



Why should YOU become an Resident Advisor for Spring 2006?

The RA position allows you to grow as a student and as an individual. You will learn many valuable skills that you will be able to apply to future experiences as well as your chosen career. Those skills include: time management skills, decision-making skills, leadership skills, interpersonal communication skills, learning to work with a staff team to achieve a common goal, and learning to be accountable to a supervisor

Benefits: Each RA receives a stipend each semester. The current stipend is \$1,716.50, Spring 2006. RAs are guaranteed on-campus housing, for which they are financially responsible. Resident Advisors are allowed a single room at double occupancy rates when space is available. Equally important and the non-tangible benefits: the opportunity to interact with a variety of people and the chance to develop skills such as leadership, communication, organization, time management, and counseling.

For more information about the position and application information, please go to www.gsuhousing.com **Applications are due November 21, 2005 for spring 2006 positions!**

Tips to Quit Smoking

- Pay attention to your triggers
- Get support from friends
- Pick a day to quit
- Drink plenty of fluids
- Take up a hobby
- Remember physical withdrawal symptoms last 2 weeks
- Give yourself a reward for not smoking



Source: *LifeSign Smoking Cessation Program and www.GeorgiaSouthern.edu/health.*

Don't Forget About the Academic Mentor Tutors!

Tutoring Schedule

Winburn	Eagle Village
Sun. 6-10 p.m.	Sun. 6-10 p.m.
Mon. 6-10 p.m.	Mon. 6-10 p.m.
Tues. 6-10 p.m.	Tues. 6-10 p.m.
Wed. 6-10 p.m.	Wed. 6-10 p.m.
Thur. 6-10 p.m.	Thur. 6-10 p.m.



There are four weeks left till Finals! Start to prepare!

In the Residence Halls

Hendricks

11/8 7 p.m. **Aids Awareness** Lobby



Johnson

11/8 and 11/9 **Halo Tournament** Lobby
Sign Up November 2nd-6th on the Action Team Bulletin Board

Watson

11/6 9 p.m. **Madden Tournament** Lobby
11/13 7 p.m. **Pool Tournament** Lobby

Kennedy

11/6 4 p.m. **Root beer and Coke Social** MPR
11/7 7 p.m. **Cupcake Bake-off** MPR
11/8 9:45 p.m. **Movie: Requiem for a Dream** MPR

Southern Pines

11/9 7 p.m. **Career Services** Clubhouse

Career Corner



Planning for Graduate School is a career step that many people decide to take. Many graduate programs have February or March deadlines. For some schools, it is best to apply in November or December of your senior year for admission the following fall. Generally, the more competitive the program, the earlier you need to submit all application materials. Be sure to contact each school well in advance to determine when application deadlines are. Career Services and the Office of Graduate Studies are sponsoring a **Graduate School Fair on Tuesday, November 8, 9am-1pm in the Nessmith-Lane Multipurpose Room.** Representatives from Georgia Southern and other universities will be available to answer your questions regarding their individual graduate programs. Please visit the Career Services Website at <http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/career> to learn more about the schools participating or call 681-5197 for more information.



Spotlight On . . . Dr. Anastasia Sims

Anastasia Sims, professor of history, joined the Georgia Southern faculty in 1987. In addition to the core US history course, she teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in American women's history. She was born in Mobile, Alabama, and grew up in San Antonio, Texas. She received a B.A. from the University of Texas at Austin in 1974, an M.A. from the University of North Carolina in 1976, and a Ph.D. from UNC in 1985. Before coming to Georgia Southern she taught at North Carolina State University and Virginia Tech.

Dr. Sims's research focuses on the history of women in the South. She has published a book about North Carolina women in the early 20th century and is currently working on a biography of Juliette Gordon Low, founder of the Girl Scouts of the USA. She first became interested in Juliette Low when she was a Girl Scout in Texas, and living close to Low's birthplace in Savannah has given her the opportunity to find out more about this remarkable Woman. Her hobbies include reading mysteries, working crossword puzzles, and tap dancing.

Can YOU Make an Impact?

Be a part of a Georgia Southern Tradition:
Become a *SOAR Leader!*

If you would like to spend your summer working with Georgia Southern's new Eagles, apply to be a SOAR Leader! Applications are available now in Lewis Hall on Sweetheart Circle. MARK YOUR CALENDAR for:

SOAR INFORMATION NIGHT!!

Monday, November 14th @ 7:00 p.m.
in the Russell Union Theater

Learn about what it's like to be a SOAR Leader, the application process, interviews, the pay, the benefits, and much more. Don't miss it!

Applications are due Friday, December 2nd at 5:00 p.m. in the Office of Orientation in Lewis Hall on Sweetheart Circle. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Office of Orientation, 871-1987 or by e-mail orientation@georgiasouthern.edu.
<http://admission.georgiasouthern.edu/orientation/leaders>

Check out this fantastic Leadership Opportunity

It is that time again!!! Applications are now available for the 2006-2007 Minority Advisement Program Sponsor Team. You may pick up these applications in the Multicultural Student Center located on the second floor of the Russell Union. The deadline for application is December 2, 2005. For more information you can attend an information session on November 16, 2005 at 7:00 PM in Russell Union Rm. 2041 or call 912-681-5409.

All University Housing Residence Halls are open for Thanksgiving Break....

8 Tips for Memorization

1. Memorize when you're rested; it simply doesn't work if you're tired.
2. Begin with broad categories; master them first, then move on to main points, and finally details.
3. Repeat and recite out loud. Recopy your notes.
4. Spread out your memorization. Short periods are more effective than marathon study sessions.
5. Break down lists into small manageable categories and sub-categories.
6. Relate new material to familiar ideas and previous knowledge.
7. Use mnemonic devices when appropriate ("My very educated mother just served us nine pizzas." Nonsense? No! It's the order of the planets from the sun!)
8. Use spare moments (when you're in the shower, waiting in line, walking to class) to review and quiz yourself.



What's Happening on Campus?

11/4., Women's Volleyball vs Chattanooga, 7 p.m. Hanner
11/6., Women's Volleyball vs W. Carolina, 2 p.m. Hanner
11/10, "The Unknown Forum, 6 p.m., Russell Union Commons, sponsored by the African Student Association.

FRENCH WEEK

The 7th Annual National French Week will begin Nov. 2 and continue until Nov. 8. Please visit the website below for the various activities and events planned:

<http://class.georgiasouthern.edu/fl/frweek.html>

Having trouble managing your money? Come and find out how to make your money stretch on Tuesday, November 8, 2005 at 7:00 PM in Russell Union Rm. 2052. Refreshments will be provided. This program is sponsored by the Minority Advisement Program. For more information please call 681-5409.