

DESTINATION EDUCATION

YOU CAN GET ANYWHERE FROM HERE



THE UNIVERSITY

Your DESTINATION EDUCATION is Savannah State University!

Welcome to Savannah State University. If your goal is to achieve a first-class education at an exciting and forward moving university you've reached your destination!

The University

Savannah State University is a senior coeducational unit of the University System of Georgia.

* Founded in 1890,

* Savannah State University is Georgia's oldest public historically black institution

* The University System of Georgia's core curriculum is the basis for Savannah State University's degree programs

* The university, accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, offers 23 undergraduate degree majors and four graduate programs through three colleges:

-College of Sciences and Technology (COST)

-College of Business Administration (COBA)

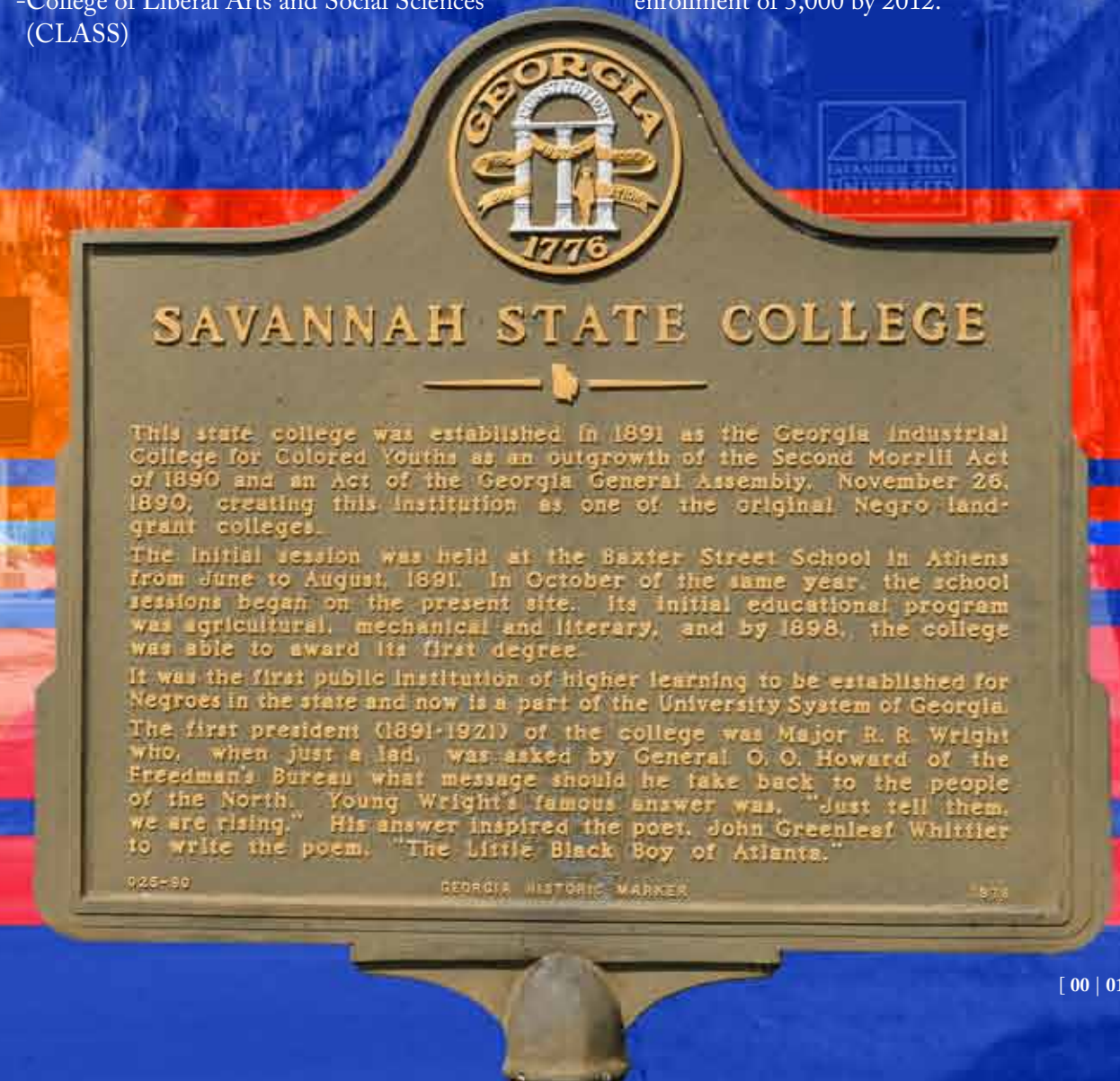
-College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS)

* Built in 1901 by students and professors, Hill Hall is listed on the National Register of Historic Places

• The university has one of the lowest student-to-faculty ratios in the region at 22:1

* Student population grew by 10.6 % in 2009

* It is estimated that the university will have an enrollment of 5,000 by 2012.



You can feel **Tiger Pride** the moment you arrive on campus...there is an energy that pervades the entire university complex. Exciting changes are happening now or planned within the next few months... momentum is building as new construction, renovation and repurposing of historic buildings takes place...an old-fashioned diner has just been completed and T. A. Wright football stadium will undergo extensive restructuring.

TIGER PRIDE




THE COLLEGES

Savannah State's highly qualified professors are able to teach in small classroom settings that enable them to get to know each student as an individual. This type of classroom setting encourages students to express themselves in a supportive environment.

The College of Business Administration (COBA) offers a four-year professional program that incorporates a general education with broad-based programs that are a combination of professional and liberal arts studies. The programs of study lead to a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. Students can also minor in business with 15 hours.

Majors include:
Accounting, Management, Marketing and Computer Information Systems.



The College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS) programs focus on developing a student's critical thinking skills, expanding communications abilities, and helping them learn more about themselves through participation in studies abroad, internships, community service and classroom instruction in state-of-the-art facilities.

Majors include:

- * Bachelor of Arts:
Majors: Africana Studies, English Language and Literature, History, Homeland Security and Emergency Management, Mass Communications
- * Bachelor of Fine Arts:
Major: Visual and Performing Arts
- * Bachelor of Science
Majors: Behavior Analysis, Criminal Justice, Political Science, Sociology
- * Bachelor of Social Work:
Major: Social Work

The College of Sciences & Technology (COST) is dedicated to delivering high-quality education, scholarship and research in sciences, engineering and technology. The programs are designed to provide students a combination of fundamental knowledge and lifelong learning skills that will prepare graduates for a successful career in their chosen field. At the same time, students gain the necessary practical skills so they can be productive from the very start on the job.

College of Sciences & Technology

* Bachelor of Science

Majors: Biology, Chemistry, Civil Engineering Technology, Computer Science Technology, Electronics Engineering Technology, Environmental Studies, Marine Sciences, Mathematics

* **Engineering Majors through GA Tech Regional Engineering Program (GTREP):** Civil, Computer, Electrical, Mechanical and Engineering

The Peach State Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (PSLSAMP), funded by the National Science Foundation, seeks to increase the number of minority students graduating and pursuing careers in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) fields.



ACTIVITIES

The Marching Tiger Band, also known as “The Coastal Empire Sound Explosion,” is the largest organization on campus consisting of more than 100 members. The unique southern show-band style and precision, high-stepping gait offer an exceptionally entertaining experience. Some members of the band also form the SSU Jazz Ensemble and the Symphonic Wind Ensemble. Both perform at campus ceremonies, local concerts and festivals.

Homecoming. The annual homecoming celebration brings together thousands of Savannah State University alumni, students and friends to enjoy a week-long event that culminates with a parade through downtown Savannah and the gridiron match at Wright Stadium. Concerts, Greek step shows and a large tailgate scene are popular homecoming weekend attractions.



SPORTS

This is an exciting time in Tiger athletic history. Savannah State University sports teams joined the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) in 2010. MEAC is a collegiate athletic conference of historically black colleges and universities (HBCUs) located along the Atlantic coastline. It participates in the National Collegiate Athletic Association's Division I, and in football, the Football Championship Subdivision (FCS).

Currently, the MEAC has automatic qualifying bids for NCAA postseason play in baseball, men's basketball, women's basketball, football, softball, men and women's tennis, and volleyball.



CAMPUS LIVING

A great way to experience college life is to live on campus! More than 60% of Savannah State students live on campus in a supportive atmosphere surrounded by others sharing the same life-changing experiences, academically and socially. Convenient to all campus activities, Savannah State housing includes options for different budgets and lifestyles.

*Traditional residence halls and the modern, well-planned freshman suites are ideal for students new to the university.

*The Freshman Living/Learning Center, also known as FLLC, has 296 available spaces for freshman students.

*University Village, a campus apartment complex, is home to 516 upper-classmen and 144 freshmen, males and females.

*University Commons provides a great location with a unique apartment and town home living environment for 705 upper-class students.

*A new 600-bed student-housing complex will open in 2011.



The Asa H. Gordon Library serves the university and the community. The library has an extensive collection of resources including books, journals, photos, and music. The library offers:

- Web-based catalog access to over six million volumes
- Galileo, an electronic library database of search engines or journals, encyclopedias, magazines and other information offered by the University System of Georgia
- JSTOR, an electronic archive of core scholarly journals in the humanities, social sciences, and sciences, many of which date from the 1800s
- Over a dozen additional electronic databases that cover a wide spectrum of interests
- An extensive African-American collection

The King-Frazier Student Center is an expansive, multi-purpose building strategically located on campus. The multi-cultural student body keeps this building a vibrant center of activity at almost any hour of the day.

The Center houses the:

- * University Dining Hall
- * Tiger Cafe
- Student Government Association
- Center for Leadership & Character Development
- Center for Residential Services and Programs
- Center for Student Programs and Organizations
- Center for Student Development
- Bookstore
- Post Office

There are approximately 75 clubs and organizations on campus that focus on everything from business, sports, arts, politics, environmental or technology. Greek fraternities and sororities also play an active role in campus life. Known as the “Divine Nine,” Savannah State is one of the few HBCUs in Georgia to house all nine black sororities and fraternities.

You are encouraged to get involved and realize the full Tiger experience!

AROUND CAMPUS



Savannah State students are presented with exciting opportunities to get involved with the greater Savannah community.

* The annual Savannah Black Heritage Festival, a partnership between the university and the city of Savannah, celebrates African-American culture through a variety of events and performances at venues on campus and throughout the city. Students have the opportunity to serve on committees and participate in performances.

* Savannah State University has long-standing partnerships with corporations, governmental bodies and service agencies in the greater Savannah area. These diverse connections offer a variety of learning experiences and the chance to apply classroom experience to real-world situations through volunteer and internship opportunities.

AROUND TOWN



* Savannah State University students are global learners. Thanks to formal partnerships with outstanding universities in Africa, Brazil, the Caribbean, China and India, you may spend a summer studying abroad, soaking up knowledge and culture first hand to prepare for the ever-expanding, competitive global marketplace.

*The Model United Nations (MUN) program at Savannah State University gives members the opportunity to interact with a broad range of students and scholars. The university is one of a few HBCUs that participate in MUN at conferences in Atlanta, Georgia; Daytona Beach, Florida; Edinburgh, Scotland; Mexico City, Mexico; and Den Haag, Netherlands. Students gain skills through debating, negotiating, diplomacy, public speaking and cultural etiquette.

AROUND THE WORLD

Savannah State University is located along the banks of an estuary marsh, a tributary of the Wilmington River with direct access to the Atlantic Ocean. The site is considered one of the most beautiful university settings on the East Coast...just minutes from the famed historic district of Savannah, Georgia, and a short 15-minute drive to Tybee Island.

THE SETTING

Savannah State University

1. **Adams Hall**
Scheduled for renovation
2. **Baseball Field**
Home of Tiger baseball team
3. **Bostic Hall**
Houses approximately 200 male students
4. **Bowen-Smith Hall**
A traditional residence hall that houses 200 co-eds
5. **"The Circle"**
Landmark park
6. **Colston Building**
Houses various academic administrative offices
7. **Drew-Griffith Science Building**
Used primarily for science instruction
8. **Freshman Living & Learning Center**
Cluster rooms for approximately 300 students.
9. **Gardner Hall**
Houses offices for University Advancement
10. **A.H. Gordon Library**
Extensive book collection
11. **Hammond Hall**
Provides technology support to the university
12. **Harris-McDew Health Clinic**
Medical services
13. **Herty Hall**
Used to provide math courses
14. **Hill Hall**
The hub for student-related business affairs
15. **Hodge Hall**
Home to WHCJ 90.3 FM Radio: The Voice of SSU
16. **Camilla Hubert Hall**
Renovation in progress
17. **Hubert Science and Technology**
Used to provide technology courses and services
18. **Jordan Building**
Houses the College of Business Administration
19. **J.F. Kennedy Building**
Visual & performing arts; mass communications
20. **King-Frazier Student Center**
Dining, recreation, housing, bookstore and post office
21. **Log Cabin**
Historic landmark
22. **Marine Biology**
For courses and activities in marine sciences
23. **Morgan Annex**
Used for printing services
24. **Morgan Hall**
Scheduled for renovation
25. **McGlockton Building**
Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps (NROTC)
26. **Payne Hall**
Liberal arts classrooms and offices
27. **Peacock Hall**
Co-ed residence hall for 180 upperclassmen
28. **Plant Operations**
Maintains a clean and safe campus
29. **Powell Hall**
Houses IT helpdesk and AROTC
30. **Practice Football Field**
Used for game preparation
31. **Public Safety**
Provides a safe and secure campus environment
32. **Security Posts**
Provides a secure campus entry
33. **Social Sciences (CLASS)**
Social Sciences classrooms and offices
34. **Tennis Courts**
Open to all students, faculty and staff
35. **Tiger Arena**
Home of the Tigers & Lady Tigers basketball teams
36. **Tiger Express**
Diner located in the heart of the campus
37. **University Commons**
Fully-furnished apartments for 700 students
38. **University Village**
Fully-furnished apartments for 660 students
39. **Whiting Hall**
Houses academic resources & outreach programs
40. **Willcox-Wiley Gym**
Fitness center, home to Lady Tigers volleyball
41. **T.A. Wright Stadium**
Home of Tiger football and track
42. **New Student Center**
Opening in 2011



A blue-tinted photograph of a street sign for College St. and a Savannah State University flag. The street sign is a rectangular metal plate with the words "COLLEGE ST." in raised, serif capital letters. It is mounted on a metal pole. To the left, a portion of a Savannah State University flag is visible, featuring the university's crest and the text "SAVANNAH STATE UNIVERSITY" and "1890".

COLLEGE ST.

Financial Aid

Any qualified student has the opportunity to attend Savannah State University. Financial options include grants, scholarships and loans. For more information visit our web site @ www.savannahstate.edu or call the Financial Aid Office (912) 358-4162.

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