

Atlanta-Based Learning

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY



"Atlanta-Based Learning program that weaves the city into the classroom"

Atlanta-Based Learning (ABL) promotes service education and social action within the Atlanta community. The program seeks to maximize the urban educational experience in the first year of study by having students participate in or seek out structured opportunities to learn more about social issues that affect the city and to be a part of the solution to the societal problems at hand.

Framework

Learn About (Settings)	Learn From (Systems)
Learn With (Communities)	Learn By (Service-Learning)

Requirements

- Service site must be within Atlanta city limits or in an area with an Atlanta zip code
- Service commitment must be 4 hours in length
- Service sites must be approved by GSU 1010 instructor PRIOR to service completion

Partnerships

Office of Civic Engagement

MedShare

Gateway Center

Oakland Cemetery

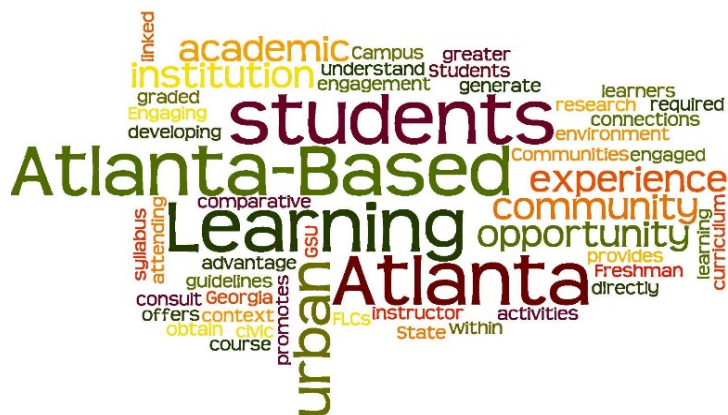
Safe House Outreach

Atlanta Community Food Bank

Truly Living Well Urban Garden

Award-Recognition

2013 Carl V. Patton
President's Award for
Community Service & Social
Action

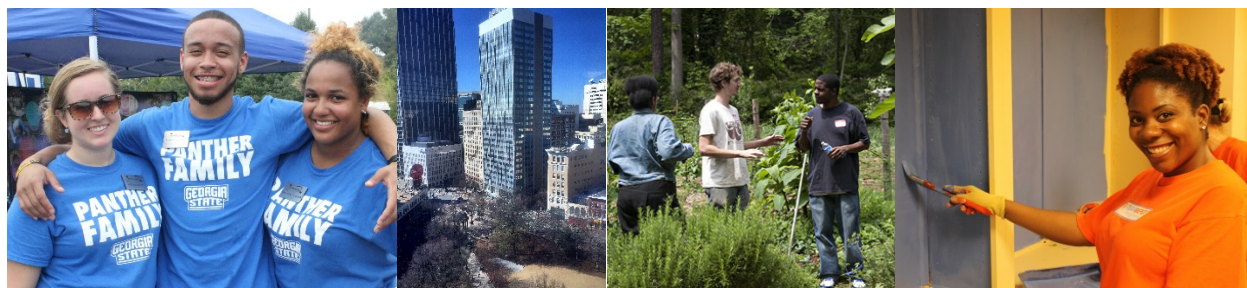


Assess...

- Certainty of undergraduate major
- Value and importance of service
- Continued participation in community service at specific agency
- Actively seek an opportunity to do community service
- Developed significant relationships with classmates
- Heightened awareness of community

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