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Monday, January 11, 2016

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Georgia Southern staff honored with

Awards of Excellence

Georgia Southern University honored more than 175 staff members celebrating years of service, and eight Award of Merit winners at the 2016 Staff Awards of Excellence Ceremony on Thursday, Jan. 7, at the Performing Arts Center.

2016 Merit Award Winners, pictured above (L to R): Addie Edwards, Michelle Smith, Lori Mayes, Marcella Stewart, James Grigg, Ashley Lowery, Janet Walker and Logan Franks.

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Georgia Southern creates Dr. Willie J. Burden Memorial Scholarship

The Georgia Southern University Foundation is now collecting contributions for the creation of the Dr. Willie J. Burden Memorial Scholarship in memory of the many contributions made to the University by the Professor Emeritus who passed away Dec. 4.

A record-setting, Hall of Fame football player for Canadian football's Calgary Stampeders, Burden taught 13 different courses in Sport Management, served as the Undergraduate Program Coordinator for Sport Management and published more than 16 peer-reviewed publications at the University.

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New pedestrian crossing at University entrance



Georgia DOT announced the activation of a new pedestrian crossing signal on US 301 /SR 73 at the entrance to Georgia Southern University on Tuesday, Jan. 5, to increase the level of safety for college students and other pedestrians crossing the multi-lane roadway.

Please use caution as traffic adjusts to the new signal.


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New Health Services facility opens today

Georgia Southern's new Health Services building, a 39,000-square-foot state-of-the-art facility, begins taking patients today. The new facility features 36 exam rooms, 12 women's health exam rooms, expanded pharmacy, x-ray, lab and immunization areas, as well as new services coming this spring.

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2016 **MLK CELEBRATION** SPEAKER

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Dr. Steve Perry

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Wednesday, January 27 at 7 p.m.
Performing Arts Center

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Georgia Southern hosts renowned educator Dr. Steve Perry for annual MLK Celebration

Georgia Southern will welcome Dr. Steve Perry, founder and principal of Capital Preparatory Magnet School in Hartford, Connecticut, to campus for the University's 2016 MLK Celebration on Wednesday, Jan. 27, at 7 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center.

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On Campus...

[Georgia Southern Theatre & Performance presents international performer Bill Bowers in his award-winning production "It Goes Without Saying"](#)

[Georgia Southern faculty continue excellence in 2015](#)

In the Media...

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— Statesboro Herald

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— Convenience Store Decisions

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— Effingham Herald

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[Military guide names GSU Business College a top school](#)

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