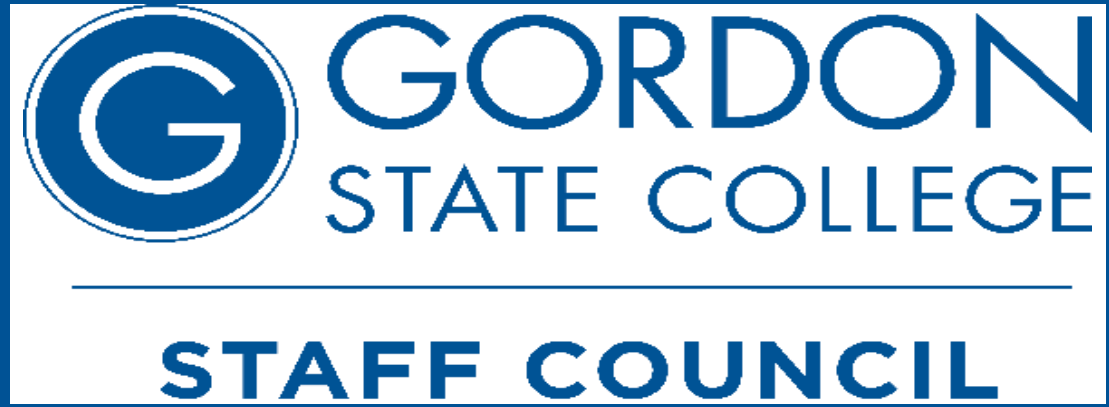


VOTE





June 17, 2026

Agenda

- Call to Order
- Approval of April Meeting Minutes
- New Business
 - Empty Positions Vote
 - President's Office
 - Enrollment
 - Human Resources
 - Marketing
 - Advancement & Alumni Affairs
 - Finance & Administration
 - Academic Affairs
- Treasurer's Report
- "Tell Me Something Good"
- Announcements
 - General reminders
 - Fan Friday

President's Office

YOU ARE INVITED TO A

Farewell *Celebration*

HONORING

Don Green

Join us as we celebrate President Green's lasting contributions to GSC, express our gratitude, and offer our best wishes in his next chapter.

THURSDAY

25

JUNE

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Melton Hall/Nursing Building Courtyard
Gordon State College

KINDLY RSVP TO:
officeofthepresident@gordonstate.edu



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Please join us for a drop-in
welcome honoring

Dr. Russell Crutchfield

as the Sixth President of
Gordon State College

Come by, say hello, and extend your
Highlander welcome.

Monday, July 13

2 - 4 p.m.

GSC Hightower Library
Barnesville, Georgia

Enrollment Services

Admissions 2026-2027 Calendar of Events

Keep an eye out for 2026-2027 Admissions Events. Alexis will be sending out calendar invites to everyone. We encourage campus involvement at all of our events. A handout is being provided. Please reach out to Kristi or Alexis if you have any questions.

NOTE: Handout will be posted with Staff Council Slides on website

Summer 2026 Enrollment

We experienced a 37% increase in new applications for Summer 2026 with a 12.76% increase in total enrollment as of date. Our current Summer 2026 enrollment stands at 1,352

Fall 2026 Enrollment and Summer Melt

Currently, we have received 2,908 new applications for Fall 2026 and admitted 1,194 applicants. Our current Fall 2026 enrollment stands at 2,548 with a goal of 3,558.

The Admissions Office has partnered with the Student Success Advisors to create a call campaign to reach out to students who have been admitted but have not yet completed the scheduling survey.

Thank you to all who have volunteered to assist with making calls. Alexis will be reaching out to those who have volunteered with instructions on making calls. If you would like to assist in the call campaign, please reach out to Kristi or Alexis.

Human Resources

Welcome New Highlanders

- **Laura Abbott**, *Admissions Specialist*
- **Elizabeth Hill**, *Academic Success Advisor*
- **Jolynna Jean-Pierre**, *Administrative Assistant for Finance and Administration*

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Farewells

- **Leslie Bennett**, (Resident Director)
- **Joba Duke**, (Center for Workforce Development)
- **Chandler Schutz**, (Center for Workforce Development)
- **Ronald Scruggs** (Grounds)
- **Ashley Travis** (Innovative Education & External Programs)
- **Jairreis Williams** (Police Sergeant)



Highlanders in New Roles

- Karen Raines, *Registrar*



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Upcoming HR Events

- *Leadership and Supervisory Training*
 - *Thursday, July 16*
- *Employee Appreciation Popup Event*
 - *Wednesday, July 1*



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Timeline for 2025 Annual Evaluations

Evaluative Period July 1, 2025-June 30, 2026

Actions	Responsible Party	Due Date
Define Criteria - Enter Goals and job duties in the system	Manager	February 6, 2026
Complete Self Evaluation	Employee	May 1, 2026
Review Self Evaluation	Manager	May 8, 2026
Complete Evaluation -Enter ratings and comments for all sections	Manager	May 15, 2026
One Up Approvals (if applicable)	One Level Up Manager	June 5, 2026
Review Evaluation & Acknowledge	Employee	June 12, 2026
Finalize Evaluation	Manager	June 19, 2026



Professional Development

- **USG Great Basics**

- **June 30**—Emotional Intelligence: Putting it All Together

- **USG Great Start**


- **July 29**—Understanding the University System of Georgia





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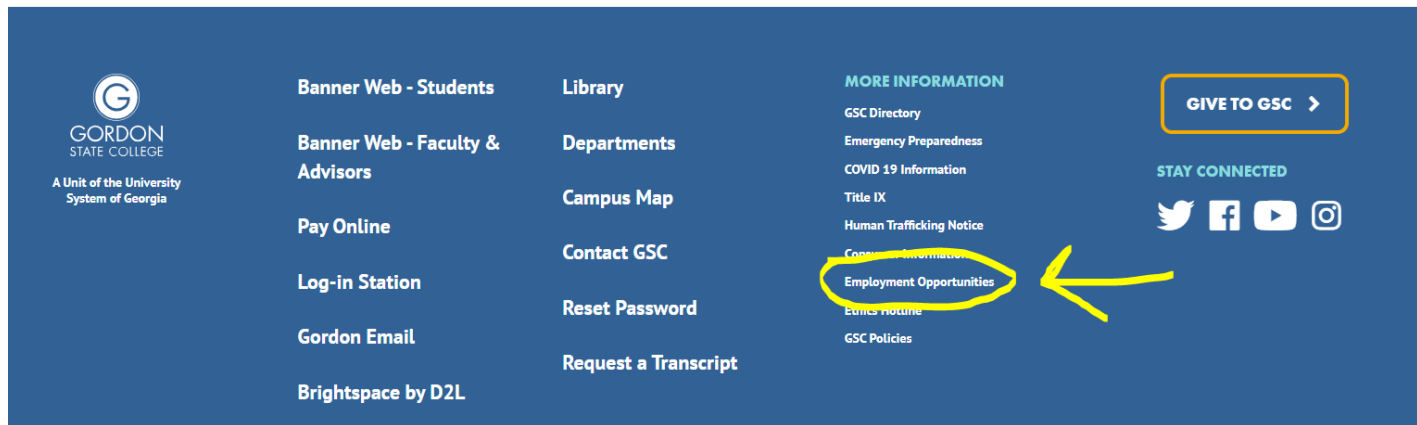
Staff Recruiting


Visit the **Employment Opportunities** webpage at the bottom of our home page for the latest job postings.

**CONTACT**
Learn more about Gordon's uniquely supportive and encouraging education.

**VISIT**
See Gordon State up close by attending an Open House or taking a Campus Tour.

**APPLY**
Applying to Gordon is easy, and our admissions advisors are available to help.




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- Banner Web - Students
- Banner Web - Faculty & Advisors
- Pay Online
- Log-in Station
- Gordon Email
- Brightspace by D2L
- Library
- Departments
- Campus Map
- Contact GSC
- Reset Password
- Request a Transcript
- EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES** ←
- Request a Transcript

MORE INFORMATION

- GSC Directory
- Emergency Preparedness
- COVID 19 Information
- Title IX
- Human Trafficking Notice
- Consent Information
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- Ethics Notice
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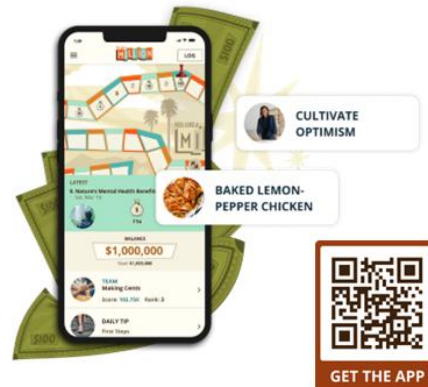


USG Summer Wellness Challenge



Feel Like a Million is a board game-themed program to increase energy and help you feel your best. Each day you record one or more energy-boosting activities, you'll earn virtual dollars and experience progress by moving along the gameboard.

- Registration begins Monday, June 1 and ends Sunday, June 21
- Challenge Dates: June 15 – July 12
- Register at <https://usg.ifeellikeamillion.com/>.



Each day you record activity you earn virtual dollars, experience progress by moving along the gameboard, and are rewarded with another insight on how to reinvigorate body and mind.

Every activity is a move closer to achieving the goal of \$1 million virtual.



Gordon State officially won the *Spring into Motion* Challenge.

Now its time crush the **Feel like a Million** challenge!

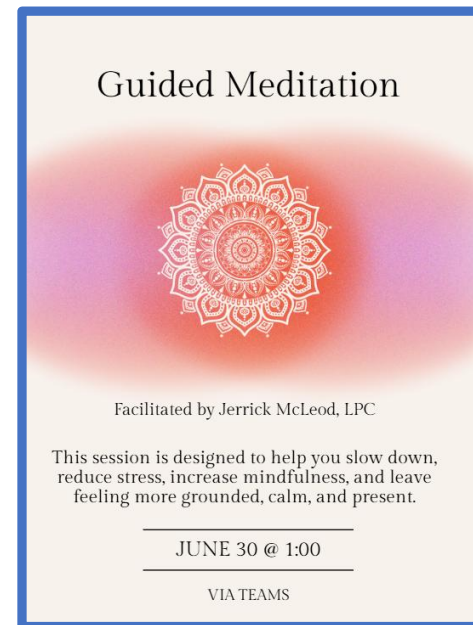
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GSC Wellness News

- **GSC Virtual Wellness**

- Desk Mobility Exercises, June 23 @3:30
- Guided Meditation, June 30 @1:00



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USG Wellness News

- **2026 Well-Being Credits**

- 1/1 through 9/30 earning period.
- Anthem Members: You **MUST** complete the self-assessment before you get credit for wellness activities.

- **Webinars**

- Pets and Your Wellbeing (June 17)
- Diabetes Prevention Program Session (June 23)
- Optimize your Flexible Spending & Health Savings Accounts (June 23)
- Beat the Heat (June 26)

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Stay in the Know. . .

- Highlander Highlights Newsletter
- Wellness Intranet Page
- Highlander Well-Being Facebook Group

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Marketing

Advancement & Alumni Affairs

Academic Affairs

Finance & Administration

Treasurer's Report

Gordon Gives:
\$1664.00

Staff Development:
\$27,620.00



“Tell me something good!”

A HUGE shoutout to everyone who volunteered their valuable time during the Store's inventory—and to their Supervisor's and direct colleagues who let them slip away for a bit.

--Campus Store Team

Announcements

Interested in interest groups?

Suggestion form is LIVE on Staff Council page!

Staff Council page shows upcoming meetings—stay tuned for updates

Read the Highlander Highlights Newsletter



FAN FRIDAY

SHOW SOME SPIRIT

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DATE

Upcoming Dates:

- June 26
- July 10
- July 24

RULES:

- Purchase a sticker from Campus Store or Bursar's Office (\$3)
- Wear ANY Team's gear--GSC Highlander Spirit counts!
- Feel free to donate without dressing up
- Proceeds go to Gordon Gives

SEND QUESTIONS & PHOTOS TO

STAFFCOUNCIL@GORDONSTATE.EDU