



Georgia Tech Freshman Orientation

Paying your Tuition

Presented by:
Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid
Bursar's Office

FASET 2009-2010





Office of Scholarships & Financial Aid

Office Location:

3rd Floor – Bill Moore Student Success Center (attached to Football Stadium)

Web Site Address is www.finaid.gatech.edu

Office Hours are 8:00 to 4:30 Monday – Friday

Advisors

Designated Contact based upon student's last name

Contact Info available at www.finaid.gatech.edu/contacts



www.finaid.gatech.edu

- Policies and Procedures
- Applications and Forms
- Eligibility requirements
- Enrollment Status requirements
- Staff Directory and Contact Information



Financial Aid Self Service ...Available via BuzzPort

- Application Status.....review outstanding “requirements”
- “Award Notification”.....see awards for each semester
- Monitor “Satisfactory Progress”...GOOD, Warning or Suspended



Important Dates & Deadlines

- March 1 2009 – Was the Priority Application Date for 2009-2010
- August 1 2009 –
 - All Applications for Fall Semester Must be completed
 - All Financial Aid Requirements must be met
 - Outside Scholarship Checks should be received by GT
- September 1 2009 – Late Application Processing Resumes
- February 15 2010 – Priority Filing Date for Summer Semester, 2010
- May 1 2010 - Time to Reapply for 2010
 - Priority Application Date for 2010-2011 Applications



Disbursement Issues

- Incomplete Application
 - Missing a “Requirement”

- Enrollment Status and Changes to Registration

- Timing!!!!



What is “Anticipated” Aid??

- Anticipated financial aid/scholarship amounts that have not actually “disbursed” to the student’s account
- Anticipated Aid will persist on the account until **August 21**
- Disbursements will **begin** on **August 13**
- Student is responsible for:
 - Reviewing charges and Monitoring Disbursements
 - Ensuring that Bursar Account Balance is paid by 4 PM on Friday - **August 21, 2009**



Please Remember....

- Annual Application Process-
 - You must apply EACH year for financial aid & scholarships
- Funds from Outside scholarship/loan sources must be routed through OSFA...please allow time for processing

- HOPE Requires at least a 3.00
 - GPA will be checked
 - After Every Spring Semester
 - And
 - After 30 Attempted Hours

- Aid for Summer Semester
 - Is Available
 - Requires a separate application



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June 9th 2009

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Office of the Bursar

Welcome

For Students, the Bursar's Office is responsible for the assessment of student tuition, financial aid disbursement, and billing. For Faculty and Staff, we are responsible for accounts receivable, petty cash, and payments.

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Welcome to Georgia Institute of Technology Student Account Suite. This site is a 24x7 service offered to students and their families for viewing bills, making payments and managing their student account.

Students and Staff

gtID:
PIN:

Authorized Users

Use this for parents or others who have been granted access.

E-mail:
Password:

Forgot your password? View your [password hint](#), or have your password [e-mailed](#) to you.

Student Account Suite Features

Student Account Center

- Check your balance
- Make a payment towards your balance
- View your payment history
- Store your payment methods for quick and easy payment
- As a student, provide permission to others (parents, employers, etc) to view your bill and make payments

E-Billing

- View and print your billing statement



Bursar's Office

Address:

Lyman Hall
225 North Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30332-0255

Office Hours:

8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., M-F

Web Site:

www.bursar.gatech.edu

Email:

Bursar.ask@business.gatech.edu

Telephone:

404-894-4618

404-894-5536 fax





~~Guaranteed Tuition Program
(fixed for four)~~



“Finish in Four” Tuition Model

- A flat tuition model based on 15 hours a semester will be charged for all students taking in excess of six hours, to encourage students to graduate in four years.
- Students taking 6 hours will pay a flat rate that will be lower than the 15-hour rate.



GT Tuition Rates (per term)

In-State Tuition (Resident)		Out-of-State Tuition (non-resident)	
6 hrs or less	More than 6 hrs	6 hrs or less	More than 6 hrs
\$1,800	\$3,035	\$7,200	\$12,140



Cost of Attendance

(two semesters)

Tuition	Resident	Non-Resident
Tuition Rate	\$6,070	\$24,280
Student Fees	\$1,436	
Books and Supplies	\$1,000	
Housing and Meals	\$8,204	
Personal Expenses	\$1,500	
Total Per Year	\$18,210	\$36,420
Per Term	\$9,105	\$18,210



Web Invoice Statements

<https://buzzport.gatech.edu>

- No mailed invoices
- View invoice over Oscar or Bill + Payment Portal
- Requires GTID and PIN
- Authorized users access Bill + Payment Portal-email address and password required.
- Available 24/7



Web Invoice Statements

<https://buzzport.gatech.edu>

- Important dates
 - Fee Deadlines
- Web payment options
 - Webcheck(e-check)
 - Credit cards
- Print or email



BEFORE MAKING PAYMENT

- Verify your enrollment is correct
- Verify all charges are on the invoice
- Verify all Financial Aid has been disbursed.
- Verify all payments have been received



How to Pay Most Popular Choices

- Scholarships and Financial Aid are disbursed directly to student account to offset charges. Any residuals will be refunded via direct deposit.
- Over the WEB: <http://oscar.gatech.edu>
 - Or www.bursar.gatech.edu (authorized users)
 - Webcheck (Free)
 - Credit Card (Fee applies)



Bill + Payment Portal

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Webcheck(echeck)

- Electronic Check
 - Secure
 - Convenient
 - Quick/easy
 - No cost to student
 - Requires Bank routing number (ABA)
 - Requires Bank account number



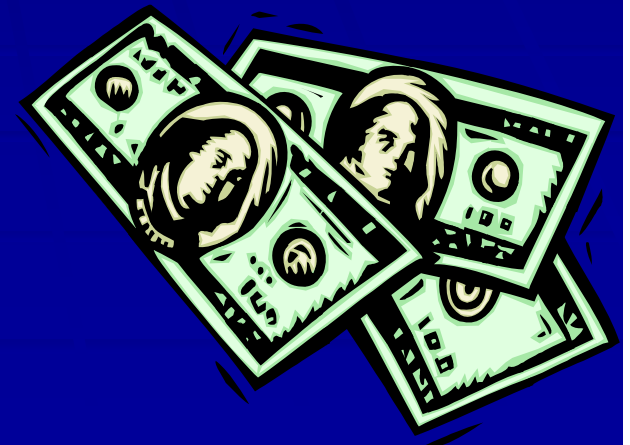
Credit Card-Web only

- Credit Card Payments
 - Secure
 - Quick/easy
 - Third party provider
 - 2.75 % service fee
 - MasterCard/AMEX & Discover only



Traditional Payment Methods

- Mail (checks, cashier checks, money orders)
- Wire Transfer
- In Person at Lyman Hall (drop boxes available)
 - Include Student ID, Student Name and purpose of payment





Traditional Payment Methods

- Credit card payments accepted over the web ONLY
- No monthly payment plans



Important Dates/Deadlines

August 13, 2009	Financial Aid Disbursements
August 14, 2009	Fee Payment Deadline Without Penalty
August 21, 2009 must include \$75 late payment after August 14	Last Day to Pay Fees
August 22, 2008	Class Cancellation for Non-payment



Email Notifications

- GT's Official Means of correspondence
- Notification of Fee Deadlines
- Notification of Fees Due before fee deadline (without penalty)
- Notification of Payments receipted over web
- Notification of Fee Dues/ Final Fee Deadline
- Class Cancellation Warning
- Class Cancellation Notice





Student Refunds

- Refunds can occur for a variety of reasons:
 - Financial Aid Refunds
 - Overpayments
 - Dropped Classes
- Refunds will be returned through Direct Deposit
- Refund Policy for withdrawals is posted on the Bursar website



Direct Deposit

- Direct Deposit Signup is Required
 - Convenient & very secure for Refunds
 - Funds available within 24 hours in most cases
 - No checks lost in the mail
 - Sign up through Oscar/Campus Services menu

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Update Direct Deposit Information

When updating or inserting direct deposit information, Bank Routing Number, Account Number and Account Type are required fields. You also must select an address to associate to direct deposit information.

After updating or inserting, the status will be updated to 'Pre-Note'. It takes approximately ten (10) days to verify the account. If the account verifies, the status will be changed to 'Active'. If not, the status will be updated to 'In-Active'.

Account Type: Checking Savings

Current Status: Inactive

Sign Up Today!!!!

Select one address to associate to direct deposit information

Local Address: 225 North Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30332-0315

Mailing Address: 2020 Bobo St
Alphabet, Alabama 11011

Permanent Address: Undergraduate Admission
219 Uncle Heine Way
Atlanta, Georgia 30332-0320
Fulton



Final Remarks



- Communication will be with the **student**, not with the parents(FERPA)
- It is the student's responsibility to make sure that all requirements of his/her Student Account are satisfied by the deadlines.
- Check your Student Invoice Statement on the Web often, especially as we approach payment deadlines.
- Check your e-mail for Updates
- Sign up for Direct Deposit
- Authorize parents access to student account!