Georgia Tech
College of Computing

CAREER FAIR

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

FAST FACTS

DATE AND TIME
Thursday, September 14, 2023
9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

LOCATION
Mercedes-Benz Stadium
1 AMB NW, Atlanta, GA 30318

STUDENT CHECK-IN

You need your BuzzCard or GT ID. Student check-in opens at 9 a.m.. The last students will be admitted at 3 p.m.

SOCIAL MEDIA

@gtcomputing_careers

Follow our Instagram for tips, news, and information about visiting employers!

Who's coming to the career fair?
Check out the list of registered companies at this website:
https://bit.ly/GTComputingEmployerList

How can I possibly speak to 120+ companies in 1 day?
Come up with a strategy for career fair day! Check our calendar to see if your preferred company is on-campus another day.

What do you suggest I do prior to the career fair to be ready?
- Review Handshake to review/research employers and check out the booth map.
- Attend one of the following virtual Navigating the Career Fair Workshops hosted by the College of Computing Career Services:
  - Tuesday, August 29th 4-5pm
  - Tuesday, September 5th 11am-12pm
  - Tuesday, September 12th 4-5pm

Will there be a bag policy?
All attendees will be required to pass through metal detectors and security screenings upon entering the stadium, for this reason we highly discourage bags and recommend you travel light. You should expect all other safety issues to be handled exactly the way they are on a Falcons or United game day. There will be on-site security at the fair. Bags will not be allowed on the career fair floor and there will not be bag check so do not bring anything you are not comfortable leaving unattended.

What should I expect in terms of the wait time in career fair lines this year?
We hope that you and your classmates will create a strategy for the companies you would like to see prior to the career fair. Plan ahead using the company list to determine your preferred companies.

What should I wear to the career fair?
Many tech companies are known for their casual dress codes, so the fall 2023 career fair will follow suit. Ensure though that you dress professionally to show your potential employer that you take the job opportunity seriously. This means no ripped clothing, no flip flops, and no revealing attire permitted. We do not recommend heels due to the turf flooring.

How will I get there?
- **BUS:** Free bus transportation will be provided between the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. day-of fair. Pick-up and drop-off will on Plum Street between the College of Computing Building and the Klaus Advanced Computing Building. Marta/Carpooling is encouraged for commuters as parking is limited on site. See parking details here.
- **PARKING:** SILVER DECK **(students will NOT be reimbursed for parking)**
  - Silver Deck Directions - Google Maps
  - Address: 1414 Andrew Young International Blvd NW, Atlanta, GA 30313
  - Entrance located off Andrew Young International Blvd (Level 6) by the Falcon Statue
  - Exit the deck by foot on Level 6 (Falcon Statue will be on your left)
  - Continue walking past Gate 2 and take escalators down to North Club Entry
  - Enter through security at **North Club Entry**
- **MARTA INSTRUCTIONS:**
  - Get off at "Mercedes-Benz Stadium/GWCC/State Farm Arena/CNN Center" stop
  - Walk towards the stadium across International Plaza
  - Take escalators down to North Club Entry
  - Please enter building through North Club Entry
- **RIDESHARE INSTRUCTIONS:**
  - Address (Pickup/drop-off): 1414 Andrew Young International Blvd NW, Atlanta, GA 30313
  - Please enter stadium through North Club Entry

How do I get accommodations for the career fair?
Buses will have wheelchair accessibility for attendees, Any other concerns please contact careerfair@cc.gatech.edu.

Will I be able to get excused from class to attend?
Unfortunately not. Career fairs do not fall into the approved categories for institute-approved excuses and all students are responsible for managing their own class attendance. It is best to communicate with instructors about planned absences as soon as possible. College of Computing faculty will receive a copy of these FAQ's and are aware of the career fair date.