More than 70 strong, the Women’s Recruitment Team (WRT) is a volunteer student group of current Georgia Tech women who are passionate about their work with the Office of Undergraduate Admission. They participate in and support recruitment initiatives and events on and off campus.

You will meet WRT members at Preview Tech and Women@Tech programs. Students admitted to Georgia Tech will mingle and connect with WRT during spring events such as Gold Carpet Days.

Women by the Numbers

6,394 undergraduates

$70,500 median starting salary

88% job placement at graduation

3.42 average first-year GPA

FACULTY SPOTLIGHT:

**KIM COBB, Ph.D. ADVANCE PROFESSOR, EARTH AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES**

Kim Cobb’s research uses corals and cave stalagmites to probe the mechanisms of past, present, and future climate change. She received her B.A. from Yale University in 1996, and her Ph.D. in oceanography from the Scripps Institute of Oceanography in 2002. She spent two years at Caltech in the Department of Geological and Planetary Sciences before joining the faculty at Georgia Tech in 2004. She has sailed on multiple oceanographic cruises to the deep tropics and led caving expeditions to the rainforests of Borneo in support of her research. She has received numerous awards for her research, most notably an NSF CAREER Award in 2007, and a Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers in 2008. She is honored to be a lead author for the IPCC Sixth Assessment Report. A mother of four, she is a strong advocate for women in science, and champions diversity and inclusion in all that she does. She is also devoted to the clear and frequent communication of climate change to the public through speaking engagements and social media. Most recently, she traded in her status as a platinum frequent flier for solar panels, a streetworthy bike, and an obsession with planting urban trees.
Women’s Programming
Women are engaged throughout campus, with many opportunities to promote their leadership and advancement.

Women’s Awareness Month
Women’s Leadership Conference
Women in the Wilderness
Women, Science, and Technology
Women in Engineering

Society of Women in Business
Society of Women Engineers
Women@CC
Women in Architecture
14 sororities
14 sports (club- and varsity-level)

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT:
LINDSAY TAMPA, FL
PUBLIC POLICY
“Georgia Tech has offered me so many opportunities to step outside of my comfort zone and find my passions. Through Georgia Tech, I have traveled to India as a research assistant, Senegal with a campus organization, and Australia for an exchange semester. My education has enabled me to explore a variety of organizations through their internship programs, and I have been able to serve the campus community as a student leader. I cannot imagine a college experience better than mine has been at Tech!”

NITHYA SAN FRANSISCO, CA
INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING
“When I came to Georgia Tech, I knew absolutely no one. Three short years later, I’ve been able to find my best friends and surround myself with the most passionate and hard-working individuals. What sticks out most to me about Georgia Tech is the uplifting and encouraging spirit that students have for one another. I’ve been able to grow as a leader on campus as well as develop professional skills, all with the support of my peers. Georgia Tech has provided me with skills to succeed in any type of environment.”

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT:
MARY ELIZABETH CUMMING, GA
PUBLIC POLICY, 2019
“Coming to college, I sought a culture that was richly challenging, yet deeply encouraging, and I found just that at Georgia Tech. Over the past four years, I formed meaningful friendships with peers pushing me to grow daily, as well as pivotal relationships with faculty members invested in their students’ futures. The curriculum in every department stresses the critical analysis of issues and the evaluation of alternatives and externalities as the keys to efficiently solving problems and bettering our community. The coursework and countless opportunities afforded to me by this institution have shaped me into a leader focused on multi-aspect issues affecting the world around me, and I appreciate the challenge to look at problems from different points of view before immediately jumping in to solve them.”

Georgia Tech has awarded more engineering degrees to women than any other school since 2007.