

MAY 6, 2022

The Graticule Weekly

UGA Geography Newsletter



NEXT WEEK

Join us for Geography's Graduation Celebration!

Graduation is next week! To celebrate our undergraduate students who will be graduating next week, please join the UGA Geography Department on **Thursday, May 12th at 4pm** in the **Geography-Geology Building, room 200C**. (There will also be a livestream option for those who aren't able to attend in-person, the zoom link for which will be sent out to registrants on Monday, May 9th.)

In addition to presenting our graduates, we will also have student speakers and get to hear from returning alum, Marie Frías Sauter (A.B. Geography, '82). Sauter currently serves as the Superintendent and Park Manager at White Sands National Park in New Mexico, where she makes policy decisions, interfaces with politicians and elected officials, and provides direction for the park.

In-person attendees may park in the Tate Student Center Deck the day-of the event. (Parking rates for visitors can be found on the [Transportation and Parking Services website](#).)

Dress code: business casual (please no caps and gowns)

All are welcome to [register to attend](#) either in-person or virtually. We're looking forward to seeing everyone soon and celebrating our wonderful graduates! (For those who are unable to attend, a recording of the celebration will be uploaded to UGA Geography's YouTube channel.)

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

News & Reminders

- [Keep Cobb Beautiful Internship](#)

Keep Cobb Beautiful is seeking an intern to assist staff with litter prevention, recycling and environmental resource related projects. The summer intern will focus on ROW (right-of-way) observations, data collection and cleanup

General News and Announcements

Starting the week of May 20th, the Graticule Weekly Newsletter will be released every two weeks. If you have any news or events you'd like to share during the summer, please share them with [Kajal Patel](#) well in advance. The newsletter will return to a weekly release starting August 12th.

Opportunities available to all students:

New Course Offering: GEOG 4/6920 Special Problems in Area Analysis

The Department of Geography will welcome new faculty member, Dr. Gengchen Mai, this Fall 2022 as a researcher in GeoAI in Hydrologic and Ecosystem Science. This Fall, Dr. Mai will be teaching a course in Geospatial Artificial Intelligence CRN for 4920 (undergraduate-level): 54811
CRN for 6920 (graduate-level): 54813

The tentative syllabus for the class can be found [here](#). The class is set to run Tuesdays (lecture) and Thursdays (lab) from 3:55-5:10pm.

Tutors Needed for Summer - UGA Athletics

UGA Athletics is recruiting GEOG tutors to work with UGA student-athletes this summer. Tutors will provide individual and small group tutoring to student-athletes in the Rankin Smith Student-Athlete Academic Center, assist students in improving academic achievement by meeting with them weekly to clarify concepts, enhance study skills, and review class materials.

Course: GEOG 1111

For more information on compensation and hours, please see [this job description](#).

assessments close to our county line in collaboration with Cherokee County, Paulding County, Douglas County and Fulton County.

Deadline to Apply: May 8

- [Physical Science Technician - National Park Service Southeast Coast Network](#)

NPS SECN is looking for a recent/soon-to-be graduate with strong GIS/GPS skills to assist Coastal Ecologist with shoreline and saltmarsh elevation monitoring efforts. The position involves regular travel along the coast from the Outer Banks (NC) down to Cape Canaveral (FL) and is based at Timucuan Ecological & Historic Preserve. This is a full-time position.

Deadline to Apply: May 9

- [Local Food Internship - Market Wagon](#)

Market Wagon is an e-commerce leader in the nation, providing food aggregation and last mile distribution to over 36 market locations. They fill the need to modernize the local food movement by facilitating online shopping and home delivery with a direct-to-consumer model. The Local Food Intern will serve as the regional expert dedicated to creating meaningful connections between local food producers and Market Wagon across the mid-Atlantic region or Michigan. The full job description for the position can be found on [Handshake](#).

Deadline to Apply: May 16

GRADUATE STUDENTS

News & Reminders

- **Attention students graduating this Spring:** TODAY, May 6, is the final date for completing all requirements except submission of theses/dissertations. The Graduate School must receive notification concerning removal of incompletes, certificate completions, final examinations, etc. (Note: this does not include grades for courses in which students are currently enrolled.)
- **Attention students graduating this Spring:** If you will be participating in the Spring 2022 graduation ceremony on May 13th, the Geography department would like to invite you to gather beforehand at the globe sculpture in the Geography-Geology building between 8:00-8:30am the day of the ceremony to take pictures and have coffee and cookies. (Report time to the Coliseum is 9am.) We hope you are able to join us so we can celebrate *you* on this joyous occasion!

- **UCAR Next Generation Fellowship**

The Next Generation Fellowships offer graduate students the opportunity to learn alongside leaders in their fields. Each two-year fellowship provides financial support for graduate school and two summer visits. The program offers three distinctive fellowship tracks:

[Earth System Science](#), [Diversity, Equity & Inclusion](#) and [Public Policy](#).

Deadline to [Apply](#): May 16

- **American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education Fellowship**

[The AAHHE Graduate Student Fellows Program's](#) (GSFP) primary goal is to prepare Latina/o/x doctoral scholars for successful faculty careers in academia. The GSFP also provides support to Latina/o/x scholars interested in pursuing careers within administration and policy in post-secondary education. Interested students should contact [Sarah Baker](#) and use [this checklist](#) to stay on track with their application.

Deadline to [Apply](#): May 27 by 5pm Pacific Standard Time (PST)

Running list of assistant professorship opportunities and internships [here!](#)

Campus-wide and Other Events

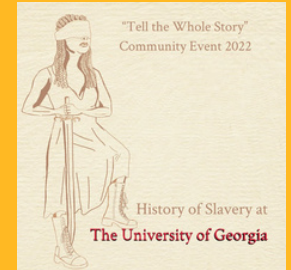
UGA Fri., May 13
Commencement

[Spring Graduate Ceremony:](#)

9:30am, Stegeman Coliseum

[Spring Undergraduate Ceremony:](#)

7:30pm, Sanford Stadium



"Tell the Whole Story" - The History of Slavery Sat., May. 21
All Day
Brooklyn Cemetery and Morton Theatre

Hosted by the History of Slavery at UGA (HSUGA) group, the event will start in Historic Brooklyn Cemetery followed by historical readings, music and dance performances, and a screening and panel discussion of "Below Baldwin" in the Morton Theater downtown at the Hot Corner. The general schedule for the event can be found [here](#). This event follows the committee's very successful inaugural Zoom symposium [from last year](#).

[Call for Volunteers:](#) the committee needs help setting up and taking down posters, chairs, sound equipment and other articles at Historic Brooklyn Cemetery, and to serve as ushers and guides at the Historic Brooklyn Cemetery and Morton Theatre. (If you have specific photography and/or video skills, please reach out to [Dr. Jenn Rice](#).)

Volunteer [sign up here!](#)

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