

Welcome from our President

We appreciate your interest in Southern Polytechnic State University --- Georgia's Technology University.

Technology is the backbone of business. Business strategy, development and implementation depend upon in-depth knowledge and versatile skills in science, engineering and technology-related fields. Southern Polytechnic has a special mission to educate students at the undergraduate and the graduate levels, and in continuing education and certificate programs, in applying scientific and technological knowledge to solve real problems and improve people's lives. The application of knowledge is essential in transportation, the environment, education, health, and communication.

Our graduates are professionals who can create the strategies and implement the processes to support economic development, essential services, and a better quality of life. At Southern Polytechnic, we graduate students who can run a system or run the company. Who can design the structures and build them. Who can write the programs and implement them. Who can create alternative resources and manage them. Who can engineer the systems, test them, and redesign them.

At Southern Polytechnic, we are a community that is committed to learning not just these very focused technological and scientific skills, but also the traditional liberal arts abilities that enable our very diverse student body to think critically, analyze carefully, and communicate clearly --- and to do so locally or internationally.

We welcome this opportunity to share with you some of the facts behind the Southern Polytechnic people and programs.

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