

Italian Technology Transfer Conference

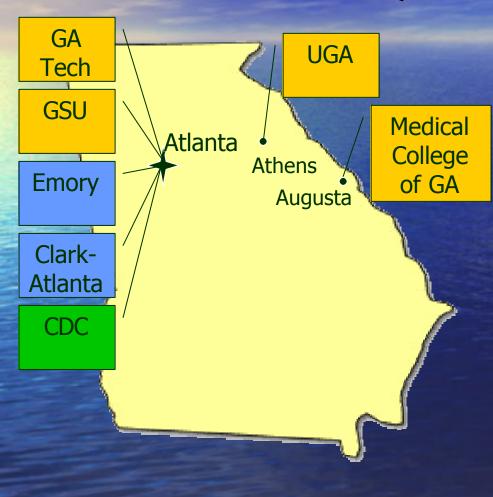
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# Georgia Technology Transfer Group (GTTG)



#### Public

- Georgia State University
- University of Georgia
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Medical College of GA
- Private
  - Emory
  - Clark-Atlanta
- Government
  - Center for Disease Control

#### **Background Information**

- Research Expenditures (GA Universities, FY 2002)
  - > \$970 million
- CDC Research Expenditures (FY 02)
  - \$8 billion
    - \$ 2 billion Internal
    - \$ 6 billion External
- GA State University, Clark-Atlanta
  - No Tech Transfer Office
- Georgia Research Alliance (Public/Private Partnership)
  - Supports all research universities



## Georgia Technology Transfer Group Development

**Networking** 

Best Practices

**Objectives** 

**Teaming** 

First Meeting 10/01

4 Public Universities

Emory 11/01

Clark-Atlanta 4/02

• CDC 6/02

**Support** 

Cooperation

Meetings/Events held every 2-3 months

### Key Projects To Date

- ✓ TT Directors VC Community Meeting (5/02)
- Applications to BoR/State for TT Database and Technology Marketing Funds
  - 4 State Universities
- ✓ Group Presentation at GA Life Sciences Summit (9/02)
- ✓ Southeast Tech Transfer Directors Meeting (11/02, 5/03)
- ✓ Board of Regents Meeting (11/02)
- Ethics/Conflict of Interest Policies (4/03, 7/03, 8/03)
- Other Activities
  - Inter-Institute Agreement Development
  - Common TT Database (?)
  - Cooperative Marketing

### Some GTTG Issues/Concerns

- Office Resources
  - Funding
  - Manpower
- Funding For Start-ups
  - Lower Venture Funding
  - GA Angels/VC's not Biotech/Life Science Focused
- Education of Stakeholders
- Managing Growing Cooperation
- Managing Expectations
  - Technology Commercialization
  - Economic Development

"GTTG-More Effective Toyether"