

## CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPATION

### FIRST-TIME STUDENTS

- High school GPA  $\geq 2.75$ , Math and Science GPA  $\geq 2.75$
- National SAT Math  $\geq 500$ , SAT Verbal  $\geq 500$
- Must be admitted and enrolled as a full-time student (12 or more semester credit hours) at Southern Polytechnic State University
- Placed into Collegiate Math
- Plans to major in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) course of study

### CURRENTLY ENROLLED STUDENTS

- Declared STEM major
- Cumulative GPA  $> 2.75$  (Hope Scholar GPA  $> 3.0$  preferred)
- Major GPA  $> 3.0$  (or math/science GPA  $> 3.0$ )
- Full-time student status (12 or more semester credit hours)



**The Peach State Alliance** is a collaborative effort sustained by six higher education institutions:

- Southern Polytechnic State University
- Bainbridge College
- Fort Valley State University
- Georgia Perimeter College
- Savannah State University
- University of Georgia

### What is the goal of the Alliance?

To increase the number of underrepresented minority students statewide who complete undergraduate degrees in **STEM**:

**S**cience  
**T**echnology  
**E**ngineering  
**M**athematics

The Alliance focuses on individuals who are part of traditionally underrepresented groups including ethnic minorities, women, and persons with disabilities.

### SPSU OFFICE of PSLSAMP

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Peach State Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (PSLSAMP)

# Minority Extraordinary

## Southern Polytechnic

Georgia's **Technology** University



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### An SPSU PSLAMP Scholar has access to

- Academic enrichment/  
Supplemental instruction
- Learning communities
- Tutoring
- Financial support
- Peer and faculty mentoring
- **STEM** conferences
- Research opportunities
- Summer bridge program
- Leadership development
- Outreach initiatives
- Internships

### What is expected of an SPSU PSLAMP Scholar?

- The intention of graduating from SPSU in no more than five years total with a baccalaureate degree in a **Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM)** major
- Required attendance at and active participation in all assigned workshop sessions
- Participation in a service project
- Remaining a full-time student (12 semesters or more)
- If working, preferably no more than 15 hours per week, preferably in a job related to the Scholar's field of study
- Maintaining a cumulative GPA  $\geq 3.0$  and a semester GPA  $\geq 3.0$ .

The Scholar's record will be reviewed annually, and the level of support will be determined largely by progress toward the degree: GPA and hours completed each semester.

### If you are interested in becoming a PSLAMP Scholar

- Visit <http://pslampspsu.edu> to apply online.
- For further information, please contact Dr. Patrick Otoo Bobbie, 678.915.4284, [pslampspsu.edu](mailto:pslampspsu.edu).
- First-Time Students: If you currently are not enrolled at SPSU, visit <http://www.spsu.edu> to download a Southern Poly admissions application. You must be an SPSU student majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics in order to be eligible for the PSLAMP Scholar Program.