# TRANSFER NEWS

## **SPRING 2025**

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Welcome to the University of Georgia! It is due to your dedication, persistence, and hard work that you have made it here. Be proud of where you are and the path you are creating toward your future. Although this past month of January was full of freezing wind, icy roads, and snow days, I truly hope that your introduction into the UGA campus was one where you felt included and welcomed into the Bulldog family. Even in the midst of the winter season, the students and staff are always ready to push each other forward, fulfilling their own goals and aspirations during their time here. Thus, please, do not hesitate to reach out and make new and everlasting connections! Chances are that person sitting next to you in class could become a true friend in these coming months. We are all here to help one another through the ups and downs of life. However, it is okay to still feel a bit lost or unsure of navigating campus, finding clubs or events to attend, or even completely knowing what you want to study as an undergraduate student. Do not be discouraged

by the unknown, everyone has come face to face with it, and emerged victorious in the end. Your time here at UGA will help you understand yourself at a deeper level and help you naviagte the uncertainties within your heart, leading you to find sure footing for the years to come.

With that said, I want to welcome you all once more to the University of Georgia! May these months to come be full of splendor and the fulfillment of goals and dreams.

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# SPOTLIGHT ON UGA RESOURCES

# **EMBARK@UGA**

Embark@UGA is a campus-based initiative to engage students who have experienced foster care, homelessness, and/or are at risk of homelessness.
Embark@UGA connects students to an individualized support network designed to help them navigate UGA by connecting them with campus and community resources that are reflective of their unique needs and circumstances.

SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT: 706-542-8479 SCO@UGA.EDU EMBARK@UGA.EDU



Students connected with Embark@UGA will meet with a Student Care & Outreach team member who will provide tailored support according to the student's unique circumstances.

Students connected with Embark@UGA will be provided with a network of campus resources, tools, and support that they can use throughout their time at UGA.

318 TATE
STUDENT CENTER
WALK-IN'S WELCOME
BETWEEN
8 AM – 5 PM
MONDAY – FRIDAY

# PEER TUTORING

If you are struggling in any course, chances are that UGA has a tutor there for you! Please take advantage of this wonderful resource to help you ace all your coursework

To get started, download Penji, available on iOS and Android, and sign in using your MyID and password.



During a peer tutoring session, whether it's a one-on-one appointment or a study pod, you will engage with a Peer Tutor to find solutions to problems, learn best practices for studying course material, and gain a deeper understanding of the course content. In order to benefit the most from a peer tutoring session, you will need to come prepared with material and questions that you would like to discuss with a Peer Tutor. Be aware that all tutoring services operate within Academic Honesty guidelines. For clarification regarding authorized assistance, contact the course instructor.

Our program and Peer Tutors are accredited through the College Reading and Learning Association which recognizes effective approaches to student learning.

For more information about the program email tutor@uga.edu for a faster response time or call 706.542.0163.

MILLEDGE HALL103 PHONE: 706-542-0163 EMAIL: OSSA@UGA.EDU

# **CAREER CENTER**

If you want to speak with professionals about your resume, cover letters, what is in the job market for your major, be sure to drop by the Career Center!

### They Can Help You

Choose a major, explore careers, prepare for the job search, and become Arch Ready

Arch Ready Professionalism Certificate Attend workshops to support your career and professional development. We cover a variety of topics from choosing a major and career to developing your resume and finding internships or jobs.

Alumni Resources
The UGA Career Center and UGA
Alumni Association are partners in
providing resources to help alumni
find meaningful careers!

#### Career Guide

Need help now? Use this guide anytime to quickly answer your career questions and access. We also have other guides on more specific topics to support you.

#### **Big Interview**

Use Big Interview to learn and practice your interview skills, whether you're interviewing for a job or graduate school.



### **UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA LIBRARIES**

The libraries here at UGA have a vast wealth of knowledge and resources available for students! Be sure to check them out! https://www.libs.uga.edu/

#### ONLINE OFFICE HOURS

Starting February 11, librarians will be hosting virtual drop-ins for students every Tuesday at 11am and Thursday at 4pm for research help over Zoom.

#### **WORKSHOPS**

This February, we're hosting a variety of workshops on topics like Endnote, AI, Data and GIS, Streaming Video, Healthy Research Habits, Pivot for Grant Funding, Predatory Journals, Web of Science, Search Strategies, and more!

#### **GOT A QUESTION?**

Contact the library via chat for live support.
You can also email or visit the subject
quides and tutorials for help.

#### STUDY SPACES & TECH

- Study Spaces
- Study Carrels
- Writing Centers

#### **TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES**

- General Use Computers
- Tech Lending
- Software
- Assistive Technology for Patrons with Disabilities
- Print & Scan
- Wireless Networks

# CITATION MANAGEMENT AND CITATION HELP

- Citation Style Guides
- Endnote

## TRANSFER AMBASSADORS

# 2024-2025



**2024-2025 Franklin College Transfer Ambassadors** 







With so many new opportunities, expectations and hopes for your first weeks on UGA's campus, it can feel exciting and overwhelming. As you get to know your new campus and community, know that the Franklin College Transfer Ambassadors are here to support and encourage you. We were in your same position a semester or two ago and learned a lot about navigating UGA and Franklin College. Don't hesitate to reach out if you have questions or would like to join an ambassador at a campus event.

EMAIL OTAS@UGA.EDU TO GET STARTED.

# CAMPUS EVENTS

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## **SKATE NIGHT**

Join University Union for our Skate Night event!

- Free Food!
- Free Stuff!

At Tate Grand Hall

Thursday, February 6 2025 at 7PM - 9PM



#### **MOVIE SCREENING - GLADIATOR 2**

Engagement, Leadership and Service will be hosting a movie screening of Gladiator 2.

**Tate Theatre** 

Friday, February 7 2025 at 7PM - 10PM



## **INTL. COFFEE HOUR**

Enjoy cultural cuisine, engaging activities, and great company at this weekly reception hosted by International Student Life and various campus and community partners. Come back each week to discover something new!

Memorial Hall Ballroom

Fridays from 12:30PM - 1PM



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### **BOARD GAME CLUB**

Come play some board games and hang out with some friends! From games like Sorry and Clue to social deduction games like Salem, and even games like 5 Minute Dungeon and Slay The Spire: The Board Game, we've got all kinds of games to play!

Dawson Hall

Friday, February 14 2025 at 5:15 PM - 11 PM



### PINATA MAKING

JIn this event, members will create small cardboard pinatas, following a presentation on the history/importance of the pinata. HSA will provide the boxes and decorations, as well as candy.

Adinkra Hall

Tuesday, February 18 2025 at 8PM - 9PM



## FIND MORE EVENTS AT

HTTPS://UGA.CAMPUSLABS.COM/FNGAGF/FVFNTS

