

Faculty Tenure Status - December 2000

Corps of Instruction

Tenure resides at the institutional level. Only assistant professors, associate professors, and professors who are normally employed full-time by an institution are eligible for tenure. Tenure is awarded upon recommendation of the president and approval by the Board of Regents. Tenure may be awarded at the end of a five-year period, and the maximum time that may be served at the rank of assistant professor or above without the award of tenure is seven years. In exceptional circumstances tenure may also be awarded upon appointments. Administrators do not hold tenure in their administrative positions but may be awarded rank and tenure. The Board has also established a non-tenure track policy for persons with faculty rank. There is no limit for years of service in this category, but persons cannot be considered for award of tenure or receive probationary credit toward tenure for years of service in this track.

The following data include full-time teaching faculty, research faculty, general administrators, academic administrators, public service faculty, librarians, and counselors who hold Board-approved academic rank; are tenured, on tenure track, or in positions that are not tenure track; and are employed on at least an academic year contract. Instructional faculty are a subset of this group. This table does not include retired faculty receiving benefits, inactive faculty, or part-time faculty.

Institution	TENURE STATUS						
	Total Faculty	Tenured		Not-Tenured/ On Track		Non-Tenure Track	
		#	%	#	%	#	%
Georgia Institute of Technology	772	509	65.9	253	32.8	10	1.3
Georgia State University	941	470	49.9	279	29.6	192	20.4
Medical College of Georgia	537	158	29.4	75	14.0	304	56.6
University of Georgia	1,770	1,251	70.7	497	28.1	22	1.2
Research University Totals	4,020	2,388	59.4	1,104	27.5	528	13.1
Georgia Southern University	685	324	47.3	318	46.4	43	6.3
Valdosta State University	418	233	55.7	131	31.3	54	12.9
Regional University Totals	1,103	557	50.5	449	40.7	97	8.8
Albany State University	142	81	57.0	53	37.3	8	5.6
Armstrong Atlantic State University	223	130	58.3	55	24.7	38	17.0
Augusta State University	194	123	63.4	59	30.4	12	6.2
Clayton College & State University	131	55	42.0	26	19.8	50	38.2
Columbus State University	195	116	59.5	64	32.8	15	7.7
Fort Valley State University	150	67	44.7	68	45.3	15	10.0
Georgia College & State University	233	118	50.6	104	44.6	11	4.7
Georgia Southwestern State University	113	58	51.3	37	32.7	18	15.9

Kennesaw State University	377	232	61.5	126	33.4	19	5.0
North Ga. College & State University	158	79	50.0	55	34.8	24	15.2
Savannah State University	128	82	64.1	43	33.6	3	2.3
Southern Polytechnic State University	158	112	70.9	28	17.7	18	11.4
State University of West Georgia	334	156	46.7	146	43.7	32	9.6
State University Totals	2,536	1,409	55.6	864	34.1	263	10.4
Dalton State College	113	54	47.8	45	39.8	14	12.4
Macon State College	122	77	63.1	40	32.8	5	4.1
State College Totals	235	131	55.7	85	36.2	19	8.1
Abraham Baldwin Agric. College	99	48	48.5	43	43.4	8	8.1
Atlanta Metropolitan College	49	25	51.0	14	28.6	10	20.4
Bainbridge College	37	28	75.7	7	18.9	2	5.4
Coastal Ga. Community College	60	18	30.0	9	15.0	33	55.0
Darton College	80	39	48.8	36	45.0	5	6.3
East Georgia College	24	11	45.8	13	54.2		
Floyd College	82	34	41.5	35	42.7	13	15.9
Gainesville College	95	51	53.7	38	40.0	6	6.3
Georgia Perimeter College	322	218	67.7	81	25.2	23	7.1
Gordon College	70	22	31.4	40	57.1	8	11.4
Middle Georgia College	88	32	36.4	53	60.2	3	3.4
South Georgia College	40	19	47.5	16	40.0	5	12.5
Waycross College	18	9	50.0	9	50.0		
Two-Year College Totals	1,064	554	52.1	394	37.0	116	10.9
SYSTEM TOTALS	8,958	5,039	56.3	2,896	32.3	1,023	11.4

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