

# A COMMUNITY OF SCHOLARS IMPROVING THE WORLD

Georgia Tech's prestigious four-year Gold Scholarship is offered annually to the top 2% of first-year students. Recipients are selected based on holistic excellence and potential within the program's four pillars: Scholarship, Leadership, Progress, and Service. Approximately 20 students enroll each year as Gold Scholars.

## SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS

- Up to eight semesters of funding.
  - Georgia residents: A tuition, fees, and books scholarship (valued at about \$12,800 annually).\*
  - Out-of-state students: A tuition waiver (valued at about \$23,000 annually and reducing cost to in-state rate).
- Retreats focused on developing scholars as citizens of Georgia Tech and the larger world.
- A pre-enrollment Tech Trek in the southeast United States (offered by Outdoor Recreation Georgia Tech).
- Access to special speakers, employment opportunities, dinners, and receptions.
- An opportunity to join the Gold Scholars Ambassadors and help guide and represent the community.
- Involvement in a close-knit student community complete with peer mentoring and staff support.
- Specialized mentoring from professional staff in the Office of Scholar Programs, including guidance in applying for prestigious national fellowships.
- Guaranteed on-campus housing every year.
- Professors and other staff who serve as faculty guides, providing leadership mentoring throughout the four years.
- Invitation to join the John H. Martinson Honors Program. No application required.



## OFFICE OF SCHOLAR PROGRAMS

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\* The package assumes the scholar has received the Zell Miller Scholarship independently from the state of Georgia.

## AN INVESTMENT, NOT A REWARD

We are looking for students who recognize that the Gold Scholarship is not a reward for four years of accumulated achievements but is, rather, an investment in a lifetime of accomplishments.

## QUALIFYING

About 44,000 high school seniors are expected to apply for admission by the Early Action deadlines each year; 350 of those will be selected as semifinalists for Stamps President's and Gold Scholarships. The semifinalist pool of students will participate in a video interview. All semifinalists will be asked to submit additional documentation, including a resume.

Around 150 finalists will be named in February and invited to engage in additional activities and interviews in March. Those who choose to attend Georgia Tech the next fall will join the Office of Scholar Programs community as either a Gold or Stamps President's Scholar.



### Caroline

Fourth-Year Gold Scholar

*"From our Tech Trek onward, the Gold Scholar community has given me a home at Tech. The entire community is incredibly accessible and supportive. I've had amazing academic and personal opportunities through the Gold Scholarship, and I'm excited to watch this community continue to thrive!"*

### Benjamin

Alumnus

*"A class is a class no matter what school you go to, but the Gold Scholar Program has been a unique part of my college experience. I loved engaging in meaningful conversations with faculty guides, receiving mentorship from the office, and being part of a community of high-achieving, talented scholars that has broadened into a robust alumni network. As a medical student at Brown University, I see how my experience with the program has molded the way I think as a scholar, shaped me into the leader I am today, and set me on a trajectory to become the physician I aspire to be."*

