



Atlanta University Center Consortium

Progress Through Partnership

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MISSION, MEMBERS AND HISTORICAL FOCI



Mission

- ❖ The Atlanta University Center Consortium is the world's oldest and largest association of historically Black colleges and universities. Comprised of four member institutions – Clark Atlanta University, Morehouse College, Morehouse School of Medicine, and Spelman College, the Consortium is a vibrant intellectual community with a long tradition of scholarship, service and community engagement.
- ❖ AUC Consortium, Inc. is a nonprofit organization established by the member schools to advance each institution's mission and strategic goals by fostering collaboration, managing center-wide initiatives, offering services that benefit our students and community, and leveraging our shared resources.



Member Institutions



Clark Atlanta University

Founded: 1998

President: Dr. Ronald A. Johnson

CLARK ATLANTA
UNIVERSITY

Clark Atlanta University is an institution of high research activity characterized by a focus on the intellectual and personal development of each student. Its purpose is to prepare a diverse community of learners to excel in their chosen endeavors and to become responsible, productive, and innovative citizen leaders, locally and globally.



Morehouse College

Founded: 1867

President: Dr. John Silvanus Wilson

The mission of Morehouse College is to develop men with disciplined minds who will lead lives of leadership and service. A private historically black liberal arts college for men, Morehouse realizes this mission by emphasizing the intellectual and character development of its students. In addition, the College assumes special responsibility for teaching the history and culture of black people.



Morehouse School of Medicine

Founded: 1975

President: Dr. Valerie Montgomery-Rice

Morehouse School of Medicine is dedicated to improving the health and well-being of individuals and communities; increasing the diversity of the health professional and scientific workforce; and addressing primary health-care needs through programs in education, research, and service, with emphasis on people of color and the underserved urban and rural populations in Georgia and the nation.



Spelman College

Founded: 1881

President: Dr. Mary Schmidt Campbell

Spelman College, a historically Black college and a global leader in the education of women of African descent, is dedicated to academic excellence in the liberal arts and sciences and the intellectual, creative, ethical, and leadership development of its students. Spelman empowers the whole person to engage the many cultures of the world and inspires a commitment to positive social change.

AUCC Institutions: Our Common Commitment

- ❖ Students who are well equipped and prepared for success in their chosen career or field of study
- ❖ Ethical leaders who enhance the well-being of others through their service
- ❖ Global citizens who appreciate diverse cultures
- ❖ Lifelong learners who value the liberating and transforming capacity of acquired knowledge



Historical Foci



"Here is the chance for young women and young men of devotion to lift again the banner of humanity and to walk toward a civilization which will be free and intelligent; which will be healthy and unafraid, and build in the world a culture led by black folk and joined by peoples of all colors and all races - without poverty, ignorance and disease!"

— W.E.B. DuBois, *W. E. B. Du Bois: A Reader*

- ❖ To devote our combined resources to the advancement of minority, economically disadvantaged and underserved communities.
- ❖ To foster collaboration among member institutions by managing center-wide initiatives, offering services that benefit our students and community, and leveraging our shared resources.



DUAL DEGREE ENGINEERING PROGRAM

Established 1969



Programs & Services

Computer Lab and Resource Center

Merit-Based and Need-Based Scholarships

Internships and Employment

Career Development

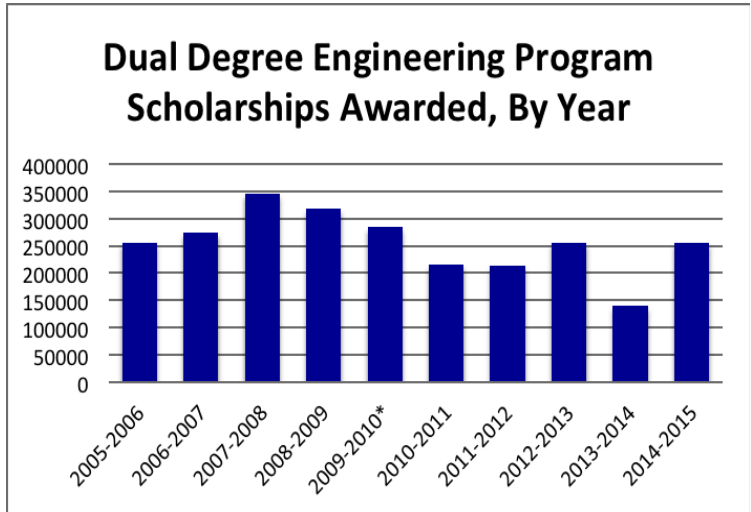
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Leadership Development and Service

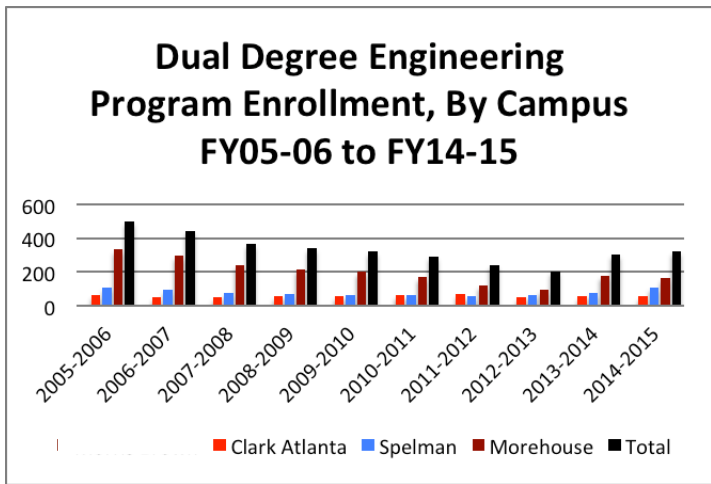
Program Highlights

- Approximately 1,500 engineering students have graduated since 1969.
- Partnering engineering institutions include Georgia Tech, Auburn University, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, Missouri University of Science and Technology, North Carolina A&T State University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Michigan, and University of Notre Dame.

Scholarships Awarded



Enrollment Trends



CAREER PLANNING & PLACEMENT SERVICE

Established 1971



Programs & Services

Recruitment Fairs

Career Development Workshops

Information Sessions

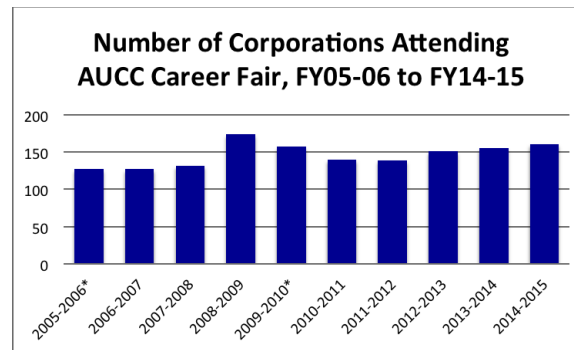
Campus Interviews

Resource Center

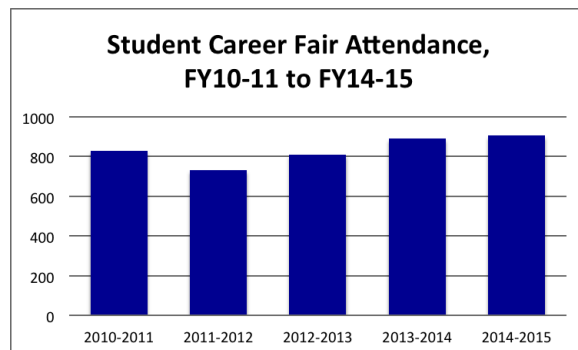
Program Highlights

- All students and alumni of Clark Atlanta, Morehouse and Spelman may receive CPPS services.
- The Annual Career Fair and Graduate School Fair are the largest diversity recruiting events in the Southeast.
- Annually, over 500 organizations, corporations, agencies, non-profits and higher education institutions use the AUC Consortium to coordinate recruiting efforts. These recruiting efforts result in internships, cooperative education, permanent/career employment and graduate and professional school opportunities for our students and alumni.
- Strategy and direction are guided by recommendations from campus Chief Student Affairs and Enrollment Officers and feedback from corporate recruiters in 2012.

Corporate Participation



Student Attendance Data



Annual Revenue Generated



AUCC COMMUNIVERSITY

Established 2013



COMMUNITY PRIORITIES

Security and Safety
Education (Pre-K through Ph.D.)
Housing and Public Infrastructure
Community Services
Community Health and Wellness
Jobs and Economic Development

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

University Community Development Corporation (UCDC)
Atlanta Promise and Choice Neighborhood Initiatives
AUC Consortium Community Leadership Collaborative
Atlanta University Center Neighborhood Association
Atlanta Planning Advisory Board and Neighborhood Planning Units

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

AUCC Camera Surveillance Project
Community Improvement District
Business Incubator/Accelerator
Collaboration among AUCC Police Departments on Digital Crime Watch and Community Safety Programs
Collaboration with City of Atlanta Public Works Task Force to Address Public Infrastructure Needs



Programs & Services

Personal and Life Skills Enrichment

Professional Development for Service Providers

Support for Community Economic & Resource Development

Capacity Building for Neighborhood Organizations

Information Clearinghouse & Resource Center

Volunteerism and Service Learning

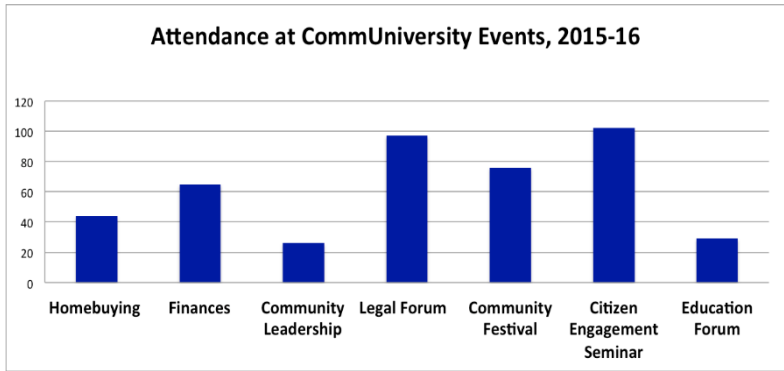
Program Highlights

- CommUniversity is the Atlanta University Center Consortium's emerging community-focused center for life-long learning
- Connects faculty, staff and students from AUCC campuses to community stakeholders for mutual learning
- Community-learning component of the AUCC's comprehensive community revitalization emphasis
- Designed to enrich the lives of individuals, strengthen the workforce, enhance the community, and address needs identified during planning for Atlanta Promise Neighborhood and Choice Neighborhood initiatives
- Provides training, capacity-building, and educational opportunities for residents and organizations in Atlanta's west side communities

Current Classes

- Life Skills and Personal Development
- Financial Literacy and Homeownership Education
- Community Leadership Development Certificate Program
- Professional Development for Service Providers
- AUCC Student Volunteer Program (12,500+ Hours of Service)
- Small Business Development Program

CommUniversity Attendance Data



AUCC ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCILS



Council

Recent Priorities, Projects & Goals

Presidents

- Collaborative 30314 Vision and Plan
- AUCC Camera Surveillance Project
- Toon Boom Animation Collaboration

Chief Academic Officers

- Cross Registration Issues
- Faculty with Dual Appointments

Chief Financial Officers

- Implications of Affordable Care Act
- Tuition Waiver Cap Policy Development
- AUCC Budget & Audit Review
- Opportunities for Mutual Cost Savings

Chief Student Affairs Officers

- Sexual Assault Policies & Procedures
- Campus Music Policy
- EverFi Alcohol, Sexual Assault and Financial Literacy Modules
- Collaborative Homecoming and Orientation Events
- Joint Professional Development (e.g., Title IX)

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Public Relations

- Strategic Messaging Regarding Campus Response to Crime
- Delta Airlines Magazine Advertisement
- Atlanta Convention & Visitors Bureau Advertisement

Public Safety and Campus Security

- Collaboration with AHA and APD to Establish Joint Safety Patrols
- Communication and Interoperability
- Collaborative Campus Safety Efforts
- Joint Professional Development

Human Resources

- Opportunities for Cost Sharing
- Joint Staff Development and Training

Chaplains

- Joint Seminary & Theological School Fair
- Joint Worship and Interfaith Events

Chief Information Officers

- Collaborative Technology Master Plan
- Joint Professional Development (e.g., Technology Summit)

AUCC GOALS



Executive Office

- To complete a five-year strategic plan for AUC Consortium, Inc.
- To Implement new donor management software system
- To host national Association for Collaborative Leadership conference in Atlanta
- To orient new presidents, provosts, and key administrators to the AUC Consortium
- To produce a ten-year progress report

Academic and Career Services

- To launch new on-campus recruiting tool, Symplicity
- To host new center-wide recruitment events: virtual alumni career fair, law school fair and educator career fair
- To identify new funding to support engineering scholarships

CommUniversity & Civic Engagement Initiatives

- To increase CommUniversity enrollment to at least 500 participants annually
- To launch new student internship program with Regions Bank
- To launch new Small Business Development Program
- To attract additional funding for CommUniversity programs
- To develop reliable and consistent assessment measures for programs

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