



FAST FACTS



NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED

in State of Georgia Inclusive College Programs in the 2018 - 19 Academic Year

75%

EMPLOYED
after Graduation



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NUMBER OF INCLUSIVE COLLEGE PROGRAMS

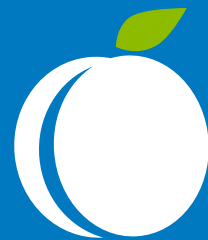
in the State of Georgia

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GEORGIA COLLEGE

preparing to start a new program



88%

of Inclusive College **STUDENTS GRADUATE** from their program



NO. OF INCLUSIVE COLLEGE OPTIONS

throughout the United States

\$500,000

FROM THE STATE

supports students & programming for Inclusive Colleges in Georgia



\$500,000

FROM THE US GOV

for five years (2015-2020) from a Department of Education Grant



Thank you for supporting Inclusive Postsecondary Education (IPSE) Options for students with intellectual and developmental disabilities

Our Budget Ask for FY2020:



\$500,000 in New Funding

Support the sustainability of inclusive postsecondary education programs in Georgia through Academic Transition Teacher funding.

Increase legislative funding from the existing \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 in total within the Georgia Council on Developmental Disabilities Budget.

* Academic Transition Teachers are critical to the success of IPSE programs!

Academic Transition Teachers:

- set student's course of study to align with realistic career goals
- modify curricula to integrate universal design for learning across multiple disciplines
- ensure students are ready for real jobs upon graduation



Inclusive College Programs in Georgia:

1. Albany Technical College LEAP
2. Columbus State University GOALS
3. East Georgia State College CHOICE
4. Georgia Institute of Technology EXCEL
5. Georgia Southern EAGLE Academy
6. Georgia State University IDEAL
7. Kennesaw State University Academy for Inclusive Learning & Social Growth
8. University of Georgia Destination Dawgs
9. University of West GA Project WOLVES

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Excel Program at Georgia Tech



"[My son's] a different person than he was two-and-a-half years ago. He's surpassed every goal and he's happier than I've ever known him to be."

– Rhonda Taubin

Rhonda's son Drew is a third-year student at Georgia Tech's EXCEL program. Drew has an internship with Hotel Indigo's IT Department.



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