

# Georgia Tech

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# Why did they choose Georgia Tech?

The story of 4 students



# Sandra Hoang

- Join the MSECE program in 2006, with the objective to work in America
- Work at several places in US like AT Kearney, Siemens
- Currently system Manager at Siemens mobility in New York





### Michele Piccardi

- Join the MSECE program in 2010
- Work abroad
- Joined Micron Technology after graduation, he is currently Design Manager, based San Francisco





### Simone Frassanito

- Join the MSCS program in 2010
- Work abroad
- Currently at Data Architect at Microsoft in Redmond WA





### Melisande Zonta

- Join the MSECE program in 2016, with the objective to work in America
- Join Intel Santa Clara in 2017, now Silicon Architecture Engineer
- Start a PhD at ETH recently





# Why did they choose Georgia Tech

- Make their dreams real, invest on their future
- Return on investment: 4 that joined top companies -Micron Technology, Siemens, Intel, Microsoft -
- Majority of graduate students take positions at companies such as Cisco, Schlumberger, Total, EADS, Thales, Safran, Airbus, GE, Areva, Amadeus, ...
- Airbus highly values this dual degree
- Why not you?



# Opportunities of the program

- Land of opportunities, build your program to make your dream real, have fun, how:
  - Strengthen your engineering background,
  - Open you to other domains of engineering,
  - Become an entrepreneur
- Study in a multicultural environment on any campuses
- On GT Europe campus, the main student population





# Young graduate figures

- 20% find first job in USA
- 45% in R&D Energy/Material/Aerospace/Services -
- 15% continue with a PhD
- Average salary for graduate student is ~90 k\$ in USA, visit <u>payscale.com</u>



### Research

- Georgia Tech invest 1.4 B\$ per year funding for world class research programs, more than MIT
- Access to world class technology platforms for faculty and students enrolled in MS thesis or PhD on main or GT Europe campuses





### Innovation

# Georgia Tech incubator ranked in top 10 in US Education

- Startup Lab, ECE 6001, CS 8803
- Valuation > 1.4 B\$ of Student Startups, 300+ UG startups since 2014

#### **Enterprise Innovation Institute (EI2)**

Programs to help startup companies, industry, public sector and students

#### Commercialisation

ATDC research for faculty, PhD students







# Added values of Georgia Tech

# Georgia Tech develops leaders who advance technology and improve the human condition.

- Example #1: Tech.Co ranks Georgia Tech as the #1 university that "produces the best startup talent."
- Example #2: Three continent tech entrepreneurship & entrepreneurship courses

### Gain prestige in the International Arena

- Example: #4 grad programs in U.S. programs (AE, ECE, ME), #6 grad CS program all at a public university price\*
- #11 in Engineering (Times Higher Education 2023)
- Shanghai ranking 2023: #12 in AE, #4 in EE, #7 in Nanotechnology, ...

### Build a global network with other Tech Alumni

- Example: Alumni focus events in Europe, U.S.
- Join a 140,000+ alumni network around the world



# Dual degree program

- Spend one semester on each campus of Georgia Tech Atlanta and Metz -
- Dual degree program: soft transition to the US education system
- Course transfer → reduces cost
- Opt in MS thesis option or PhD to increase time on main campus
- Initial investment ~ 38 k\$ (tuition & fees, housing, living expenses, ...)
- Reduction of tuitions through assistantships but need to be proactive on financial aid
- Program of excellence at low cost, typ. 50 to 60 k\$



# Specialisations open for application

- Master of Science degree in :
  - Aerospace Engineering (33 SCH)
  - Computer Science (30 SCH)
  - Electrical and Computer Engineering (30 SCH)
  - Mechanical Engineering (30 SCH)



- Aerospace Engineering focus on Mechanics of Multifunctional Structures and Materials, System of Systems and Complex Systems Integration, Space Exploration & Earth Monitoring, ...
- Computer Science focus in Machine Learning, Computational Perception & Robotics
- Electrical & Computer Engineering focus in Digital Signal Processing, Electrical Energy, Systems and Controls, Nanotechnology, ...
- Mechanical Engineering focus in Acoustics/Dynamics, Mechanics of Materials, Micro and Nano Engineering, Heat Transfer, Combustion and Energy Systems, ...



### Financial aid

- Assistantships:
  - On Atlanta campus
    - · Research Assistantships:
      - For PhD students, offer made by faculty
      - · For MS thesis, pending faculty decision
    - Teaching Assistantships available on a competitive basis in **Aerospace Engineering**, **Computer Science & Electrical & Computer Engineering**: Tuition waiver with ~\$2,000 monthly stipend
  - On Europe Campus:
    - Teaching assistantship available, tuition waiver or 66% tuition waiver
    - Research assistantship available: MS thesis and PhD at IRL
- Internships available through alumni network
- Fellowships (Rotary, regional aid, etc....)
  - GTL Challenge Fellowship for semester in ATL: \$2,250
- Bank Loan, Student loan of 1.49% up to 75,000 €, up to 9 years loan repayment









# GT Europe campus

- Small international student community (~250 students): (grand mix, trips, ...) - future Tech network
- Easy access to faculty, information
- Weekly seminar with corporate partners (internships/jobs)







# Application - decision schedule

#### **Fall 2023**

- Pre-selection by UNIBS
- Take TOEFL or IELTS or TOEIC and GRE for CS only
- Help and support provided on your application by GT Europe

### Spring 2024

- Online application completed by Feb 1<sup>st</sup> including transcripts, letters of Recommendation, official test scores reported by ETS to GT
- Admission decision: end Feb Mar

Fall 2024 – Start of the program



# Georgia Tech Admission Requirements

- **GPA** min 3.5 /4.0 (GPA = General Point Average)
- Strong letters of recommendation
- English proficiency tests:
  - TOEFL iBT <a href="http://www.ets.org/toefl">http://www.ets.org/toefl</a>: min score of 19 required for each section: > 90/120 (AE, ECE), > 100/120 (CS), > 94/120 (ME)
  - or IELTS: min score 7 (AE, ECE, ME) and 7.5 (CS) with a min score of 6.5 for Reading, Listening and Speaking, min score of 5.5 for Writing
  - or TOEIC > 850
- GRE (only required for MSCS), <a href="http://www.ets.org/gre">http://www.ets.org/gre</a>: min scores
  - Verbal > 153/170
  - Quantitative > 155/170
  - Analytical Writing > 3/6



# Key dates of your application

Items	Dates
TOEFL or IELTS or TOEIC & GRE if applicable	Dec 1, 2023
GT application submitted on GT admission website	Feb 1, 2024
Admission decision	Feb - Mar
Start of program	Aug 20, 2024





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