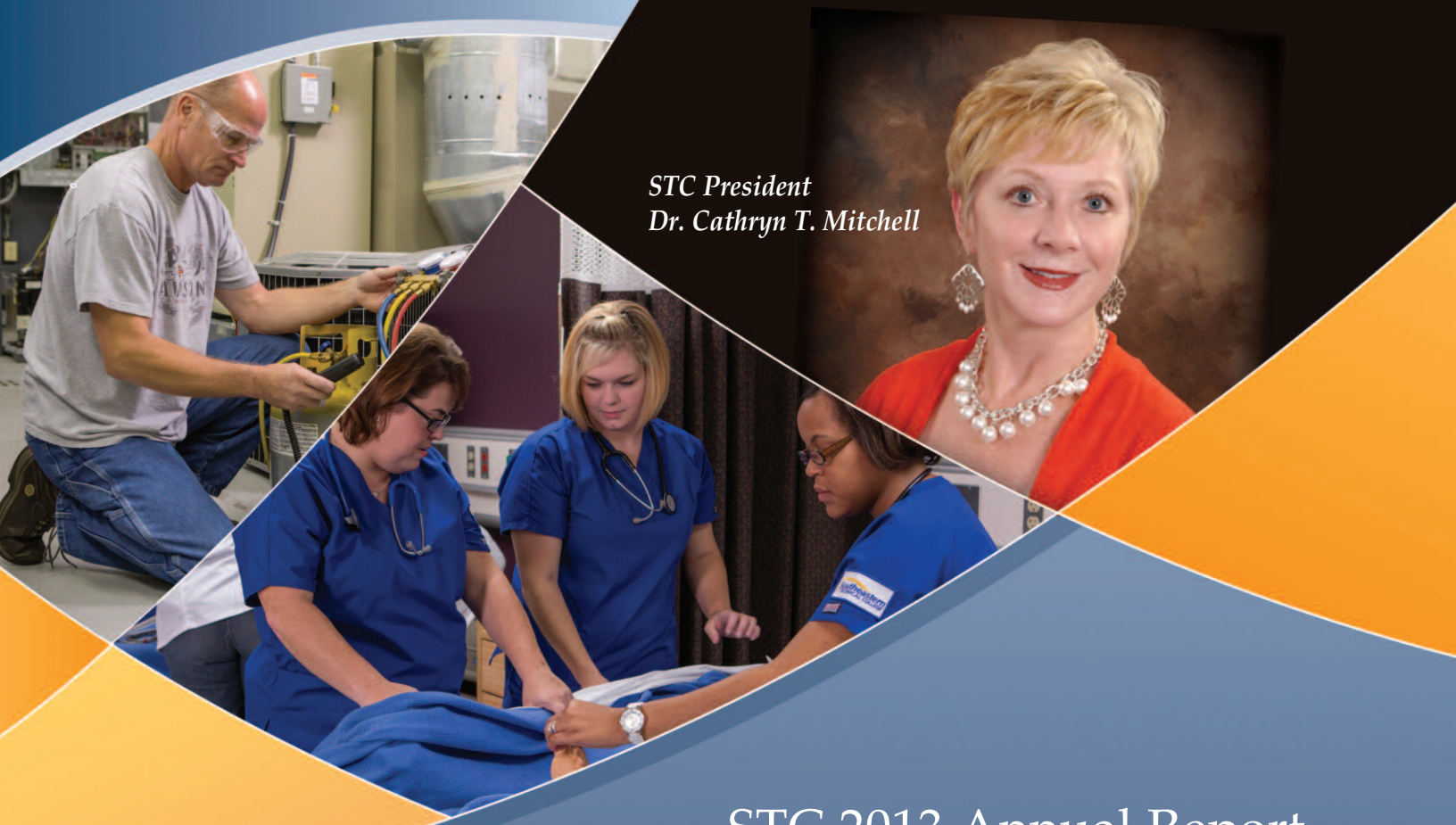


Annual Report 2013



Southeastern
TECHNICAL COLLEGE

- Associate Degrees
- Online Classes
- Over 80 Programs
- 98% Job Placement Rate
- Cutting Edge Technology
- Campuses in Swainsboro & Vidalia



*STC President
Dr. Cathryn T. Mitchell*

STC 2013 Annual Report

Dr. Cathryn T. Mitchell and the Southeastern Technical College Board of Directors are pleased to present *The 2013 Annual Report*, demonstrating our commitment to workforce development.

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Mission Statement

Southeastern Technical College, a unit of the Technical College System of Georgia, provides an innovative, educational environment for student learning through traditional and distance education delivery methods focused on building a well-educated, globally competitive workforce for Southeastern Georgia.

The College fulfills its mission through:

- associate degree, diploma, and technical certificate of credit programs;
- adult education;
- continuing education; and
- customized training and services.

Programs

DEGREES

- Accounting
- Associate of Science in Nursing (Vidalia Campus)
- Business Administrative Technology
- Business Management (Vidalia Campus)
- C.I.S. Computer Support Specialist
- C.I.S. Internet Specialist/Web Site Design (Vidalia Campus)
- C.I.S. Networking Specialist
- Clinical Laboratory Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Criminal Justice Technology
- Dental Hygiene (Vidalia Campus)
- Early Childhood Care and Education
- Electronics Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Forest Technology (Swainsboro Campus)
- Marketing (Vidalia Campus)
- Radiologic Technology (Vidalia Campus)

DIPLOMAS

- Accounting
- Air Conditioning Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Business Administrative Technology
- Business Management (Vidalia Campus)
- C.I.S. Computer Support Specialist
- C.I.S. Internet Specialist/Web Site Design (Vidalia Campus)
- C.I.S. Networking Specialist
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice Technology
- Early Childhood Care and Education
- Electrical Systems Technology
- Electronics Fundamentals (Vidalia Campus)
- Electronics Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- EMS Professions (Vidalia Campus)
- Fish and Wildlife Management (Swainsboro Campus)
- Forest Technology (Swainsboro Campus)
- Marketing (Vidalia Campus)
- Medical Assisting
- Paramedicine (Vidalia Campus)
- Pharmacy Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Practical Nursing
- Surgical Technology (Vidalia Campus)
- Welding and Joining Technology

TECHNICAL CERTIFICATES OF CREDIT

- Administrative Support Assistant
- Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT) (Vidalia Campus)
- Advanced Shielded Metal Arc Welder
- Air Conditioning Technician Assistant (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Chassis Technician Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Climate Control Technician (Vidalia Campus)
- Auto Electrical/Electronic Systems Technician (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Engine Performance Technician (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Engine Repair Technician (Vidalia Campus)
- Automotive Transmission/Transaxle Tech Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Basic Shielded Metal Arc Welder

- Child Development Associate Preparation
- Cisco Network Specialist
- Commercial Truck Driving
- Commercial Wiring
- CompTIA A+ Certified Preparation
- Computerized Accounting Specialist
- Early Childhood Care and Education Basics (Swainsboro Campus)
- Early Childhood Program Administration (Swainsboro Campus)
- Electrical Contracting Technician
- Electrical Systems Assistant (Swainsboro Campus)
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) (Vidalia Campus)
- Entrepreneurship (Vidalia Campus)
- Flux Cored Arc Welder
- Forest Technician Assistant (Swainsboro Campus)
- Gas Metal Arc Welder
- Gas Tungsten Arc Welding
- Health Care Assistant (HCA):
 - HCA—Health Care Technician
 - HCA—Medical Coding
 - HCA—Phlebotomy
- Health Care Science (HCS)
 - HCS—Associate of Science in Nursing
 - HCS—Clinical Laboratory Technology
 - HCS—Dental Hygiene
 - HCS—Phlebotomy
 - HCS—Radiologic Technology
- Help Desk Specialist
- Human Resource Management Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Internet Specialist Web Site Developer (Vidalia Campus)
- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- Management/Leadership Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Marketing Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Medical Administrative Technician
- Medical Front Office Assistant (Vidalia Campus)
- Microsoft Excel Application Professional
- Microsoft Network Administrator
- Microsoft Office Applications Professional
- Microsoft Word Application Professional (Swainsboro Campus)
- Nurse Aide
- Office Accounting Specialist
- Payroll Accounting Specialist
- Residential Wiring Technician
- Retail Merchandise Manager
- Shampoo Technician (Swainsboro Campus)
- Supervisor/Manager Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Technical Management Specialist (Vidalia Campus)
- Wildlife Management Assistant (Swainsboro Campus)

ONLINE COURSES

STC currently offers seven degree, five diploma and fifteen certificate programs online. In order to make education as accessible as possible to all its students, STC is committed to continually adding online courses and currently offers 160 classes online, with many having additional web enhanced components. Online classes appeal to a large number of students, with 1,028 (41.8%) taking at least one course online.

Technical Education

GENERAL STUDENT INFORMATION

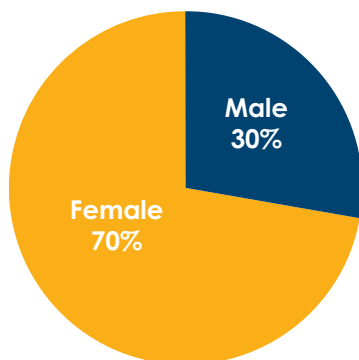
Enrollment	2,458
Graduates	710
Pell Grant Recipients	1,777
HOPE Recipients	2,286
PELL	\$3,709,509
HOPE	\$1,569,625
Loans	\$4,520,829

STUDENTS BY COUNTY

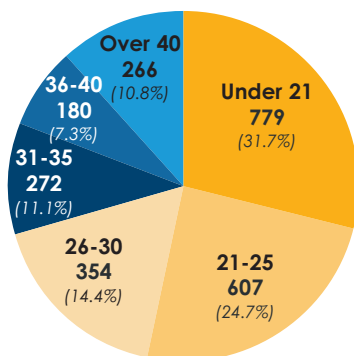
County	Students	Percentage
Candler	73	3.0%
Emanuel.....	490	19.9%
Jenkins	64	2.6%
Johnson	56	2.3%
Montgomery	161	6.6%
Tattnall	302	12.3%
Toombs	794	32.3%
Treutlen	86	3.5%
Other	432	17.5%

STUDENTS BY GENDER

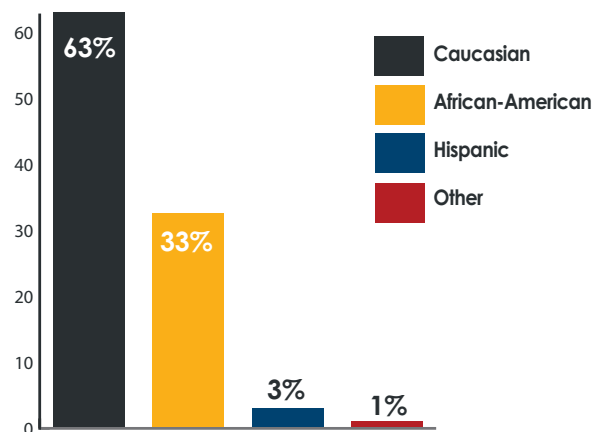
Male	733
Female	1,725



STUDENTS BY AGE



STUDENT DIVERSITY



Revenues 2013

State	\$8,914,490	59%
Federal	\$941,512	6%
Local	\$5,145,659	34%
TOTAL	\$15,001,661	100%

Expenses 2013

Salaries/Benefits.....	\$12,087,696	81%
Operating.....	\$1,744,762	12%
Equipment.....	\$195,232	1%
Utilities	\$973,971	6%
TOTAL	\$15,001,661	100%

Economic Development

Southeastern Tech's Economic Development Division promotes and supports the overall mission of Southeastern Tech through community-based extension and outreach services. The program is an avenue for identifying the needs of the communities within Southeastern Tech's service area and for pinpointing ways to meet those needs. Services include continuing education, customized programs to meet an organization's specific needs, and other community-based programs and services.

- 19,117 citizens served through the economic development programs.
- 4,727 individuals utilized the catering and conferencing center.
- 15,405 local employees received customized training.
- 11,792 medical professionals and individuals received safety, emergency and medical training through the Community Training Center.

Adult Education

The Adult Education program at Southeastern Tech provides students the opportunity to receive a GED. From the most basic studies to English as a Second Language, the Adult Education program serves a variety of students at various levels. Southeastern Tech has an eight county service area with adult education centers in Adrian, Glennville, Lyons, Metter, Millen, Mount Vernon, Reidsville, Soperton, Swainsboro, Vidalia and Wrightsville. Classes and supplies are free of charge. Students who obtain their GED and go on to further their education at a technical college receive a \$500 voucher for continuing their education.

- 1,622 students enrolled
- 645 level completions
- 442 GEDs awarded

The Certified Literate Community program continues to provide support to the adult education program as far as recruitment and GED testing.

Accomplishments

- Granted initial approval by the Georgia Board of Nursing to offer the Associate Degree in Nursing (Registered Nursing) program
- Foundation raised \$124,085.
- SACSCOC Reaffirmation Visit. Recommended for reaffirmation.
- Received funding (\$8.2 million) to construct a new Health Sciences Building on Swainsboro Campus.
- Expanded safety and security on all campuses.
- STC introduced the school's first mascot, Paul the Patriot.
- Enrolled 86 students in Commercial Truck Driving program (thanks to scholarships from the STC Foundation for \$60,000); 76 students completed.
- GED student, James Thompson, received the Golden EAGLE GED Graduate Award. This award is given to the oldest person in the state to receive a GED.
- 100% Pass Rates:
 - Commercial Truck Driving
 - Cosmetology
 - Dental Hygiene (National Boards)
 - Emergency Medical Technician
 - Pharmacy Technology
 - Practical Nursing

*At the age of 76, **James R. Thompson** was recently honored for being the Golden GED Graduate of the Year.*





Nordson Corporation was nominated for 2013 Manufacturer of the Year by Southeastern Tech and won in the medium company category, receiving the award in Atlanta on April 3. Lieutenant Governor Casey Cagle presented Nordson representatives with the award and noted the company's "commitment to manufacturing efficiency, community service and economic growth in Georgia."

STC Foundation

FOUNDATION MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission is to partner with donors to support and invest in the students, faculty, and staff of Southeastern Technical College to build stronger communities and a better Georgia for Candler, Emanuel, Jenkins, Johnson, Montgomery, Tattnall, Toombs, and Treutlen Counties.

FUNDING PRIORITIES

- **Support Our Students**

Over the past few years, the Foundation has awarded nearly \$100,000 in scholarship support, but the need is far greater than current funds can provide.

- **Establish a Registered Nursing Program and Physical Therapist Assistant Program**

In the next three years, over 30,000 Registered Nurses will be needed to meet the demand in Georgia alone. In addition, the Physical Therapy profession is estimated to grow roughly 33% by 2020.

- **Supplement Adult Education Funding**
Approximately a third of the adults 25 years of age and older in Candler, Emanuel, Jenkins, Johnson, Montgomery, Tattnall, Toombs, and Treutlen counties do not hold a high school diploma or GED.
- **Maintain and Expand High Technology Standards**
Every educational program at STC is driven by technology and requires costly and continuous updating to provide workforce solutions for tomorrow's jobs. Annual costs to maintain the College's computer labs alone exceed \$150,000.

To contribute to the STC Foundation, please call (912) 538-3133 or you may email Foundation@southeasterntech.edu or visit us online at <http://www.southeasterntech.edu>.

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STC GOAL Program

STC's 2013 GOAL student, Sharon Wyche, spoke on the impact of technical education. "Southeastern Tech helped me to make the transition from being employed to unemployed. When my job ended, I felt like I had a new plan, new goals and a new purpose. I am very excited about my future."

ABOUT GOAL

First launched in 1971, GOAL focuses on student excellence in technical education by focusing on academic excellence and personal achievement. A panel of judges selects one student, the state GOAL Winner, to serve as an ambassador of technical education in Georgia.

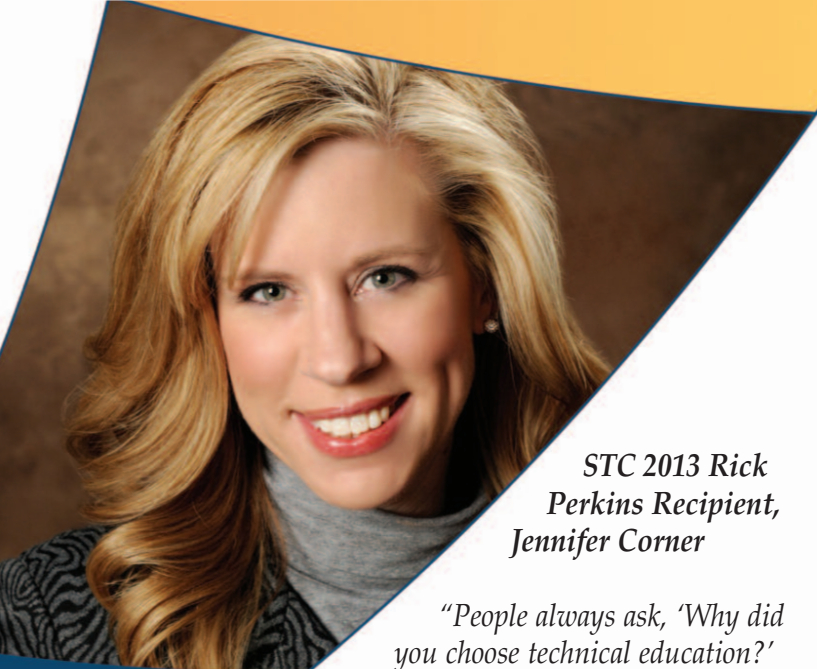
GOAL winners represent the "new image" of Georgia's technical colleges. Students must recognize technical education's critical impact on Georgia's overall economic health, have a strong work ethic, a dedicated sense of loyalty, and a healthy enthusiasm for promoting technical education in Georgia.

GOAL winners are the best possible advertisement for technical education. They prove every day that the best technical education consists of more than manipulative skills. Technical education prepares us for the world of work. GOAL students are an indication of what technical education at its best can achieve and of the caliber of individuals who are choosing Georgia's technical colleges.

The winning GOAL student serves as an ambassador for technical education in Georgia and makes many public appearances throughout the year including addresses to the Georgia General Assembly, Governor and TCSG's Student Fall Leadership Conference to name a few.

*2013 GOAL Recipient
Sharon Wyche*





**STC 2013 Rick
Perkins Recipient,
Jennifer Corner**

"People always ask, 'Why did you choose technical education?' My answer is 'Why not?' For many students, technical education provides a hope, a dream, a new beginning, a promise ... it is the future."

Rick Perkins Award

FOR EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION

The **Rick Perkins Award for Excellence in Technical Instruction** honors technical education's most outstanding instructors. The award has been an ongoing statewide event since 1991 and is designed to recognize and honor technical college instructors who make significant contributions to technical education through innovation and leadership in their fields. The recipient of this distinguished award is recognized as Georgia's Technical College System's Instructor of the Year.

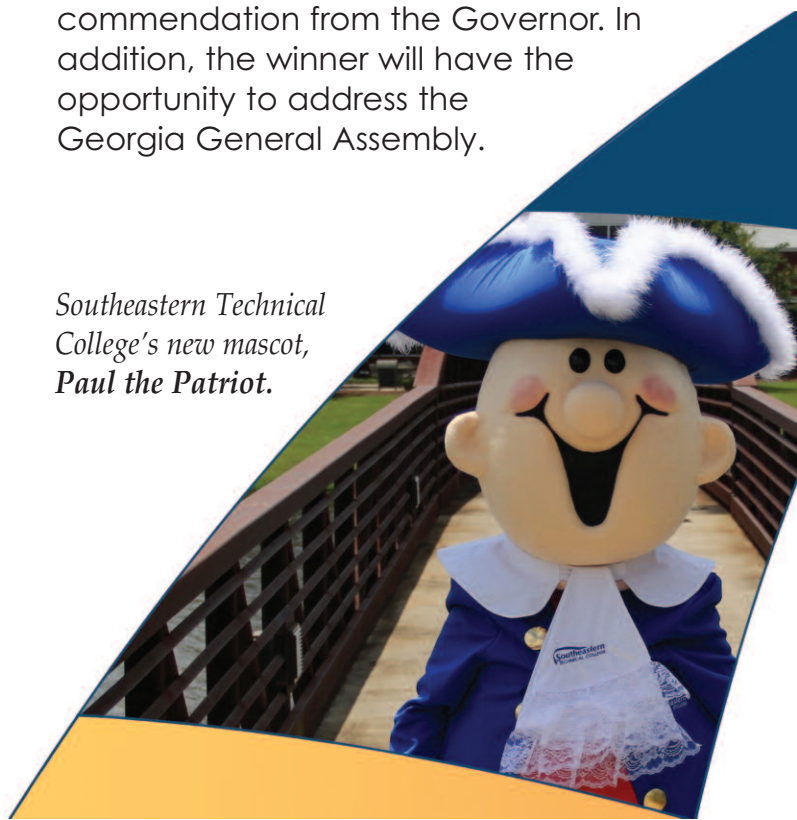
Formerly known as the Commissioner's Award of Excellence, the Rick Perkins Award was renamed in memory and honor of Thomas "Rick" Perkins, an instructor at West Central Technical College, who received the Commissioner's Award of Excellence prior to his untimely death. The Technical College

System of Georgia (TCSG) provides oversight for the Rick Perkins Award program through the central office's programming staff, the presidents' Academic Improvement committee, and the state planning committee.

Instructors are nominated for the Rick Perkins Award by their respective technical college. Competition among instructors from each college occurs at the regional level, and three winners are selected from each region. The nine regional winners receive statewide recognition for their achievement, and then move to state level competition. Final state-level judging occurs in April, and the Rick Perkins Award Winner is announced during the statewide GOAL program.

The Rick Perkins Award winner serves as an ambassador for technical education in Georgia. He or she will make many public appearances throughout the year including the Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG) Leadership Conference and the Governor's proclamation signing for GOAL week where the winner will receive a commendation from the Governor. In addition, the winner will have the opportunity to address the Georgia General Assembly.

*Southeastern Technical
College's new mascot,
Paul the Patriot.*





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