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The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. was established as a nonprofit corporation under the applicable provisions of the Georgia Nonprofit Corporation Code. The corporation is a voluntary association of individuals and organizations founded exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The corporation was created as a cooperative organization of the Board of Regents.



October 25, 2010

Dear Friends of the Foundation,

Two years ago, the University System of Georgia Foundation initiated the Regents' Foundation Scholarship program to provide students facing financial barriers full tuition and fees for their time at the two- or four-year institution they attend. In 2010, the Foundation Trustees awarded more than \$169,000 in such scholarships, marking the successful completion of the first funding cycle of the new scholarship program.

To date, 37 scholarships for full tuition and fees have been awarded to USG institutions to fund a total of more than \$453,000 in need-based scholarships. These figures do not include the \$174,000, which the Foundation awarded in 2010 for merit-based President's Choice Scholarships.



The amount of scholarship dollars stated above is impressive. Equally impressive is the very generous financial support from Georgia's corporate and philanthropic communities that made these awards possible.

The USG Foundation annual report provides detailed information about the Foundation's scholarship programs and highlights the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education Celebration. This annual gala is the primary fund-raiser for the Foundation, which provides an occasion to recognize and honor outstanding faculty, alumni and a lifetime servant of higher education. The evening also celebrates the talents and successes of the more than 300,000 students who attend the 35 colleges and universities in the University System.

The annual report also details the Foundation's many notable accomplishments in fiscal year 2010. During this time, we substantially increased the corpus, created additional Real Estate LLCs to support campus capital projects and continued our trusted stewardship of grants and awards given to the Foundation.

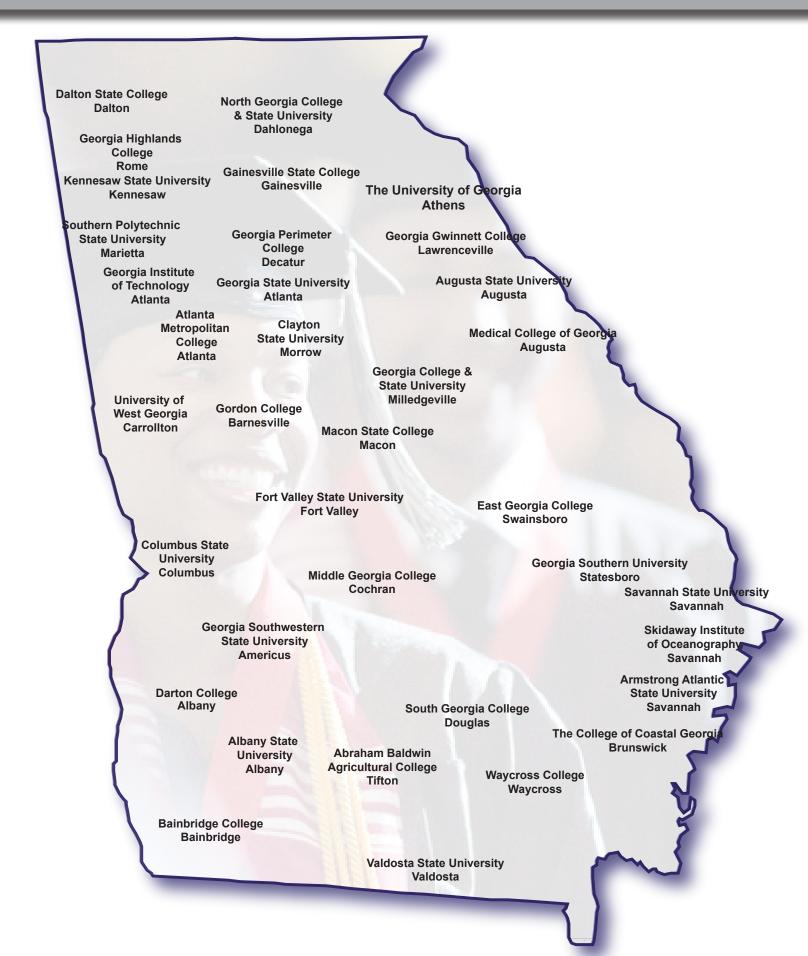
It is with great pleasure that I present to you the 2010 Annual Report of the University System of Georgia Foundation, and to acknowledge those who gave so generously to the USG Foundation this year. I sincerely thank you for your interest in and support of higher education in Georgia.

Sincerely,

Donald M. Leebern, Jr.

Donald M. Leebern, Jr. Chairman University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc.

# **USG INSTITUTIONS**



# **USG Institutions**

#### **Research Universities**

Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia State University Medical College of Georgia University of Georgia

#### **Regional Universities**

Georgia Southern University Valdosta State University

#### **State Universities**

Albany State University Armstrong Atlantic State University Augusta State University Clayton State University Columbus State University Fort Valley State University Georgia College & State University Georgia Southwestern State University Kennesaw State University North Georgia College & State University Savannah State University Southern Polytechnic State University University of West Georgia

### **State Colleges**

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College College of Coastal Georgia Dalton State College Gainesville State College Georgia Gwinnett College Gordon College Macon State College Middle Georgia College

### **Two-Year Colleges**

Atlanta Metropolitan College Bainbridge College Darton College East Georgia College Georgia Highlands College Georgia Perimeter College South Georgia College Waycross College The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. is a cooperative organization of the Board of Regents. Its mission is to advance the University System of Georgia, as a whole, consistent with the priorities determined by the Foundation's Board of Trustees. The Foundation has four goals:

1. Cultivate private support for scholarships for students to attend University System of Georgia institutions.

2. Serve as the administrative home for private grants that feature the strategic priorities of the Board of Regents.

3. Provide support to the Office of the Chancellor and the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.

4. Facilitate financing of capital improvement projects at University System of Georgia institutions.

The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. currently provides four services:

1. Scholarships: The Regents' President's Choice Scholarships, in an amount up to \$10,000, are awarded annually to each University System institution that participates in the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education; and the Regents' Foundation Scholarships provide full tuition and fees to students with financial hardships.

2. Regents' Hall of Fame and Lifetime Achievement Awards.

3. Funds for non-state reimbursable expenditures necessary for: The Chancellor to execute his duties for the Board of Regents The Board of Regents in the execution of their duties University System Office staff functions

4. Administrative support for programmatic grants held in the Foundation that further the work of the University System with each involving multiple University System institutions.



# **FINANCIAL REPORT**

# The USG Foundation Funds and Capital Balances

### Administrative and Programmatic Funds

During FY 2010, 79 percent of Foundation funds were used for programs; 13 percent were for fund-raising and 8 percent were for administrative expenses.

### Assets and Liabilities

Total Assets:		\$5,590,515
Liabilities:	\$1,070,64	3
Total Net Assets:	\$4,519,87	2
Total Liabilities and Net	Assets:	\$5,590,515

### 2010 Regents Awards for Excellence in Education

The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. established the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education in 2005 to recognize the contributions and achievements of its students, faculty, and alumni. All proceeds from the event go to support faculty and student scholarship awards, and to build the corpus to ensure future sustainability of support.

Total Revenue and Pledges:	\$1	,039,977
President's Choice Scholarships:	\$	174,000
Faculty Awards:	\$	20,000
Expenses for Event:	\$	272,398
Transfer to Corpus:	\$	500,000
Transfer to Need-Based Scholarship Fund	\$	73,579

These numbers represent transactions from the 2010 event.

### Total Capital

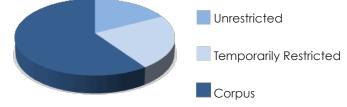
#### Capital Balances

Unrestricted: Non-grant related funds, general operating funds, and indirect funds from grants

Temporarily Restricted: Grant monies with donor-specific requirements

Corpus: Funds to be held in perpetuity for the support of the Foundation

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# The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. including the Real Estate Foundation, LLCs

On October 15, 2008, the University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. formed the USG Real Estate Foundation, LLC with the USG Foundation as the sole member. The USG Real Estate Foundation, LLC was formed for the purpose of constructing projects and renting the projects to colleges and universities within the University System of Georgia on real estate owned by the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia. Subsequently, USG Real Estate Foundation II, LLC and Real Estate Foundation III, LLC were formed for the same purpose.

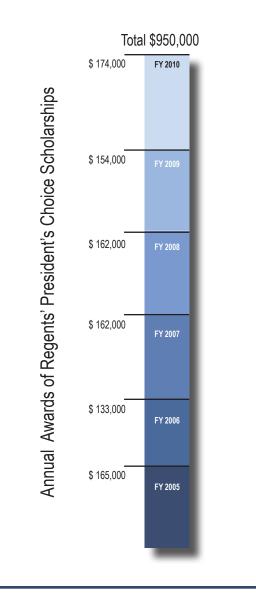
The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc.; the USG Real Estate Foundation I, LLC; the USG Real Estate Foundation II, LLC; and the Real Estate Foundation III, LLC collectively comprise the University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. and Affiliates.

ASSETS					
Current Assets	\$	8,170,673			
Property	\$	99,076,024			
Restricted Cash	\$	42,990,523			
Deferred loan cost, net of amortization of \$409,937	\$	6,359,345			
Total Assets	\$ :	217,668,135			
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS					
Current Liabilities	\$	14,768,798			
Long-term Liabilities	\$	198,700,000			
Net Assets	\$	4,199,337			
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ :	217,668,135			

The financial figures presented above are taken from an audited financial statement with an unqualified opinion.

# **REGENTS' PRESIDENT'S CHOICE SCHOLARSHIPS**

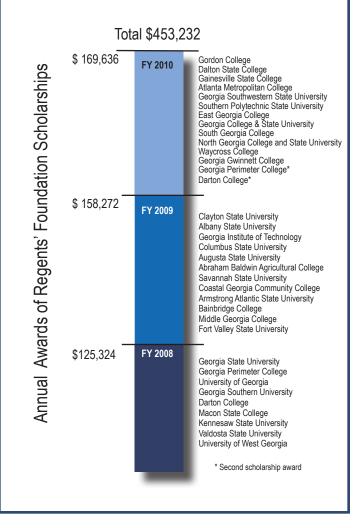
The Foundation continued to fund the Regents' President's Choice Scholarships -- a merit-based award provided to University System institutions that participate in the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education. Institutions may receive up to \$10,000 in awards. Since the inception of the award, \$950,000 has been awarded to support outstanding students attending all USG institutions.



### **REGENTS' FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

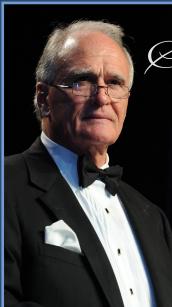
The Foundation Trustees established the Regents' Foundation Scholarship program in 2008 to assist students who may face financial barriers and have been traditionally underserved by the University System. The scholarship recipients receive full tuition and fees for their time at the two- or fouryear institution they attend.

The number of awards provided is determined annually by the Board of Trustees. Funding priority is based on the number of Pell-eligible students attending each institution. As of this fiscal year, all institutions have received funding; two institutions have received a second round. Awards to-date total \$453,232 as illustrated below.



The true beneficiaries of the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education are the students. Since the scholarship programs were established, a total of more than \$1.4 million has been awarded to USG institutions to provide financial aid to deserving students.

# 2010 REGENTS' AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION



Sixth Annual Celebration

The University System of Georgia Foundation, Inc. established the Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education to recognize the contributions and achievements of its students, faculty, alumni and supporters. Each year at this prestigious event, the University System of Georgia Foundation Board presents the Regents' Hall of Fame Awards and the McMillan Lifetime Achievement Award to honor faculty and alumni of the University System of Georgia. The event also raises funds to support the work of the University System and the Regents' President's Choice and Regents' Foundation Scholarships, which provide merit- and need-based scholarships for students attending USG colleges and universities.



On March 20, 2010, nearly 1,000 guests, representing the 35 USG institutions, a USG research center, and Georgia's corporate and philanthropic communities came together to celebrate the fifth annual Regents' Awards for Excellence in Education. Held at the Marriott Marguis Atlanta, guests enjoyed a full evening of activities, including a silent auction, a three-course dinner and an awards ceremony. Entertainment was provided by students from Georgia College and State University and North Georgia College and State University. Student ambassadors from the University of Georgia and the University of West Georgia assisted guests with registration, the silent auction and seating.

The awards program began with a video featuring student scholarship recipients

Anna Beck and Curtis Foye, who welcomed the distinguished audience and thanked them for their support. Foundation Chairman Donald M. Leebern, USG Chancellor Erroll B. Davis, Jr. and Lieutenant Governor Casey Cagle delivered welcoming remarks. Shane Coldren from SunTrust Banks introduced the student entertainment. Foundation Vice-Chair Felton Jenkins introduced the evening's awards. Reaent Willis Potts presented the Customer Service Award of Excellence to Fran Mohr. Mara Holley from Wachovia Bank presented the Regents' Hall of Fame Faculty Awards. Frank Ros from the Coca-Cola Company presented the Regents' Hall of Fame Alumni Awards. The prestigious Elridge McMillan Lifetime Achievement award was presented by Chairman Leebern and Regent Emeritus McMillan to Mr. Truett Cathy.





# **ELRIDGE MCMILLAN LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

#### S. Truett Cathy, Chick-fil-A

Truett Cathy took a tiny Atlanta diner, originally called the Dwarf Grill, and transformed it into Chick-fil-A, the nation's second largest quick-service chicken restaurant chain with more than \$3.21 billion in sales in 2009 and currently more than 1,480 locations.



Mr. Truett Cathy and Regent Emeritus Elridge McMillan

Cathy's tremendous business success allowed him to pursue other passions – most notably his interest in the development of young people. His WinShape Foundation, founded in 1984, grew from his desire to "shape winners" by helping young people succeed in life through scholarships and other youth-support programs. The Foundation annually awards 20 to 30 students wishing to attend Berry College with scholarships up to \$32,000 that are jointly funded by WinShape and Berry. In addition, through its Leadership Scholarship Program, the Chick-fil-A chain has given more than \$25 million in \$1,000 scholarships to Chick-fil-A restaurant employees since 1973. This year the company will award more than \$1.9 million in scholarships to its restaurant team members.

Mr. Cathy has received countless awards over the years for his contributions to the community and the State of Georgia. The University System of Georgia Foundation is pleased to join the list of organizations that have honored Mr. Cathy by presenting him with the McMillan Lifetime Achievement Award.



## **REGENTS' HALL OF FAME CUSTOMER SERVICE & ALUMNI AWARDS**



#### CUSTOMER SERVICE AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

#### Fran Mohr

#### Georgia Perimeter College

Fran Mohr is named the 2010 Customer Service Champion for leading Georgia Perimeter College's outstanding customer service efforts, which earned the institution the Customer Service Institution of the Year award. Ms. Mohr has initiated and led a number of highly effective programs to improve the quality of service for all GPC customers. These include: a new project to create a centralized customer service call center for student services; a restructuring of GPC's learning support program; a leadership training program; and the Customer Service Ambassador program with 75 members who represent all departments and campuses at the College. Ms. Mohr serves as co-chair of the University System of Georgia's Customer Service Advisory Council.

#### ALUMNI AWARDS

#### Brigadier General David Grange, U.S. Army (Ret.), North Georgia College & State University

David Grange served more than 30 years in the U.S. Army, earning three Silver Stars and two Purple Hearts. Since retirement, he has led one of the country's largest charitable organizations, the McCormick Foundation, and now has taken the helm of a global pharmaceutical development company. Throughout his career, General Grange has been a loyal supporter of and donor to North Georgia College & State University. Beyond his philanthropic contributions, General Grange has returned to campus several times to speak to students about leadership and military topics, serving as an inspiration to a new generation of military officers and civic leaders.

#### The Honorable Roger B. Lane College of Coastal Ge<u>orgia</u>

Roger Lane began his studies in higher education at Brunswick Junior College, now named the College of Coastal Georgia. After graduating law school, Rep. Lane established his law practice in Brunswick, where he and his firm have been widely respected for their handling of a broad range of civil matters. In 2004, he was elected to the Georgia House of Representatives and has served the citizens of District 167, ably representing Glynn, Long, Mcintosh and Wayne counties. He has given graciously and selflessly of his time and talents to improve his community and advance the College; and his confidence and support have encouraged outreach and enrollment growth in the counties he represents.

#### Mr. C.L. Morehead, Jr. The University of Georgia



C.L. Morehead has served many roles at The University of Georgia since his graduation in 1950, including serving as a member of the Boards of Advisors for the Georgia Museum of Art (GMOA) and the State Botanical Garden. He also is an emeritus trustee

of the UGA Foundation. Mr. Morehead has supported the University by offering his time and talents, and has also shared his financial success. In 1993 he was responsible for making a \$1 million gift to help support the new GMOA building. He is a Founding Presidents Club member and a member of the Heritage Society. In 2007, he was recognized as a member of the Crystal Arch Society for his combined financial contributions and bequest commitment.

#### MEET TWO OF THE 57 REGENTS' SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS IN 2010

#### Regents' President's Choice Scholarship Recipient Anna Beck



College & State University (North Georgia) stood out because of its close-knit en-vironment and the person-alized instruction she would receive. Now a senior at North Georgia, Anna is a Middle Grades Education major and she aspires to teach middle school math and science in inner city Atlanta, with an ultimate goal to work as an administrator. She is very thankful for the President's Choice Scholarship saying, "I come from a family with 12 children. This scholarship has allowed me to focus on my classes and extracurricular activi-

# **Regents' Foundation Scholar**ship Recipient Curtis Foye









# **REGENTS' HALL OF FAME FACULTY AWARDS**



### **REGENTS' TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARDS**

#### Matthew Baker, Associate Professor of Mathematics Georgia Institute of Technology

Dr. Baker teaches both undergraduate and graduate students at Georgia Tech. According to University officials, he inspires his students and amazes his colleagues with his use of magic to illustrate mathematical concepts. He also promotes the value of math to area high school students and community groups. In addition to training graduate students, Dr. Baker regularly involves his undergraduate students in research and helps them present their work at conferences and publish articles in professional journals. He serves as the faculty advisor for the competitive Putnam Math Team and as the coordinator for the School of Mathematics Research Experiences program. Dr. Baker's commitment to his students has not kept him from doing extensive research of his own.

#### Karen Robinson, Associate Professor of Theatre and Performance Studies, Kennesaw State University

Professor Robinson's colleagues praise her for educating students through the scholar-artist model, also noting that the theatrical productions she directs take student learning well beyond the classroom. She also has a strong record of promoting global learning and diversity. For example, in 2007 she secured funding for a residency at Kennesaw State for a 26-member Kenyan Youth Choir and directed a production of "Monkey King" both at the University and in Shanghai, China. Professor Robinson also shares her teaching techniques through conference presentations and publications, hoping to increase global learning at other colleges and universities.

#### Candace Timpte, Associate Professor of Biology Georgia Gwinnett College

Dr. Timpte's colleagues attest that her dedication to students guides everything she does, from working with beginning students in her First Year Seminar to seniors in a Biology Capstone Course. She uses case studies and other teaching techniques that actively engage students in the learning process. As a contributor to the Partners in Active Learning (PALs) project, she connects biology to other academic disciplines and helping students understand the interdisciplinary nature of the world. One of Dr. Timpte's students notes that "she is a wonderfully optimistic, energetic professor, always prepared and always there to help outside of class."

# REGENTS' SCHOLARSHIP OF TEACHING AND LEARNING AWARD

#### Laura Regassa, Associate Professor of Biology Georgia Southern University

According to Georgia Southern officials, Dr. Regassa has an impressive record of scholarship that clearly demonstrates the impact her innovative teaching techniques have on student learning. Her focus on project-based learning has received significant grant support from the National Science Foundation and she is known nationally and internationally for her meticulous scholarly approach to improving teaching and student learning. Colleagues say Dr. Regassa's teaching and research projects serve as powerful examples of advancing the scholarship of teaching and learning. The USG Foundation provides administrative support for programmatic grants which provide funding for initiatives that further the mission of the University System and are deposited in the Foundation. Each grant involves multiple University System institutions, and, in most instances, education agency partners.

#### Georgia Early College Initiative Funders: Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Robert W. Woodruff Foundation

The University System of Georgia serves as the Intermediary for the Georgia Early College Initiative—a partnership of the Georgia Department of Education and the University System of Georgia. Each Early College is a partnership between one or more Georgia public school systems and a University System of Georgia college or university. The Early College model blends high school and the first two years of college for the purpose of finding more successful ways to educate young people so that they will be prepared to contribute to our knowledge-based economy and to improve their overall quality of life. The goals of the Georgia Early College Initiative are:

1) To increase college readiness and college success of high school graduates traditionally underserved in the University System of Georgia;

2) To develop and test model programs for young people, aged 14 to 20, or in some cases even younger, that get better results, are more coherent, less duplicative, and make

#### The NSC Student Data For High Schools Pilot Funder: Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

This pilot is a cooperative project of the Alliance of Education Agency Heads whose membership consists of The Georgia Department of Education, the Georgia Student Finance Commission, The University System of Georgia, the Georgia Professional Standards Commission, the Governor's Office of Student Achievement, the Technical College System of Georgia, and the Department of Early Care and Learning.

The purpose of this project is to support Georgia in providing the data for statewide matching and reporting of postsecondary outcomes, to facilitate state, district and school level engagement in reviewing and providing feedback on reports and participating in related professional development. The project also seeks to increase the number of districts and schools that have access to improved National Student Clearinghouse data and reports, including documentation of student persistence in higher education.

possible a shorter time to completion of an associate degree or one to two years of transferable college credit;

3) To study the effectiveness of the Early College model for reducing the high school dropout rate, and for increasing the college admission and college success rates of African American males, Hispanic students, and other traditionally underserved students; and

4) To study Early Colleges as demonstration projects so that lessons learned may be applied to the replication of Early Colleges throughout Georgia as part of the work of the Alliance of Education Agency Heads (AEAH).



# **PROGRAMMATIC GRANTS (CONT.)**

#### Center for Health Workforce Planning and Analysis Funder: Healthcare Georgia Foundation

The Center for Health Workforce Planning and Analysis is the University System's response to the many shortages and crises facing the health workforce in Georgia. To assist the state in overcoming current concerns, and prevent future ones from emerging, the Center develops data grounded methods that enable state leadership to identify concerns in the state's health workforce. As these are identified, the Center works with leaders within the university system and across the state to develop effective solutions and leverage needed resources and critical change to ensure the citizens of this state have access to the health care they need from well educated, highly skilled health care professionals.

With multiple concerns across many health professions, the Center is currently focusing on critical areas in nursing and behavioral health. Given numerous capacity constraints impeding the ability of USG's nursing programs (and other non-USG programs as well) to expand to meet pending RN shortages in Georgia, the Center is focusing on understanding factors driving nursing faculty shortages and implementing potential solutions to these shortages. Working with the state's many behavioral health related agencies, the Center is formulating a data driven analysis of the workforce needs for the state's behavioral health system and devising potential approaches to expand critical components of the behavioral health workforce and educate new professionals in ways that help ensure that these workers become part of the solution to the state's behavioral health workforce concerns.

#### OTHER PROGRAMS SUPPORTED BY THE FOUNDATION

The USGF also provides administrative support for several temporarily restricted accounts that are administered by University System Office staff. In FY 2010, the Foundation provided management of the following accounts:



#### • African American Male Initiative:

Private funding received to support implementation of the Task Force on Enhancing College Access for African American Males.

• Chancellor's Need-based Student Scholarship Fund: Challenge funds from Chancellor Davis to launch and support a need-based student scholarship program.

• Georgia Public Library System: Private funding received to support library programs.

#### • Information Technology Services:

Funds deposited in the University System of Georgia Foundation are received from private companies and corporations to help defray the cost of annual conferences and training activities.

#### • Library Services:

Private funding received to support the work of Library Services.

#### • Media and Publications:

Private funding received to support the work of Media and Publications.



# **USG FOUNDATION CONTRIBUTORS FY 2010**

# DONOR LEVELS

Fiscal Year 2010 (July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010)

#### \$50,000 and above

Georgia Crown Distributing Company

#### \$20,000 - \$49,999

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#### \$10,000-\$19,999

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Total System Services The University Financing Foundation (TUFF), Inc. The University of Georgia Alumni Association The University of Georgia Athletic Association The University of Georgia Research Foundation University of West Georgia Foundation University Housing Services UPS Valdosta State University Foundation W.C. Bradley Company Winter Construction

#### \$5,000 - \$9,999

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College Foundation College of Coastal Georgia Dalton State College Foundation Dunwody Beeland Architects Equifax Gainesville State College Foundation Georgia Highlands College Foundation Georgia Perimeter College Gordon College Foundation Julie Hunt King and Spalding Macon State College Foundation McKenna, Long and Alridge Middle Georgia College Foundation Peck Shaffer & Williams Wanda Yancey Rodwell Total System Services Richard Tucker Family Foundation Washington Mutual James Yancey

#### **\$1,000 - \$4,999** Alston & Bird, LLP

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#### Other Donations and Gifts

The Atlanta Braves Georgia Crown Distributing Company The US Olympic Committee

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#### \$300,000 and above

The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation





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