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#### Georgia Tech's Strategies for Global Engineers

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# Global Engineers



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#### overview



#### Georgia Tech



#### International Efforts



# Georgia Tech Lorraine Future Plans





# Georgia Tech

# Georgia Tech profile

Top 10 U.S. public research

(technological) เ

Fall '02 enrollments

1	Colleges	B.S.	M.S.	Ph.D.	Total	Faculty
Ч	<b>Engineering</b>	6,336	1,514	1,654	9,504	341
	Computing	1,500	158	260	1,918	56
	Management	1,187	278	28	1,493	44
	Sciences	860	117	475	1,452	155
	Architecture	626	262	58	946	42
	Ivan Allen	717	158	60	935	108
	(Undeclared)	231			231	
	Total	11,457	2,487	2,535	16,479	746

FY '02 degrees

Colleges	B.S.	M.S.	Ph.D.	Total
Engineering	1,231	708	172	2,111
Management	303	125	8	436
Computing	238	61	16	315
Sciences	154	68	54	276
Architecture	130	81	5	216
Ivan Allen	103	73	2	178
Total	2,159	1,116	257	3,532



# engineering profile

Largest U.S. producer of engineering graduates

1 st in degrees to women and to African-Americans Largest U.S. voluntary co-op program

Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in engineering R&D

Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in industry sponsored research



## wnere is Georgia

#### Tech?





The Logistics Institute –
Asia Pacific
(Est. 1998)





Georgia Tech (Est. 1885)

Georgialnstitute
of Technology



Savannah

GT Regional Engineering Program (Est. 1998)

#### Metz



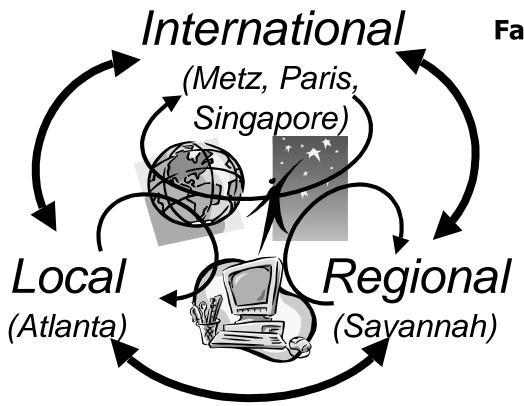
GT Lorraine (Est. 1989)

#### Paris



Paris Program (Est. 1975)

# (inter)institutional development



Faculty & Student Involvement

Distributed (e)Learning

**Educational Effectiveness** 

**Support Infrastructure** 

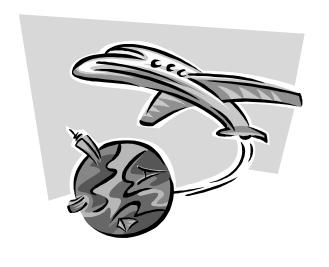
Accreditation & Reviews

Intentionality ("Value-added")



# International Efforts

# types of experiences



Study abroad

Degree (&internship) programs

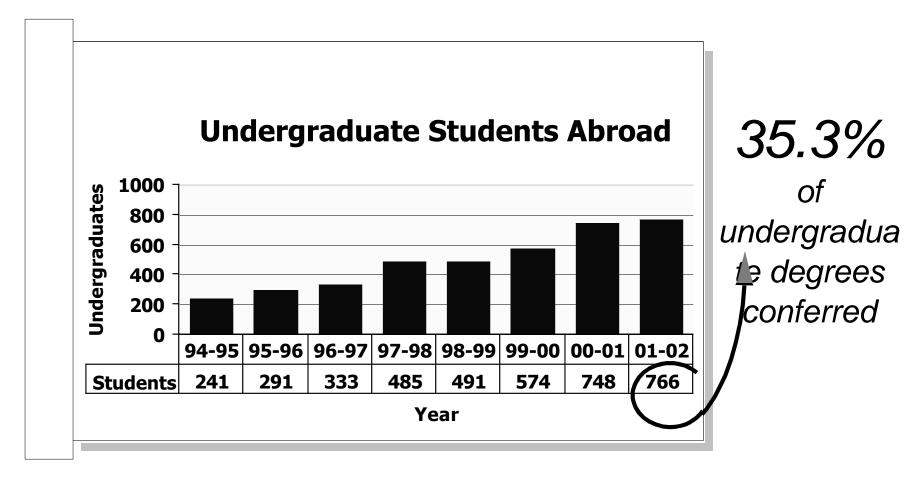
**GTL, Paris Program, TLI-AP** 

Work (internship) abroad

Distance learning



## study abroad enrollments





**Source:** 2002 Georgia Tech Fact Book

## study abroad programs

#### Program

Oxford Summer Program	<b>156</b>	Brussels Summer Program	23
GTL Summer Program	104	Cuba Program	20
<b>Pacific Study Abroad Program</b>	86	Political Economy of China	20
<b>Computing Summer Program</b>		Aerospace Engineering	
in Barcelona	55	in Russia	<b>15</b>
Languages for Business and		Modern Architecture and	
Technology	54	the Modern City	12
Hong Kong/Singapore		Field Work in Animal Behavior	12
Summer Program	40	Chemical Engineering	
<b>Exchange Programs</b>	29	in London	10
Non-Georgia Tech Programs	28	Work Abroad/	
<b>Architecture Senior Year</b>		International Coop	10
in Paris	27	International	
Summer Study in Italy –		Architectural Exchange	7
Art & Architecture	27	International	
<b>Costa Rica Summer Program</b>	25	Academic Projects	6
		Argentina Summer Program	n/a



**Total 766** 

**Source:** 2002 Georgia Tech Fact Book

# degree programs

#### Paris Program

- **Ecole d'Architecture Paris La Villette**
- **Senior Year**
- L'Atelier Franco-Americain

The Logistics Institute – Asia

Pacific National University of Singapore

**Dual Master of Science (NUS & GT)** 





# Georgia Tech Lorraine

# what is Georgia Tech Lorraine?

French non-profit corporation created in 1989

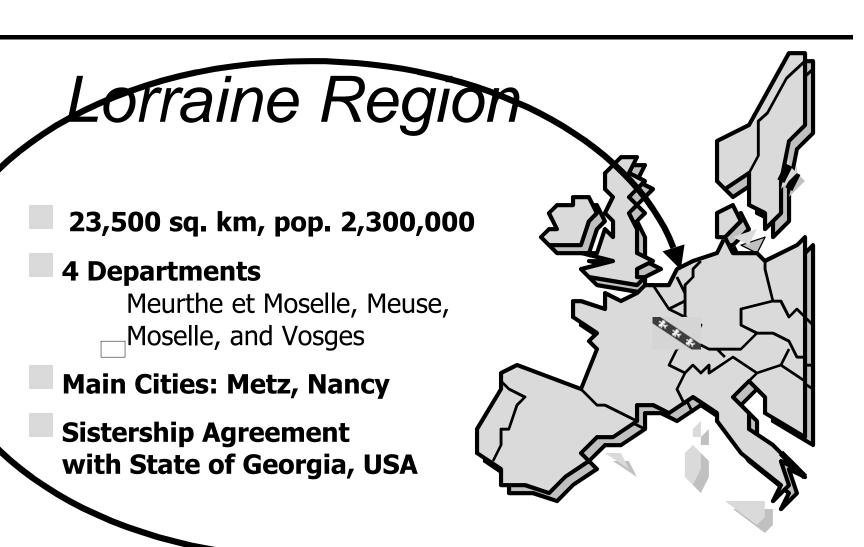
Promotes academic, research, and economic development in Georgia, Lorraine, Europe, and





"The European Platform of Georgia Tech"

#### where is GT Lorraine?





#### R&D in Lorraine



#### Technopôles

Metz 2000 (infor./comm. technologies)
Nancy-Brabois (life sciences, bioengineering)

#### Universities

Supélec (electrical & computer engineering)
ENSAM (mechanical & industrial engineering)
INPL (broad range of engineering programs)
Université de Metz
Université de Nancy

#### Research Organizations

**CNRS** (optical communications systems) **INRIA** (comp. engineering, oper. research) **INSERM** (life sciences)



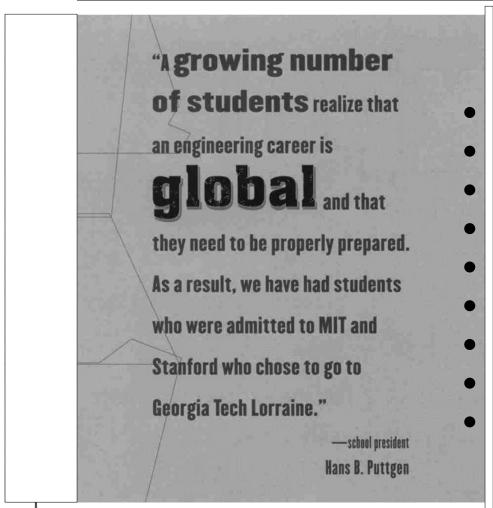
#### GTL facilities

- 50,000 square feet academic and research facility located on Technopôle Metz 2000
- Student living centers at Supélec & ENSAM (also at Technopôle)
- Four furnished apartments for faculty and families





# key permanent faculty and staff



**Dr. Hans Puttgen** 

**Dr. Francois Malassenet** 

**Dr. Robert Mahan** 

**Dr. Bertrand Boussert** 

Dr. William Rhodes

**Ms. Marie-Pierre Delaleux** 

**Ms. Josyane Roschitz** 

**Ms. Christine Cezard** 

M. Jacques Hanet



# visiting faculty

**Per Term** 

Typically, 4-6 Georgia Tech (Atlanta) faculty in residence

Live

60 Georgia Tech faculty and their families have been in residence

**Virtual** 

50 Georgia Tech faculty have taught courses via distance learning



## main activities, ECE & ME





# academic programs

1

Master of Science (30 SCH, with or without thesis) & Doctor of Philosophy

Electrical and Computer Engineering Mechanical Engineering

2

#### Double Degrees

M.S. & Diplôme (ECE, ME) Ph.D. & Doctorat (ECE)

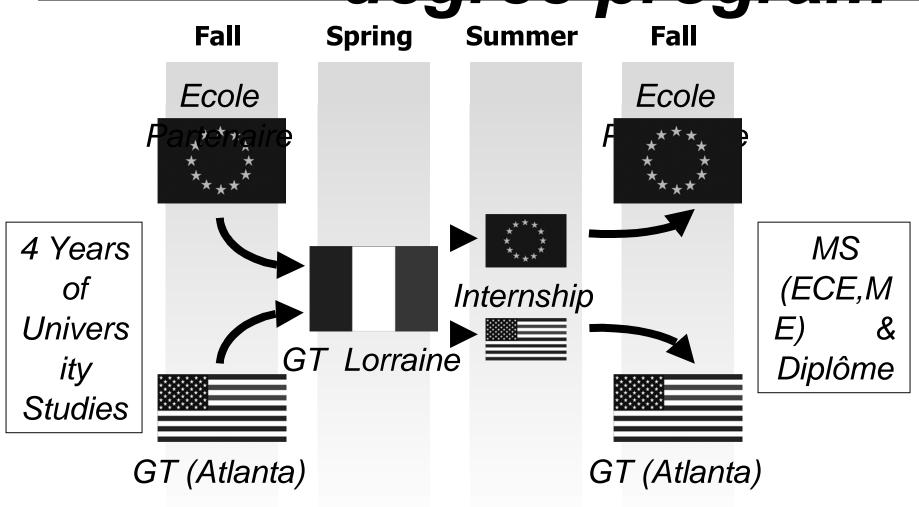
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#### Undergraduate Program

Architecture, ECE, International Affairs, Management, ME



# master's doubledegree program





# academic partners

Supélec (Metz) Diplôme de Spécialisation en Traitement and Transmission de l'Information **Ecole des Mines de Nantes** Diplôme de Spécialisation en Sécurité de Fonctionnement, Institut National Polytechnique de Lorraine (Nancy)\*\* Master de l'INPL **Institut National Polytechnique de Toulouse** Diplôme d'Ingénieur de Section Spéciale **Ecole Nationale Supérieure d'Electricité et de sés Applications (Paris)** Diplôme de Spécialisation ENSEA **Université de Technologie de Compiègne\*\*** Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies UTC **Ecole Nationale d'Arts/et Métiers (Metz, Paris)\*** Diplôme d'Ingénieur Certificat de Projet de Fin d'Etudes Université de Franche-Comté\*\*



<sup>\*</sup> Double-degree with MSME only

<sup>\*\*</sup> Double-degree with MSME and MSECE, all others with MSECE

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Double-degree with Ph.D. (ECE)

# basic requirements

Meet each institution's requirements (jointly coordinated)

Meet expected language proficiency

Complete an internship

## double-degree benefits

International academic credentials

International professional experience

International immersion and language proficiency



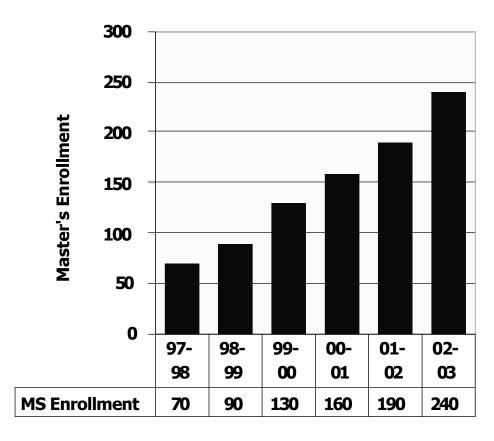
# employment

Broad range of industry types

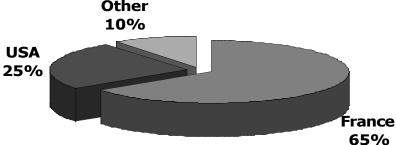
Largest current employers of GTL



# master's enrollments and degrees



120 GTL
students will
earn their MS
in 2002-03
Country of Origin
Other





**Academic Year** 

#### costs



#### .orraine

Resident/Term

Tuition/Fees = \$1,824

Room/Board = \$2,220

Total = \$4,044

Non-Resident/Term Tuition/Fees =\$2,199

Room/Board = \$2,220

Total = \$4,419





Tuition/Fees = \$1,974



Non-Resident/Term

Tuition/Fees = \$6,663

## undergraduate program

Began summer 1998; expanding to fall 2003

#### Georgia Tech courses – e.g., Summer 2003

**Civil Engineering** – Statics, Dynamics, Strength of Materials

**Architecture** – Art History

**Electrical/Computer Engineering** – Circuits, Signals, Design

**Economics** – Microeconomics, Global Institutions, Entrepreneurial Firms

**Modern Language** – French

**History/Technology** – Technology and Society, History of Space

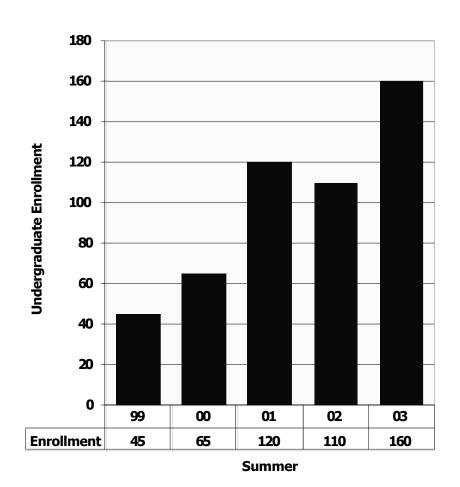
**Industrial Engineering** – Probability, Statistics, Optimization

**Mechanical Engineering** – Thermodynamics, Machine Design, Engines

**Management** – Marketing

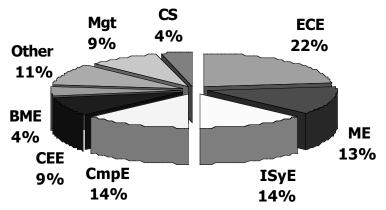


## undergraduate enrollments



76% are engineering students

**Undergraduate Majors** 





#### costs



#### Lorraine

Resident/Term = \$4,745

Non-Resident/Term = \$4,995 Atlanta



Non-Resident/Term = \$9,767





**Lorraine:** Resident Tuition/Fees, \$1,395; Non-Resident Tuition/Fees, \$1,645; Room/Board, \$3,150 (estimated), GTL Application Fee, \$200. **Atlanta:** Resident Tuition/Fees, \$1,601; Non-Resident Tuition/Fees, \$6,867; Room/Board, \$2,900 (estimated).





#### the road ahead

Georgia Tech's strategic goal is to have 50% of its (undergraduate) students graduate with an international



GTL's current focus is to have 20% of Georgia Tech BS & MS students graduate having participated in GTL programs



# three challenges

Are students interested?

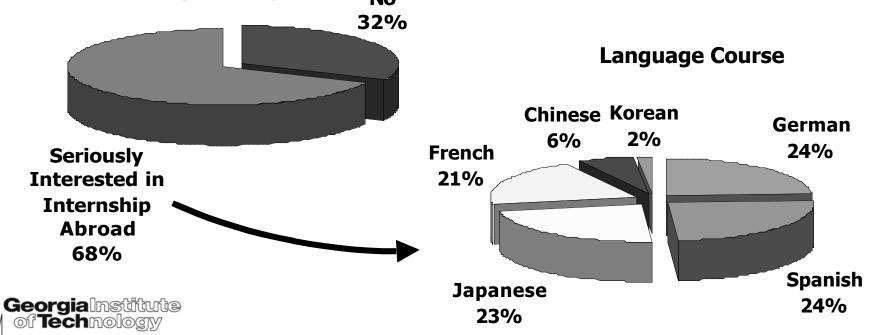
Will employers hire them?

Are the goals realistic?



## are students interested?

Survey of <u>one-half</u> GT students enrolled in <u>non-required</u>, foreign language courses (729 Respondents)



## will employers hire them?

#### Recent corporate recruiters

**Alstom** 

Exxon Mobil

**GE** 

Siemens Thales

Michelin

**Rolls Royce** Toyota

**SAGEM** 

#### Recent assignments of graduates

**Argentina** 

Italy

**Bahamas** 

Japan **Mexico** 

Shell

**Belgium** 

South Korea

**Schlumberger** 

**Brazil** 

**Switzerland** 

Chile

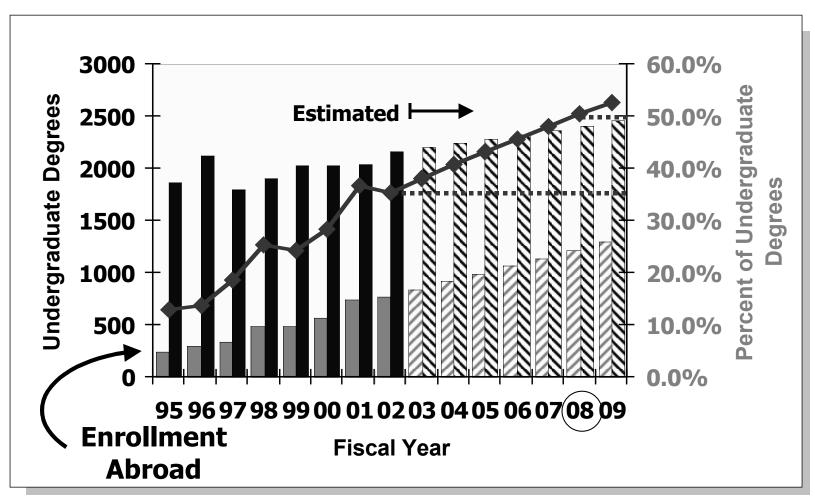
**Thailand** 

France





#### can we reach 50%?





# can we reach 20% for GTL?

Expand the undergraduate program

Expand the double-degree program

Create a BS/Double-Degree program



# back of the envelope calculations

	Expand Undergraduate Program												
	98-99	99-00	00-01	01-02	02-03	03-04	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	08-09	09-10	10-11
Undergraduate Enrollment	45	65	120	110	160	190	220	250	280	310	340	370	400
% of BS Degrees	2.4%	3.2%	5.9%	5.4%	7.4%	8.6%	9.8%	10.9%	12.0%	13.1%	14.1%	15.1%	16.0%

		Expand Double-Degree Program											
	98-99	99-00	00-01	01-02	02-03	03-04	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	08-09	09-10	10-11
MS/Diplome Enrollment	45	60	120	110	160	190	220	250	280	310	340	370	400
% of MS Degrees	4.7%	6.1%	11.9%	10.2%	14.3%	16.4%	18.4%	20.2%	21.9%	23.5%	25.0%	26.4%	27.7%

_	Creat BS/Double-Degree Program												
	98-99	99-00	00-01	01-02	02-03	03-04	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	08-09	09-10	10-11
BS Enrollment							25	40	70	110	160	220	290
Double-Degree Enrollment							0	13	33	55	90	135	190
% U.S. D-D Enrollment							25.0%	28.6%	32.8%	36.3%	40.7%	45.0%	49.2%

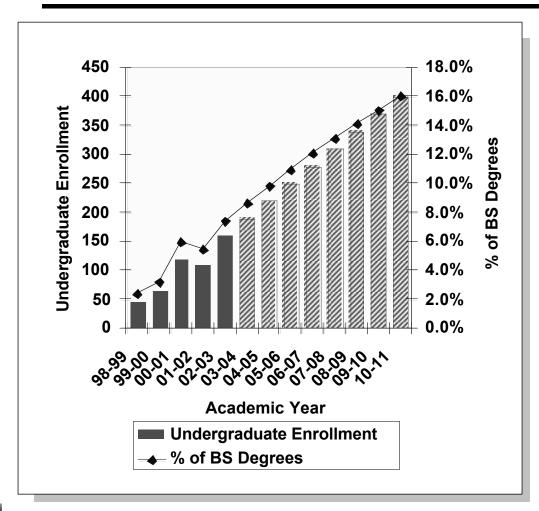
	Total B5 & M5 Degrees												
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MS/Diplome Program	45	60	120	110	160	190	220	250	280	310	340	370	400
MS of BS/D-D Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12.5	32.5	55	90	135	190
All Other BS & MS	2773	2881	2793	2895	2955	2978	2976	2984	2977	2960	2933	2896	2849

#### **Assumptions**

- No BS increase beyond normal growth
- Some increase in MS beyond normal growth



# expand undergraduate program



#### Better marketing

- **Current students**
- New students

More course

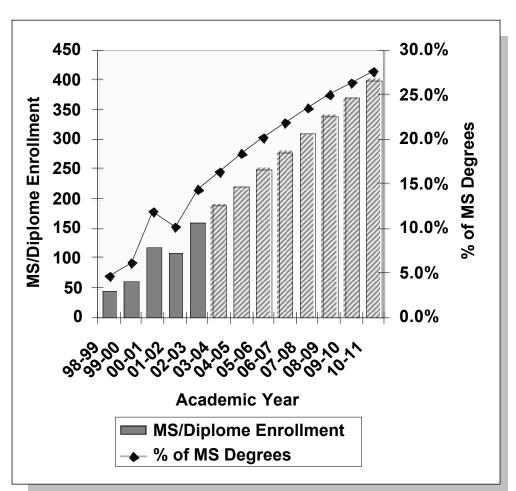
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**On-site** 

**Distance learning** 



# expand double-degree program



Better marketing

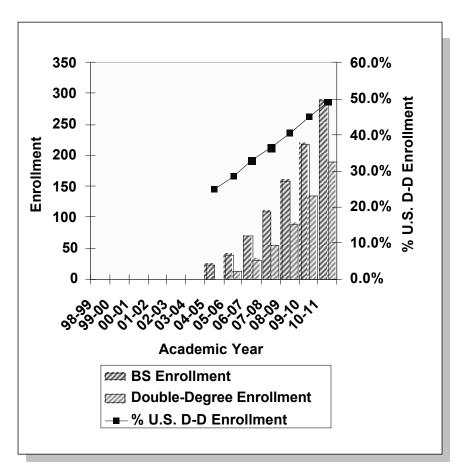
Expand partner schools

**Germany** 

Connect to other GT campuses



# create BS/Double-Degree



Encourage more U.S.

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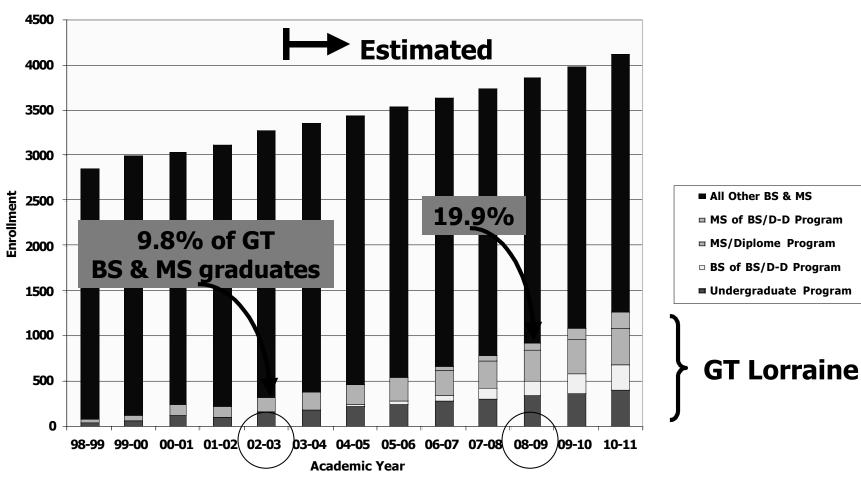
Bring parity in participation

Attract very best undergraduates



Second degree in international

#### GT BS & MS Enrollment







# Thank



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