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NEW LOOKS AROUND CAMPUS

A new school year brings about several changes around campus. From new construction at the Center for Molecular Medicine and Phase II of the Business Learning Community, to



Construction at the Center
for Molecular Medicine

renovations including Baldwin Hall and Clark Howell Hall, campus structures are looking fresher and providing more options and services to students, faculty, and staff.

Along with enhanced structure support, campus also boasts new services to the University community. Dining Services adds new Jittery Joe's locations, new retail dining options and grab-and-go choices, along with the new Market at Tate.

To see a full and detailed list of campus changes, please see the Columns article here: <http://columns.uga.edu/news/article/changes-made-across-campus/>

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EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM NOW AVAILABLE

Are you concerned about saving for retirement? Want to know more about eating well? Are you looking for ways to reduce stress? Would you like to be more resilient? Thanks to the new Employee Assistance Program (EAP), help is here.

The University System of Georgia has partnered with Espyr to provide this benefit to all full-time and part-time faculty and staff and their family members. Services include:

- 24/7 access to services
- A large variety of online resources and programs
- No-cost counseling and referral services
- Work/Life services including no-cost consultations with attorneys, financial professionals, child and eldercare services specialists and others

Services are free and confidential for full-time and part-time faculty and staff and can be accessed through a dedicated USG EAP hotline. The hotline is available 24/7, 365 days of the year (1-888-960-3305). You can also access services through the [USG EAP website](#).



MARKET AT TATE TO OPEN THIS FALL

A new convenience store concept offering expanded grab-n-go items, snacks, and bottled beverages opened in the former Tate Café location in the Tate Student Center. The new location, called the Market at Tate, will continue to include Barberitos and Bulldog Burgers.

Beginning this Fall, Bulldog Burgers switched to a local 100% grass-fed ground beef that is produced at UGA and offered at a reduced price from the previous year.

SAVE THE DATE: DEMONSTRATION DAYS AUGUST 30 & 31

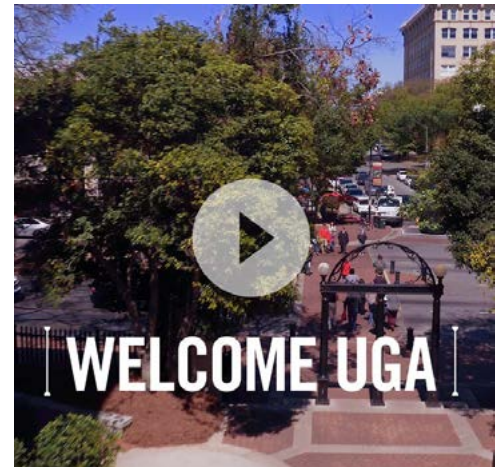
Demo Days are an opportunity for campus to get a “sneak peek” of the new PeopleSoft System. Demo Days will be held at the Georgia Center in room K/L on Wednesday, August 30 and Thursday, August 31.

Please contact UGA's OneSource team (onesource@uga.edu) if you have questions about these upcoming events.

FALL SEMESTER BEGINS

The Fall 2017 semester began on Monday, August 14 and President Morehead welcomed students back with an inspiring video.

If you have not seen the President's welcome video, be sure to click the link to the right!



VIRTUAL PERMIT LOTS PROVIDE CUSTOMERS WITH EFFICIENT PARKING EXPERIENCE

The implementation of a License Plate Recognition Program in UGA parking lots and decks will create a convenient and efficient experience for parking customers by eliminating physical parking permits for parking a car. Customers that purchase a parking space in a converted LPR lot will use their license plate as their permit, creating a sustainable and convenient customer experience. As of Fall 2017, UGA Transportation and Parking Services will have a total of 30 LPR parking areas and a total of 10,800 spaces. The following lots will be converted to virtual permit lots during the 2017-18 academic year: N01, N02, S04, S14, S16, S17, E13, E14, E15, E20, W05, W08, W10, and W11.

TESTERS & TRAINERS NEEDED

Systems testing for PeopleSoft finance modules begins Fall 2017 and the OneSource Project is preparing for training as well. Anyone interested in being a tester or trainer for the PeopleSoft system is encouraged to contact Penny Benton at onesource@uga.edu for more information.

AMOS HALL: OPEN FOR BUSINESS



UGA TREE CREW

For the second consecutive year, Athens was hit by severe thunderstorms on July 1 that required emergency response from the Grounds Department Tree Crew. Another round of storms hit again on July 4 and added to the tree damage that had already occurred. As a

result, over 40 trees on campus were lost between July 1 and July 4. The tree crew, composed of Certified Tree Surgeons Dale Carey, Josh Crump, Mark Artelt, and Caleb Horton, worked tirelessly through the weekend and holiday to open up roads and sidewalks on campus. The Grounds Department Tree Crew responds to similar emergencies throughout the year to ensure that safety issues are addressed quickly. It is always their goal to ensure that campus is safe for students, faculty, staff, and visitors alike no matter the day or time. Thank you, Grounds Department Tree Crew, for your commitment to safety and excellent service!



FINANCE BUSINESS PROCESS DESIGN FORUM

Please mark your calendars on September 22 for the Finance Business Process Design Forum.

The forum will be held Friday, September 22 from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. at the Georgia Center, Masters Hall.

One of the goals of UGA's OneSource Project is to adopt leading business practices and streamline current business processes. Over the past six months, the OneSource finance teams partnered with school, college, and unit representatives to design and confirm finance business processes to be used with PeopleSoft Finance modules and associated administrative systems.

It is important that the UGA community be aware of potentially impactful or significant business process changes. We invite you to review and provide input/ask questions on these business processes.

In late August, documentation will be posted to onesource.uga.edu so that you can review summaries of "key" process changes as well as the business process maps.

ONESOURCE MONTHLY STATUS UPDATES

The OneSource Project will begin hosting monthly status updates beginning in Fall 2017. Updates will include upcoming activities, a review of the project timeline, milestones and progress, as well as announcements. More information will be distributed via the OneSource listserv.

F&A SRG

The next F&A Staff Representative Group meeting will be held Wednesday, August 23 at 2:00 in room 268 of the MLC. Please contact [Debi Chandler](#) for additional information. All F&A staff members are welcome to attend!

SIMPLER TRAINING

Simpler is a query and reporting tool available to use on financial and other administrative data. For your convenience and reference, there are several new instructional videos available on the Simpler Home Page at <http://simpler.uga.edu>. Archpass Duo is required for access to this system. Equipment inventory data has been added and allows authorized users to search for equipment by department, account number, and inventory number. Simpler training classes are offered once each month through Training and Development. If you have ten or more users, we can bring the training to you. Please contact us through onesource@uga.edu. For more information, please visit onesource.uga.edu.

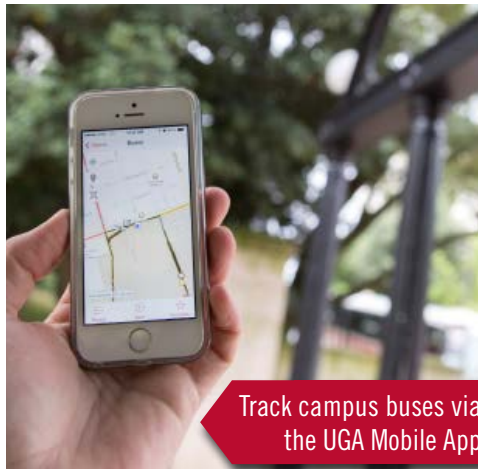
UPGRADE YOUR WAY AROUND CAMPUS

With the start of a new school year, stay up-to-date with bus routes and other transportation news via the updated Transportation & Parking Services mobile bus tracker.

This summer, UGA Transportation & Parking Services upgraded its live campus bus trackers. These updates provide an enhanced online experience for tracking the routes and arrival times of all UGA buses.

This bus tracker is also a popular feature of the [UGA Mobile App](#) and the recent updates will enable additional features in the campus bus tracker and improve long-term performance.

To view more information about on-campus routes, please visit the Transportation & Parking Services [website](#). You may also track buses on your desktop here: <https://routes.uga.edu/>



Track campus buses via the UGA Mobile App

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CHANGE CHAMPIONS

UGA's OneSource Project will not be successful without broad campus engagement. Change Champions are a group of individuals across campus who serve as liaisons between their units and the OneSource Project Team. To see a full list of Change Champions, or to submit your interest in becoming a Change Champion, please visit the OneSource Website: https://onesource.uga.edu/resources/change_champions/ or contact the OneSource Team (onesource@uga.edu).

HOME OPENER

Georgia's home opener will be held Saturday, September 2. Please see the game day website below for info on where to park, eat, and other game day tips. Go Dawgs!
<https://gameday.uga.edu/>