

Rural Support

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DIVISION OF ACADEMIC ENHANCEMENT



UGA's Division of Academic Enhancement empowers all students to achieve success with innovative courses, programs, services, and student-centered initiatives.

The DAE supports students as they transition into higher education and sustains their progress through the University's unique academic environment. We are committed to students, committed to success.



MISSION STATEMENT



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ACCESS

*Consists of seven
federally-funded
TRIO programs*

Talent Search Upward

Bound - UGA

Upward Bound - NE GA

Upward Bound
Math/Science

Student Support Services

Student Support Services
STEM-H

McNair Scholars

INITIATIVES

*Supports several scholar
programs and rural +
first-generation initiatives*

ALL Georgia
Correll Scholars

Cousins Scholars

Mary Virginia Terry
Scholars

1GAAT Scholars Georgia
Committment Scholars

Kellogg Scholars

REACH Scholars

Stamper Scholars

Thrive at Georgia

INSTRUCTION

*Offers a wide variety of
engaging UNIV courses
+ an Intensive English
Program*

UNIV Courses:

Academic Success
Courses

Literacies Courses

Supplemental
Instruction Courses

Intensive English
Program

SERVICES

*Supports all UGA students
through academic support
resources*

Academic Coaching

Peer Learning

Assistants Peer Tutoring

Presentation
Collaboratory

Presentation
Collaboratory Fellows

Student Success
Workshops

DAE OVERVIEW

The Division of Academic Enhancement is a sub-unit of the Office of Instruction DAE consists of four areas:

Access, Initiatives, Instruction, and Services.

7 TRIO
PROGRAMS

1029 STUDENTS SERVED
BY ACADEMIC
COACHING

96 UNIV
COURSES
OFFERED

1158 STUDENTS IN
TRIO PRE-COLLEGE
PROGRAMS

107 TRI-ALPHA
INDUCTEES

672 SCHOLARS
RECEIVING
SUPPORT

54 SECTIONS OF
STEM COURSES
SUPPORTED BY PLAs

15 PRESENTATION
COLLABORATORY
FELLOWS

152 THRIVE AT
GEORGIA
PARTICIPANTS

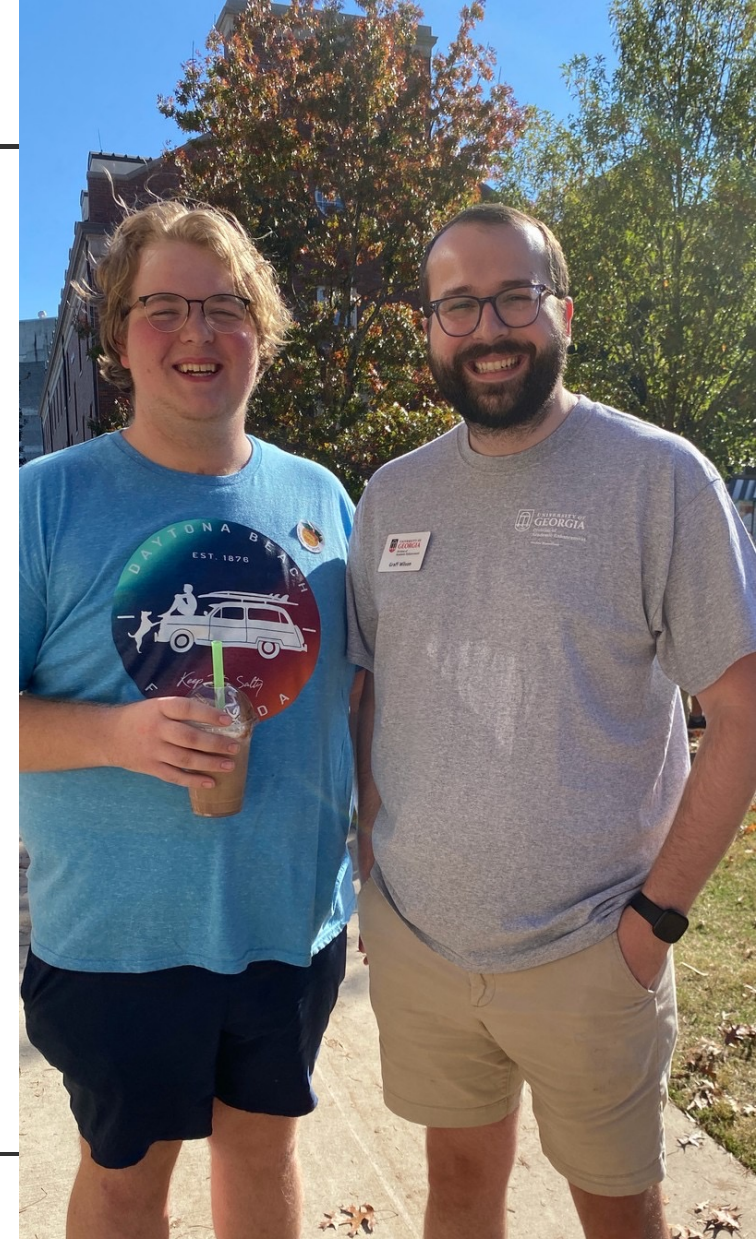
15,500 TUTORING
SESSIONS

DAE BY THE NUMBERS: 2021-2022



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ALL GEORGIA



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- 75% of counties in Georgia have a population of less than 50,000 people
- Of 159 counties in Georgia, 120 counties are considered rural
- UGA students are considered rural if they live within one of these counties
- OIR collects admissions data based on student zip code to assist in identifying rural students





ALL GEORGIA SCHOLARS

Provides financial aid for six outstanding UGA students matriculating to UGA from rural Georgia areas each year

RURAL STUDENT SUPPORT

Supports all rural students at UGA with a network of resources and common experiences

RURAL STUDENT AMBASSADORS

Eight rural students who plan events and build community among rural students at UGA

	Year 1 Connect to UGA	Year 2 Leadership Development	Year 3 & Beyond Reconnecting to Roots & Expanding Horizons
Academic Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Coaching Student Success Workshops Peer Tutoring Services UNIV 1201: Learning for Success at the University 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Coaching Student Success Workshops Peer Tutoring Services Peer educator employment UNIV 1202: Becoming Active Learners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Coaching Student Success Workshops Peer Tutoring Services UNIV 2301: Transformative Learning Strategies
Advising & Mentoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual networking event Exploring academic opportunities Peer support opportunities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual networking event Engagement with UGA schools & colleges Peer mentorship and leadership opportunities Rural Student Ambassador Program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual networking event Engagement with UGA schools & colleges Peer mentorship and leadership opportunities Rural Student Ambassador Program
Leadership Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommendations for on-campus employment opportunities Uniquely designed resources and workshops curated for rural students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommendations for on-campus employment opportunities Uniquely designed resources and workshops curated for rural students Engagement with national Rural Student Success unConference 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connection to internship, professional development, and leadership resources Graduate school and career preparation workshops and support Engagement with national Rural Student Success unConference
Community Engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMPACT Service Break Road Dawgs Service-learning courses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMPACT Service Break Intensive Experiential Learning in home or global communities Road Dawgs Service-learning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMPACT Service Break Intensive Experiential Learning in home or global communities Road Dawgs Service-learning
Optional Summer Opportunities	<p><i>Summer Prior to Year 1:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invitation to the Thrive at Georgia Invitation to Dawg Camp 	<p><i>Summer Prior to Year 2:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommendations for on-campus employment opportunities Thrive at Georgia internship opportunity 	<p><i>Summer Prior to Year 3 & Beyond:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommendations for on-campus employment opportunities Service or research opportunities at home or abroad



MEET ABBIE EARNEST

Donalsonville, GA – Seminole county

Population: 2,833

Major: Biological Science

“I graduated high school with 26 other people. When I came to UGA, I knew I wanted to experience things I wouldn’t be able to back home. It was scary being in such a different environment but something I was very ready for.”

Looking forward, Earnest dreams of making healthcare more accessible by becoming a rural-area physician. She will graduate from UGA in May 2023 and will begin medical school at Mercer University the following August.



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