

GEORGIA COMMITMENT SCHOLARSHIP



The Women of UGA Georgia Commitment Scholarship will provide need-based scholarship aid to deserving students who face barriers to pursuing their educations. This scholarship will allow them to take full advantage of everything UGA offers as they pursue their educations and launch their careers.

ADVANCING THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

The Women of UGA Affinity Group operates under the UGA Alumni Association with the mission to foster a lifelong commitment to UGA by creating opportunities for personal and professional development, instilling a spirit of giving and investing in the future of the university, its students and its alumnae.



Currently, Women of UGA is working to create a Georgia Commitment Scholarship to support students who demonstrate financial need. The group has committed to raising \$50,000, which will be matched by the UGA Foundation. Additional gifts will further the impact on students who are invested in women's empowerment and need financial assistance in reaching their goals.

The Women of UGA Georgia Commitment Scholarship supports our biggest campaign priority: making college affordable. Recent data from the start of the 2016–2017 academic year indicates that despite arriving at UGA with Zell Miller or HOPE Scholarships, our lowest-income students still face an average financial aid gap of \$13,000 per year, which adds up to \$52,000 over the course of a four-year degree. Women of UGA is committed to removing financial barriers for students.