

The new school year will begin next week and everything is starting to fall into place. Whether it is your first year on campus or your last, you will feel a mix of emotions as you begin the semester. As you move in or return to the place you will be living, you will settle in and picture yourself doing schoolwork, you will begin making new memories, you will meet new people and you will establish a presence in your new community. I encourage you to give yourself the permission to be "ALL IN!"



Shirley Manchester
Undergraduate Academic Advisor



August 10 - 23 - Phase II Registration – Fall 2019 for all students. (Registration ends at 4:00pm ET)

August 23 – Last day to register, make schedule changes, and/ drop courses without a "W" grade for Fall Semester 2019 by 4:00 ET.

No changes to audit mode permitted after the registration/schedule change deadline.

August 19 - First day of class

August 23 - Deadline for submitting online application for graduation (Fall 2019)

August 26 – Fall 2097 tuition payment deadline





Email

Please remember to check your "Clutter" folder for emails from MSE as often as possible to avoid missing important communications. We send emails to your Gatech emails ONLY!

Campus Printing Options

Every student should be familiar with the printing capabilities that are offered by OIT. The base FAQ can be found <u>here</u>.





Did you take summer classes at another school?

Need to Transfer Credit?

If you have taken classes at another school this summer and would like to have the credits transferred to Tech you'll have to request for your transcript(s) to be sent to the GT Registrar

office so your records can be updated. These classes will not factor into your GPA calculations but listed as transfer credits.

Declare A Concentration

Juniors, you must declare a concentration as early as possible to be able to schedule and register for all needed classes for degree requirements. Seniors, this needs to be done before your degree audit can be complete! <u>Find out more here.</u>



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Come Meet Kerry!

Stop by Love 290 to meet our Educational Outreach Manager, Kerry Wallaert! Kerry joined the MSE team in November 2018 and is happy to be with us in MSE.

When she is not at GT, you can find her working on her Ph.D. in Educational Policy Studies at Georgia State. Kerry loves coffee, working out/hiking, and volunteering. She currently serves as a Court Appointed Special Advocate for youth in foster care in Cobb County. Kerry has certificates in Strengths Coaching, leadership development, and behavior based interviewing.

MSE Student – Industry Mentor Program

Applications are now available for all MSE undergraduate students! Complete the **MSE Mentee Application** by September 3.



Program Requirements

- Each mentor/mentee pair will create a developmental goal for the mentee to work on throughout the academic year
- Each mentor/mentee pair will engage in a meaningful interaction 2 times per semester (face to face)
- Mentors/mentees will provide feedback on the program as requested by program coordinators.

We look forward to seeing you at the kick-off event on September 17! For more information, contact <u>Kerry Wallaert</u>.



MSE Coffee & Conversations

Join us in fall 2019 for a new event – MSE Coffee & Conversations! This casual event will allow you to connect with MSE faculty and staff. More details to come soon regarding specific dates and locations.

What is Career Buzz?

Career Buzz is a GT recruitment and management system for current students, and alumni to access employment opportunities for co-op, internships and permanent placement as well as to attend the MSE Career Fair. You need a <u>Career Buzz</u> account To be able to view job postings



Visit Career Buzz



Are You a Pre...

Professional schools typically admit students with strong academic credentials, a well-balanced education, good communication skills, and a broad range of experiences. With the appropriate selection of elective courses, most majors at Georgia Tech provide suitable preparation for professional schools in any area.

The best choice of a major is usually the one in which the student has the greatest inherent interest. No specific major offers an obvious competitive advantage in assuring admission to professional schools.

Pre-Professional Programs Advisors

<u>Pre-Graduate and Pre-Professional</u> <u>Advising</u>

Career Development Guide

Pre-Health Advising

Pre-Teaching Advising

Career Counseling



MSE Ethics Requirement

There is a mandatory Ethics requirement for the MSE degree.

These course options are different from the GT Ethics course options shown in the GT catalog. New SENIORS,

please check your Degree Works page via Buzzport to verify you have met this requirement. If not, and you are planning to graduate fall 2019, you will need to pick up a course before end of Phase II Registration (August 23, 2019).

The MSE Ethics course options are listed in your Degree Works page under Core Area "F." They are as follows: CS 4001, CS 4002, PHIL 3105, PHIL 3109, PHIL 3127, PHIL 4176, HTS 1084, HTS 3032, INTA 2030, LCC 3318 or PUBP 3600.

Courses: HTS 2084, HTS 3032, INTA 2030 & PUBP 3600 can be used to satisfy dual requirements such as Social Science + MSE Ethics or Humanities + MSE Ethics.

Welcome incoming class of 2018!

MSE Career Fair

September 9, 4:30 - 8:00pm

Klaus Advanced Computing Building, Atrium Area RSVP Required!

The MSE Career Fair is exclusively for companies seeking to hire MSE students. Companies registered include Novelis, Clorox, W.L. Glore, and more. See the complete company list <u>here</u>.



GT 2019 All Majors Career Fair

September 9 - 10, 9:30am – 4:00pm Campus Recreation Center RSVP not required Website

Seniors graduating fall 2019 or spring 2020 seeking employment should make an effort to attend the career fairs.

Upcoming Resume & Career Fair Prep Workshops

MSE Resume & Career Fair Prep Workshop Tuesday, August 27, 11:00 am – 11:45 am Love Building, Classroom 185

Mock Interviews
Wednesday, August 28, 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm
Instructional Center (IC) Room 103

MSE Resume & Career Fair Prep Workshop Thursday, August 29, 11:00 am – 11:45 am



Love Building, Classroom 185

C2D2's Career Fair Strategies: Targeting Employers

Create a plan for pre-career fair preparation, reviewing the list of employers, creating a target list, conducting pre-fair research, and making a lasting impression on recruiters. Learn how to standout from the crowd, tips for remaining calm under pressure, adn how to have great discussions with employers. Discover how to best utilize their time waiting in line and what observations recruiters make when you are waiting.

Wednesdays, August 20 & 21, 12:15 pm

Bill Moore Student Success Center

C2D2's Resume, Career Fair Prep, How to Talk to a Recruiter Thursday, August 29, 11:00 am
Student Success Center – President Suite B

<u>Career and Salary Data</u> <u>Career Research Tools</u>

Salary Offer Negotiation Tips Salary Payscale



<u>Academic Support Resources</u> <u>Tutoring Services</u>

<u>Campus Resources</u> <u>Community Service Information</u>

<u>Study Tips</u> <u>Library Resources</u>

<u>Undergraduate Student Handbook</u> <u>Counseling Services</u>

Support Corner

Resources are available if you or a peer is in need of support outside of academics.

The GT Counseling Center, located in the Flag Building, the GT Counseling Center welcomes walk-ins from 8am to 5pm.

After hours, contact the GT Police Department at 404.894.2500 and ask to speak with an



on-call counselor.

<u>The Office of the VP-Dean of Students offers a referral resource</u> for concerns about a fellow student or if you need assistance yourself.

<u>The Georgia Crisis & Access Line</u> is staffed with professional social workers and counselors 24 hours a day, every day, to assist those with urgent and emergency needs. 1.800.715.4225



Upcoming MSE Events



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