



URGE Resource Map for GT-EAS URGE at the Georgia Institute of Technology.

The aim of our resource map is to provide a centralized location on the Department website to find University, Earth Science, regional, and national resources. These resources are related to professional development, success, and networking, skills training, incident reporting, and community building.

(All GT-EAS resource links will be compiled for implementation on our department website by the end of the semester. Implementation and review will take place over the summer)

Core Outcomes

- An outreach resource specifically for faculty to advertise for and hire undergraduate researchers from outside of Georgia Tech including local HBCUs and primarily minority serving institutions such as Georgia Gwinnett College will be established. This will include contact points at universities and sororities/fraternities/black student unions, etc. to distribute job ads on listservs
- A work-day field trip once a semester will be led to a local outdoor space and include some geology and some time outside as a community. This will be open to students, faculty, and staff in the department. First trip will be led by Karl Lang
- Diversity related resources on the Department page were found to be broken or lacking. This resource map will provide the framework for our new department webpage to keep all of the resources herein in one accessible place.

Community support and mental health resources

- Health insurance - explanation of options, expenses, coverage (eye + dental), recommended providers
- Financial support - tax implications for fellowships, tax advantaged retirement savings, student fee explanation

Personal Support

Georgia Tech Resources

- The [Office of the Dean of Students](#) | 404-894-6367 | 2nd floor, Smithgall Student Services Building; You also may request assistance [here](#)
- [Counseling Center](#) | 404-894-2575 | Smithgall Student Services Building 2nd floor

- Services include short-term individual counseling, group counseling, couples counseling, testing and assessment, referral services, and crisis intervention. Their website also includes links to state and national resources.
- *Students in crisis may walk in during business hours (8am-5pm, Monday through Friday) or contact the counselor on call after hours at 404-894-2204.*
- [Students' Temporary Assistance and Resources \(STAR\)](#)
 - Can assist with interview clothing, food, and housing needs.
- [Stamps Health Services](#) | **404-894-1420**
 - Primary care, pharmacy, women's health, psychiatry, immunization and allergy, health promotion, and nutrition
- [OMED Educational Services](#) | 404-894-3959
- [Women's Resource Center](#) | 404-385-0230
- [LGBTQIA Resource Center](#) | 404 385 4780
- [Veteran's Resource Center](#) | 404-385-2067
- [Georgia Tech Police](#) | 404-894-2500

National Resources:

- The [National Suicide Prevention Lifeline](#) | 1-800-273-8255
 - Free and confidential support 24/7 to those in suicidal or emotional distress
- The [Trevor Project](#)
 - Crisis intervention and suicide prevention support to members of the LGBTQ+ community and their friends
 - Telephone | **1-866-488-7386** | 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
 - [Online chat](#) | 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
 - Text message | Text "START" to **687687** | 24hrs day, 7 days a week

Academic support resources

- [Center for Academic Success](#)
 - ○ [1-to-1 tutoring](#)
 - ○ [Peer-Led Undergraduate Study \(PLUS\)](#)
 - ○ [Academic coaching](#)
- Residence Life's [Learning Assistance Program](#)
 - Drop-in tutoring for many 1000-level courses
- [OMED Educational Services](#) - Group study sessions and tutoring programs
- [Communication Center](#) - Individualized help with writing and multimedia projects
- [Academic advisors](#) for your major
- [Office of Disability Services](#) | 404-894-2563

Skillset support resources

- [Georgia Tech SCUBA](#) (cost is 20% of typical PADI cost)
- CRC Swim Lessons
- EAS Annual Camping Trip (food and gas are covered, gear can be loaned)

- Library/PACE classes on programming
- [Library workshops](#)
- [Library Data Visualization Lab](#)

- Equipment for fieldwork can be found at the [CRC](#)
- Funding for conferences and workshops
 - [Limited travel funds available from SGA](#)

Professional development resources

- [GeoLatinas](#)
- Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders in Geosciences ([AAPiG](#))
- Origins of Life Early Career Network ([OoLEN](#))
- [Cientifico Latino](#) - aims to help undergraduate, graduate, and professional students by providing mentorship, open-access resources on scholarships, fellowships and blog posts on professional development.
- [AGU](#) resources and programs

Georgia Tech & Regional

- [GEAS](#): graduates in earth and atmospheric sciences
- GEAS Graduate Student Symposium
- [Explorigins](#) Colloquia
- [Southeastern Biogeochemistry Symposium](#)
- [500 Women Scientists Atlanta Pod](#) - advocate for diversity and inclusivity in the sciences, increased scientific literacy through public engagement, engagement in science policy, and empowering women in science in our community in Atlanta and the surrounding areas.

Non-academic community resources

- [Concrete Jungle](#)
- [Cycling - Radical Adventure Riders](#), [GT Starter Bikes & workshops](#), [Black cycling clubs](#)
- [LifeCycle Building Center](#)
- [Atlanta Streets Alive](#)
- [Atlanta Beltline](#)

