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## Staff Council Report to University Council, March 21, 2018

This last week, while many of you were enjoying Spring Break, we held the first annual Staff Resources Fair, filling the Grand Ballroom in Tate with 54 tables of UGA organizations that offer goods or services to UGA employees. Please see the attached list of participants.

The Fair was conceived in the Finance & Administration Staff Representative Group, a unit of Staff Council. We wish to express our appreciation and say thank you to the contributing partners, the Office of The President, Office of Institutional Diversity, Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs, UGA Dining Service, UGA Parking Services, Bulldog Print+Design, and USG Well-Being.

I would like to commend Debi Chandler, chair of the F&A SRG, and Marie Mize, vice president of Staff Council and the steering committee members Kiz Adams, Taylor West, Randolph Carter, Brenda Keen, and Kasey Strawder. They did a phenomenal job of pulling everything together on a short timeline and shoestring budget to inform nearly a thousand visitors of the many and varied opportunities available on campus to save money, enrich lives, and support the university. As I circulated the hall, I asked both the visitors and the exhibitors if they thought this was worth their time; all replied positively. It was such a success, we are already planning next year's event.

As reported last semester, we are continuing our efforts to get all UGA policies contained or linked within one central repository or directory, with a heuristic search engine. We feel this is a crucial issue with implications across the university, and that taking this vital step will result in many benefits, including faster access to policy, actual access to policy, better informed decisions based on knowledge of policy, and decreased liability from the inability to act within policy.

We invite anyone wishing to advise or assist us in these endeavors to contact us at ugasc@uga.edu.

Michael Lewis, President, Staff Council

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## 2018 Staff Resource Fair Participating Units

The Aspire Clinic Office of Student Financial Aid

UGA Athletics Office of Sustainability

The AU/UGA Medical Partnership UGA's OneSource Project

UGA Bookstore UGA Transportation &

Bulldog Print + Design Parking Services

Campus Kitchen at UGA Office of Service Perks at Work

Learning Police Department

UGA Card Office Recreational Sports

UGA Career Center Small Business Development Center

University of Georgia Center for UGA Speech and Hearing Clinic Continuing Education and Hotel

UGA Clinical and Translational

Savannah River Ecology Lab

Research Unit

UGA Staff Council

College of Education USG Staff Council

Columns UGA Staff Representative Groups

UGA Community Music School State Botanical Garden of Georgia

UGA Dining Services

Tate Copy and Printing

EITS Trial Gardens at UGA

UGA Food Pantry

Tuition Assistance Program

UGA Food Science University Health Center

Summer Academy at UGA Georgia Center

University of Georgia Press
University Testing Services

Georgia Museum of Art

Oniversity Testing Service

The Georgia Review USG Well-Being

UGA Golf Course College of Veterinary Medicine

Graduate School WalkGeorgia
WUGA FM

Human Resources WOGA FT

UGA Libraries