scores combined) greater than or equal to 900, or

Grade Point Average (GPA) earned for last 60 undergraduate hours x 200 + GMAT score greater than or equal to 900, or

Grade Point Average (GPA) earned for last 60 undergraduate hours x 10 + MAT score greater than or equal to 70.

PROVISIONAL ADMISSION EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Students will be eligible for provisional admission into the MSN program under the following circumstances:

- (a) using the GRE score (verbal and quantitative) + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) $\times 10 = 850$.
- (b) using the GMAT score (verbal and quantitative) + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) $\times 200 = 850$.
- (c) using the MAT score + GPA (last 60 hours earned as undergraduate) $\times 10 = 55$.

Students in the above circumstances must complete **17-20 hours** of graduate course work at Georgia College with no less than a B to be considered for regular admission to the MSN program. The **17-20 hours** of course work must be earned in courses approved by the **Coordinator for Graduate Programs in Nursing**.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

Regular admission is required for admission to the Adult Health Nursing and Family Nurse Practitioner majors.

Admission to the program of study is recommended by the Coordinator for Graduate Programs in Nursing with input from the School of Nursing graduate faculty. It is important that all application materials, including official transcripts which list all college level and graduate level courses previously taken and all other supporting papers, be received no later than three weeks prior to the beginning of the quarter. Applications will usually be processed within fifteen days, and the applicant will be informed of the action taken.

Admission is limited to the most qualified applicants. Preference will be given to students with at least one year of clinical practice.

If an admitted student chooses not to enroll or withdraws after enrollment, a new application for admission is necessary should the student desire to return to the program.

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Applicants who apply too late for full consideration for admission and/or have not submitted all required documents for evaluation may be assigned conditional admission status. While in this status a student may register for one quarter only, by completing a Georgia College Conditional Registration Agreement for Graduate Students; this form requires the signatures of both the student and the graduate coordinator. Any student who registers under this agreement must be admitted to either regular or provisional status by the end of the first quarter of enrollment to continue taking courses in the degree program.

Students may take no more than 20 hours of course work in conditional and provisional status combined.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The Master of Science in Nursing degree offers four major areas of clinical specialization: Adult Health Nursing, Family Mental Health Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner, and Nursing Administration.

I. ADULT HEALTH NURSING

The purposes of the Adult Health Nursing program are to prepare specialists for advanced clinical practice in hospital-based or community-based nursing with adults and to provide

a foundation for doctoral study. Students may elect functional role preparation as clinical nurse specialists, nursing educators, or nurse administrators.

II. FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH NURSING

The purposes of the Family Mental Health Nursing program are to prepare professional nurses for advanced clinical practice in psychiatric nursing with a family focus and to provide a foundation for doctoral study. Students may elect functional role preparation as nursing educator or clinical nurse specialist.

III. FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER

The purposes of the Family Nurse Practitioner program are to prepare professional nurses for advanced practice as a Family Nurse Practitioner, to contribute to eligibility for national certification, and to provide a basis for doctoral study.

IV. NURSING ADMINISTRATION

The purposes of the graduate program in Nursing Administration are to prepare nurses for effective administration of nursing services within the health care system and to provide a foundation for doctoral study. The premise of the program is that nursing leaders must have a strong foundation in financial management and understanding of political, economic, and bioethical issues in health policy in addition to skills of planning, research, and application of nursing theory.

The Program of Study is as follows:

1. Core Courses (17 hours) — courses required of all students, regardless of major, area of specialization, or functional role study, are:
 - NUR 520 - Professional Nursing Issues (3)
 - NUR 641 - Theory Development in Nursing (4)
 - NUR 660 - Methods of Nursing Research (3)
 - NUR 661 - Seminar in Nursing Research (2)
 - PSY 615 - Advanced Statistics (5) or
 - MGT 603 - Business Statistics (5)
2. Courses in the Adult Health Nursing Major (43 hours) — courses required of students majoring in the Adult Health Nursing area of specialization
 - Adult Health Nursing Courses (17 hours)
 - NUR 548 - Advanced Assessment (4)
 - NUR 604 - Theoretical Formulations of Family Systems (3)
 - NUR 652 - Adult Health Nursing I (5)
 - NUR 655 - Adult Health Nursing II (5)
 - Support Courses (9 hours)
 - ECO 501 - Health Care Economics (5)
 - HSC 630 - Advanced Physiology (4)
 - Electives (7 hours)
(Includes courses supporting major and/or research project/thesis)
 - Functional Role Courses (10 hours)
 - Clinical Nurse Specialist Role
 - NUR 614 - Roles & Functions of Nurses in Advanced Practice (5)
 - NUR 630 - Clinical Nurse Specialist Practicum (5)
 - Nursing Educator Role
 - NUR 610 - Curriculum Development (5)
 - NUR 620 - The College Teacher of Nursing (5)
 - Nursing Administrator Role
 - NUR 611 - Nursing Administration I (5)
 - NUR 621 - Nursing Administration II (5)

3. Courses in Family Mental Health Nursing (43 hours) courses required for students majoring in the specialization area of Family Mental Health Nursing

Family Mental Health Nursing Courses (18 hours)

NUR 602 - Advanced Theoretical Formulations for Psychiatric Nursing (5)

NUR 604 - Theoretical Formulations of Family Systems (3)

NUR 606 - Family Mental Health Nursing I (5)

NUR 616 - Family Mental Health Nursing II (5)

Support Courses (10 hours)

ECO 501 - Health Care Economics (5)

HSC 580 - Pharmacology (5)

Elective/Project/Thesis (5 hours)

(Elective courses that support the major chosen by student with faculty consent)

Functional Role Courses (10 hours)

Clinical Nurse Specialist Role

NUR 614 - Roles & Functions of Nurses in Advanced Practice (5)

NUR 630 - Clinical Nurse Specialist Practicum (5)

Nursing Educator Role Courses (10 hours)

NUR 610 - Curriculum Development (5)

NUR 620 - The College Teacher of Nursing (5)

4. Courses in the Family Nurse Practitioner Major (68 hours) — courses required by students enrolled in the Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) program

FNP Courses (47 hours)

HSC 580 - Pharmacology (5)

NUR 700 - Primary Care of Families (8)

NUR 701 - Primary Care of Adults (8)

NUR 703 - Primary Care of Women and Newborns (8)

NUR 705 - Primary Care of Children and Adolescents (8)

NUR 741 - Primary Care Practicum (10)

Support Courses (21 hours)

HSC 630 - Advanced Physiology (4)

ECO 501 - Health Care Economics (5)

NUR 548 - Advanced Assessment (4)

NUR 604 - Theoretical Formulations of Family Systems (3)

NUR 614 - Roles & Functions of Nurses in Advanced Practice (5)

Thesis/Research Project — optional

5. Courses in the Nursing Administration Major (43 hours) courses required by students majoring in the specialization of Nursing Administration

Nursing Administration Courses (18 hours)

NUR 611 - Nursing Administration I (5)

NUR 621 - Nursing Administration II (5)

NUR 675 - Nursing Administration Practicum (8)

Support Courses (15 hours)

ACT 551 - Accounting Theory (5)

ECO 501 - Health Care Economics (5)

MIS 620 - Microcomputers Systems/Applications (5)

Electives (10 hours)

Elective courses that support the major chosen by student with faculty consent

Thesis/Research Project — optional

SUMMARY OF CURRICULUM DESIGN FOR EACH MAJOR**1. ADULT HEALTH NURSING**

Core Courses	17 hrs.
Major Courses	17 hrs.
Support Courses	9 hrs.
Functional Role Courses	10 hrs.
Electives	7 hrs.
Total	60 hrs.

2. FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH NURSING

Core Courses	17 hrs.
Major Courses	18 hrs.
Support Courses	10 hrs.
Functional Role Courses	10 hrs.
Electives	5 hrs.
Total	60 hrs.

3. FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER PROGRAM

Core Courses	17 hrs.
Major Courses	47 hrs.
Support Courses	21 hrs.
Total	85 hrs.

4. NURSING ADMINISTRATION

Core Courses	17 hrs.
Major Courses	18 hrs.
Support Courses	15 hrs.
Electives	10 hrs.
Total	60 hrs.

FINAL EXAMINATION

The candidate may elect to pass a written Master's Comprehensive Examination or complete the requirements of a Research Project or Master's Thesis. The examination will be given no later than ten days prior to the anticipated graduation and the graduate must be enrolled in the college at the time of the examination. A candidate who does not pass the Master's Comprehensive Examination may upon recommendation of the School of Nursing Graduate Faculty, repeat the examination, but not earlier than the next quarter. The student must be enrolled in the college for the re-examination. Students who satisfactorily complete project or thesis requirements will be exempt from the Comprehensive Examination.

MSN/MBA OPTION

The MSN/MBA joint degree is available for students seeking advanced degrees in both Nursing and Business Administration. Students must meet the graduate admission requirements of both the School of Business and School of Nursing. The Program of Study is completed with collaboration of Coordinators of Graduate Programs in Business and in Nursing. Generally, students pursuing the MSN/MBA option will complete 30-40 additional credit hours in business courses.

CAREER INFORMATION

Students completing the Master of Science in Nursing degree have opportunities encompassing management, administration, teaching, and advanced nursing practice positions throughout Georgia and the nation. The numbers of unfulfilled positions far exceeds the supply of master's prepared nurses. Career information is readily available in the School of Nursing.

FURTHER INFORMATION ADVISEMENT

Upon admission, each student is assigned an adviser from the graduate faculty of the School of Nursing, who is responsible to collaborate with the student in developing a Program of Study for the selected major. Students choose the professor to direct their research thesis or project.

FACILITIES

The School of Nursing offers a full range of academic support services and facilities on-campus and varied clinical opportunities are available for laboratory experiences. The large numbers of health care agencies located in central Georgia make it possible to offer a wide variety of clinical experiences.

STEPS IN COMPLETING THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING PROGRAM

1. Submit a complete application for graduate study and all supporting papers to the Office of Enrollment Services.
2. Consult, after admission, faculty adviser for approval of proposed course work and development of Program of Study.
3. Apply for Final Examination during the first week of the final quarter of work, if research project or thesis is not planned.
4. Present a written application for the degree by the date specified in the official college calendar.

DIRECTING INQUIRIES

1. Inquiries concerning admission to graduate work in the college and to the program leading to the Master of Science in Nursing degree should be sent to the Office of Enrollment Services, Georgia College.
2. Inquiries concerning the nature of the program and the availability of given courses should be sent to the Coordinator of Graduate Programs in Nursing, School of Nursing.
3. Inquiries concerning general financial assistance, described in detail elsewhere in this catalog, should be sent to the Director of Financial Aid.
4. Inquiries concerning graduate assistantships which may be available in the School should be sent to the Coordinator of Graduate Programs in Nursing, School of Nursing.

GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE SCHOOL OF NURSING

NOTE: (4-3-5) following courses indicates: 4 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory, and 5 hours credit.

(Var.) indicates variable credit as stated in the course description

520. PROFESSIONAL NURSING ISSUES (3-0-3)

Study of the changes in society and health care issues that reflect on nursing roles. This course will examine ethical and legal issues, dilemmas, and challenges currently facing nurses. Nursing action and the political process will also be addressed.

548. ADVANCED ASSESSMENT (2-4-4)

Prerequisite: Undergraduate Physical Assessment Course. Focuses on processes, techniques, and skills of advanced physical assessment that centers on content that the expert nurse needs to function in an expanded role.

565. PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF ALTERNATIVE NURSING INTERVENTIONS (5-0-5)

The focus of this course is on the application of theory and research in the practice of alternative nursing interventions. Topics include muscle relaxation, guided imagery, therapeutic touch, massage therapy, music therapy, and storytelling.

602. ADVANCED THEORETICAL FORMULATIONS FOR PSYCHIATRIC NURSING (5-0-5)

Focuses on therapeutic modalities that guide advanced practice in Family Mental Health Nursing. Psychosocial assessment instruments are examined for usefulness in practice and variations in communication among cultural groups are explored.

604. THEORETICAL FORMULATIONS OF FAMILY SYSTEMS (2-3-3)

Focuses on theories that guide advanced practice in working with family systems. Family interviewing skills, assessment, and intervention are explored.

606. FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH NURSING I (3-4-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 602, 604. An in-depth focus on the components of the nursing practice domain of family mental health nursing. Emphasis is placed on critical thinking as a framework for developing nursing strategies.

610. CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT IN NURSING (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 641. Explore the nature of higher education and nursing education. A knowledge base of the curriculum process and its application to a variety of nursing education programs is developed. Analyzes the relationship between curriculum, objectives, performance, and evaluation.

611. NURSING ADMINISTRATION I (5-0-5)

Prerequisites: NUR 641, 660. Goal determination as a critical nursing management task and those aspects of nursing management that provide structure are studied.

614. ROLES AND FUNCTIONS OF NURSES IN ADVANCED PRACTICE (5-0-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 641. Examination of the standards of practice, legal aspects and practice parameters of advanced practice nurses - clinical nurse specialists and nurse practitioners. The sub-roles of collaborator, researcher, teacher, and consultant are studied.

616. FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH NURSING II (3-4-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 606. Continuation of the study of components of the nursing practice domain of family mental health nursing with synthesis of components into a specialized advanced practice role.

620. THE COLLEGE TEACHER OF NURSING (3-4-5)

Examines roles and functions of the teacher in contemporary nursing education. Focuses on teaching and evaluation methodologies appropriate to the adult learner. Both classroom and clinical contexts are examined.

621. NURSING ADMINISTRATION II (4-2-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 611. Processes that the nurse manager applies to the daily tasks of managing the nursing organization are analyzed. Optimum use of resources is explored.

630. CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST PRACTICUM (1-8-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 614, NUR 616 or 655. Emphasis is on implementation of the clinical nurse specialist role in either the Family Mental Health Nursing or Adult Health Nursing arena of clinical practice.

641. THEORY DEVELOPMENT IN NURSING (4-0-4)

Designed to enable graduate students to relate a theoretical base to concepts and operations inherent in the practice of professional nursing and to developing, describing, analyzing, and critiquing theories for applicability to clinical practice, research, and education.

652. ADULT HEALTH NURSING I (3-4-5)

Pre/Co-requisites: HSC 630, NUR 548, 604, 641, 660. Emphasizes critical analysis of adults' responses to health risks and deviations related to oxygenation, nutrition, and metabolism. Refined decision making skills and interventions directed toward prevention, support, restoration, and rehabilitation are applied with preceptors in advanced practice.

655. ADULT HEALTH NURSING II (3-4-5)

Prerequisite: NUR 652. Emphasizes critical analysis of adults' responses to health risks and deviations related to immunity, mobility, sensation, and perception. Refined decision making skills and interventions directed toward prevention, support, restoration, and rehabilitation are applied with preceptors in advanced practice.

660. METHODS OF NURSING RESEARCH (3-0-3)

Focuses on research methodology, critical analysis of studies and the relationship among theory, research, and practice. The development of a research proposal is begun.

661. SEMINAR IN NURSING RESEARCH (2-0-2)

Prerequisite: NUR 660. Examines processes involved in developing a research proposal, funding sources, and strategies for research dissemination.

675. NURSING ADMINISTRATION INTERNSHIP (2-12-8)

Prerequisite: NUR 621. Application of administrative concepts with a preceptor in a health care setting

681. PROBLEMS AND FIELD STUDY IN NURSING ADMINISTRATION (3-4-5)

In-depth study of selected concepts of nursing administration. Guided experience in appropriate agency

700. PRIMARY CARE OF FAMILIES (4-12-8)

Prerequisite: HSC 630, HSC 580, NUR 548 and acceptance into the major. Addresses common problems in families across the life span which are encountered in the primary care practice arena of the Family Nurse Practitioner. The unique perspective of the FNP is explored in the classroom and through advanced practice experiences with preceptors in primary care settings.

701. PRIMARY CARE OF ADULTS (4-12-8)

Prerequisite: NUR 700. Addresses common disorders in young, middle, and older adults which are encountered in the primary practice arena of the Family Nurse Practitioner. The unique perspective of the FNP with adult clients will be examined in the classroom and through advanced practice experience with preceptors in primary care settings.

703. PRIMARY CARE OF WOMEN AND NEWBORNS (4-12-8)

Prerequisite: NUR 700. Focuses on primary care of health deviations common to women and newborns and addresses life span concerns and life transitions of women, including the perinatal experience and crises experienced uniquely by women.

705. PRIMARY CARE OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS (4-12-8)

Prerequisite: NUR 700. Focuses on the primary health needs of children and adolescents, including those related to school health. Strategies for identification, management, client and family education, and appropriate referrals are examined.

741. PRIMARY CARE FNP PRACTICUM (1-18-10)

Prerequisite: NUR 700, 701, 703, 705. Offers students an opportunity to integrate theory, research, role development, and expert clinical practice as they refine their clinical decision making skills in preparation for the Family Nurse Practitioner role. Criteria for the practicum are designed cooperatively between students, faculty, and clinical preceptors.

65X. PROJECT (Var)

Independent research and project under the supervision of a member of the graduate faculty in nursing.

66X. THESIS (Var.)

Independent research and thesis under the supervision of a member of a graduate faculty in nursing.

67X. SCHOLARLY PRACTICUM(Var.)

Provides graduate students in nursing with opportunities to participate in the development of manuscripts for publication, educational programs, on-going research, or other scholarly activities with faculty mentors.

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HEALTH SCIENCE (HSC)

HSC 475/575X. APPLICATION OF TRANSCULTURAL PRINCIPLES IN INTERNATIONAL HEALTH CARE (5-0-5)

This course provides the student an opportunity to gain insight into the health care needs of people of other countries and facilitates the development of transcultural health care skills.

HSC 580. PHARMACOLOGY (5-0-5)

Designed to provide health care professionals in advanced practice with a knowledge base in pharmacokinetics, pharmacodynamics, and pharmacotherapeutics employed in the treatment of adults, adolescents, and children.

HSC 630. Advanced Physiology (4-0-4)

Designed to provide students with an understanding of the relationship between the normal processes of the human body and their alterations during disease and disorders. Major emphasis is devoted to pathophysiology and clinical manifestations. Functions of both cellular and organ systems is explored.

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UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

The University System of Georgia includes all state-operated institutions of higher education in Georgia—4 universities, 2 regional universities, 13 senior colleges, 15 two-year colleges. These 34 public institutions are located throughout the state.

A 15-member constitutional Board of Regents governs the University System, which has been in operation since 1932. Appointments of Board members—five from the state-at-large and one from each of the state's 10 Congressional Districts—are made by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the State Senate. The regular term of Board members is seven years.

The Chairperson, the Vice Chairperson, and other officers of the Board are elected by the members of the Board. The Chancellor, who is not a member of the Board, is the chief executive officer of the Board and the chief administrative officer of the University System.

The overall programs and services of the University System are offered through three major components: Instruction, Public Service/Continuing Education, Research.

INSTRUCTION consists of programs of study leading toward degrees, ranging from the associate (two-year) level to the doctoral level, and certificates.

Requirements for admission of students to instructional programs at each institution are determined, pursuant to policies of the Board of Regents, by the institution. The Board establishes minimum academic standards and leaves to each institution the prerogative to establish higher standards. Applications for admission should be addressed in all cases to the institutions.

A Core Curriculum, consisting of freshman and sophomore years of study for students whose educational goal is a degree beyond the associate level, is in effect at the universities, senior colleges and two-year colleges. This Curriculum requires 90 quarter credit hours, including 60 in general education—humanities, mathematics, natural sciences, and social sciences—and 30 in the student's chosen major area of study. It facilitates the transfer of the freshman and sophomore degree credits within the University System.

PUBLIC SERVICE/CONTINUING EDUCATION consists of non degree activities, primarily, and special types of college degree credit courses.

The non degree activities are of several types, including short courses, seminars, conferences, lectures, and consultative and advisory services, in a large number of areas of interest.

Typical college-degree credit public service/continuing education courses are those offered through extension center programs and teacher education consortia.

RESEARCH encompasses investigations conducted primarily for discovery and application of knowledge. These investigations, conducted on campuses and at many off-campus locations, cover a large number and a large variety of matters related to the educational objectives of the institution and to general societal needs.

Most of the research is conducted through the universities; however, some of it is conducted through several of the senior colleges.

The policies of the Board of Regents for the government, management, and control of the University System and the administrative actions of the Chancellor provide autonomy for each institution. The executive head of each institution is the President, whose election is recommended by the Chancellor and approved by the Board.

State appropriations for the University System are requested by, and are made to, the Board of Regents. Allocations of the appropriations—approximately 52 percent—are made by the Board for Instruction.

INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

h—On-Campus Student Housing Facilities

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M—Master's; S—Specialist in Education; D—Doctor's

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University of Georgia—h; B, J, M, S, D
- Atlanta 30332
Georgia Institute of Technology—
h; B, M, D
- Atlanta 30303
Georgia State University—A, B, M, S, D
- Augusta 30912
Medical College of Georgia—
h; A, B, M, D

REGIONAL UNIVERSITIES

- Statesboro 30460
Georgia Southern University—
h; A, B, M, S, D
- Valdosta 31601
Valdosta State University—h; A, B, M, S

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- Albany 31705
Albany State College—h; B, M
- Americus 31709
Georgia Southwestern College—
h; A, B, M
- Augusta 30910
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- Carrollton 30118
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- Dalton 30720
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- Douglas 31533
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| 4 Centennial Center | 17 White House | 31 Language Building |
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