

# Atlanta Metropolitan State College

A Vibrant Unit of the University System of Georgia

## 2020-2021 Institutional Profile

### Student Profile

- Female: 66%, Male: 34%
- Average: 27; Median Age: 23; Mode Age: 20
- Enrollment: 1704 (Fall 2020)
- Traditional Students: 60%
- Adult Learners: 40%
- International Population: Students from Bahamas, Gambia, Germany, Kenya, Nigeria, Senegal

### Accreditation

- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
- The Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)

### Campus

Main campus (65.4 acres) three minutes to downtown Atlanta, and 10 minutes to Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

### Economic Impact

\$114 million

### President

Georj Lewis, Ed.D.

### Mission

Atlanta Metropolitan State College, an access institution of the University System of Georgia, educates students from diverse backgrounds by providing affordable, career-focused bachelor's and associate degree programs. The College offers student-centered instruction, civic/community engagement, and quality services that lead to the success of its inter-generational 21<sup>st</sup> century graduates.

### Academic Programs

#### \*Focus Areas for the Associate of Arts Degree:

Digital Media and Entertainment, General Studies, Mass Communication

#### Focus Areas for the Associate of Science Degree:

Biological Science, Business Administration, Computer Information Systems, Criminal Justice, Engineering Transfer, \*\*Financial Technology (FinTech), General Studies, Health Sciences, ~~Public~~ Radiology Technology, Social Work, Teacher Education (Early, Middle, and Secondary)

#### Distance Education Programs, Offered Fully Online:

Organizational Leadership BS with concentrations in Health Care Administration, Legal Office Administration, Office Administration and Technology, and Public Service Administration); General Pathways (AACC and ASCC)

#### Baccalaureate Programs:

Biological Science, Business Administration, Criminal Justice, Digital Media and Entertainment, Organizational Leadership

#### Certificates:

Religious Studies, Information Technology, Law Enforcement Leadership, Forensic Science, Film and Television Production, Customer Relations Management, and \*Financial Technology (Associate and Bachelor's level Certificates)

*\*\*FinTech is a collaborative of AMSC with other University System of Georgia Institutions. AMSC offers the AS Degree and Associate/Bachelor's Level Certificates in FinTech.*

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## Special Programs

- Internship Program/Experiential Learning
- AMSC Academic & Need-Based Scholarships
- Career Counseling
- **High School Dual Credit Programs:**  
Early College, Dual Enrollment
- **College BRIDGE Programs:**  
Student Outreach, ACCUPLACER Testing
- TRiO Programs/Upward Bound, SSS, SSS-STEM, Educational Opportunity Centers, and Talent Search
- **Partnerships:** Corporate, Business, Government, Faith-Based Organizations, Non-Profit Agencies, School Systems, Higher Education Institutions

## Course Scheduling

**Format:** Online, On-campus, & Hybrid  
**Day:** M-F 6am-6pm  
**Evening College:** M-F 6-10:30pm  
**Semester:** 15-Week Session (Full Term)  
**Mini-mesters:** 5, 8, 12-Week Sessions

## Tuition and Fees

- **Resident:** \$1,753/12 credits\*
- **Non-Resident:** \$5,066/12 credits

\*12 credits represent approximately four courses.

## History

**1965** - Board of Regents authorized a junior college for west, metropolitan Atlanta  
**1974** - First building constructed and the college named Atlanta Junior College, the 31st institution of the University System of Georgia, with an initial enrollment of 504  
**1988** - Name changed to Atlanta Metropolitan College (AMC)  
**2009** - Opened instructional Site (34 Peachtree, Atlanta); Offered first online classes  
**2010** - First time enrollment exceeds 3000  
**2012** - Name changed to Atlanta Metropolitan State College, and AMSC was promoted to a SACSCOC Level II (four-year degree granting) institution

## Student Activities

- Advocate Student Association
- Atlanta Metropolitan Programming Board (AMP)
- Art Club
- Brother-to-Brother Organization (B2B)
- Chemistry Club
- Criminal Justice
- Dance Troup
- Future Educators of AMSC
- Game, Anime, and Manga Enthusiasts (GAME)
- Global Green
- International Student Organization
- Leadership Training
- Mathematics, Engineering and Science Association (MESA)
- Stepping High on Empowerment for Sisterhood (S.H.O.E.S.)
- STEM and MCAT Prep Programs
- Student Government Association/Student Clubs
- Student Ambassadors
- Recreation/Fitness



## Honors Organizations:

- Kappa Beta Delta and Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society
- Publishable Research
- Conference Attendance/Presentations

## College Colors:

**Red & Black**

## Mascot:

Trailblazers



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