

# SGA Welcomes New Members at Green Jacket Ceremony

November 14, 2022 | Archives

By Lina Said - Originally Published 10/2019

On Sept. 26, the Student Government Association (SGA) held their annual Green Jacket Ceremony in the LVIS Building to inaugurate its new members.

Following an opening speech by former SGA President Eliman Marena, Director of Student Involvement and the Student Center Dr. Lakiesa Rawlinson ushered the new members to the stage, all of whom were wearing their green jackets.

The entirety of SGA stood together and recited their oath, affirming that they “will act in the best interest of the student body [and] uphold the honor, integrity and reputation of Georgia Gwinnett College.”

Provost Dr. T.J. Arant took the stage and spoke about the legacy that SGA will leave for generations to come.

“You are the ones that are making a legacy for years and building this tradition that in 200 years SGA will look to.”

Vice President Harriet Amofah spoke shortly thereafter about some of the goals of the organization.

“This year, I look forward to accomplishing many of this administration’s initiatives, including bringing a food pantry to campus, providing free sanitary pads in all female bathrooms, enhancing awareness of SGA and other RSOs, and many more.”

“We are a resource for students to use to see change and progress at Georgia Gwinnett College,” she said.

Following the ceremony, students mingled with their representatives and congratulated them.

SGA hosts town hall meetings throughout the semester where students can voice their concerns.