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Section I
Social and Cultural Groups

Afghanistan

Afghan Community of Georgia
Obaid Rasoul 404-298-8834
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Decatur, Georgia 30078

African-American

Jack Hadley Black History Memorabilia, Inc.
James “Jack” Hadley, President 229-228-6983
103 Crestwood Drive
Thomasville, Georgia 31792
jachadle@rose.net
Preserves and collects historical and cultural artifacts of the African-American past and present. Educates the public about the value of Black History memorabilia through dissemination of information by displaying exhibits and lecturing at community schools, etc. Promotes community awareness of those matters related to African-American culture and history.

Arab

Alif Institute, Inc.
PO Box 468223
Atlanta, Georgia 31146
info@alifInstitute.org
www.alifInstitute.org
The Alif Institute, a permanent cultural beacon in the capital of the Southeast, will offer a variety of programs and activities, shedding light on the Arab world - its civilization and values, its past and its future.

Arab American Fund of Georgia, Inc. (AAFG)

Dr. R. Houssami, President 404-633-1161
PO Box 29067 404-228-4432 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30359
info@alifInstitute.org
www.alifInstitute.org
The Arab American Fund of Georgia, Inc. is a non-profit, tax-exempt educational organization established in 1986. AAFG provides financial and material support to educational and cultural institutions for the purpose of promoting a better understanding of the Arab peoples, their history and culture.

Arab American Women’s Society of Georgia (AAWSG)

Mrs. Iman Abuaisheh, President 404-634-3807
PO Box 467152
Atlanta, Georgia 31146
info@AAWSG.org or AAWSG01@yahoo.com
www.aawsg.org
AAWSG is a nonprofit, tax-exempt educational and charitable organization. Its primary goal is to promote an understanding and appreciation of Arab culture.
**Armenia**

**Armenian Independent Cultural Association of Atlanta, Inc.**
Andy Barassamian 770-565-2338  
PO Box 72582  
Marietta, Georgia 30007

**Australia**

**Australian Women’s Association**
Lyn Coltman 770-457-8734  
4502 Sudbury Road leave message at this #  
Atlanta, Georgia 30360  
A monthly social and cultural group, founded in 1991 to help other Australians settle into this environment. Men welcome.

**Bangladesh**

**Bengali Association of Greater Atlanta (BAGA)**
Shankar Sengupta, President 770-591-2755  
PO Box 88541 770-394-5782  
Atlanta, Georgia 30356  
info@baga.org or r_g_kar@hotmail.com  
www.baga.net  
Bengali Association of Greater Atlanta (BAGA) is a non-profit organization that strives to promote and sustain religious, charitable, educational, and literary activities on behalf of the Bengali community of greater Atlanta. BAGA also releases a monthly newsletter.

**Barbados**

**Barbados American Cultural Alliance of Georgia**
Allan Russell 770-593-1832  
Committee Chairman for Education  
1641 Devon Court  
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30088

**Barbados Association of Atlanta, Inc.**
Tony Alleyne, President 770-625-7967  
PO Box 1411 770-498-1598  
Pine Lake, Georgia 30072-144  
admin@atlantabajans.org  
www.atlantabajans.org  
A major theme is the fostering of social and cultural ties with Barbadians and persons of Barbadian ancestry in the southeastern USA, as well as offering opportunities for greater interaction with the community, its leaders and other social and cultural groups.

**Belize**

**Belizean and Friends Association (BAFA)**
Dione Frazier, President 404-233-2232  
1686 Golf Link Drive  
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30088
**Buddhism**

**Soka Gakkai International - USA**
Samuel Kudamatsu, Emeritus 770-996-5178  
Vice General Director 770-996-6978 fax  
Atlanta Community Center  
5831 Riverdale Road  
College Park, Georgia 30349  
www.sgi-usa.org  

Soka Gakkai International-USA (SGI-USA) is an American Buddhist movement that promotes peace and individual happiness based on the philosophy and practice of the Nichiren school of Mahayana Buddhism. Currently, Soka Gakkai International has organizations in 118 countries and is headed by Daisaku Ikeda.

**Cambodia**

**Cambodian Buddhist Society**
6533 Rock Springs Road 770-482-5563  
Lithonia, Georgia 30038-1832

**Caribbean**

**Atlanta Caribbean Association (ACA)**
Larry Quinlan, President 404-377-5506  
PO Box 4216  
Atlanta, Georgia 30302  
aca@atlantacaribbean.org  
www.atlantacaribbean.org  

A civic organization, ACA's purpose is to promote Caribbean culture, and the social and political interests of the Caribbean community. ACA is a tax-exempt (501c3) organization whose purpose is to promote Caribbean culture through educational and charitable activities.

**China**

**Chinese Community Culture Center**
Peter Hsu, Director 770-451-4456  
5377 New Peachtree Road 770-451-8119 fax  
Chamblee, Georgia 30341  

The Center is open 6 days a week. There is a big-screen TV where video tapes from Taiwan are shown. Also, there are movies, newspapers, magazines and books available in Chinese. There are language classes for children and adults, Chinese painting, Chinese folk dance and Kung-fu classes.

**National Association of Chinese Americans**
Nancy Liu, President 770-394-6542  
Lani Wong, Chair 770-394-9911 fax  
5483 Red Bark Way  
Dunwoody, Georgia 30338  
laniwong@directinternet.com or nancyliu@bellsouth.net  
www.naca-atlanta.org  

NACA's mission has been as a facilitator to promote cultural, educational, scientific and business relationships between these parties. It also strongly encourages Chinese-Americans to participate in the American political process while preserving Chinese heritage in the American culture.
Organization of Chinese Americans, Inc.
Philip Wu, President 678-585-1524
Georgia Chapter
Atlanta, Georgia
phillip_wu@yahoo.com
The objectives of the organization are to promote the cultural heritage of Chinese Americans, to eliminate prejudices and ignorance, and to promote full participation in civic and national life.

Tai Chi Association
Master Cheng, Director 404-289-5652
3079 Midway Road
Decatur, Georgia 30032
information@tai-chi-association.com
www.tai-chi-association.com
The Tai Chi Association is a private organization dedicated to fostering traditional Chinese cultural activities from language, arts and the basic principles of modern wushu dance and gymnastics to the ancient healing arts and Chinese philosophy.

Cuba
Atlanta Cuban Club
5797 New Peachtree Road 770-451-3477
Atlanta, Georgia 30340
Cultural and social organization for all Spanish- and English-speaking citizens, presenting historical seminars, recreational classes and Hispanic culture. The building is open Friday through Sunday and features a cafeteria and restaurant for members. The Cuban Club sponsors social and folkloric dances and publishes a monthly bulletin.

Denmark
Viking Club of Georgia
Henrik Jensen, Viking Head 770-331-4609
Danish American Chamber of Commerce 770-419-6915 fax
International Tower
229 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 1010
Atlanta, Georgia, 30303
hejensen@aol.com
www.dacc-ga.eboard.com
Danish social club.

Druze (Arab)
American Druze Society, Georgia Chapter
GiadNouihed 770-446-9389
2256 Street DeVille NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30345
Ziad Nuwayhid, President
1962 Spectrum Circle Apt. # 245
Marietta, Georgia 30067
Ziad123@hotmail.com
This is an educational and cultural society for the Druze community in Georgia.
**England**

**Daughters of the British Empire**
Beverley-Anne Currie, President 770 422-2260  
4188 Dunwoody Terrace  
Atlanta, Georgia 30341  
beverleyannec@yahoo.com  
Daughters of the British Empire is a national nonprofit organization for women of British or Commonwealth birth or ancestry, or women married to men of British or Commonwealth birth or ancestry. The group supports homes for the elderly in the US.

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**Ethiopia**

**Ethiopian Community Association in Atlanta, Inc**
Hulu Berhanu, Secretary 404-325-4220  
3088 Briarcliff Road, Suite A-7  
Atlanta, Georgia 30329  
msefine@aol.com or fasche01@aol.com  
Community and Social services.

**Ethiopian Students Association of Atlanta (ESAA)**
Samrawit Ashenafi, President  
Saare Abera, Vice President  
saare123@yahoo.com  
http://abesha.com/esaa  
The Ethiopian Student Association of Atlanta is a non-profit organization that seeks to serve the needs of our community by promoting access to higher education, assisting newly arrived immigrants, raising funds in order to help Ethiopians in need, and by organizing and promoting Ethiopian culture in the U.S.

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**Finland**

**Atlanta Suomi-Finland Society (ASFS)**
Tina Huoso, President 404-355-5313  
40 Peachtree Valley Road, Apt. L12  
Atlanta, Georgia 30309  
tinahuoso@yahoo.com or Taintta@aol.com  
www.scandga.org/asfs  
The Atlanta Suomi-Finland Society is a social and cultural organization for persons interested in Finland and Finnish culture.

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**France**

**Alliance Française d’Atlanta**
Claude Wegscheider, Executive Director 404-875-1211  
1360 Peachtree Street NE, Suite 850  
Atlanta, Georgia 30309  
infoaf@afatl.com  
www.afatl.com  
The Alliance Française d’Atlanta has existed since 1912 and its school has offered classes for individuals or business groups interested in learning or mastering the French language since 1963. It also sponsors regular events: movies, lectures, art exhibits, concerts, and social and literary gatherings to foster understanding and friendship between France and the U.S.
**Germany**

**Friends of the German Language and Culture**
Hildegard Tieler 770-564-1930
1149 Wingate Drive
Marietta, Georgia 30064
hhein@mindspring.com
http://kaffeeklatsch.dhs.org
This group was created to foster and disseminate an appreciation of the culture, gemuetlichkeit, and language of Germany and to provide an intercultural association and social organization for people of this country and German-speaking people from foreign lands.

**German Culture Center**

**Goethe-Institut & Friends of Goethe (Atlanta)**
Wolfgang Krüger, Executive Director 404-892-2388
Colony Square Plaza Level 404-892-3832 fax
1197 Peachtree Street NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30361
goetheatlanta@mindspring.com
www.goethe.de/atlanta
The German Cultural Center provides Language Courses for different levels and different needs. We have top professional teaching staff. The Goethe Institute attempts to foster cultural understanding between the U.S. and Germany through cultural events such as exhibitions, movie nights, wine tastings, and concerts with German artists, all of which take place in the Institute.

**Ghana**

**Council of Ghanaians Association in Georgia**
Yaw Bampoe, President 678-380-1010
5771 Trammell Road, #2-D 404-366-4822 fax
Morrow, Georgia 30260
An organization of all Ghanaians and friends of Ghana in Georgia.

**Greece**

**Danos Society**
Nicholas G. Dodys, President 404-237-3693
3117 W. Roxboro Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30324
The Danaos Society was founded in 1908 by immigrants from the Province of Argolis in the Peloponnesian peninsula. A banquet is held in early May to honor Saint Peter of Argot.

**Greek Orthodox Cathedral of the Annunciation**
Father George Alexson 404-633-5870
2500 Clairmont Road, NE 404-633-6018 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30329
cathedraloffice@atlgoc.org
www.atlgoc.org/Cathedral6.htm
The Greek Orthodox Ladies of Philoptochos Society, the Greek Orthodox Youth of America, the Greek Orthodox Young Adult League, and the Hellenic Community Center are connected with the Cathedral. The Cathedral sponsors the annual Atlanta Greek Festival every September. Greek language classes for children are also held at the Cathedral.
Laconian Society of Atlanta, Georgia
Gus Blagianis 770-242-8722
PO Box 450925
Atlanta, Georgia 30345
This is a region-wide organization of Greeks from the Province of Laconia. It holds a dinner-dance in November in honor of St. Nikon, the patron saint of Sparta.

Santa Ekaterini Fraternity
Howard Cramer, Secretary 404 325-9915
2047 Debroah Dr.
Atlanta Georgia 30045
www.atlgoc.org/agiakat.htm
This organization of Greeks from the Kalamata region celebrated its 85th anniversary in 2002.

Guyana
Guayan Association of Georgia, Inc.
Dawn Simmons, President 404-572-9626
PO Box 360744
Decatur, Georgia 30036
information@gaog.org or president@gaog.org
www.gaog.org
The Guyana Association of Georgia Inc. is a non-profit organization formed in 1991. Its mission is "to provide an organized association, willing, disciplined and motivated to serve Guyanese at home and abroad, and the community as a whole".

Haiti
Association for Haitian American Development, Inc. (AHAD)
Serge Declama, President 404-510-5581
PO Box 158
Atlanta, Georgia 30009-0158
info@AHADONLINE.ORG or president@ahadOnLine.org
www.ahadonline.org
Our Mission: To bring awareness about Haiti and her people. To present information based on facts. To establish linkage between Haiti and the rest of the world. To promote unity, cohesion among all cultures. To embrace our culture.

Haitian Community Service Center of Atlanta, Inc.
William Destin, Executive Director 404-377-6731
315 W. Ponce De Leon Ave., Suite#1067 404-377-6694 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30030
hcomatlanta@cs.com
Uplifting the quality of life for Haitian-born citizens residing in the Southeast region of the United States, providing employment opportunities, translation and other referral services in collaboration with other social service agencies.

Haitian United of Georgia, Inc.
Gabriel Pierre, President 404-241-1607
2522 Cornel Shoals Dr.
Decatur, Georgia 30334
Hispanic

Latino Culture Club
Zenaida Lopez 912-383-5463
High School Phone 912-383-5361 912-383-5361
Douglas, Georgia
For Hispanic high school students.

Iceland

Icelandic American Association of Georgia
Elin Jonsdottir Griffin, President
4065 Glenlake Drive
Kennesaw, Georgia 30144
iclnd@bellsouth.com

India

Aligarh Association
Hasan Kamal 770-498-1348
447 Martindale Court 770-498-6432 fax
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30088
hkamal@attglobal.net
www.aligs.org
The Aligarh Association espouses the cultural and social philosophies of Sir Sayed Ahmad Khan, founder of Aligarh Muslim University. The organization holds informal get-togethers, Urdu poetry symposia, and other cultural events and promotes understanding between immigrants and Americans.

Greater Atlanta Malayalee Association (GAMA)
George Koovakada, President 770-461-4936
PO Box 931206 404-275-7979 cell
Norcross, Georgia 30003 770-707-2705 fax
gkoovakada@mindspring.com
www.gamaonline.org
Greater Atlanta Malayalee Association (GAMA) is a non-profit cultural organization incorporated under the laws of the state of Georgia. It is a voluntary community organization of the people of Kerala (a south Indian State) who reside in Atlanta and nearby areas. Our mission is to preserve and promote the moral, social, cultural, educational, literary and artistic heritage of the Malayalee community in Greater Atlanta.

Gujarati Samaj, Inc. (GSA)
Amit Shah, President 770-496-0081
5331 Royal Woods Parkway
Tucker, Georgia 30084
parthrahi@aol.com
www.ipnatlanta.net/gsa/
Several activities planned throughout the year. If you are interested in performing, organizing or volunteering, please call.

India American Cultural Association, Inc. (IACA)
Amitabh Sharma, President 770-436-4272 (ICRC)
Paddy Sharma, Vice President 770-436-3719 fax
1281 Cooper Lake Road, SE
Smyrna, Georgia 30082
aaam@abraxis.com or paddy_sharma@yahoo.com
www.iaca.info
The India American Cultural Association has social, cultural and religious activities. It seeks to preserve the cultural heritage and promote a positive image of the Indian community.
Indian American Forum for Political Education (IAFPE)
Narender G. Reddy, SE Regional President 404-843-2500
3310 Haverhill Rowe 770-418-4930 fax
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30044
NGReddy9@aol.com
IAFPE is a public affairs organization and speakers' bureau for issues affecting India and Indian-Americans.

Indian Professionals Network (IPN-Atlanta)
Dr. Narsi Narasimhan, President 770-451-2299
PO Box 49494 678-405-4440 hotline
Atlanta Georgia 30341
narsi@mindspring.com
www.ipnAtlanta.net/ipn
Indian Professionals Network is an Atlanta based networking organization. We do not have membership dues and we welcome everyone. Our monthly meetings are usually held on the second thursday, and each event is organized by a different volunteer.

Indian Students Association (ISA)
Abhay Shah, President 706-208-1128
University of Georgia
Athens, Georgia 30602
ugaisa@arches.uga.edu
www.uga.edu/isa/

Maharashtra Mandal of Atlanta
Atul Deval, President 770-998-5137
575 Waterview Trail
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022
parag_sule@yahoo.com or atul_deval@yahoo.com
www.mmatlanta.org/atlanta_links.htm
This Marathi-speaking group from Maharashtra State (Bombay) celebrates Sankranti, Diwali, Ganesh Puja and other holidays.

Metro Atlanta Indian American Community Calendar of Events
Dr. Narsi Narasimhan, Maintainer 770-451-2299
POBox 49494
Atlanta Georgia 30359
narsi@mindspring.com
www.ipnatlanta.net
A well maintained comprehensive website containing the Indian American community calendar of events and a list of Indian associations and much more.

Pujari Group
Subhojit Roy, President 770-792-6716
1795 Whitehall Court 770-516-3696
Marietta, Georgia 30066
rsatya111@yahoo.com or roysubhojit@yahoo.com
www.pujari-atlanta.org
Pujari is the proud organization of the Bengalis of Georgia. It promotes the Bengali culture, literature and heritage in the North America. It provides education and training resources for Bengali language, art, literature, tradition and culture. Pujari organizes the Bengali festivals and cultural events in Atlanta area. Pujari hosts periodic conferences and meetings to allow members to network, learn and share experiences for personal and career development. It organizes events to raise funds for the relief of distress and other charitable causes.
Telugu Association of Metro Atlanta (TAMA)
Seetha Vallurupally, President
1682 Taylor Oaks Ridge
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30043
lawexpert@yahoo.com or vignana@msn.com or komali_34@yahoo.com
www.tama.org/abouttama.htm
Telugu Association of Metro Atlanta (TAMA) was formed in 1981, and over the years has grown to become an integral part of Telugu Community in Metro Atlanta and an active participant of Indian community events like ‘Festival of India’ held to commemorate India’s Independence Day. TAMA organizes events to celebrate major festivals. Besides these, several other literary and cultural events go on like ‘Sahiti Sadassu’ (literary meet), musical nights, fund-raising programs, Ganesh Pooja, Kidfest, etc. Telugu movies are also screened by TAMA periodically. A school for young kids ‘Mana Badi’, organized with the support of several volunteers, is held on every Sunday at two different places: Hindu Temple of Atlanta and at Norcross Library.

Ireland

Ancient Order of Hibernians - Tara Chapter - Atlanta
Kevin D. Fitzpatrick, President
tvkeough@msn.com tkv@slclaw.com or KevinFitz@aol.com
www.aohtara.com
The Tara Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was formed in 1997 with the goal of bringing together Irish Americans to promote our culture in the city of Atlanta. The group focuses on promoting a positive image of Irish Americans by involvement in various charities and civic functions.

Hibernian Benevolent Society of Atlanta (HBSA)
Ed Moran, President
404-505-1208
PO Box 1390
Roswell, Georgia 30077-1390
info@irishatlanta.com
www.irishatlanta.com
Founded in 1858 by a group of Atlanta merchants, the Hibernian Benevolent Society of Atlanta has approximately 300 members and promotes Irish culture in the Atlanta area. The Society sponsored the annual St. Patrick’s Day Parade since 1858. The HBSA has also sponsored the annual Hibernian Black Tie Ball the evening before the Parade, the St. Patrick’s Mass and numerous other activities.

Italy

Italian Cultural Society
James Taylor, Executive Director
404-303-0503
2750 Shallowford Road, Suite D
404-303-7931 fax
Chamblee, Georgia 30341-5215
info@irishatlanta.com
www.irishatlanta.com
The Italian Cultural Society is a service organization funded by private contributions. Its aim is to encourage the study of the Italian language and culture and foster American-Italian relations.

Jamaica

The Atlanta Jamaican Association
Derrick Harvey, President
770-593-9290
P.O. Box 351
Atlanta, Georgia 30301
MMC2AMH@aol.com
www.theaja.com
The Atlanta Jamaican Association is a benevolent, educational, civic, Jamaican affairs related, patriotic, social, cultural and sports organization with a view to promoting friendship, unity and understanding between Jamaican and other people in the United States of America.
Japan

Hanamizuki (Japanese Women’s Garden Club)
Roxie Romine Shibata, President 770-961-5466
6220 Landover Circle
Morrow, Georgia 30260
rsrworld@aol.com

Japanese Women’s Garden Club helps with International Culture Day and activities at Colleges and Elementary Schools. Social club meeting the second Wednesday of every month for Japanese women married to American and Japanese businessmen who are long-term or short-term Atlanta residents. It helps recent arrivals adjust to American society and prepares the annual Festival of Trees presentation.

Japanese African American Society
Seiho Tajiri 770-441-1605
2411 Players Court, NW
Duluth, Georgia 30136
Social gatherings

Japan America Society of Georgia, The
James L. Foster, Executive Director 404-524-7399
233 Peachtree Street, NE 404-524-8447 fax
Suite 2222 Harris Tower
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
jasg@mindspring.com
www.us-japan.org/jasg

The Japan-American Society of Georgia, formed in 1980, develops and sponsors programs on Japan-US related topics. Each of these programs and special events is structured to achieve the objectives of 1) enhancing Georgians’ overall knowledge of the arts, industry, culture, as well as the political, educational and social systems of Japan, and 2) providing Japanese guests who are working and residing in the state with an opportunity to meet and associate with Georgians on a personal basis.

Korea

Korean Association of The Greater Atlanta Area
6930 Buford Highway 770-263-1888
Doraville, Georgia 30340 770-263-1886 fax

Latin America

Atlanta Network on Latin America
Edna Lora, Editor 404-325-8620
2317 Capehart Circle
Atlanta, Georgia 30345
tlora@mindspring.com

To provide a communications link between organizations and individuals in the Atlanta area who believe in cultural understanding, peace, justice and basic human rights for the people of Latin America and the Caribbean and those who have emigrated to the United States.

Liberia

Liberian Community Association of GA
Mabel J. Green, Chairwoman 404-730-7451
5430 Beaver Lake Dr. 770-732-6172
Powder Springs, Georgia 30127 770-908-3978 Hot Line
lgreen2841@aol.com
Middle East

Middle Georgia Cedars Club
Tom Union 478-477-9358
6612 Goodall Mill Rd.
Macon, Georgia 31216
For people of Middle Eastern descent. Time, day and place of monthly meetings vary.

Nepal

Nepalese Association in Southeast America (NASeA)
Shaubhagya Shrestha, President 770-943-0140
1403 Tender Trail
Powder Springs, Georgia 30127
nasea@nepal-america.org or mallap@bellsouth.net
www.nepal-america.org
Mission Statement: To promote Nepalese culture and values, to advocate for human rights, freedom and peace, and to serve fellow human beings.

Nigeria

Akwa Ibom Association
Mr. Jerry Essien 404-294-7580

Igbo Union USA
President 770-484-9886
1183 Berryhill Drive 770-433-1579
Lithonia, Georgia
The organization represents all native-born Igbo people (group from Eastern and Midwestern Nigeria) and their extended families. It promotes education, business, and political unity among Igbo people in America and Nigeria. The group holds monthly meetings.

Norway

Norwegian Women’s Club
Marit Forberg 770-650-8048
5118 New Bedford Place
Marietta, Georgia 30068
The Norwegian Women’s Club is an informal group of ladies of Norwegian origin who meet monthly on the last Friday of the month to speak their native language and indulge in Norwegian customs. All Norwegians are welcome.

Pakistan

Pakistan American Society of Atlanta (PASA)
Naela Uzair, Social Secretary 770-614-6579
2192 Campbellton Road, Suite 112 404-391-2064
Atlanta, Georgia 30311 770-475-1670
info@pasainfo.org or mqureshi@pasainfo.org
www.pasainfo.org
PASA is a Not-For-Profit Organization based in the Metro Atlanta area. PASA is a non-political, educational, cultural and technological organization of Pakistanis living in Metro Atlanta and the surrounding areas.

Panamá

Panamanian Association of Atlanta, Georgia
Manuel Rivas, President 404-284-3434
2336 Maryland Court 404-699-4529
Decatur, Georgia 30032
**Philippines**

**Filipino American Association of Greater Atlanta**
Nene Salgado, President 770-495-0829 h
5854 Allen Court 404-255-1573 w
Atlanta, Georgia 30328
epascual@atl-filam.org or nsalgado@atl-filam.org
www.atl-filam.org
Serving the metro Atlanta Filipino-American community since 1974.

**Poland**

**Polish American Heritage Society**
Stanley Foltyn, President 770-972-0503
1969 Tanglewood Drive 770-736-9183 fax
Snellville, Georgia 30078-3053
O.foltyn@worldnet.att.net
This nonprofit local group was founded in 1975. Its purposes are cultural, historical, anthropological and social. There are quarterly dinners at different members' homes. Membership in the Society is open to anyone.

**The Polish Club of Atlanta**
Barbara Leszcynski, Chairman 770-977-2384
P.O.Box 2271
Roswell, Georgia 30077
The Polish Club of Atlanta is a non-profit organization that unites people of Polish ancestry in greater Metro Atlanta area.

**Puerto Rico**

**Puerto Rican Society of Georgia**
Carmen Villanueva 770-436-5750
2911 Vinings Forest Way 770-434-1539 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30339
This is a social, cultural and civic organization for Puerto Ricans in Atlanta that promotes and preserves Puerto Rican culture.

**Romania**

**Romanian American Cultural Foundation**
Smaranda C. Livescu, Director 770-925-1871
3701 College Avenue
Clarkston, Georgia 30021

**Scandinavia**

**Nordic Lodge 708, Vasa Order of America**
Dale P. Nordin, Chairman 770-422-9120
3038 Hidden Forest Ct
Marietta, Georgia 30066
dlnnordin@earthlink.net
www.vasaorder.com/districts/southeast.htm
The Nordic Lodge 708 exists to provide social and cultural experiences for Scandinavian immigrants' descendants. It celebrates many of the Scandinavian holidays including midsummer, an annual crayfish party and the traditional Lucia Festival. Meetings are (usually) held every 4th Sunday at 6:00 PM, St. Luke Lutheran Church, 3264 Northside Parkway, Atlanta, GA.
Scandinavian American Foundation of Georgia (SAFG)
Margareta Martin, President 404-373-9919
Jorgen P. Conradsen, Chairman
PO Box 1166
Decatur, Georgia 30031
info@scandga.org or immartin222@aol.com
www.scandga.org/Foundation
SAFG is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the exchange of educational, cultural and amateur athletic endeavors between the countries of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden and the state of Georgia. SAFG sponsors the Scandinavian Festival annually on Memorial Day Weekend.

Scotland

Saint Andrew's Society of Atlanta
Douglas T. Grey, Jr. President 770-469-0803
968 Ridge Avenue
Stone Mountain, GA 30083-3676

Saint Andrew’s Society of Savannah
David Barrow III, President 912-234-5400
220 E. Liberty St.
Savannah, Georgia 30141-4402

Saint Andrew’s Society of Valdasta
Alex B. McFadden, President 229-242-1096
908 Maplewood Drive
Valdosta, Georgia 31602
The Saint Andrew’s Societies of Georgia perpetuate the heritage of Scotland. Social events include a Saint Andrew’s Dinner in November and a Burns Dinner in January. The Atlanta Society helps to promote the Stone Mountain Scottish Festival and Highland Games held in the third weekend in October.

Scottish American Heritage Society of Augusta
Terry Barwick, Secretary 706-722-2959
112 Ellis Street
Augusta, Georgia 30901

Sweden

Swedish School Association of Atlanta, Inc., The
Christina Allen 770-448-9044
4368 Riverview Dr. 404-662-0594 fax
Duluth, Georgia 30097
The Swedish School Association of Atlanta is an organization whose objective is to teach the Swedish language, culture and traditions to children ages 8–13. The school meets at Mt. Vernon Presbyterian School on Mt. Vernon Road.

The Swedish Women’s Education Association (SWEA)
Linnea Soderberg 770-487-8818
107 Hidden Creek Lane 770-993-8525 fax
Peachtree City, Georgia 30269
linnea.soderberg@home.se
SWEA is an international organization for Swedish and Swedish-speaking women who want to promote Swedish culture and foster friendship and personal growth. SWEA has monthly meetings.
Switzerland

Swiss American Society of Atlanta, Inc.
Beat Schindler, President 770-751-6834
PO Box 77062
Atlanta, Georgia 30357
beat@aol.com or info@sasatlanta.org
www.sasatlanta.org
The SAS is a club of Swiss, Americans of Swiss descent and friends of Switzerland. Our purpose is to promote common interests, foster friendships among our members and observe the Swiss traditions that make us all proud. The Helvetikuss is our quarterly newsletter. First published in 1999 it will give you a good inside view in our club life. If you are interested to advertise in our Helvetikuss please contact info@sasatlanta.org.

Thailand

Thai Association of Georgia
Sutham Cheurprakobkit, President 770-420-4734
PO Box 47115 770-499-3423 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30362
scheurpr@kennesaw.edu
Group has a Thai-language newsletter.

Turkey

Turkish American Cultural Association of Georgia (TACA-GA)
Ersin Balam, President 770-436-2817
PO Box 190013
Atlanta, Georgia 31119-0013
info@tacaga.org or tacaga@mindspring.com
www.tacaga.org
TACAGA is a non-profit organization established in 1986 to promote better understanding and friendship between Turkish and American communities through educational, cultural and social activities in Georgia, USA. TACAGA also provides RADIO TACAGA, a live streaming feed of turkish songs and live programs, via their website and Ayildiz, the official publication of TACAGA.

Ukraine

Ukrainian Association of Georgia
Gerri Hajduk 404-233-6020
3130 Peachtree Road NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30305-1802

Ukrainian National Women’s League of America
Georgia Chapter
Orysia Fisher 770-475-1084
10590 Haynes Bridge Road
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022

Vietnam

Vietnamese American Association of Georgia
Mr. A.P. Nguyen 770-432-8863
2446 Shallowford Terrace 770-432-8836 fax
Chamblee, Georgia 30341
Vietnamese Nationalists of Savannah
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209 Willow Road
Savannah, Georgia 31419

Vietnamese Professional Society (VPS)
Mr. Bao-Ky Vu 770-656-5595
1842 Belle Meade Ct.
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30087
atlanta@hcgvn.net
www.vps.org
The mission of the Vietnamese Professionals Society (VPS) is to increase the knowledge and understanding of the social and economic conditions in Vietnam, to promote the welfare of the Vietnamese people and, through international cooperative effort, to apply science, technology, and humanity to the renovation of Vietnam.

Virgin Islands

The Virgin Islands Association of Atlanta
Annette Lemonn, President 404-681-6395
2480-4 Briarcliff Rd, NE #131
Atlanta, Georgia 30329-3034
info@theviaa.com
www.theviaa.com
The purpose of the Virgin Islands Association of Atlanta (VIAA) is to share Virgin Islands cultural and educational experiences with other Virgin Islanders both in the U.S. and our homeland, and to extend such awareness within our communities as well as to provide outreach to the Virgin Islands.

Wales

St. David’s Welsh Society of Georgia
Ellen Furney, President 770-512-4258
secretary@stdavidsga-cymru.org or president@stdavidsga-cymru.org
www.stdavidsga-cymru.org
The St. David’s Welsh Society of Georgia was founded in 1984 to preserve and nurture our Welsh heritage in Georgia. Membership is open to people of Welsh birth or ancestry or anybody who is interested in Welsh culture, language and history. The Society is a non-profit, non-sectarian and non-political organization.
Section III
Media

Newsletters

Ayyildiz
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Atlanta, Georgia 31119 ayyildiz@tacaga.org
www.tacaga.org
Ayyildiz newsletter is published quarterly by the Turkish American Cultural Association of Georgia and is distributed free of charge.

Desi
Sanjay Pandya, Editor 770-662-0090
6067 Oakbrook Parkway 770-242-0102 fax
Norcross, Georgia 30093
Desi is a family magazine for Asian Americans, published quarterly in English and Gujarati.

The Muslim Women’s Business-Service Directory
Kareemah Hasan Rasheed, Owner 404-377-0104
480 South Howard Street 404-377-6286 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30317
oconee@atl.mindspring.com
Contains information on Muslim-women owned businesses as well as other culturally diverse owned businesses. Includes home-based business information.

Periodicals

Atlanta Cajun Dance Association
Robert Kwasha 770-552-6041
9795 Huntcliff Trace 770-552-6041 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30350
atlcajundance@mindspring.com
www.mindspring.com/~atlcajundance/
The newsletter publishes cultural and performance information. It provides information about visiting artists, local Cajun musicians and Atlanta Cajun dance teachers and dance events.

Atlanta Celtic Quarterly, The
Published by the Atlanta Celtic Festival, Inc.
Karen Simmons, Managing Editor 404-572-8045
P.O. Box 567602
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http://atlanta.celticfestival.org
This quarterly newsletter celebrates the culture of Ireland, Scotland, Wales and the Celtic lands.

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The Atlanta Inquirer
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Weekly newspaper with emphasis on news of interest to the Black community.

The Atlanta Jewish Times
Cynthia Mann, Editor 404-252-1600
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Atlanta, Georgia 30328
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Immigrants, Refugees, and immigration law and policy.
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The Atlanta Latino
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Atlanta Latino is a bilingual weekly independent publication with a circulation of 30,000. With distribution throughout the state of Georgia.

The Atlanta Metro/Atlanta News Leader
Creed Pannell 770-769-7711
4405 Mall Boulevard, Suite 521 770-969-7811 fax
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General interest, Black-owned with Black audience in mind. Atlanta Metro is a monthly magazine, Atlanta News Leader is a weekly newspaper.

The Atlanta Samachar
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Atlanta Voice
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The Atlanta Voice has a unique history: It is a weekly, well-written publication that has been the undisputed leader in news reporting for the Atlanta African American community for the past 35 years.

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African-American owned community newspaper that serves mostly DeKalb County area. Weekly subscriptions only.

Chinese Community News
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The Chinese Community News is mailed free to Chinese families throughout the Southeastern US. It provides news, advertisements, and information about local events.

Créole Connection, The
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The Créole Connection is a publication of the Association for Haitian American Development. AHAD’s mission is to provide and maintain a Global Information Network for Haitians.
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Estadio is a sports periodical in Spanish that comes out every Thursday, distributed throughout 42 cities in Georgia.

**Extra! Mas Noticíás**
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Spanish weekly newspaper.

**India Tribune**
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Weekly newspaper with Indian subcontinent news in English.

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Khabar is a monthly magazine for the South Asian community of Georgia and neighboring states. Readership is primarily comprised of Asian Indians, but also includes people of Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, and Sri Lanka, who have made Georgia their home. Some of our regular columns focus on the regional community: Events Calendar, Around Town, and Spotlight (on key people and institutions in the community). Free subscription upon request.

**Korean News (The Hankook Joogan)**
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Weekly Korean-language newspaper In-town free.

**Korean Southeast News, The**
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Little India is the largest circulated Indian publication in the USA devoted exclusively to the Indian American community in the USA. Little India has the largest circulation and the highest penetration ratio of all Indian media in the largest and most affluent Indian markets in the United States. Every month, the magazine brings its readers trenchant commentaries on overseas Indian life and the works and visions of overseas Indian artists, performers, and professionals. Contributors include Indian academics, scholars, professionals, artists, students, social activists, government official and journalists. Little India is distributed free of charge.

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Mundo Hispanico, a free weekly bilingual Hispanic newspaper, reports on local Hispanic issues and news in the Atlanta area. Its other entertainment-oriented edition, El Calendario de Mundo Hispanico publishes an extensive calendar of events. Mundo Hispanico also publishes the Hispanic Directory of Atlanta.

Muslim Journal
Sabir Muhammad, Southern Representative 404-378-1600
560 Fayetteville Road SE 404-377-0043 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30316
atmmasjid@bellsouth.net
www.atlantamasjid.com
Weekly report on activities of the American Society of Muslims.
Nuestro Semanario
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Russia House Newspaper, The
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Atlanta, Georgia 30328
info@russiahouse.net
www.russiahouse.net
Semi-monthly Newspaper (Russian Language only, online version as well). As the biggest Russian language newspaper in the Southeast, it offers advertisers a medium for reaching a growing, untapped market. The paper is supported through advertising, the readership of the paper is at least 50,000.

Siglo Católico
Jose Paris, Director 770-558-6897
255 Morton Creek Circle 770-557-0933 fax
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022
sigloatlanta@attbi.com
Siglo Católico is a bi-monthly news publication in Spanish with a circulation of over 40,000.

US Korea Daily News
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World Journal (Atlanta Branch)
Lily Yu Lee 770-451-4509
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Largest Chinese language newspaper in North America; has been in the US since 1976. Published daily.

Al-Muslimah Publishing Company
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Publisher of materials on Muslim women, Islam, cultural diversity and home-based businesses.

Asia Culture Publication Company
Paul Lee, Publisher 770-451-4628
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Chamblee, Georgia 30341
Publishes Chinese Yellow Pages/Southeast USA. Free at site.
World of Reading, Ltd.
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Spanish-language radio station.

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www.wownow.com
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Korean Television Network (KTN)
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KTN offers 24 hours of news, sitcoms, soap operas and entertainment shows from the following Korean broadcast networks: Korean Broadcasting Systems 1 and 2, Mun Hwa Broadcasting Corporation, Seoul Broadcasting Systems, YTN Headline News.
Section IV
Directories

Asian American Business Directory of Georgia
Garry X. Guan, President & CEO 770-564-8578
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Norcross, Georgia 30093
Distributes a community services booklet.

Guide to Mental Health Services in the Metropolitan Atlanta Area
Mental Health Association of Georgia
Michele Laughrey-Dorris 404-527-7175
Social Service Resource Coordinator 404-527-7187 fax
100 Edgewood Avenue, NE, Suite 502
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
michele@nmhag.org
www.nmhag.org
This guide provides information on mental health services in the metro Atlanta area, including services in various languages and culturally-appropriate services.

Hispanic Yellow Pages (Páginas Amarillas Hispanas)
Casablanca Publishing Inc.
Zaida Gonzalez 404-844-0600
PO Box 191033 404-844-0626 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 31119
info@paginasamarillas-atl.com
www.paginasamarillas-atl.com or www.atlantahyp.com
Hispanic Yellow Pages is a Spanish yellow pages that includes Hispanic and non-Hispanic business and professionals in the Atlanta Metro Area. It also has a white pages section for general public service information with emphasis on services available in Spanish. It has been published since 1989 and is distributed statewide.

Khabar Business Directory
Parthiv Parekh 770-451-7666
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A directory of association, businesses and religious organizations for the Indian community.

Korean Directory of Atlanta
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yang1@bellsouth.net
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Live Oak Migrant Education Agency 800-621-5217
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www.first-district.resa.k12.ga.us/migrant.htm
Published by the Live Oak Migrant Education Agency in Brooklet, GA. The Directory is a list of other agencies and organizations committed to helping people in the SE Georgia area.

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www.metroatlantachamber.com
The Metro Atlanta Chamber publishes five items relevant to the international business community. They include: International Atlanta—a directory of more than 4,000 international businesses, Atlanta and the International Community—a monograph translated into five languages, International Trade Resources—a flier, A Partner in the Global Economy—a flier, and Metro Atlanta Consulates, Trade & Tourism Offices and Foreign-American Chambers of Commerce—a pocket-sized directory.

Mundo Hispánico Yellow Pages
Lino H. Dominguez 404-881-0441
PO Box 13808 404-881-6085 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30324-0808
yellowpages@mundohispanico.com
www.mundohispanico.com
This directory is a free annual reference book with information about Hispanic Atlanta including advertisements and coupons. Listings include churches, sports organizations, media and many more organizations across the state of Georgia.

The Help Book
Published by United Way 211
United Way of Metropolitan Atlanta, Inc. 404-614-1000
100 Edgewood Avenue 404-614-1049 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-527-7200
211online_feedback@unitedwayatl.org epledgeadmin@unitedwayatl.org
www.unitedwayatl.org (Click on “Find Help.”)
The Help Book is a comprehensive directory of human service organizations in the twelve-county metro Atlanta area.
Section V

Community Service Programs

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www.aidatlanta.org

AID Atlanta is a nonprofit community-based AIDS service organization, serving individuals infected and affected by HIV/AIDS. Founded in 1982, we are the Southeast’s largest AIDS services organization, sponsoring education programs to stop the spread of HIV/AIDS and providing comprehensive support and services for people living with HIV/AIDS. AID Atlanta offers risk reduction and prevention education to specific at risk groups through outreach programs tailored to the African-American, Latino/Hispanic, Gay and Lesbian, heterosexual, and young adult populations.

**Atlanta Black/Jewish Coalition**
Sherry Frank, Executive Director 404-233-5501
American Jewish Committee 404-261-2344 fax
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Atlanta, Georgia 30305
atlanta@ajc.org
www.ajc.org

The Atlanta Black/Jewish Coalition provides the opportunity for young leaders in the African American and Jewish communities to share and learn from each other. The coalition also co-sponsors Project Understanding, a bi-annual retreat that invites participants to interact honestly that about issues that affect their own communities.

**Coalition of Concerned Africans, Inc.**
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Karen Babino, Publicity Officer
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www.africancoalition.org

Our Vision: To become the rallying point as Africans organize themselves in the United States. To foster positive relationships with people of African descent and those who have Africa’s interest in mind. Our Mission: The mission of the Coalition of Concerned Africans, Inc. is to serve as a catalyst to foster cooperation and understanding among people of African descent and to provide a forum where community concerns can be addressed.

Education

**Coffee County Board of Education**
Zenaida Lopez 912-383-5463
PO Box 959 912-383-5316
Douglas, Georgia 31534
Resource for interpreters for parents in the schools and for health visits.

**Gwinnett County Schools International Newcomer Center**
Dianne O’Nei, Associate Director 678-377-8945
4455 Steve Reynolds Boulevard 678-3778949 fax
Norcross, Georgia 30093
The INC provides several services for international students in the Gwinnett County School System. It also assists the local schools in meeting the needs of international students by providing resources and training for teachers and administrators.
**Kiddy Kastle Migrant Head Start II**  
Billie Fuller, Center Director  
111 Oliver Lane / PO Box 815  
Glennville, Georgia 30427  
912-654-2182  
912-654-2190 fax  
Provides head start services in education, health and social services for migrant populations.

**Migrant Education Program**  
Georgia Department of Education  
1962 Twin Towers East  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-5040  
404-656-4995  
404-651-8079 fax  
Below is a listing of the four regional Migrant Educational Agencies (MEA) located in Georgia.

**Live Oak Migrant Education Agency (MEA)**  
Mr. James Phenis, Director  
P.O. Box 780  
Brooklet, Georgia 30415  
912-842-5400  
800-621-5217 (toll free)  
jphenis@mail.first-district.resa.k12.ga.us  
The primary goal of the Migrant Education Agency is to help migrant students to complete their high school education. Some tutorial and other support services are available. Also have staff development for school administrators and teachers on how to better work with migrant students and families.

**Piedmont Migrant Education Agency (MEA)**  
Marshall Harper, Director  
317 Spring St.  
Gainesville, Georgia 30501  
770-536-5717  
800-648-0892 (toll free)  
marshallharper@bellsouth.net  
Provides or coordinates educational and support services for children of migrant workers. All services target the education of the children. The purpose is to assist families to enroll their children in school and to ensure opportunities for school success.

**Southern Pine Migrant Education Agency (MEA)**  
Ed Fleuren, Director  
PO Box 745  
Nashville, Georgia 31639  
229-686-2053  
800-342-3775 (toll free)  
info@spmea.org or edward@spmea.org  
www.spmea.org  
Migrant Education is a national program that provides supplemental educational and support services to migrant children.

**Two Rivers Migrant Education Agency (MEA)**  
Barbra Moates, Director  
203 E. College Street, PO Box 1170  
Ellaville, Georgia 31806  
229-937-5604  
800-238-7216 (toll free)  
229-937-5052 fax  
The staff helps migrant youth enroll in school and/or obtain other educational opportunities.

**Migrant Head Start Center**  
Shannon Morgan, Director  
133 Serena Drive  
Norman Park, Georgia 31771  
912-769-3628  
912-769-3627  
912-769-3182 fax  
Provides head start services in education, health and social services for migrant population. Has ESOL classes.
Raksha, Inc.
Aparna Bhattacharyya, Executive Director 404-876-0670
P.O. Box 12337 404-876-4525 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30355
raksha@mindspring.com or casemanager@raksha.org
www.raksha.org
Raksha is a Georgia non-profit and referral network that promotes a stronger and healthier South Asian Community through free and confidential direct services, education, and advocacy. Raksha provides services such as crisis intervention, a helpline, peer support, youth mentoring/tutoring, counseling, youth leadership development, support groups for battered women, and training and technical assistance in working with South Asian Communities.

The Northside Shepherd’s Center
Bob Wiesman, Executive Director 404-875-0509
425 10th street, NW 404-812-0610 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
tsncseniors@aol.com
The Northside Shepherd’s Center is a neighborhood senior center that provides a caring community, which enables low income, older persons to achieve and maintain maximum independence, while enhancing their quality of life. For 23 years, NSC has offered vital services at no charge to the low-income older adults of inner city Atlanta such as in-center and home delivered meals, health, recreation and educational activities, home repair, and Wellness Clinic services.

General

Asian Community Services
Siong Koua Vanchiasong, Program Director 770-908-2021
4229 1st Avenue, Suite B 770-908-2678 fax
Tucker, Georgia 30084
asianserv@mindspring.com
www.sph.emory.edu/BUFORDHWYCORR/acs.html#Services
Asian Community Services is a Mutual Assistance Association (MAA) that works within the Asian community, specifically with Lao, Hmong and Cambodian communities. ACS focuses on serving Asian or Pacific Islander families with children. Its mission is to provide culturally-sensitive and linguistically appropriate services to Asian and Pacific Islander youth and parents. Services include homework assistance, parent-teacher liaison incases of language or cultural barriers, HIV/AIDS prevention training and other high-risk activity intervention.

Bridging the Gap Project, Inc., The (BTG)
Seilavong Doeung, Director 404-581-0044
INS Building 404-582-0021 fax
77 Forsyth Street, Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
sdoeung@btgonline.org or nyborn1961@juno.com
www.btgonline.org
The Bridging the Gap Project, inc. strives to improve the quality of life in Georgia’s ethnically diverse communities by forming partnerships that overcome cultural barriers and promote understanding between residents, law enforcement, educators, and other service providers. Services offered include the following: Interpretation / translation services, Crisis intervention, Working with at-risk youth and gang prevention, Diversity Training and gang-related training, and Language-specific community education / orientation sessions. Free Citizenship and English as a Second Language classes for Immigrants/Refugees/Assylees taught through BTGs English Language/Civics Citizenship program. As well as various other Immigration-related services and technical assistance on cultural and foreign-born issues.
**Fulton-Atlanta Community Action Authority**  
Joyce Dorsey, President & CEO 404-320-0166  
1690 Chantilly Drive, NE 404-320-9866 fax  
Atlanta, Georgia 30324  
facaa@aol.com  
www.facaa.org  
The mission of the Fulton-Atlanta Community Action Authority (FACAA) is to assist low income people in Fulton County and the City of Atlanta to achieve self-sufficiency. The corporation is responsible for the planning, coordination, evaluation and administration of Community Action Programs for these citizens.

**Georgia Association of the Deaf, Inc**  
Kathy Jordan, Secretary TDD: 912-237-3882  
246 Sycamore Street, Suite P-100 TDD: 912-764-7789  
Decatur, Georgia 30030  
williamser@juno.com or jbar820091@AOL.com  
www.gadeaf.org

**Georgia Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc. (GRID)**  
Cheryl Wren, President  
GRID  
PO Box 1452  
Adairsville, Georgia 30103  
cheriew@garid.org or sheilas@garid.org  
www.garid.org

**Global Health Action (GHA)**  
Robin C. Davis, R.N.,M.N., Executive Director  
PO Box 15086  
Atlanta, Georgia 30333  
gha@globalhealthaction.org  
404-634-5748  
www.globalhealthaction.org  
Global Health Action (GHA) is a private nonprofit organization headquartered in Atlanta, GA. Now in its third decade, GHA has stimulated the creation of thousands of sustainable health and development programs addressing the world's most pressing health problems. Targeting international health and development leaders, GHA provides practical learning experiences that provoke change in perceptions and enable a new quality of listening, thinking and action.

**Good Shepherd Services**  
Sr. Christine Truong, Program Director  
770-455-9379  
Mrs. Theresa Nguyen, Admin. Assistand  
770-455-1230  
2430 Shallowford Terrace  
770-451-0156 fax  
Chamblee, Georgia 30341  
shepherdatlanta@bellsouth.net or mrsttn@yahoo.com  
Good Shepherd provides services to youth and family: professional counseling, after-school programs, youth summer programs, English as a Second Language (ESL), Vietnamese cultural education, services for elderly, parenting classes, community service, assistance to refugee women. The languages spoken by staff include English, Chinese (Cantonese), French and Vietnamese.

**Gwinnett County DFACS**  
Jaime Valasquez, Community Resources Specialist 770-995-5184  
530 Northdale Road 770-339-5191 fax  
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045  
valasquez.j@gomail.doas.state.ga.us or jvgwinnett@hotmail.com  
The Division of Family and Children Services (DFCS) is responsible for welfare and employment support, protecting children, foster care, and other services to strengthen families.
Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta
Harry Stern, Executive Director 770-396-3250
5342 Tilly Mill Road 770-698-2055 fax
Dunwoody, Georgia 30338
www.atlantajcc.org
The MJCCA is committed to building and strengthening the quality of Jewish life in Atlanta through a wide selection of programs. MJCCA facilities are home to preschools, camps (day & residential), teen programs, adult education classes (both Jewish & secular), cultural arts events, theater programs, singles activities, sports leagues, and programs for those with developmental disabilities, and much more. Programs are offered in Dunwoody, Marietta, North Metro area, and Intown.

Men Stopping Violence
Dick Bathrick, Co-Executive Director 404-688-1376
1020 Dekalb Avenue, Suite 25 404-688-4021 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30307
msv@menstoppingviolence.org or dbath@menstoppingviolence.org
www.menstoppingviolence.org
We are a social change organization dedicated to ending men's violence against women.

Partnership for Community Action, Inc.
Janet Kotler, planning & Development Director 404-929-2500
3597 Covington Highway 404-508-9330 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
jkotler@aol.com
Comprehensive service for low-income people in DeKalb, Gwinnett, and Rockdale counties, including Head Start and early Head Start.

Su Casa Community Services
Lisa Marinez, Director 912-264-1504
P.O. Box 2395 912-264-1963 fax
Brunswick, Georgia 31521
Information and referrals of all agents in our community. We provide an interpreter at all times.

The Atlanta Gay & Lesbian Center, Inc.
Craig Washington, Executive Director 404-874-9890
170 11th Street 404-874-9899 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30309
cw@aglc.org
www.aglc.org
The Center provides information support and services to the lesbian, gay bisexual transgender, questioning people of Atlanta. We are a community center and common ground dedicated to fostering a strong, healthy, inclusive community.

United Way of Northwest Georgia
Margaret Zeisig, Director of Community Solutions 706-278-9230
P.O. Box 566 706-226-1029 fax
Dalton, Georgia 30722-0566
margaretzeisig@unitedway.org
www.ourunitedway.org
Works with the growing Hispanic community.
Health

**American Red Cross, Fulton Service Center**
Beatriz Juliao Mauersberg 404-262-7010
Market Manager 404-261-1191 fax
2581 Piedmont Road, Suite A450
Atlanta, Georgia 30324
Bilingual education for First Aid, CPR, HIV/AIDS. Also has bilingual youth programs.

**Clinic for Education, Treatment and Prevention of Addiction (CETPA)**
La Clínica de Educación, Tratamiento y Prevención de la Adicción
Pierluigi Mancini, Executive Director 770-432-8630
7740 Roswell Road, Suite 700 770-442-1189 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30350
pmancini@cetpa.org
www.cetpa.org
CETPA is the first Latino clinic to earn a license by the Georgia Department of Human Resources as an outpatient substance abuse treatment and education program. Our vision is to make substance abuse services available to clients in a language they can understand. When addressing the issues surrounding substance abuse and addiction in cases involving limited English proficiency, CETPA provides services in Spanish for Spanish speaking consumers; some services are also available in English.

**Chatham County Department of Public Health**
Refugee Health Program 912-356-2441
2011 Eisenhower Drive 912-353-3195 fax
PO Box 14257
Savannah, Georgia 31416

**Children’s Health Care of Atlanta**
Community Health Development Department
1001 Johnson Ferry Road, NE 404-250-KIDS(5437)
Atlanta, Georgia 30342-1600 404-929-8538 fax
www.choa.org
Has immunization materials in English, Spanish, Hmong, Vietnamese, Russian, Cambodian and Laotian. Has parenting education programs in English and Spanish. Also has injury prevention materials in English and Spanish.

**Cooperative Extension Service**
Lizia Y. Auger, Extension Home Economist 404-936-5455
3768 Park Avenue 404-371-2687 fax
Doraville, Georgia 30340
Bilingual outreach program. Basic life skills.

**Dalton Red Cross**
Retta Gavin, Program Coordinator 706-278-5144
1101 S Thornton Ave 706-272-3162 fax
daltnarc@alltel.net
Dalton, Georgia 30720-7874
Works with the multicultural (e.g., Hispanic, Pakistani and Vietnamese) community in Dalton. Provides bilingual health information.
Family Connection Partnership
Gaye Smith, Executive Director 404-527-7394
235 Peachtree Street
North Tower, Suite 1600
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
helpdesk@gafcp.org or Gaye@gafcp.org
www.gafcp.org
Please visit our website for a complete listing of regional community facilitators.

Family Connection of Muscogee County
Junie Christian 706-653-4558
Columbus Children, Youth and Family 706-653-4637 fax
100 10th Street
Columbus, Georgia 31901
jchristian@columbusga.org
Emphasis of this program is parent involvement and advocacy. It serves many needs of the multicultural and general community. For a complete list of all Georgia Family Connection partnerships please refer to the following link.
www.gafcp.org/whoweare/collabs.htm

Family Resource Center
Tift County Commission on Children & Youth
Rodger Smith, Director 912-388-1000
418 N. Ridge Avenue 912-388-0741 fax
Tifton, Georgia 31794
The Family Resource Center has resources to connect people with agencies that can fulfill their needs and acts as a clearinghouse for all agencies in the area. The Center focuses on healthy families with parenting education classes, play groups for teen moms and a first steps program.

Flying Doctors of America
Allan Gathercoal, Founder 404-815-7044
1235 North Decatur Road 404-892-6672 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30306
fdoamericaperu@mindspring.com
www.fdoamerica.org
Flying Doctors of America, a humanitarian, nonsectarian organization, sends medical teams into developing countries to give free medical care. We fly monthly 6- to 10-day missions. Medical and nonmedical volunteers from all over the country make up our team.

Georgia Baptist Convention Language Missions Department
2930 Flowers Road South 770-452-6577 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30341
jbaker@gabaptist.org
www.gabaptist.org
A mobile medical/dental bus is provided for populations in the state, especially among migrant farm workers.
Georgia Farm Workers Health Program
Tony L. Brown, Director Migrant Health 229-401-3086
502 Seventh Street South 229-401-3077 fax
Cordele, Georgia 31015-1443
tbrown@dch.state.ga.us
www.dch.state.ga.us

The Georgia Farmworker Health Program (GFHP) is administered by Georgia Department of Community Health’s Office of Rural Health Services. Its purpose is to provide culturally appropriate primary healthcare services to Georgia’s migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their dependents. This is accomplished through six project sites encompassing 21 Georgia counties. Please refer to the website or phone number to obtain a full listing of area Migrant Health offices and contacts.

Healthy Families Georgia
Northeast Georgia Medical Center
Carol Wilson 770-531-6275
743 Spring Street, NE
Gainesville, Georgia 30501

Supports first-time families with in-home support, education and referrals to community services. Has bilingual workers.

Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of GA (HMHB)
Dena Stansbury, Executive Director 770-451-0020
3562 Habersham, Northlake 770-451-5501 Powerline
Building J, Suite 3 770-451-2466 fax
Tucker, Georgia 30084
dena.stansbury@hmhbga.org or carole.barnes@hmhbga.org
www.hmhbga.org

HMHB works to improve access to healthcare for Georgia’s low-income women and children including increased access to prenatal and preventative health care. HMHB operates a statewide telephone helpline (Powerline), which assists individuals experiencing difficulties or delays in accessing health care providers. Through the Powerline’s statewide computer database of doctors, dentists, and community clinics that accept Medicaid and offer sliding scale fees, HMHB has connected thousands of concerned mother, family members and social service agencies to appropriate medical care. The Powerline serves a large Hispanic population. Hispanic caseworkers are always available to give information and referrals for health care services.

Mercy Mobile Health Care
St. Joseph’s Hospital 404-851-7777
5665 Peachtree-Dunwoody Road NE 404-249-8600
Atlanta, Georgia 30342-1701 404-851-7139 fax

Spanish-language health information and referral services, primary care community clinics, neighborhood health promotion and education, and an AIDS education project are offered by Mercy Mobile as part of St. Joseph’s.

Migrant Health for Tombs County
Beatriz Shapanka 912-526-8108
Public health Specialist 912-526-6504
PO Box 308
Lyons, Georgia 30436

Provides primary health care services to migrant and seasonal farm workers living or working in specified Georgia counties.

Multicultural Health Initiative
DeKalb County Board of Health
445 Winn Way, PO Box 987 404-508-7847
Decatur, Georgia 30031

Building coalitions for health initiatives with multicultural communities in DeKalb County.
National Mental Health Association of Georgia Inc.
Yvette Robinson 404-527-7175
100 Edgewood Avenue, Suite 502 404-527-7187 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
info@nmhag.org or yolanda@nmhag.org or executiveoffice@nmhag.org
www.nmhag.org
Informational services are provided about mental health concerns for multicultural and ethnic populations.

National Migrant Health Program
Rehabilitation-Exposure, Inc.
Archie Harris 404-761-0509
President/Director 800-377-9968 (toll free)
1513 E. Cleveland Avenue 404-761-1691 fax
Suite 105A
East Point, Georgia 30344
Rehabilitation-Exposure, Inc. is a nonprofit organization. Their mission is to provide rehabilitation, vocational counseling, education, community organizing and other services to the ethnic minority populations in the metro area.

TELEMON Corporation
Elmira Reynolds 912-526-3094
120 E. Liberty Street 912-526-5960 fax
Lyons Georgia 30436
tcga5@onp.wdsc.org
Offers Head Start for children, employment training and emergency assistance for migrant workers.

Whitfield County Health Department
808 Professional Boulevard 706-281-2320
Dalton, Georgia 30720 706-281-2325 fax
Provides wide range of services to the whole community. Has bilingual materials. Children’s Department (706-226-2621), Women’s Health (706-226-6159), Medical Access Clinic (706-226-5446)

Women Watch Afrika, Inc.
Glory Kilanko, Director & CEO 404-292-0069
4281 Memorial Drive, Suite I 404-292-6979 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
Gloryk_99@yahoo.com
www.womenwatchafrika.org
Women Watch Afrika (WWA) is a nonprofit, non-governmental, grassroots women’s organization focused on the alleviation of gender discrimination and the development of women and girls. The primary goal of WWA is to eliminate all forms of discrimination against women, and promote the social and economic development of women and girls.

Labor

Georgia Department of Labor (GDL)
Services to Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers (MSFWs) Program
Carmen Vega, State Monitor Advocate 404-656-6814
148 International Blvd., Suite 230 Sussex Place 800-457-7434 (toll free)
Atlanta Georgia 30303 404-657-9924 fax
carmen.vega@dol.state.ga.us
www.dol.state.ga.us
GDL administers unemployment insurance and provides employment services. Other programs GDL governs are job training, labor market information, economic development and employer relations programs. There are 54 offices across the state; contact your local GDL office (use blue government section of phone book or call 404-651-2000). All offices provide services to MSFWs, however, offices with the highest number of MSFWs conduct outreach to contact farmworkers who are not being reached by normal intake. The GDL also has a viable complaint system.
Legal

**Georgia Legal Services Program**
**Migrant Farmworker Division**
150 South Ridge Avenue 912-386-3566
PO Box 1669 800-537-7496 (toll free)
Tifton, Georgia 31794
Offices also in Atlanta (404-656-6021), Albany (912-430-4261), Augusta (800-248-6697), Columbus (800-533-3140), Dalton (800-822-5391), Gainesville (800-745-5717), Macon (800-560-2855), Piedmont (800-822-5391), Savannah (912-651-2180), Valdosta (800-546-5232), Waycross (912-283-6181).

Political

**North American Neighborhood Association**
Susan Tomlinson, Coordinator 770-662-4282
PO Box 855
Decatur, Georgia 30031-0855
email: teddue@mindspring.com
web site: www.mindspring.com/~teddie
Supports the indigenous people of Chiapas, Mexico in their struggle for democracy, liberty, and justice. NANA is the Atlanta affiliate of the National Commission for Democracy in Mexico.

**Hispanic Political Action Committee (HISPAC)**
PO Box #61 404-288-5346
Avondale Estates, Georgia 30002-0061 404-288-5346 fax
hispac@ix.netcom.com
Voter education and assistance. Translation services. Individual/group advocacy. Sliding scale for fees.

Training

**Hammond/Thomas Associates**
Dr. E.K. Thomas, President/CEO 404-344-8678
2734 Ben Hill Road 770-482-2690 fax
East Point, Georgia 30344
Research, training and workshops on diversity and cultural family violence. A nonprofit organization.

**The Institute for Violence Prevention**
Louis A. Siegel, Executive Director 800-676-8615 (toll free)
7431 Huntwick Trail
Nashville, Tennessee 37221
The Agency offers bilingual (Spanish/English) workshops, technical assistance and dispute resolution training and services. Sliding scale fees. Services are available in the employment sector to schools, justice systems, youth programs and community groups or individuals. Workshops include diversity appreciation, sexual harassment prevention and conflict resolution, as well as family violence prevention.

Youth

**Girl Scouts of Northwest Georgia**
1577 Northeast Expressway 404-527-7500
Atlanta, Georgia 30329 800-771-4046 (toll free)
www.girlscoutsnwga.org 404-527-7508 fax

**Children With Special Needs**
Robin Neiheisel, LCSW 770-535-6907
1856-3 Thompson Bridge Rd. 770-531-6341 fax
Gainesville, Georgia 30501
Heritage Foundation, Inc.

PO Box 2966  912-225-1514
Thomasville, Georgia 31799

The Heritage Foundation, Inc. works predominantly with African-American youth and administers The Entrepreneurial Development Institute (TEDI) for young people between the ages of 7 and 21. It also provides some funds for young people to attend summer camps.
Section VI
Agencies and Organizations with International Concerns

**American Jewish Committee**
Sherry Frank, Executive Director 404-233-5501
6 Piedmont Center, Suite 510 404-261-2344 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
atlanta@ajc.org
www.ajc.org
The Atlanta chapter of American Jewish Committee takes a leadership role in interfaith, interethnic, and intra-Jewish affairs in Metro Atlanta. ACCESS, the young adult division is a vibrant part of the Atlanta Chapter and provides leadership development and networking opportunities for members 35 and younger. Founded in 1906, the AJC is a pioneer human relations agency in the United States. The Atlanta Chapter of the AJC began in 1945.

**American Red Cross**
**Emergency Community Services**
Donald K. Stephens, General Manager 404-575-3113
1955 Monroe Drive, NE 404-575-3083 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30324
dstephen@arcatl.org
www.redcrossatlanta.org
Services provided include tracing services for family members separated by war, family messages for prisoners of war, family reunification services, international travel documents for refugees or displaced and stateless persons, international health and welfare inquiries for foreign national family members, and disaster welfare inquiries regarding relatives who live in an area affected by disaster.

**American Red Cross**
**Holocaust and WWII Victims Tracing and Information Center**
Ann Daane 404-753-8315
Office of International Services 404-753-1674 fax
1955 Monroe Drive, NE
Atlanta Georgia 30330-1050
adaane@arcatl.org
www.redcrossatlanta.org/services/index.html
Family tracing for the survivors of WWII-related events such as The Holocaust.

**Asian-American Coalition**
Steve Choi, President 770-643-8946
690 Brookfield Parkway 770-643-1806 fax
Roswell, Georgia 30075
asianamercian@hotmail.com

**Atlanta Convention and Visitors Bureau**
Kathleen Bertrand 404-521-6600
233 Peachtree Street, Suite 100 404-577-3293 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
acvb@atlanta.com or info@atlanta.net
www.atlanta.net/acvb
The Convention and Visitors Bureau serves as an information clearinghouse regarding Atlanta sights and attractions for international visitors. Low-cost accommodations can be provided on a temporary basis for international visitors. Call during office hours Monday through Friday.
**Atlanta Development Authority**

Eleanor Martin 404-658-7000
Executive Assistant to the President 404-658-7734 fax
230 Peachtree Street, Suite 2100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

The Atlanta Development Authority acts as the developer for the city of Atlanta. AEDC assists international businesses establishing operations in the city of Atlanta in locating industrial, commercial, and retail sites. It also provides small business financing for fixed assets.

**Atlanta Regional Commission / Area Agency on Aging**

Jan Kauffman, Coordinator Refugee Elderlink
40 Courtland Street, NE 404-463-3239
Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-463-3264 fax
jkauffman@atlantaregional.com or bprasch@atlantaregional.com
www.agingatlanta.com

As the Area Agency on Aging for the ten-county metro Atlanta region, the Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC) is charge with planning for the needs of a rapidly expanding group of older citizens as well as implementing and coordinating a number of diverse programs. One such program, Refugee Elderlink, assists elderly refugees in accessing services in the aging network and the community at large. ARC contracts with six refugee agencies to provide case management services to older refugees. Additionally, ARC contracts with the Clarkston Community Center in the development of a special senior center program for older refugees.

**Atlanta Women in International Trade, Inc. (AWIT) (Organization of Women in International Trade Atlanta)**

Jennifer King, Chapter President 404-420-5768
PO Box 450146
Atlanta, Georgia 30343
jenk@mindspring.com
www.owit.org/atlantapages.html

The organization promotes the status and interests of women in the field of international trade through the establishment of an international network of contacts and educational programs and activities which encourage career development. Monthly program. Member chapter of Women in International Trade in Washington D.C.

**Bridging the Gap Project, Inc., The (BTG)**

Seilavong Doeung, Director 404-581-0044
INS Building 404-582-0021 fax
77 Forsyth Street, Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
sdoeung@btgonline.org or nyborn1961@juno.com
www.btgonline.org

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CARE
Marshall Burke 404-681-2777
Regional Director, Southeast Region 404-577-5557 fax
151 Ellis Street, NE, Suite 300
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
info@care.org
www.careusa.org
CARE, the world's largest independent relief and development organization, helps 30 million people a year in more than 60 developing countries in Asia, Africa and Latin America. CARE improves lives through comprehensive disaster relief programs as well as long-term development assistance in agriculture and environment, health and nutrition, education, family planning, small-business assistance and girls’ education. The regional office in Atlanta works with 13 southeastern states.

Carter Center, The
John Hardman, Executive Director 404-331-3900
One Copenhill, 453 Freedom Parkway 404-331-0283 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30307-9999
carterweb@emory.edu
www.cartercenter.org
The Carter Center is a nonprofit organization founded by former US President Jimmy Carter and his wife, Rosalynn Carter, in 1982. The Center is dedicated to resolving conflicts, promoting democracy, and fighting disease, hunger, poverty and oppression throughout the world.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Office of Global Health
Stephen Blout, MD, Director 770-488-1080
4770 Buford Highway 770-488-1195
Mail Stop k01
Atlanta, Georgia 30341
ogh@cdc.gov
www.cdc.gov/ogh
The CDC’s Global Health office’s mission is to improve health worldwide by providing leadership, coordination, and support for CDC’s global health activities in collaboration with CDC’s global health partners.

Center for Pan Asian Community Service, Inc.
Chaiwon Kim, Executive Director 770-936-0969
Soomy Lee, Program Director 770-458-9377 fax
3760 Park Avenue
Doraville, Georgia 30340
kacscatl@aol.com or soomylee@hotmail.com
www.cpacs.org
Works with refugees and immigrants. Offers ESL and social services.

City of Atlanta, Office of the Mayor
Office of International Affairs (OIA)
55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 2400 404-330-6100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-658-7361 fax
www.ci.atlanta.ga.us/deptmayor/international.html
To support international economic and cultural initiatives in the City of Atlanta by acting as a liaison and support to local, national, and international agencies. The Office of International Affairs (OIA) works closely with the Atlanta Sister Cities Commission, and the Advisory Committee on International Relations to promote the international diversity of Atlanta. The OIA is also pleased to assist members of our community in the celebration of the ethnic diversity of Atlanta.
Clinic for Education, Treatment and Prevention of Addiction (CETPA)
La Clínica de Educación, Tratamiento y Prevención de la Adicción

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DeKalb Convention and Visitors Bureau

Jon Manns, President/CEO DCVB 800-999-6055
750 Commerce Drive, Suite 200 404-378-2525
Decatur, Georgia 30030 404-378-0941 fax
dorcasm@dcvb.org
www.dcvb.org

International visitor information, event planning, international sports programs, and much more.

Emory Northlake Regional Medical Center

Multinational Relations

Yung Krall, Director 770-270-3575
1455 Montreal Road 770-270-3199 fax
Tucker, Georgia 30045

Serving the international community. Trains culturally competent health care workers.

Georgia Council for International Visitors (GCIV)

Dr. George Brown, Executive Director 404-832-5560
Deanna West 404-832-5568 fax
International Visitor Program Coordinator
34 Peachtree St. NE, Suite 1800
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
info@gciv.org or pr@gciv.org
www.gciv.org

The Georgia Council for International Visitors (GCIV) is a nonprofit, community-based organization whose mission is to promote personal and professional connections between the citizens of Georgia and other nations. It creates opportunities for citizen diplomacy by introducing students and sponsored international visitors to business, professional, academic and government leaders of the Atlanta community. GCIV also sponsors special programs for international women, including an international business women’s network.

Georgia Human Relations Commission

Joy S. Berry, Senior Executive 404-651-9115
225 Peachtree Street, Suite 1207 404-656-6046 fax
Peachtree Center South Tower
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
ghrcatl@flash.net
www.ganet.org/ghrc

The Commission was established by the Governor to “build a wall against the erosion of individual rights” and to assist in the achievement of a positive human relations climate statewide. The commission provides information and assistance on intercultural matters and maintains strong links with the international community.
**Georgia Interethnic Coalition**

Sherry Frank, Executive Director 404-233-5501
6 Piedmont Center, Suite 510 404-261-2344 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
atlanta@ajc.org
The Georgia Interethnic Coalition, launched in January 2003, represents diverse ethnic communities whose members have come together to strengthen relationships and foster cooperation and understanding.

**Georgia Somali Community Inc.**

Ali Omar, Executive Director 404-292-1113
3662 Market Street, Suite 213 404-296-0430 fax
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
gsc8563@bellsouth.net
The Georgia Somali Community provides Social Adjustment, Immigration and Naturalization assistance, Youth Development programs, Adult Education, Information and Referral, Support for Healthy Families, Job Development assisting small businesses, and families’ conflict resolution.

**Georgia TESOL**

Susan Firestone, President 706-542-4095
Eric Kendrick, Vice-President 706-542-8013 fax
American Language Program
Georgia Center, University of Georgia
Athens, Georgia 3030602
eslsaf@langate.gsu.edu or eslkendrick@hotmail.com
www.gatesol.org
GTESOL is an affiliate of TESOL International (Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages). It is a professional association that encourages development, participation, and leadership in the fields of second language and multicultural education. The association sponsors workshops, seminars and a monograph series. It has an annual conference with international as well as national and local speakers.

**Grady Hospital**

**Health Education Department**

Elizabeth Sablon 404-616-5084
International Health Educator 404-616-5807 fax
Grady Hospital, Maternal and Child Health
80 Butler Street, PO Box 26158
Atlanta, Georgia 30335
www.gradyhealthsystem.org
The Health Education Program targets non-English-speaking parents and recruits volunteer translators for Grady. Currently, the program is focused on prenatal and postpartum care for Hispanics. Offers interpreter service for Obgyn.

**Hall County**

**Human Relations Council**

Gisela Teeple 770-297-0244
Executive Director 770-297-0844 fax
PO Box 3334
Gainesville, Georgia 30503-3334
The Commission works with the multicultural and international community in Hall County.
**Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)**
Claire French, Coordinator 770-677-9356
4549 Chamblee Dunwoody Road 770-677-9479 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30338 claire@jfcs-atlanta.org
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
JF + CS provides instruction on ESL, TOEFL, computer training, vocational English as a second language, and worksite assessment and professional instruction by qualified ESL professionals. Computer training includes job placement and follow-up services.

**Latin American Association (LAA)**
**Asociación Latinoamericana**
James Grant 404-638-1800
Director of Resource Development 404-638-1806 fax
2750 Buford Highway
Atlanta, Georgia 30324 main@latinamericanassoc.org
http://latinamericanassoc.org
The Latin American Association is a nonprofit organization that provides comprehensive transitional services for Latinos as they strive for self-sufficiency and an enhanced quality of life. By responding to our community's basic needs, we help its members gain knowledge and skills necessary to fully participate in the larger community. We provide translation and interpretation services, Spanish classes, immigration assistance and social services, employment services, elderly and youth programs, and English classes.

**Latin American Association**
**Clayton Office**
Carmen Rojas, Director 404-968-0100
526 Forest Parkway, Suite B 404-968-0200 fax
Forest Park, GA 30297 claytonoffice@latinamericanassoc.org

**Latin American Association**
**Cobb Office**
Aida Gonzalez, Director 770-420-6556
737 Roswell Street, Suite 203 678-354-0500 fax
Marietta, GA 30060 cobboffice@latinamericanassoc.org

**Latin American Association**
**Gwinnett Office**
Brendan Brenran, Director 770-339-4335
134 S. Clayton Street, Suite 29 770-339-9154 fax
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045 gwinnettoffice@latinamericanassoc.org

**League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC)**
**Atlanta Council #950**
Arturo Ordoqui, President 770-578-9763
PO Box 12104
Atlanta, Georgia 30355
President@LulacAtlanta.org
www.lulacatlanta.org
LULAC lobbies on issues that affect the Hispanic population: education, voting rights, housing, women's issues. Monthly meetings are held.
**Raksha, Inc.**  
Aparna Bhattacharyya, Executive Director 404-876-0670  
P.O. Box 12337 404-876-4525 fax  
Atlanta, Georgia 30355  
raksha@mindspring.com or casemanager@raksha.org  
www.raksha.org  
Raksha is a Georgia non-profit and referral network that promotes a stronger and healthier South Asian Community through free and confidential direct services, education, and advocacy. Raksha provides services such as crisis intervention, a helpline, peer support, youth mentoring/tutoring, counseling, youth leadership development, support groups for battered women, and training and technical assistance in working with South Asian Communities.

**Richmond County Human Relations Commission**  
Frank Thomas, Executive Director 706-821-2506  
360 Bay Street, Suite 240 706-821-2501 fax  
Augusta, Georgia 30901  
The Commission works with the multicultural and international community in Augusta.

**Somali Bantu Community Organization, Inc. (SBCO)**  
A. Abdullahi, President/Exec. Director 404-508-0390  
3601 Indian Creek Way, Blvd. C, Apt. 1 866-495-4567 toll-free  
Clarkston, Georgia 30021 404-508-0226 fax  
info@somalibantu.com  
www.somalibantu.com  
Provides services to new and existing Somali refugees. As well as acting as a community center for the population.

**Su Casa Community Services**  
Lisa Marinez, Director 912-264-1504  
P.O. Box 2395 912-264-1963 fax  
Brunswick, Georgia 31521  
Information and referrals of all agents in our community. We provide an interpreter at all times.

**US-China Peoples Friendship Association (USCPFA)**  
Peggy Roney, President - Atlanta Chapter 404-292-0714  
18 Fairfield Drive  
Avondale Estates, Georgia 30002-1420  
p309@bellsouth.net  
USCPFA is a nonprofit, nonpolitical, nonpartisan organization whose only goals are to promote friendship and mutual understanding. These goals are promoted through cultural exchanges, arts, seminars, picnics, holiday parties, welcoming events for students and scholars from China, travel, language study and history. Holds monthly meetings and festivities. Member dues support the organization.

**Villa International Atlanta**  
Janice Clotfelter, Co-Director 404-633-6783  
Camille Gaffron, Co-Director 404-248-9315 fax  
1749 Clifton Road, NE  
Atlanta, Georgia 30329  
info@villa-atl.org  
www.villa-atl.org  
Villa International provides low-cost, short-term housing and hospitality for international visitors. Most guests are health care professionals working at the nearby Centers for Disease Control and Emory University.
Women Watch Afrika, Inc.
Glory Kilanko, Director & CEO 404-292-0069
4281 Memorial Drive, Suite I 404-292-6979 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
Gloryk_99@yahoo.com
www.womenwatchafrika.org
Women Watch Afrika (WWA) is a nonprofit, non-governmental, grassroots women's organization focused on the alleviation of gender discrimination and the development of women and girls.
The primary goal of WWA is to eliminate all forms of discrimination against women, and promote the social and economic development of women and girls.

YMCA
Butler Street
Jacob Rhodes., President 404-659-8085
22 Butler Street NE 404-589-8444 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
The Butler Street YMCA is the area office for the YMCA of the USA/Caribbean Program Support Unit.

YMCA
Georgia Tech
Carlton O. Parker 404-894-4590
756 West Peachtree Street NW 404-894-4591 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30308-1138
carlton.parker@ymca.gatech.edu
GA Tech YMCA offers a variety of on-campus international programs, including student exchanges, internships, and tourism.

YWCA of Greater Atlanta
Ayesha Khanna, CEO 404-527-7575
Linda Jordan, President 404-527-7459 fax
100 Edgewood Avenue NE, Suite 806
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
salute@ywcaatlanta.org
www.ywcaatlanta.org
The YWCA of Greater Atlanta is a multicultural women’s membership organization focusing on programs addressing the needs of women and their families and local, national and international concerns. The association is a member of the YWCA of the USA, which is a member of the world YWCA headquartered in Geneva, Switzerland.
Section VII
Refugee Services

General

African Community & Refugee Center, Inc.
Yusuf Samater, Executive Director
404-298-3144
964 N Indian Creek Dr. Suite A-1
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
info@africanref.org or Africanref_200@yahoo.com
www.africanref.org
Provides a variety of support services including Resettlement, Match Grant, Social Adjustment, Employment, Youth/After School, Women, and Elderly projects.

American Red Cross
Office of International Services
404-753-8315
Ann Daane
404-753-1674 fax
1955 Monroe Drive, NE
Atlanta Georgia 30330-1050
adaane@arcatl.org
www.redcrossatlanta.org/services/index.html
Tracing and messaging services for families separated by disaster, armed conflict, civil unrest or changing world conditions

Atlanta Regional Commission / Area Agency on Aging
Jan Kauffman, Coordinator Refugee Elderlink
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Atlanta, Georgia 30303
404-463-3264 fax
jkkauffman@atlantaregional.com or bprasch@atlantaregional.com
www.agingatlanta.com
As the Area Agency on Aging for the ten-county metro Atlanta region, the Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC) is charge with planning for the needs of a rapidly expanding group of older citizens as well as implementing and coordinating a number of diverse programs. One such program, Refugee Elderlink, assists elderly refugees in accessing services in the aging network and the community at large. ARC contracts with six refugee agencies to provide case management services to older refugees. Additionally, ARC contracts with the Clarkston Community Center in the development of a special senior center program for older refugees.

Bridging the Gap Project, Inc., The (BTG)
Seilavong Doeung, Director
404-581-0044
INS Building
404-582-0021 fax
77 Forsyth Street, Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
sdoeung@btgonline.org or nyborn1961@juno.com
www.btgonline.org
The Bridging the Gap Project, inc. strives to improve the quality of life in Georgia's ethnically diverse communities by forming partnerships that overcome cultural barriers and promote understanding between residents, law enforcement, educators, and other service providers. Services offered include the following: Interpretation / translation services, Crisis intervention, Working with at-risk youth and gang prevention, Diversity Training and gang-related training, and Language-specific community education / orientation sessions. Free Citizenship and English as a Second Language classes for Immigrants/Refugees/Assylees taught through BTG's English Language/Civics Citizenship program. As well as various other Immigration-related services and technical assistance on cultural and foreign-born issues.
Center for Pan Asian Community Service, Inc.
Chaiwon Kim, Executive Director 770-936-0969
Soomy Lee, Program Director 770-458-9377 fax
3760 Park Avenue
Doraville, Georgia 30340
kacscatl@aol.com or soomylee@hotmail.com
www.cpacs.org
Works with refugees and immigrants. Offers ESL and social services.

Clarkston Community Center Senior Refugee Program
Dr. William Fulkerson, Program Coordinator
3701 College Avenue 404-297-5653
P.O. Box 217 404-508-3007 fax
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
cccsrpr@bellsouth.net
Provides day center activities for refugees over 60 years old. Services include hot lunch, recreation, table games, legal/medical and other social services information. Medical services include: blood pressure testing, blood sugar testing, access to Dekalb Medical Center’s Wellness on Wheels. Also, occasional field trips to places of interest and to shopping areas.

Department of Human Resources / Georgia Department of Public Health
Refugee Health Program
Alice Long, Director 404-679-4981
2600 Skyland Drive NE 404-679-4909 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30319-3640
aclong@gdph.state.ga.us
The Georgia Refugee Health Program provides screenings to newly arrived refugees for TB, hepatitis B, parasites and sexually transmitted diseases. The Program also provides refugees with referrals for health care needs, interpretation at health appointments, home health education and translated health education materials. Staff languages at the time of printing are Amharic, Bosnian, Khmer, Russian, Somali, Tigrinya, Kurdish, Iraqui and Vietnamese.

Georgia Department of Human Resources
Community Services Section
Jasmine Majid, State Refugee Coordinator 404-463-7257
2 Peachtree Street, NW, Room 19-273 404-463-8046 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3142
jmajid@dhr.state.ga.us

Georgia Mutual Assistance Association Consortium (GMAAC)
Marge Flaerty, Executive Director 404-296-5400
4151 Memorial Dr., Suite 200D 404-296-0036 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
mares@gmaac.org or suzannegilmore@gmac.org or margef6@juno.com
www.gmaac.org
Social adjustment services, parent outreach education program, home buying program, IDA and education services, interpreter bank and interpreter services are provided to ALL refugees.

Georgia Mutual Assistance Association (MAA) Consortium
Refugee Youth Program
Michael Burnham, Project Coordinator 404-299-6646
901 Rowland St. 404-299-6894 fax
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
refugeeouth@mindspring.com
Provides services for all refugee youth: health outreach, career counseling and youth programs such as tutoring, mentoring, and a teen support group.
**Georgia Somali Community Inc.**
Ali Omar, Executive Director 404-292-1113
3662 Market Street, Suite 213 404-296-0430 fax
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
gsc8563@bellsouth.net
The Georgia Somali Community provides Social Adjustment, Immigration and Naturalization assistance, Youth Development programs, Adult Education, Information and Referral, Support for Healthy Families, Job Development assisting small businesses, and families‘ conflict resolution.

**Good Shepherd Services**
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Mrs. Theresa Nguyen, Admin. Assistant 770-455-1230
2430 Shallowford Terrace 770-451-0156 fax
Chamblee, Georgia 30341
shepherdatlanta@bellsouth.net or mrsttn@yahoo.com
Good Shepherd provides services to youth and family: professional counseling, after-school programs, youth summer programs, English as a Second Language (ESL), Vietnamese cultural education, services for elderly, parenting classes, community service, assistance to refugee women. The languages spoken by staff include English, Chinese (Cantonese), French and Vietnamese.

**Local Russian Émigré Organizations (LOREO)**
Irina Nikishin, SE Regional Coordinator 770-677-9347
JFGA 672-222-3723
1440 Spring St., NW 770-677-9479 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30309
irina@jfcs-atlanta.org
LOREO is a 3-year project recently created by Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS) and the US government. LOREO was launched in the Southeast, Midwest, and on the West coast to help the Russian immigrant communities in those areas form their own grassroots organizations. Recent events include: July 4th celebration for the Russian community, young Russian leadership programs, Passover celebrations, and Victory Day celebration for WWII veterans. Future plans include: developing a Russian business club, and to have an Émigré Gala to honor outstanding community people.

**Refugee Family Services**
Bobby King, Director 404-299-6217
3647 Market Street 404-299-6218 fax
Clarkston, Georgia 30021
bobby.king@mindspring.com
www.refugeefamilyservices.org
Refugee Family Services, which was formerly known as Newcomers’ Network, is an outgrowth of the Save the Children/Child Care Support Center (STC/CCSC), Atlanta. It was started in 1986 as a program that provided childcare training to refugee women in the metro Atlanta area. Later, it grew into the Refugee Program of STC/CCSC, at which time it added to a wide variety of programs. It was incorporated in 1996 under the name Newcomers’ Network to operate the refugee program as a stand-alone entity and became a fully independent 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization on October 1, 1997. The organization was renamed Refugee Family Services in April 2002 to better reflect its mission.
The following 3 entries are a listing of Programs & Projects run by Refugee Family Services

**Refugee Family Services**
**Helping Orient Parents and Educate Schools (HOPES) Program**
Debora Furce 404-299-6217 ext. 219
www.refugeefamilyservices.org/programs.html 404-299-6218 fax
Bilingual caseworkers provide liaison with Dekalb school, refugee parents and children.
Refugee Family Services
Refugee Family Violence Prevention Project (RFVPP)
Nermina Silnovic, Project Manager 404-299-6217 ext.207
www.refugeefamilyservices.org/programs.html 404-299-6218 fax
Educates refugee communities about domestic violence, provides direct crisis intervention services for battered refugee women and their children. Languages spoken: Russian, Arabic, Kurdish, Somali, Vietnamese, Bosnian and Polish. Outgrowths of this project have been the International Women’s House, the first shelter exclusively for refugee and immigrant women in Southeastern U.S., and the Coalition for Battered Refugee and Immigrant Women (now known as Tapestri), a nationally-recognized model of coalition building. Staff from Bosnia, Kurdistan, Vietnam, and Sudan.

Refugee Family Services
Refugee Youth Program
Catherine Dhongade, Project Coordinator 404-299-6217 ext.218
catherine-wolfe@hotmail.com 404-299-6218 fax
www.refugeefamilyservices.org/programs.html
Provides services to refugee youth: after-school tutoring, summer program, safety workshops, conflict resolution, sport activities, teen clubs and other services. The Youth Program also works closely with the Refugee School Liaison Project to link refugee parents, students and schools in DeKalb County. Volunteers assist in all parts of the Youth Program. Staff (including part-time youth staff) from Bosnia, Ethiopia, Iraq, Somalia, Afghanistan, and the U.S.

Please refer to Refugee Family Services’ webpage for a complete listing of detailed information regarding all programs and services available to refugees in the state of Georgia.
www.refugeefamilyservices.org

Refugee Women’s Network
BryAnn Chen, Executive Director 404-299-0180
4151 Memorial Drive, Suite 103-F 404-296-9118 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
rwnchen@yahoo.com or rwntraining@mindspring.com
www.rwn.org
Refugee Women's Network is a national organization of refugee and immigrant women dedicated to addressing the special needs of refugee and immigrant women through leadership training, education, and advocacy. RWN is governed by representatives of a diverse constituency of refugee and immigrant women in the US.

Somali Bantu Community Organization, Inc. (SBCO)
A. Abdullahi, President/Exec. Director 404-508-0390
3601 Indian Creek Way, Bld. C, Apt. 1 866-495-4567 toll-free
Clarkston, Georgia 30021 404-508-0226 fax
info@somalibantu.com
www.somalibantu.com
Provides services to new and existing Somali refugees. As well as acting as a community center for the population.

Sullivan Center, Inc.
Sister Marie Sullivan 404-753-0533 Main
1332 Metropolitan Parkway, SW, Suite 201 404-753-0535 Help
Atlanta, Georgia 30310
TAPESTRI, Inc.
Refugee and Immigrant Coalition Against Domestic Violence
P. O. Box 505, 404-299-2185
Avondale Estates, Georgia 30002 404-299-7775
tapestri@mindspring.com 404-299-8668 fax
www.tapestri.org
TAPESTRI, Inc., Immigrant and Refugee Coalition Challenging Gender Based Oppression, is a coalition of ethnically diverse advocates in Atlanta Georgia working on issues of violence against women. Tapestri is dedicated to ending violence and oppression in immigrant and refugee communities, using culturally competent and appropriate methods. As advocates for immigrant and refugee families affected by domestic violence, sexual assault and exploitation, we are committed to using education, community organizing, direct services and advocacy to effect change in the lives of these families.

Health

Clayton County Health Department
Jonesboro Health Center
Angela Robinson, Refugee Health Coordinator 770-471-8635
134 Spring Street
Jonesboro, Georgia 30236
www.ph.dhr.state.ga.us/regional/clayton/index.shtml

DeKalb County Health Department
Richardson Health Center
Eve Calhoun, Refugee Health Coordinator 404-294-3816
445 Winn Way, Room 150 404-508-7844 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30030
ebcalhoun@gdph.state.ga.us
www.dekalbhealth.net
This program provides basic health screenings for new arrivals as well as follow-up immunizations, and completion of supplemental form I-693. All services available to the general public as well.

Douglas County Health Department
Audrey Cowin, Refugee Health Nurse 770-949-1970 ext.223
6770 Selman Drive 770-942-9469 fax
Douglasville, Georgia 30134
www.ph.dhr.state.ga.us/regional/douglas/index.shtml
This program provides basic health screening for new arrivals.

Fulton County Department of Health & Wellness
Willie J. Freeman College Park Regional Health Center
Judith Gordon, Refugee Health Coordinator
1920 John E. Wesley Avenue 404-765-4224
College Park, Georgia 30337 404-765-4149 fax
jlgordon@dhr.state.ga.us
www.ph.dhr.state.ga.us/regional/fulton/index.shtml
Health-related services for refugee populations, including health care referrals, basic health education, family planning education, women's and reproductive health education, and interpreter services.
Gwinnett County Health Department
Lawrenceville Health Center
Vicky Carrol, Refugee Health Coordinator 678-442-6900
15 South Clayton Street
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045
www.ph.dhr.state.ga.us/regional/gwinnett/lawrenceville.shtml
Health-related services for refugee populations, including: health care referrals, basic health education, family planning education, women's and reproductive health education, ad interpreter services.

Voluntary Resettlement Agencies

Advisory Council on Refugee Resettlement
Dr. Art Hansen, Chair
www.georgiarefugee.org
The Council's objective is to advise the Department of Human Resources on refugee resettlement issues in the state of Georgia. The Council consists of representatives from voluntary and government agencies and individual refugees.

Catholic Social Services, Inc.
Immigration Services 404-881-7475
Sue Colussy 404-885-7281 fax
680 West Peachtree Street NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30308
www.cssatlanta.com
CSS Immigration Services provides access to legal services through two staff attorneys and volunteer attorneys. This service is available to low income clients at the clinic held each Tuesday and Thursday from 8am to 2pm. Handles most cases involving deportation, asylum and family immigration.

Catholic Social Services, Inc.
Migration and Refugee Services 404-885-7465
Tanya Zeiliger 404-885-7281 fax
680 West Peachtree Street NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30308
tzeiliger@archatl.com
www.cssatlanta.com
Refugee resettlement and immigration services are provided. Assistance is given to anyone needing help with various activities including information and referral, translation and interpretation, housing, employment, health and immigration counseling and assistance.
You can find a complete listing of Catholic Social Services Regional/Community Centers on their webpage at
http://www.cssatlanta.com/contacts.htm

Refugee Resettlement and Immigration Services of Atlanta
Irina Pierce, Case Worker 404-622-2235 ext.223
4151 Memorial Drive, Suite 205-D 404-627-3321 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032
irina@rrisa.org
www.rrisa.org
Refugee and Immigrant Resettlement Services are part of the Church World Service network assisting local denominations in resettlement of refugees. The Eastern European Social Adjustment Program provides services to refugees who have been in the US longer than 90 days. Airport assistance is given to refugees in transit in cooperation with the Intergovernmental Committee for Migration.
International Rescue Committee, Inc. (IRC)
Ellen Beattie 404-292-7731
Regional Resettlement Director 404-292-5325 fax
4151 Memorial Drive, Suite 201-C
Decatur, Georgia 30032
info@atl.intrescom.org or meliha@atl.intrescom.org
www.theirc.org/Atlanta
Established in 1933 at the behest of Albert Einstein to assist people escaping Nazi Germany, the IRC is a nonsectarian voluntary agency headquartered in New York with offices and facilities located in Latin America, Africa, Asia and Europe. In Atlanta, the Committee provides a broad range of resettlement services to refugees from the Middle East, Southeast Asia, Eastern Europe and North Africa including Somalians, Vietnamese, Kurds and Bosnians.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Claire French, Coordinator 770-677-9356
4549 Chamblee Dunwoody Road 770-677-9479 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30338
claire@jfcs-atlanta.org
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
JF + CS provides instruction on ESL, TOEFL, computer training, vocational English as a second language, and worksite assessment and professional instruction by qualified ESL professionals. Computer training includes job placement and follow-up services.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Citizen Outreach
Nancy Yarova, Citizen Outreach Coordinator 770-677-9346
yarova@jfcs-atlanta.org 770-677-9479 fax
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
Citizen Outreach assists refugees and asylees with Green Card and Naturalization paperwork. Services are provided with education, paperwork and legal assistance for clients.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Employment Program
Nada Karaula, Employment Coordinator 770-677-9447
nada@jfcs-atlanta.org 770-677-9479 fax
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
Employment Services works with immigrants and refugees to assist with career counseling, job placement, and job upgrades.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Healthy Family Support Program
Parvin Bonab, Healthy Family Support Program Coordinator 770-677-9454
parvin@jfcs-atlanta.org 770-677-9402 fax
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
Healthy Family Support is a collaborative program with 7 other refugee-serving agencies. The program provides information and referral services for mental health resources for refugees and asylees. This program also provides training for refugee case managers and community multi-cultural support groups.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Refugee Resettlement
Irina Nikishin, Resettlement Program Manager 770-677-9347
irina@jfcs-atlanta.org 770-677-9402 fax
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
JF + CS Resettlement Services assists with family reunification paperwork for refugees and assists with initial resettlement and orientation, provision of basic needs and employment services for refugees and asylees.
Lutheran Services of Georgia Office
Gary L. Danielsen, Executive Director 404-875-0201
Knox Herdon, Program Manager 404-875-9258 fax
756 West Peachtree Street NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30308
Lutheran Ministries of Georgia is a nonprofit organization dedicated to enhancing the ability of members of Atlanta's refugee population to become self-reliant and self-sufficient. A large part of its energies are directed to providing employment services for refugees. This is done through career counseling, job orientation and placement, follow-up visits, transportation services and on-the-job training.

Savannah Jewish Federation
Resettlement Coordinator 912-355-8111
5111 Abercorn Street 912-355-8116 fax
Savannah, Georgia 31405
www.savj.org
Voluntary Agency (VOLAG) responsibilities include resettlement of Jews from the former Soviet Union—includes acculturation, job placement and support services. Housed in the Jewish Educational Alliance (Jewish Community Center).

World Relief Atlanta
Barbara Cocchi, Affiliate Director 404-294-4352
655 Village Square Dr. 404-294-6011 fax
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30083
WRAtlanta@wr.org or BCocchi@wr.org
http://atlanta.wr.org
-Lawrenceville Resettlement Office-
311 Scenic Highway, #2 770-338-5968
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045 770-338-1513 fax
The programs we offer include initial resettlement, job help, family reunification (immigration), emergency services, ESOL, and the Match Grant cash programs. We also have resources and programs for volunteers and churches.
Section VIII
Organizations with International Research and Educational Programs & Foreign Student Advisors in Colleges and Universities

Agnes Scott College Global Awareness
Dr. Maria Krane, Director 404-471-5380
International Education Office 404-471-5383 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30030
Global Awareness is a study tour of two-three weeks abroad/exchange program, focusing on non-European cultures and includes field research and home stays and is usually affiliated with a class. This office also performs advising/welcoming for foreign students at Agnes Scott.

American Friends Service Committee
Charles A. Zoeller, Regional Executive Director 404-586-0460
Phyllis Allen-McField, Office Administrator/HR Liaison 404-525-4728 fax
Southeast Regional Office
92 Piedmont Avenue, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
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www.afsc.org
The American Friends Service Committee in Atlanta conducts peace education programs on various topics including the Middle East and Southern Africa, offering speakers, workshops, films and slide shows. Literature on these and other international issues is available. Also have a school-based violence prevention program for youth, Help Increase the Peace (HIP). College students welcome to be trained as HIP group facilitators, and as interns in the other programs.

Art Institute of Atlanta
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Asst. Director of International Admissions 800-275-4242 ext. 2133
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Support of cultural exchange between American and international students.

Atlanta Technical College
Nayera Salam, Head of Multicultural Office/Bilingual Office 404-756-4902
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nysalam@admin1.atlanta.tec.ga.us
www.atlantatech.com
Atlanta Tech offers English as a Second Language classes in the mornings and evenings. After completion of ESL, the students can enter into vocational programs at the college.

Atlanta Metropolitan College
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The William Breman Jewish Heritage Museum sponsors several educational programs including the Jewish Community Archives and a slide presentation on Atlanta’s Jewish history from 1845 to the present. The Zachor Holocaust Center houses a permanent collection of Holocaust history, photography and survivors’ memorabilia. Eternal Light Hemshich and Children of Holocaust Survivors (second generation) may be contacted through the Zachor Holocaust Center.

Atlanta International School
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As the innovator of a global curriculum for future leaders, Atlanta International School offers a program of academic excellence to American and international students, beginning with 4 year old kindergarten and culminating in grade 12 with the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma. The primary school curriculum is a single academic program, taught and learned in these languages: English-French, English-German, and English-Spanish. The IB diploma program is a rigorous pre-university course of studies, recognized by colleges and universities worldwide.

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ARC is the regional planning and intergovernmental coordination agency for the ten-county Atlanta Region—Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb, Douglas, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry, Rockdale, Cherokee, Fayette—and the city of Atlanta. It is also the forum where the region’s leaders come together to solve mutual problems and decide issues of region-wide consequence. Publishes the Ethnic Regional Community Profiles.

Atlanta Speech School
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The Atlanta Speech School, one of the Southeast’s oldest therapeutic educational centers for children and adults with hearing, speech, language, or learning disabilities, was established in 1938. The mission of the Atlanta Speech School is to help children and adults with communication disorders realize their full potential. To accomplish this, the School will: Provide comprehensive multi-disciplinary services through its communication and learning disorders programs and its community nursery/kindergarten program, serve as an educational resource to the community, and assume a leadership role in establishing new programs, developing methods, and adding to the body of knowledge in these fields. The Atlanta Speech School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students/clients at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other School administered programs.
Clark Atlanta University
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Clark Atlanta University is a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary, post-secondary institution enrolling students from over 30 countries.

Clayton College & State University
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The Office of Diversity Programs and disability services addresses the unique needs of special student populations at CCSU. It assists minority students in their adjustment to student life and provides appropriate and reasonable individualized accommodations for eligible students with disabilities. The office works as an advocate for student interests by assisting students in academic improvement. Promotes and encourages student participation in programming that provides an enriching academic experience with cultural diversity.

Dalton State College
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Adult literacy and ESL service to adults (16 years and older) who are no longer in school.

Dekalb County Schools: International Center/ESOL
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The International Center is an intake center for registration, testing, and placement of all international students new to Dekalb County. Students classified as “International” are students who were born outside of the United States and/or students who were born in the United States, but who speak English as their second language. Students born in Guam, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and on U.S. military bases may register at the local schools. When the registration process is complete, including program placement, students are enrolled in their home school.

Dekalb County Schools: Social Work Department
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School social workers intervene when there is a social, familial, or economic challenge, which impacts the learning process of students.

Dekalb Technical College: Adult Literacy Services
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ESL and GED preparatory classes are held, as are adult basic reading and math classes.
Emory University

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The Institute of African Studies offers an active community of scholars and a lively focus of activity to persons interested in Africa. It has thirteen core faculty members drawn from the College of Arts and Sciences and an associated faculty of twenty-nine in Arts and Sciences and other divisions of the university. The Institute promotes interdisciplinary teaching and research on Africa, administers an undergraduate minor, and coordinates graduate training in African Studies at Emory.

**Center for Russian and East European Studies (REES)**
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The Center for Russian & East European Studies (REES) seeks to broaden knowledge about the former USSR and Eastern Europe through multi- and interdisciplinary programming for the Emory academic community, teachers, and faculty at other educational institutions and the general public.

**The Center for Urban Learning/Teaching and Urban Research in Education and Schools (CULTURES)**
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CULTURES was created in response to the demographic challenges associated with the increasing culturally diverse public school system. The goal of CULTURES is to create a professional development center that will assist practicing elementary and middle school teachers to work effectively with culturally diverse students and will enhance the quality of teaching and learning in urban schools.

**Department of Russian and East Asian Languages and Cultures (REALC)**
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The mission of the Department of Russian and East Asian Languages and Cultures (REALC) includes the teaching of languages and cultures in the geographic sweep from Eastern Europe to the Far East. Our instruction focuses on the languages and cultures of Russia (the largest country on earth - 11 time zones straddling Europe and Asia), China (the most populous country); and Japan (an economic powerhouse).

**The Institute for Comparative and International Studies (ICIS)**
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Dedicated to the advancement of comparative and international scholarship and education, ICIS generates both initiatives and collaborates with faculty, departments, and programs in Arts & Sciences at Emory University.
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International student and scholars advisors. Also coordinates International Association and SPICE (Student Programs in International Cultural Exchange). One of ISSP's primary functions is to assist international students and scholars in obtaining and maintaining their immigration status.

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The Office of International Affairs serves as the University's central clearinghouse for information on international activities and a resource for faculty and schools exploring international options. Its primary mission is to promote and support Emory's internationalization efforts. OIA works closely with the Office of the University Relations to disseminate relevant information across the University and beyond campus, including overseas.

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The Claus M. Halle Institute for Global Learning further internationalization at Emory University by promoting global learning through the faculty. The defining features of the Halle Institute's programs lie in their international focus, their links across all of Emory's schools and with the city of Atlanta, and in their interdisciplinary collaboration. The Halle Institute unites faculty across disciplines in intense collaboration and endorses the principle that cross-cultural understanding occurs most richly when people of different cultures meet face-to-face. The Halle Institute serves the whole of Emory University and reaches beyond the University's boundaries, promoting Atlanta as an international city and carrying word of Emory University's importance to countries abroad.

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Serve ESOL population in Fulton County schools.
Georgia Commission on the Holocaust
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Programs and materials dealing with prejudice reduction.

Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech)
Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER)
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One of 27 “national resource” centers in international business education and research in the U.S. The Center serves as a catalyst for Georgia Tech to integrate and advance a number of diverse activities relating to international business education, research, language training, international student and professor exchanges and executive education for the business community.

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The Georgia Tech YMCA has an international student exchange program that is a two-way exchange, both receiving and sending, almost entirely at the graduate level. Georgia Tech is our primary focus, but students at other schools are welcome to inquire.

Georgia Nihongo Gakko (Japanese Language School)
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Pebblebrook Circle
Mableton, Georgia 30059
School for K–11th grade. Meets Saturdays to teach Japanese to native and nonnative students.
The Applied Cultural Research Project (ACRP) is the research and service arm of the Department of Anthropology and Geography. Its primary goal is to carry out theoretical and applied research on the complex social system developing in the Metropolitan Atlanta region and relating that research to wider theoretical and practical questions being developed by scientists, practitioners and policy makers in other urban settings.

The Department of Anthropology and Geography offers both the Bachelor of Arts and the Master of Arts degree in anthropology as well as geography, along with an optional professional certificate in Geographic Information Science (GIS). Taking advantage of the urban resources that Atlanta provides, the department of Anthropology and Geography offers undergraduate and master level programs delineating the contributions both fields can make to the study of complex societies. Graduate students in Anthropology have the option of choosing either the general program track or the applied program track. Students seeking the M.A. degree in geography may develop a specialization in either urban studies, geotechnology, or physical geography/environmental studies.

The Department of Applied Linguistics and English as a Second Language (ESL) is committed to excellence in the teaching of English to speakers of other languages and in other applications of applied linguistics theory to the solution of real world problems. This goal is achieved by providing instruction, support, and inspiration to those interested in applied linguistics in general and in the teaching of English as a second or foreign language in particular.
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Goals: To advance the mission and goals of Georgia State University through the design, implementation and assessment of programs and activities that reflect differences in race, ethnicity, culture, gender, sexual orientation, age, people with disabilities, social class, spirituality and nationality. To provide educationally structured learning opportunities for social, personal and intellectual/academic development.

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The Educational Opportunity Center provides advisement, services and information regarding financial aid and academic assistance for individuals wanting to pursue post-secondary education. The Center offers academic and career assessments, help with admission to colleges, Universities and technical/vocational schools, assistance in obtaining financial aid. GED/SAT preparation and tutorials Workshops on career decision-making, Interpersonal skills, personal and college coping skills, individual and group counseling sessions, referrals to other agencies if necessary. The Center works extensively with nontraditional students and persons with low or moderate incomes. All services are free to US citizens and eligible non-citizens, including refugees, asylees, alien residents and others in the process of becoming citizens. Enrollment in GSU not required.

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The Office of International Affairs promotes excellence in teaching, research and service through global engagement. OIA leads the university's international education agenda and is responsible for international student and scholar services, study abroad, international strategic initiatives and international exchanges. Georgia State University's commitment to international education reflects an understanding that a global perspective is essential to achieving institutional quality and international competitiveness in today's ever shrinking world.

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The OISP provides support for Georgia State’s nonimmigrant international student/faculty/researcher population, their dependents, and to any foreign-born citizens and permanent residents of the US who may need our services. Services include orientation, immigration advisement, insurance, advocacy and other assistance in adjusting and joining the university community. The OISP also coordinates and administers study abroad programs for the university.
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Global Health Action (GHA) is a private nonprofit organization headquartered in Atlanta, GA. Now in its third decade, GHA has stimulated the creation of thousands of sustainable health and development programs addressing the world’s most pressing health problems. Targeting international health and development leaders, GHA provides practical learning experiences that provoke change in perceptions and enable a new quality of listening, thinking and action.

Gwinnett County Public Schools: ESOL and International Newcomer Center
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The ESOL office provides support to the 300+ ESOL teachers serving more than 10,000 limited English proficient students in the system. Services include staff development for regular classroom teachers and the year-long ESOL endorsement training program for teachers preparing to teach ESOL. The International Newcomer Center (INC) provides intake services (testing, advisement, transcript evaluation) to middle and high school students entering Gwinnett County Public Schools.

Gwinnett Technical College: Adult Education Program
Dr. Tom Travis, Director 770-962-7580 ext. 162
P.O. Box 1505 770-338-7198 fax
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046-1505
www.gwinnetttechnicalcollege.com
Programs include refugee ESL (6 levels), Pre-GED program (3 levels), GED program (3 levels), GED testing center, and citizenship program.

International Affairs Center
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The International Affairs Center at Spelman College was established in 1989. Its mission is to broaden and deepen African American students’ understanding of global issues, histories, and cultures in preparation for international careers. The goal of the Center therefore, is to help to internationalize the campus so that faculty and students can be an integral part of the emerging global village. The Center is headed by a Director, whose primary responsibility is to provide leadership in the planning, development and coordination of the IAC programs.

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International Village Culture and Community Center (IVCCC)
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Office of International Student Retention Services (OISRS) provides services to retain students until they earn their degree(s). One of the services is the Mandatory International Student Orientation.

**Korean-American School of Atlanta**
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Classes in Korean language, literature, art, music, martial arts, drama, history, dance and more.

**Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change, Inc., The**
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The Center hosts foreign visitors from around the world. The library and archives serve thousands of scholars, many from other countries. The Center also holds workshops, seminars, and conferences concerned with international issues. The King Center is a non-government organizational member at the United Nations.

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NAME celebrates cultural and ethnic diversity as a national strength. Its programs reflect that interest and include a clearinghouse for multicultural education resources and development of multicultural curriculum. National office is in Washington DC (202-628-6263).

**National Center for Human Rights Education (NCHRE)**
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Offering introductory and intensive training workshops and educational resource materials, NCHRE enables individuals and organizations to evaluate their current strategies for social change, and build a united movement for human rights in the United States. NCHRE advances the human rights movement by launching targeted campaigns and conducting original research, written analysis, and interpretation.

**North Atlanta High School: Center for International Studies**
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North Atlanta High School’s Center for International Studies provides a 4 year curriculum, which focuses on the development of strong communication skills including fluency in Spanish, French, Arabic, and Mandarin Chinese. Also experiences leading to a strong understanding and sensitivity to a variety of cultures and intercultural situations as well as a rigorous academic program leading to the International Baccalaureate Diploma. The Center also offers a very experiential International Business alternative.

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An affiliated school of Seigakuin Schools, Christian Schools in Tokyo, which consist of kindergarten to university. SAINTS offers K-9. The principal language of instruction is Japanese with stress on English proficiency. Strong emphasis on multicultural and multilingual education.
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The Southern Center for International Studies (SCIS), founded in 1962, is a non-profit educational institution based in Atlanta. The primary mission of SCIS is to internationalize the thinking of the American public. To achieve its mission, SCIS conducts conferences, briefings, and seminars with international experts and world leaders, and provides information packages on countries, regions of the world, and current political and economic international issues. SCIS publishes and updates a 10-part series of multimedia educational materials on specific regions of the world, organizes and coordinates teacher training workshops throughout the United States, conducts corporate training on specific regions of the world from economic, political, environmental, and cross-cultural perspectives, and provides a timeline or current international events and reputable links to other web sites for current international information.

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The IAC's mission is to broaden and deepen African American students' understanding of global issues, histories, and cultures in preparation for entry into careers in international affairs.

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The mission of the Southern Regional Council is to promote racial justice, protect democratic rights and broaden civic participation in the southern US through research and action that engages and transforms individuals, communities and institutions.
**Swedish School of Atlanta**
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Teaches Swedish to children 3-16 years old with some prior knowledge of Swedish and at least one Swedish-speaking parent. Meet Sunday afternoon 1:30-4:30.

**University of Georgia (UGA)**

**American Language Program**
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**International Education**
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The Office of International Education assist students and faculty who are participating in or plan to participate in international educational exchange. Advises international students regarding visa services.
Section IX

English Language Services

Atlanta Public Schools English Language Center
English Speakers of Other Languages Program (ESOL)
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www.atlanta.k12.ga.us/parents_students/curriculum_areas/esol

The Atlanta Public Schools English Language Center is designed to assist limited English proficient (LEP) and non-English proficient (NEP) students with learning English as rapidly as possible so that they can achieve academically in all subject areas at a rate commensurate with their age, ability and grade level.

Atlanta Public Schools
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The mission of the Department of Research, Planning, and Accountability (RPA) is to facilitate the implementation of effective school system programs and operations by providing information needed to improve student performance, plan curriculum changes, make wise decisions, and develop effective policy.

Augusta Technical Institute
Office of Adult Literacy
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Augusta Technical Institute has Adult Literacy Instructors catering to Burke, Colubia, Lincoln, McDuffie, and Richmond Counties.

Clayton County Schools
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ESL and adult education classes. Call for information regarding class locations and times.

Cobb County Public Schools
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Marietta, Georgia 30060

Classes are open to all international adults interested in learning English. Classes are on three levels and are free. Books and materials are also free. Day and night classes are held.
Dalton State College
Adult Literacy Program
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213 North College Drive
Dalton, Georgia 30720
srichardson@em.daltonstate.edu
www.daltonstate.edu/teched/techdiv.htm

DeKalb County Schools
International Center
Dr. Joanne Lottie, Principal & ESOL Coordinator
3075 Alton Rd.
Atlanta, Georgia 30341
www.dekalb.k12.ga.us/schools/centers/international.asp

DeKalb Technical College Adult Literacy Services
Dr. Martha Coursey, Director
Buford Hwy. Center
5745 Buford Highway
Doraville, Georgia 30340
www.dekalbtech.org/adulted/elp.html

Dunwoody Baptist Church
Susanne Dabney
1445 Mt. Vernon Road
Dunwoody, Georgia 30338
www.dbc.org

Georgia Baptist Convention Language Missions Department
Rev. Jerry K. Baker, Language Specialist
2930 Flowers Road, South
Atlanta Georgia 30341
Mary H. Cates Dolvin, Literacy Consultant
433 South Peachtree Street
Norcross, Georgia 30071
www.gabaptist.org

ESOL Classes.
Students classified as International are students who were born outside of the United States and/or students who were born in the United States, but who speak English as their second language. Offers intensive ESOL. Interpreters on staff.

ESL and GED preparatory classes are held, as are adult basic reading and math classes.

ESL classes, call for times.

Conversational English schools in many Baptist churches, language worship services in 20 languages offered within the state. The Department has a complete listing of services in languages other than English and a list of Baptist churches offering free conversational English classes and citizenship classes. An Ethnic Talent Bank system is maintained for referrals to other cross-cultural and language resources and people within the state.
English as a Second Language Resources in the Atlanta Region

Atlanta Regional Commission
Community Services Planning Division
40 Courtland Street, NE 404-463-3100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-463-3205 fax
Have published a directory on English as a Second Language resources and classes. To order, call 404-364-2500.

ESL Instruction & Consulting, Inc.
Sandra Angone, Director 770-457-7071
3855 Presidential Parkway, Suite 100 770-457-7180 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30340
info@eslinstruction.com
www.esllanguageschool.com
ESL Instruction & Consulting, Inc. is a private English as a second language school for adults serving the academic international community.

Even Start Family Literacy Program
Suzanne Kennedy, Director 706-357-5315
PO Box 1708
Athens, Georgia 30601
kennedys@clarke.k12.ga.us
Free English classes to adults with children from birth to seven years of age.

First Baptist Church of Marietta
148 Church Street 770-424-8326
Marietta, Georgia 30060 770-499-1108 fax
kdyer@mariettafbc.com
www.mariettafbc.org
ESOL classes are held on Thursdays Sept–May.

First Baptist Church of Norcross
706 North Peachtree Street 770-448-2716
Norcross, Georgia 30071
www.norcrossfbc.org
ESOL classes are held.

First Baptist Church of Smyrna
Sue Abbey, Director of English Language Programs 770-435-3231
1275 Church Street SE 770-433-4940 fax
Smyrna, Georgia 30080
info@smyrnafirst.org
www.smyrnafirst.org
ESOL classes are held.

Fulton County Adult Literacy Program
Jacquelyn Davenport, Director 404-756-5153
1444 Lucile Avenue, SW 440-756-5156 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30310
Program serves Atlanta - Fulton County. Includes adult literacy and ESOL for 16 and older. All services are free of charge.
Georgia Department of Education - ESOL Program
Mary Beth Heyer, ESOL Program Specialist & Title III Director
1852 Twin Towers East 404-656-2067
205 Butler Street 404-651-8079 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30334
mbheyer@doe.k12.ga.us

--http://www.glc.k12.ga.us/pandp/esol/distcoord.htm--
The above URL will take you to an alphabetized list of all ESOL (English to Speakers of Other Languages) Coordinators by school district throughout the state of Georgia.

Georgia Department of Education
Migrant & Refugee Education Program
Mary Jo Crawford, Program Specialist 404-656-2030
1852 Twin Towers, East 404-651-8079 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30334
mjcrawfo@doe.k12.ga.us

Georgia Dept. of Technical and Adult Education
Adult Literacy Programs 404-679-1644
Dr. Jean Devard-Kemp 404-679-1700
Assistant Commissioner
1800 Century Place, Suite 400
Atlanta, Georgia 30345
jdevard@dtae.org or bizard@dtae.org
www.dtae.org
The Department provides and supervises adult ESOL and GED programs in Georgia. All three levels of adult literacy programs can be offered in Spanish. GED tests can be administered in Spanish, French, large print and audio cassette formats. Programming is available for legal aliens and special needs populations. A directory of adult literacy programs in the 37 service delivery areas of Georgia may be obtained from this office.

Georgia Institute of Technology
Distance Learning, Professional Education, and The Language Institute 404-679-1635
Charles Windish, Director 404-894-8755 fax
151 6th Street
O'Keefe Building, South Wing, 1st Floor
Atlanta, Georgia 30332-0374
charles.windish@esl.gatech.edu
www.conted.gatech.edu
Each academic session the Language Institute offers six levels of ESL classes. The program prepares foreign students in all the linguistic skills necessary for study in US universities. In addition, the program is open to business and professional people.

Georgia Southwestern State University
Center for Asian Studies
Dr. Don Chang Lee, Director 912-931-2346
Jo Espy, Assistant 912-931-2335 fax
Georgia Southwestern State University
Americus, Georgia 31709
dlee@canes.gsw.edu
ESL classes. Also facilitates Japanese language teachers teaching in American colleges and universities. Provides training and year-long internships for Japanese language teachers to teach in junior and high schools.
Georgia State University

Department of Applied Linguistics and English as a Second Language (ESL)
Dr. John Murphy, Director of Graduate Studies
34 Peachtree Street, 12th Floor 404-651-3650
Atlanta, Georgia 30302 404-651-3652 fax
patbyrd@gsu.edu or jmmurphy@gsu.edu
www.gsu.edu/~wwwesl/alesl/
The Department of Applied Linguistics and English as a Second Language is committed to excellence in the teaching of English to speakers of other languages and in other applications of applied linguistics theory to the solution of real world problems. This goal is achieved by providing instruction, support, and inspiration to those interested in applied linguistics in general and in the teaching of English as a second or foreign language in particular.

Department of Early Childhood Education
Dr. Ruth Hough 404-651-2584
Department MSIT 404-651-2546 fax
30 Pryor Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
Coordinates the graduate ESOL teaching endorsement course sequence as well as the MEd program in TESOL.

Gwinnett County Adult Education
Gwinnett Technical Institute
Fannie Parris 770-962-7580 ext. 216
Dean, Adult Education 770-338-7198 fax
5150 Sugarloaf Parkway, PO Box 1505
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046-1505
vferguson@gwinnett.tec.ga.us
www.gwinnettech.com/subpages/adulteducation/esl.asp
Free classes are open to immigrants, refugees and students with INS status. Day and evening classes are available. I-20s are not issued.

Indian Creek Baptist Church
Charlie Howell, Pastor 404-292-6500
3901 Rockbridge Road 404-292-7579 fax
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30083
ESOL classes are held.

Lanier Technical Institute
Adult Learning Center
Tina Schnepper, ESL Coordinator/Instructor 770-531-6417
4-1/2 Stallworth Street
Gainesville, Georgia 30542
Provide English classes and computer language lab to adults. Multicultural classes. Various levels.

Mell Baptist Association
Craig Nalls 229-386-0865
PO Box 1547 229-388-9786 fax
Tifton, Georgia 31793-1547
mellbaptist@mellbaptist.org
www.mellbaptist.org
Conversational English classes.
Migrant Head Start Center
Sara Van der Wansem, Assistant Director 912-769-3628
133 Serena Drive 912-769-3627
Norman Park, Georgia 31791 912-769-3182 fax
Has ESOL classes.

Murray County Adult Learning Center
Joe Jackson, Instructor 706-695-4641
PO Box 40 706-695-9103 fax
Chatsworth, Georgia 30705
ESL classes as well as GED preparatory work in Spanish.

Muscogee Adult Education Classes
Tillinghurst Adult Education Center
Jenny Murphree 706-685-7771
514 Morris Road 706-685-7773 fax
Columbus, Georgia 31906
ESL classes held.

Savannah Technical Institute
Karen Penick 912-351-4506
5717 White Bluff Road
Savannah, Georgia 31405-5594
ESL classes, including classes on conversation, grammar, reading and composition.

South Habersham Middle School
Mr. Larry Hill, Principal 706-778-7121
237 Old Athens Highway 706-778-2110 fax
Cornelia, Georgia 30531
Has ESL classes.

Southern Georgia Technical Institute
Adult Literacy
Jan Hobgood, Director 800-928-0283
1583 Southerfield Road 912 931-2732 fax
Americus, Georgia 31709
GED classes in Spanish.

World Relief Atlanta
Barbara Cocchi, Affiliate Director 404-294-4352
655 Village Square Dr. 404-294-6011 fax
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30083
WRAtlanta@wr.org or BCocchi@wr.org
http://atlanta.wr.org

- Lawrenceville Resettlement Office -
311 Scenic Highway, #2 770-338-5968
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045 770-338-1513 fax
ESOL classes offered year round.
Interpreters and Translators

Atlanta Association of Interpreters and Translators, Inc. (AAIT)

Mary Maloof, Bridges Editor
PO Box 12172
Atlanta, Georgia 30355
mmaloof@aait.org
www.aait.org

AAIT members include translators and interpreters from any specialized field in all major languages. The goals of the Association are to promote recognition of translating and interpreting as significant professions and to improve the standards and quality of language services. AAIT acts as liaison between international businesses in Atlanta and professional members who can provide translating and interpreting services. Free referral service. The AAIT also offers a database of professional interpreters and translators handling verbal and written communications in many languages.

Bilingual Crosscultural Communications

Yvonne de Wright
2519 Gravey Drive, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30345
ydwright@aol.com

First Baptist Church Hispanic Ministry

Pastor Esteban Guerra
100 E. 4th Street
Rome, Georgia 30161
email: este147123@aol.com
ESL classes on Wednesdays and Sundays. Has an interpreter program in Translation.

Georgia Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc. (GRID)

Cheryl Wren, President
GRID
PO Box 1452
Adairsville, Georgia 30103
cheriew@garid.org or sheilas@garid.org
www.garid.org

Georgia State University

Program in Translation and Interpretation

Dr. James Murray, Director
Deptartment of Modern and Classical Languages
One University Plaza
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

This is a five-quarter certificate program of Translation in French and Spanish. Classes are offered in the evening. A referral service is provided for firms requiring translation and interpretation.
Good Shepherd Services
Sr. Christine Truong, Program Director 770-455-9379
Mrs. Theresa Nguyen, Admin. Assistant 770-455-1230
2430 Shallowford Terrace 770-451-0156 fax
Chamblee, Georgia 30341
shepherdatlanta@bellsouth.net or mrssttn@yahoo.com
Outreach services to Vietnamese Community (especially north metro). We also offer translation and interpretation, information and referral.

Inlingua Centers
inlingua Atlanta
Catherine Hunt, Director 404-266-2661
3355 Lenox Road NE, Suite 500
Atlanta, Georgia 30326
atlanta@inlinguase.com or chunt@inlinguase.com
www.inlinguase.com/about/centers/atlanta
Inlingua International is the largest partnership of privately owned language centers in the world, providing practical communication solutions for individuals, businesses, and governments around the globe. With more than 300 centers worldwide, we are united by our superior teaching methods, our standard of excellence and our commitment to each and every student. Inlingua Southeast provides a world of language-related services designed to meet all of your translation, localization and multilingual typesetting needs.

Intermark Language Services
Richard McClary 770-444-3055
2555 Cumberland Parkway, Suite 295 770-444-3002 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30339
info@intermark-languages.com
www.intermark-languages.com
Intermark has been providing expert translations to law firms and businesses since 1995. Ranging from simple employment agreements to complete offering prospectuses for law firms and companies around the world.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JF+CS)
Translation Services
Rebekah Stone, Translation Services Coordinator 770-677-9461
4549 Chamblee Dunwoody Road 770-677-9402 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30338
translation@jfcs-atlanta.org
www.jfcs-atlanta.org
Translation Services assists social service agencies, employers and others in the community with both verbal interpretation and written translation needs.

LW Translation Services
M. Lourdes Wyly 770-622-4176
7185 Amberleigh Way
Duluth, Georgia 30097
lourdeswyly@atl.mediaone.net

Latin American Association
Asociación Latinoamericana
Teresa Rivero 404-638-1800
Director of Resource Development 404-638-1806 fax
2665 Buford Highway
Atlanta, Georgia 30324
The purpose of the Latin American Association is to provide translation and interpretation services, and Spanish classes.
Latin American Translators Network
Nora V. Valenzuela 404-634-2635
1970 Cliff Valley Way, NE, Suite 208 404-634-9683 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30329-2428
Translation and interpreter Services.

Medical and Court Interpreters
Hana Rafiq Tawfiq 404-501-9608
Provides medical and court related translation and interpretation in Kurdish, English, and Arabic.

Medical Interpreter Network of Georgia (M.I.N.G.)
c/o Georgia Mutual Assistance Association Consortium (GMAAC)
Susan Martorell, Director 404-296-5400
Fatana Pirzad, Program Manager 404-296-5874
4151 Memorial Drive, Suite 200D 404-296-0036 fax
Decatur, Georgia 30032

Northside Hospital
Andrea R. Henry, Interpretation Service Coordinator
1000 Johnson Ferry Road, NE 404-851-8267
Atlanta, GA 30342 404-851-8261 fax
andrea.henry@northside.com
www.northside.com

Professional Linguistics, Inc. Break the Language Barrier
Ms. Anh Puckett, President 770-973-0377
Marietta, Georgia 30062 770-973-2501 fax
Interpreters and translators. All languages. For legal depositions, court, medical services. Confidential.

Professional Translating Services, Inc.
191 Peachtree St., Suite 3300 404-255-7229
Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-255-7258 fax
sdiaz@protranslating.com 888-532-7887 toll free
www.protranslating.com
Translating all types of business materials, including operating manuals and training videos, providing simultaneous interpreting and equipment for multilingual meetings, creating language-specific multimedia presentations, and assisting with software localization.

Salvation Army, The
Sgt. Luis R. Viera 770-534-7589
Director Hispanic Ministry 770-534-7672 fax
PO Box 3130
Gainesville, Georgia 30503
Translation services.

Translation Station, Inc.
Ms. Phyllis Stallman 770-234-9387
P.O. Box 888775 770-234-0641 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30356
translation@mindspring.com
www.translation-station.com
We specialize in foreign language communications, accurate translation and interpretation services in approximately 130 languages and dialects.
Translator Solutions
Marilu Montalvo 770-482-2517
2830 Biscayne Drive 404-323-1904 cell
Conyers, Georgia 30012
m660-@quixnet.net

TransPerfect Translations
Kevin Obarski 404-525-7788
235 Peachtree Street, NE, 17th Floor 404-525-2808 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
atlanta@transperfect.com
www.transperfect.com
TransPerfect is one of the world's leading translation companies. With 19 offices on 3 continents, we provide a full range of language services in over 100 languages to multinational companies worldwide.

Unlimited International (Asian/Spanish/Russian Languages)
Tony Bui 770-451-6456
5164 Buford Highway, Suite B 770-451-4049 fax
Doraville, Georgia 30340
Translation and interpreter services focusing on Asian, Spanish, and Russian languages.

Velasco Language Services
Pablo Velasco 770-663-4042
5715 Sunset Maple Drive
Alpharetta, GA 30005
pvelasco@worldnet.att.net
Focussing on Spanish translation of Immigrant documents, etc.

For a complete listing of Interpreters and Translators, including lists by region and language, companies, and individuals professionally qualified to translate see the Georgia Department of Human Resources’ (DHR), Community Resource Guide - 2003. Compiled by Antonio Flores.
Contact: Antonio Flores
Georgia Dept. of Human Resources- Office of Communications
Two Peachtree Street, 29th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30303
404-657-4722 / aflores@dhr.georgia.gov
www.dhr.state.ga.us
Section X
Multicultural and International
Religious Services & Religious Organizations with Services and Activities for Internationals

Buddhist

**Atlanta Buddhism Association**
4791 North Sound
Marietta, Georgia 30066
404-516-8908

**Second Location:**
5383-D New Peachtree Rd.
Chamblee, Georgia 30341
770-972-6553
Tradition: Mahayana, Chinese

**Atlanta Center for Zen and the Arts**
292 S. Atlanta St., Suite F
Roswell, Georgia 30075
zen-info@acza.net
www.acza.net
Tradition: Rinzai Zen

**Atlanta Community Center**
5831 Riverdale Rd.
College Park, Georgia 30349
www.sgi-usa.org
Tradition: Soka Gakkai International

**Atlanta Meditation Center**
3552 Jones Mill Rd.
Atlanta, Georgia 30360
770-393-4259
770-393-4269 Fax
dhammakayaat@earthlink.net
www.members.tripod.com/dimcat/main.html
Tradition: Theravada, Thai

**Atlanta Shambhala Center**
Cara L. Thornley, Director
1447 Church Street
Decatur, Georgia 30030
shambhala@mindspring.com
www.shambhala.org(center)/atlanta
Founder: Chogyam Trungpa Rinpoche.
Tradition: tibetan, Kagyu lineage.

**Atlanta Soto Zen Center**
1167C Zonolite Place
Atlanta, Georgia 30306
aszc@mindspring.com
www.asztc.org
Tradition: Soto Zen.
**Atlanta Zen Group**  
Susan Culpepper  
5141 Northside Drive N.W.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30327  
susanculpepper@hotmail.com  
Tradition: Soto/Rinzai Zen  
Lineage: Phillip Kapleau, Bodhin Kjolhede  

**Black Fox Zendo**  
2908 Black Fox Drive  
Atlanta, Georgia 30345  
ireol@biology.emory.edu  
Tradition: Soto/Rinzai Zen  

**Breathing Heart Sangha**  
Marie Waters  
Atlanta and Athens, Georgia  
riknmari@mindspring.com  
Tradition: Vietnamese Zen  

**Buddhabuddies**  
Albany, Georgia  
tertiary@beliefnet.com  
http://buddhabuddies.org/satellite/albany.html  
Zen “for those with a non-traditional sexual orientation.” Buddhabuddies is a Les-Bi-Gay group of women and men from many religious and non-religious backgrounds.  

**Cambodian Buddhist Society**  
6533 Rock Springs Road  
Lithonia, Georgia 30058  
Tradition: Theravada, Cambodian  

**Chi Bo Temple & Chil Bo Sa**  
5516 Green Wing Place  
Lithonia, Georgia 30058  
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean.  

**Chua Cat-Tuong Temple**  
Vietnamese Buddhist Association of Savannah  
An Nguyen, President  
2619 US Highway 80  
Garden City, Georgia 31408  
WinTin@aol.com  
www.members.aol.com/wintin  
Tradition: Mahayana, Vietnamese.  

**Chua Quang-Minh**  
Vietnamese Buddhist Association of Georgia  
Thich Thein Thanh, Rev.  
1169 Benteen Ave. SE  
Atlanta, Georgia 30312  
Tradition: Mahayana, Vietnamese. Contact: Dr. Chuong Tran (President): 706-798-1102(home) or 706-737-4093(office) or Mr. Phone Le, Secretary: pv1@atlanta.ds.com.
**Dorje Ling**
3263 Shallowford Rd. 770-451-7715
Chamblee, Georgia 30341
info@jonang.org
www.jonang.org
Tradition: Tibetan, Jonang tradition.

**Drepung Loseling Institute**
2531 Briarcliff Rd., Suite 101 404-982-0051
Atlanta, Georgia 30329 404-982-0270 fax
institute@drepung.org
www.drepung.org
Tradition: Tibetan, Gelugpa

**Drepung Loseling Monastery**
2625 Piedmont Rd, Suite 56473 404-816-5510
Atlanta, Georgia 30324 404-816-4905 fax
info@drepung.org
www.drepung.org
Tradition: Tibetan, Gelugpa.

**Emory Zen**
Phil Hutto 404-727-5120
Emory University
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
pwh@matcs.emory.edu
www.cc.emory.edu/REL_LIFE/151.htm
Affiliation: Atlanta Soto Zen Center

**Georgia Buddhist Vihara**
1683 South Deshon Rd. 770-482-9913
Lithonia, Georgia 30058
ga@gbvihara.org
www.gbvihara.org
Tradition: Theravada, Sri Lankan

**Gum-Gang-Gyong-Dok-Song-Hwae**
2574 Spivey Court 404-991-4926
Jonesboro, Georgia 30236 404-627-4976 fax
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean

**Hwa Duk Temple & Hwa-Duk-Sa**
7621 Fielder Rd. 770-473-0427
Jonesboro, Georgia 30326
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean.

**International Zen Dojo Sogenkai Atlanta**
**Atlanta Center for Zen and the Arts**
Ginny Whitlaw
292F South Atlanta St. 770-955-4321
Roswell, Georgia 30075 770-649-8383 fax
gwhitelaw@www.bodylearning.com
www.bodylearning.com/zen
Tradition: Zen Rinzai.
Jun Dung Sa Buddhist Temple
900 Beaver Ruin Rd. 770-923-5375
Lilburn, Georgia 30047
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean.

Kim Cang Monastery
4771 Browns Mill Rd. 770-322-0712
Lithonia, Georgia 30038
www.kimcang.com
Tradition: Vietnamese Pure Land and Zen.

Laotian Buddhist Community Temple
Wat Lao Buddhamoongcoon
2325 Hillside Rd. 770-994-9270
Riverdale, Georgia 30296
BANRITH60@prodigy.net
Tradition: Theravada, Laotian.

Lao Wat Buddha Khanti of Atlanta
4052 Zoar Church Road 770-979-9375
Lithonia, Georgia 30058 770-979-9173 fax
www.laoatbuddha.qpg.com
Lao Wat Buddha Khanti of Atlanta is a Buddhist temple in the Lao denomination established in 1997. We have over 300 members and a variety of services and educational resources available. Every month we have a special Lao ceremony and we celebrate the Lao Universal New Year on April 15.

Losel Shedrup Ling
2531 Briarcliff Rd., Suite 101 404-982-0051
Atlanta, Georgia 30329
institute@drepung.org
www.drepung.org

Nichiren Buddhist Sangha
Marcus Barlow
175, 15th St. 404-892-7886
Atlanta, Georgia 30309
www.nichirensanghase.org
Tradition: Mahayana

Nipponzan Myohoji, Atlanta Dojo
127 Glenwood, Ave. SE 404-627-8948
Atlanta, Georgia 30316
atlantadojo@yahoo.com
Tradition: Mahayana.

Rameshori Buddhist Center
Gen Kelsang Mondrub, Teacher
260 Howard St., NE Unit #3 404-378-8599
Atlanta, Georgia 30317
info@MeditationForEveryone.org
www.MeditationForEveryone.org
Tradition: Tibetan, New Kadampa
Soka Gakkai International-USA (SGI-USA)
Samuel Kudamatsu 770-996-5178
Vice Executive Director Emeritis 770-996-6978 fax
5831 Riverdale Road
College Park, Georgia 30349
Soka Gakki International-USA (SGI-USA) is an American Buddhist movement that promotes peace and individual happiness based on the philosophy and practice of the Nichiren school of Mahayana Buddhism. Currently, we have 118 countries and are headed by SGI president Daisaku Ikeda.

Wat Buddhabucha
3094 Rainbow Dr. 404-284-2416
Decatur, Georgia 30034 404-286-3457 fax
Tradition: Theravada, Thai.

Wat Santidham
3917 Old Waynesboro Rd. 706-790-9374
Augusta, Georgia 30906 706-792-9002 fax
watsantidham@yahoo.com
www.home.beseen.com/cultures/watsan
Tradition: Theravada, Thai.

ZenSpace
Point Center Building
427 Moreland Ave., Suite 700
Atlanta, Georgia 30307
fred@zenspace.org (Frederick Rossini) 404-688-1299
janet@zenspace.org (Janet Cooke) 678-612-5076
www.zenspace.org
Tradition: Soto Zen.

Chinese
North Atlanta Chinese Baptist Church
Pastor Entzu Mao
2010 Roswell Rd. Apt. 29B1 770-565-2573
Marietta, Georgia 30068
entzu@bellsouth.net
Congregation meets on Sundays at 11:30 am, room 303, at Johnson Ferry Baptist Church, 955 Johnson Ferry Rd., Marietta, GA 30068. Childcare is available.

Christian
Atlanta Ministry with International Students, Inc. (AMIS)
Dr. Fahed Abu-Akel, Executive Director
1328 Peachtree Street, NE 404-228-7749
Atlanta, Georgia 30309-3902 404-228-7760 fax
amis-inc@mindspring.com
www.amis-inc.org
AMIS is a friendship and hospitality program on behalf of the Atlanta community to welcome the 5000 international students and scholars from 120 nations who are studying at the 20 colleges and universities in metro Atlanta. One program is the AMIGO program where 300 students and American families are matched to be friends. AMIS also sponsors a city tour, a welcome reception, a Thanksgiving day match-up and a Christmas International House.
Central Presbyterian Church
Sandra Ikner
Member, Global Mission Council
201 Washington Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
www.central-presbyterian.org
Central Presbyterian Church maintains ministries including a health center where routine medical, dental and pastoral counseling are offered. There is also a pharmacy, night shelter, weekday children’s program, Capitol Homes Ministry, food pantry, youth ministry and other programs available to internationals and others in the community.

Chestnut Drive Church of Christ
Geoffrey Giesmann
3545 Chestnut Dr.
Doraville, Georgia 30340

First Baptist Church of Atlanta International Department
4400 N. Peachtree Rd.
Atlanta, Georgia 30338
www.fba.org
The church offers several counseling services for internationals. It offers International Christian Fellowship (Spanish and Portuguese) on Sunday mornings.

Interfaith Airport Chaplaincy, Inc.
Chester R. Cook, Chaplain
Atlanta Hartsfield International Airport
PO Box 20801
Atlanta, Georgia 30320
The Interfaith Chapel is located in the airport atrium. The chaplaincy provides a pastoral ministry to people of all faiths and cooperates with Travelers Aid and USO.

Intown Community Church
Joe Laird, Rev.
2059 LaVista Rd.
Atlanta, Georgia 30329
ifc@intown.org or communicate@intown.org
www.intown.org
The International Friendship Community meets every Sunday at 12:30 pm for lunch, fellowship and worship. Intown English Classes are offered on Tuesday and Thursday nights at 7:15 pm.

Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church
Mr. Lewis Chiang
1150 Jefferson Avenue
East Point, Georgia 30344
Jubilee Partners
Blake Ortman
PO Box 68
Comer, Georgia 30629
jubileep@igc.org
www.jubileepartners.org
Jubilee Partners is an international Christian service community that helps to orient refugees (currently Kosovars to their new home in the US). ESL classes are offered. Refugees are referred by several non-government organizations.
North Avenue Presbyterian Church World Outreach
Prakobb Deetanna, Rev.
607 Peachtree Street NE 404-875-0431
Atlanta, Georgia 30308 404-875-4069 fax
Dr. Deetanna heads an extensive pioneer ministry with international students, refugees, and immigrants. The international Sunday school, international Christmas pageant, world missions conference, international buffet, educational, religious and friendship programs built during the past 15 years represent over 120 countries and are the fruit of fellowship that bridges cross-cultural communication.

Salvation Army, The
Alan Gonzalez, Auxiliary Captain
Director Hispanic Ministry 770-534-7589
PO Box 3130 770-534-7672 Fax
Gainesville, Georgia 30503
Translation services. Referral to other agencies for food, clothes, counseling, housing, jobs, etc.

Villa International Atlanta
A Ministry of the Christian Community
Janice Clotfelter, Co-Director 404-633-6783
1749 Clifton Road, N.E. 404-248-9315 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30329
www.villa-atl.org
info@villa-atl.org or janice@villa-atl.org
A Ministry of housing and hospitality by the Christian Community for International Visitors.

Wieuca Road Baptist Church
Bobby Worrow, Rev.
Director of Internationals
3626 Peachtree Road 404-814-4460
Atlanta, Georgia 30326 404-814-4468 fax

Ethiopian
Sealite Miheret Kidist Mariam Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahido Church (Ethiopian Orthodox Church)
Abate Zewdie, President
266 Robin Street / P.O. Box 1412 404-377-2238
Decatur, Georgia 30031

German
German Church Atlanta
Joern Foth, Pastor
731 Peachtree St. NE 404-817-0600
Atlanta, Georgia 30308 404-817-8005 fax
German_church_atlanta@juno.com
www.churchvergnuegen.org
Service-worship every Sunday at 5:00 pm. Baptisms, weddings, funerals, children’s church, toddler groups, choir, and lectures.
Greek

St. Elias Antiochan Orthodox Church
Joseph Samaan, Father
2045 Ponce de Leon Avenue 404-378-8191
Atlanta, Georgia 30307 404-378-8010 fax
www.steliasofatlanta.org
The church holds an annual Middle Eastern Festival, featuring their own dance group, professional Lebanese musicians, and native food.
Sunday school follows services every Sunday at 10:30am. The church consists of several hundred Americans of all ages, races and cultural backgrounds.

Haitian

Haitian Ministry Theophile Church In Christ Inc.
Rev. Roland Joseph 404-624-9432
930 Custer Ave. 770-474-8203
Atlanta, Georgia 30316 770-474-9416 fax
www.hmtcc.org
Non-Denominational
Wednesday: 9 am-12 pm Prayers, Friday: 7:30-9:30 pm Bible Study, Sunday: 8:45-9:45 am Sunday School, Sunday: 10-12:30 pm Worship Service, Sunday: 6-8 pm Worship Service

Hindu

BAPS Hindu Temple
Bochasanwasi Swaminarayan Sanstha
(Shri Akshar Purushottam Swaminarayan Hindu Temple)
3518 Clarkston Industrial Boulevard 404-297-0501
Clarkston, Georgia 30021 404-297-1834 fax
www.baps.org
Daily Aarti: 6:30 am-7:00 pm
Darshan Timings: M-F: 6:30 am-12:30 pm & 4:00 pm-8:30 pm
Sat-Sun: 6:30 am-8:30 pm

Hindu Temple of Atlanta, The
Narender Reddy, PR, Chairman Committee 770-907-7102
PO Box 741210 770-907-6080 fax
Riverdale, Georgia 30274-1210
www.hindutempleofatlanta.org
Providing religious services to Hindus living in the Southeast of America. Promoting the performing arts of classical music.

Hare Krishna Temple of Atlanta
Bala Bhadra
1287 S. Ponce de Leon Ave. NE 404-377-8680
Atlanta, Georgia 30306 404-377-8680 fax
bala108@earthlink.net
www.panihati.beliefnet.com
Hispanic/Spanish

Atlanta Spanish Congregation Jehovah’s Witness
258 West Wieuca Rd. 404-255-0030
Atlanta, Georgia 30342
Part of Kingdom Hall of Jehovah’s Witnesses.

Blackshear Place Baptist Church
Roberto Gama
3428 Atlanta Highway 770-534-7058
Flowery Branch, Georgia 30542 770-534-0199 fax
Worship in Spanish at 10:30 Sundays.

Christ the King Cathedral
Alvaro Avendano, Father
2699 Peachtree Rd. NE 404-233-2145
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
Mass for Hispanics every Sunday at 1:30 pm.

Church of God, State Offices
Victor Rodriguez, Pastor
6171 Buford Highway 770-448-9300
PO Box 47400
Doraville, Georgia 30340

Douglas Street United Methodist Church
Angela Gilreath-Rivers, Rev.
219 Douglas St. 770-382-2778
Cartersville, Georgia 30120 770-382-6667 home
dsumc@innerx.net 770-382-2636 fax
Hispanic ministry includes Sunday 8:30 am, multilingual children’s choir (grades 3-6) on Wednesdays, after school program, medical clinic, Bible study and adult choir. ESOL classes Tuesdays.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church
Refugio Onate, Father
2855 Briarcliff Road 404-636-1418
Atlanta, Georgia 30329 404-636-4394 fax
Sunday mass at 1:00pm.

Jehovah’s Witnesses
2300 Dunwoody Club Dr. 770-396-7171
Dunwoody, Georgia 30350

Sacred Heart Church
Decon Enrique Galvis, Father
353 Peachtree St., NE 404-522-6800
Atlanta, Georgia 30308 404524-5440 fax
Special celebrations include Virgin of Guadalupe in December, the Three Wise Men in January, first communion in May and confirmation in April or May every other year.
Salvation Army, The
Alan Gonzalez, Auxiliary Captain
Director Hispanic Ministry 770-534-7589
PO Box 3130 770-534-7672 fax
Gainesville, Georgia 30503
Translation services. Referral to other agencies for food, clothes, counseling, housing, jobs, etc.

Second Ponce de Leon Baptist Church
Reverend Silverio Domingo
2715 Peachtree Road 404-266-8111
Atlanta, Georgia 30305 404-261-6593 fax

Shallowford Presbyterian Church Congregación Hispana
Waldo Pinilla, Rev. 404-327-7525
2375 Shallowford Rd. 404-321-1844
Atlanta, Georgia 30345

St. Francis Catholic Church
Reverend Peter McKeown, M.S. 770-382-4549
850 Douthit Ferry Road
PO Box 2048
Cartersville, Georgia 30120-1685
Hispanic mass Sundays 3:00pm.

St. John Neumann Catholic Church
Norberto Mateus, Father
801 Tom Smith Road 770-923-6633
Lilburn, Georgia 30047 770-381-7856 fax
Spanish Mass Sundays at 1:30pm.

St. Jude Catholic Church
Sebtian Andrade, Father
7171 Glenridge Drive, NE 770-394-3896
Atlanta, Georgia 30328 770-399-7866 fax
Spanish Mass Sundays 1:30pm.

St. Michael’s Catholic Church
Victor J. Reyes, Pastor
Francisco Estrada, Vicar
1440 Pearce Circle 770-534-3338
Gainesville, Georgia 30501
Spanish mass Mondays at 7pm, Sundays 1 pm and 6pm, Thursdays 7pm.

St. Patrick’s Catholic Church
Hernan Quevedo, Father
2140 Beaver Ruin Road 770-448-2028
Norcross, Georgia 30071 770-448-7046 fax
Spanish Mass Saturdays at 6:30pm, Sundays at 6:30pm and Mondays at 7pm

St. Paul’s Catholic Church
Dan O’Connell, Father
523 E. Ward Street 912-384-3560
Douglas, Georgia 31533-3912 912-383-0779 fax
Hispanic mass Saturdays 7:30pm. ESL classes.
St. Philip Benizi Catholic Church
Petro Olivera, Father
591 Flint River Road 770-478-0178
Jonesboro, Georgia 30238 770-471-2079 fax
Spanish Mass Sundays 12:30pm.

Japanese

Mahikari Sukyo (Mahikari Center)
Kevin Satratmann
539 Medlock Rd. 404-371-8002
Decatur, GA  30030 404-371-9306 fax
Mahikari is a worldwide spiritual movement founded in 1959 by Kotama Okada. Its headquarters is in Takayama City, Gifu, Prefecture, Japan. Mahikari no waza (spiritual purification) is practiced by initiates.

Westminster Japanese Church
Tsuneyoshi, Rev.
11450 Bowen Road 770-594-1382
Roswell, Georgia 30075 770-594-1382 fax

Judaism

Adas Yeshurun Synagogue
PO Box 3252 706-733-9491
Augusta, Georgia 30904 706-733-1651 fax
adaysushurun@hotmail.com
www.aysaugusta.org

Anshi S’fard Congregation
1324 North Highland Ave. NE 404-874-4513
Atlanta, Georgia 30306

Atlanta YAD: The Jewish Young Adult Agency
Jessica Dickson
732 Gatewood Rd. 404-727-6490
Atlanta, Georgia 30329 404-727-2087 Fax
www.atlantayad.org
Atlanta YAD embraces the richness of the Jewish heritage by organizing and supporting religious, cultural, political, social and Israel-related programs that enhance the quality of Jewish life on nine Atlanta metropolitan college campuses. As a nondenominational organization, undergraduate and graduate students as well as faculty and staff from any metro college are welcome to participate in all programs and activities on any area campus.

Chabad Of Alpharetta
10180 Jones Bridge Road 770-410-9000
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022 770-410-9017 fax
info@chabadalpha.org
www.chabadalpha.org
Serving the North Fulton Community with educational and outreach programs.
Chabad Intown
Rabbi Eliyahu Schusterman
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Congregation Anshei Chesed
5280 High Point Rd. NE 404-303-8954
Atlanta, Georgia 30342
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www.atlchai.org/community-org/anshei

Congregation Beth Jacob
Avraham Liteman, Executive Director 404-633-0551
1855 LaVista Road, NE 4404-320-7912 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30329
admin@bethjacobatlanta.org
Orthodox Synagogue

Congregation Etz Chaim
Norman Radow, President 770-973-0137
1190 Indian Hills Parkway 770-977-0829 fax
Marietta, Georgia 30068
Sally@EtzChaim.net
www.etzchaim.net

Congregation Gesher L'Torah
4320 Kimball Bridge Road 770-777-4009
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022
info@gltorah.org
www.gltorah.org

Congregation Or Veshalom
1681 North Druid Hills Road, NE 404-633-1737
Atlanta, Georgia 30319 404-633-5938 fax
marilyn.dickstein@orveshalom.com
www.orveshalom.com

Congregation Sha'arey Israel
611 First Street 478-745-4571
Macon, Georgia 31201 478-745-5892 fax
csi-info@csimacon.org
www.csimacon.org

Congregation Shearith Israel
2550 Wynnton Road 706-323-1443
Columbus, Georgia 31906 706-323-2507 fax
goldy@knology.net
www.uscj.org/soeast/columbus/Index.htm
**Savannah Jewish Federation**  
Moises Paz, Executive Director  
PO Box 23527  
Savannah, Georgia 31403  
912-355-8111  
912-355-8116 fax  
Community planning organization for the Jewish community that also works on establishing good working relationships with all other segments of the general community.

**Temple Beth-El Synagogue**  
501 Valley Drive  
Dalton, Georgia 30720  
706-278-6798

**Korean**

**Korean Congregation Jehovah’s Witnesses**  
Dunwoody South Kingdom Hall  
Jerry Beck  
2300 Dunwoody Club Dr.  
Dunwoody, Georgia 30038  
770-396-7171

**Korean First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta**  
Sam Jung Suh, Minister  
6175 Lawrenceville Highway  
Tucker, Georgia 30084  
770-934-8282  
770-934-8244 fax

**Korean Unite Methodist Church**  
Song Chung’ Seop, Rev.  
16 West Peachtree, NW  
Norcross, Georgia 30071  
770-449-1788

**Laotian**

**Eastside Baptist Church**  
Harry Busby  
170 Upper Riverdale Rd.  
Riverdale, Georgia 30274  
770-991-2076  
770-991-0880 fax

**First Baptist Church of Jonesboro**  
Kykham Keopinsavang, Rev.  
Box 773  
Jonesboro, Georgia 30237  
770-478-6710  
770-473-0539 fax  
Sunday worship service 10:30 am.  
Sunday school 9:30 am.

**First Baptist Church of Marietta**  
Mr. A.B. Pervis  
148 Church St.  
Marietta, Georgia 30060  
770-424-8326  
770-499-1108 fax

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Dr. James Oudom, Pastor  
P.O. Box 165  
Corneliz, Georgia 30531  
706-778-2822  
706-776-3626 fax  
Serving the Lao Community: Sunday School 10:00-10:45 am.  
Lao Worship 11:00-12:00pm.
Morningside Baptist Church
1005 East Gwinnett St. 912-233-3517
Savannah, Georgia 31404

Lebanese

St. Elias Antiochan Orthodox Church
Joesph Samaan, Father
2045 Ponce de Leon Ave. 404-378-8191
Atlanta, Georgia 30307 404-378-8010 fax
www.steliasofatlanta.org

Liberian

Northwoods United Methodist Church
Zack Martin, Rev.
2635 Fairlane Dr. 770-457-4576
Doraville, Georgia 30340

Muslim

Al-Farooq Masjid of Atlanta
442 Fourteenth St. 404-874-7521
Atlanta, Georgia 30318 404-874-7764
www.alfarooqmasjid.org

Atlanta Masjid of Al-Islam
Plemon el-Amin
560 Fayetteville Rd. 404-378-1600
Atlanta, Georgia 30316 404-377-0043 fax
www.atlantamasjid.com

Georgia Islamic Institute
265 Langley Drive 770-962-1568
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30246

Islamic Center of Dalton
P.O. Box 1545 706-226-9841
Dalton, Georgia 30720 706-226-9841 fax

Masjid Al-Muminun
Imam Furqan a Muhammad
1127 Hank Arron Blvd. 404-586-9562
Atlanta, Georgia 30315 404-586-0759 fax

Masjid An Nur
2618 MaxCleland Blvd., Suite S 770-484-8898
Lithonia, Georgia 30058

Masjid Muhammad
315 N. 3rd Street
Griffin, Georgia 30223
Palestinian

St. Elias Antiochan Orthodox Church
Joseph Samaan, Father
2045 Ponce de Leon Ave. 404-378-8191
Atlanta, Georgia 30307 404-378-8010 fax

Persian

Persian Community Church
Northside Community Evangelical Free Church
Ken Temple
5185 Peachtree Dunwoody Rd. 404-556-7000
Atlanta, Georgia 30342

Philippine

Philippine International Bible Church
Clarkston Baptist Church
Kenneth Tan, Rev.
3895 Church St. 404-296-6483
Clarkston, Georgia 30021 404-296-3902 fax

Russian Orthodox

St. Mary of Egypt Orthodox Church
John Townsend, Rev.
925 Beaver Ruin Rd. 770-923-7790
Norcross, Georgia 30093-4802

Sikh

Sikh Study Circle, Inc.
1821 S. Hairston Rd. 770-808-6320
Stone Mountain, Georgia 30088
The study circle has been in existence since 1981.

Syrian

St. Elias Antiochan Orthodox Church
Father Joseph Samaan 404-378-8191
Pastor and Priest rectory 404-378-8010 fax
2045 Ponce de Leon Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30307
www.steliasofatlanta.org
steliasofatlanta@yahoo.com
Saturday: 6 pm Vespers and Confession, Sundays: 9:15 am Orthros, 9:15-10:30 am Confession, 10:30 am Divine Liturgy
Tenrikyo

Tenrikyo Hon-ai, Atlanta Fellowship
Keiji Sakakura
332 Breezy Drive 770-429-9288
Marietta, Georgia 30064 323-261-3679 L.A. HQ
www.tenrikyo.or.jp

Tenrikyo is a religion based on divine revelation to Miki Nakayama in 1838. Its world headquarters is in Tenri, Japan. Its sacred texts are Ofudesaki and Osashizu. Daily morning and evening services are held in Japanese at a shrine at this location. A monthly meeting includes sacred dancing.

Vietnamese

First Alliance Church
Tin Trung Do 404-634-1209
2512 North Druid Hills Road 404-634-2707 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30329

First Baptist Church
Joe Phouc Tu, Rev.
751 Green Street NW 770-534-7354
Gainesville, Georgia 30501 770-532-8861 fax
Sunday school at 9:30am, worship at 11:00am.

Holy Cross Catholic Church
Peter Duc Vu, Father
3175 Hathaway Court, NE 770-939-3501
Atlanta, Georgia 30341 770-723-7013 fax
Sunday Mass 12:30pm.

Savannah Vietnamese Baptist Church
Luong Nguyen, Rev. 912-233-3517
Luong Kim Nguyen, Rev. 912-233-4963
1805 East Gwinnett Street.
Savannah, Georgia 31404

Missions

Christian

Chattahoochee Valley Episcopal Ministry (CVEM)
Valley Interaction Ministries (VIM)
Vicky B. Partin, Lay Missioner 706-327-2836
PO Box 5811
Columbus, Georgia 31906

Valley Interaction Ministries is an interfaith, multiracial, community-based organization seeking to bring different people and diverse religions into interaction and ministry. Seminars on cultural diversity and prejudice reduction, and much more. The CVEM also offers Hispanic citizenship classes.
Georgia Baptist Convention Collegiate Ministries
Dr. Joe Graham 770-455-0404
2930 Flowers Road, South 770-452-6578 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30341
jgraham@gabaptist.org
www.gabaptist.org
Collegiate Ministries is a denominational religious organization sponsoring statewide activities including several international student events. Registration and reservations for these meetings are through the various Baptist Student Unions on college campuses throughout Georgia. The Baptist Student Union organizations on many local college campuses sponsor international student activities that are open to all international students. Call the BSU office on campus for details.

Georgia Baptist Convention Language Missions Department
2930 Flowers Road, South 770-452-6577 fax
Atlanta Georgia 30341
Mary H. Cates Dolvin, Literacy Consultant 770-448-3148
433 South Peachtree Street 770-448-3148 fax
Norcross, Georgia 30071
www.gabaptist.org
Conversational English schools in many Baptist churches, International Bible studies in related locations, language worship services in 20 languages offered within the state. The Department has a complete listing of services in languages other than English and a list of Baptist churches offering free conversational English classes and citizenship classes. An Ethnic Talent Bank system is maintained for referrals to other cross-cultural and language resources and people within the state.

InterFACE Ministries, Inc.
Dr. Robert Culver, President 770-934-7797
P. O. Box 450816 770-934-7729 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 31145
office@iface.org
www.iface.org
InterFACE Ministries is a nonprofit organization, which networks international students and scholars with culturally sensitive Americans who enjoy cross-cultural friendships and the open exchange of ideas. Just as computers need to interface in order to communicate, we from around the world should be encouraged to connect with one another to learn more about our world and our Creator. As a Christian organization, InterFACE advocates purity of motives, clarity in purpose, and honesty in intention.

North American Mission Board
Sandy Wood, Ministries Coordinator 770-410-6343
4200 North Point Parkway 770-410-6008 fax
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022-4176
www.namb.net
The Atlanta Baptist Association coordinates the efforts of all Southern Baptist Churches that minister to internationals. Such activities include conversational English classes, crafts, cooking, preschool day care, refugee resettlement and worship services. Other activities include social services, food, clothing and financial assistance. Translation is also available upon request.

Our Lady of the Americas Mission
Richard Young, Father 770-454-8437
5918 New Peachtree Road 770-454-9895 fax
Doraville, Georgia 30340
Services include newcomer and immigrant assistance, English classes, job information, religious activities and more.
Hispanic/Spanish

First Baptist Church Hispanic Ministry
Esteban Guerra, Pastor
2200 Redman Circle 706-291-7759
Rome, Georgia 30165
Sunday School 9:45, worship 11:00am Sundays. ESL classes on Wednesdays and Mondays. Spanish classes on Mondays and Wednesdays at 6:45. Youth meeting Sundays at 5:00. Has an interpreter.

West Rome United Methodist Church Hispanic Ministries
Olga Mercado Rodriguez
PO Box 2247 706-234-6214
Rome, Georgia 30164-2247
Olga Mercado Rodriguez works within three parishes with Hispanic Ministries. Cedartown First Methodist (770-748-4731) and Carrollton First Methodist (770-832-7069).

Japanese

First Baptist Church of Peachtree City
Makihito Koyama, Japanese Minister 770-487-8133 ext 236
208 Willowbend Road 770-631-4400 fax
Peachtree City, GA 30269
www.fbcptc.org
makinhitok@fbcptc.org

Vietnamese

Vietnamese Baptist Mission of Marietta
Hau Le 770-437-9830
554 Schaffer Road
Marietta, Georgia 30060
lovephuc84@hotmail.com

Vietnamese Baptist Mission of Riverdale
Tinh Cao 770-471-8073
2195 Highway 138
Riverdale, Georgia 30296
770-996-5948 fax
Missionaries
Section XI
Consulates, Chambers of Commerce and Trade Organizations

Africa

**African Trade Commission, Inc.**
Dr. Martin Okarfor, Sr. Vice President of Admin/Finance
P.O. Box 81027 770-849-9689
Atlanta, Georgia 81027 770-849-0829 fax
africantrade@mindspring.com
www.africantrade Commission.com

**North African Business Council (Algeria, Tunisia, Morocco)**
Bachir Mihoubi, President 770-353-3317
419 Allison Drive 404-226-1130 cell
Atlanta, Georgia 30342 770-353-3312 fax
bmihoubi@afce.com

Argentina

**Consulate General of Argentina**
Natalio Jamer, Consul General 404-880-0805
245 Peachtree Center Avenue 404-880-0806 fax
Marquis One Tower, Suite 2101
Atlanta, Georgia 30338
atlarg@winstarmail.com
www.consuladoargentinoatlanta.org

Aruba

**Aruba Tourism Authority**
Vernon Vrolijk 404-892-7822
Regional Representative 404-873-2193 fax
1001 Garden View Dr., Suite 418
Atlanta, Georgia 30319
ata.atlanta@aruba.com
www.aruba.com

Asia

**Asian American Chamber of Commerce of Georgia, Inc.**
John J. Lee, President 770-452-0366
5455 Buford Highway, Suite B-203 770-452-0466 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30340
The AACC promotes the economic growth, development, and international trade among Asian American businesses. The Asian American Economic Center serves as a liaison between U.S. and Asian small businesses.
Georgia Commission on Asian American Affairs
Lani L. Wong, Chairperson 770-394-6542
5483 Redbark Way 770-394-9911
Dunwoody, Georgia 30338
laniwong@directvinternet.com
Serves as the advisory body to the Governor on matters relating to the Asian American population of GA. Promotes the coordination of programs and services of state, federal, and local governments, and private agencies which affect the Asian American population.

Atlanta

Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce
Abby Smith 404-586-8460
International Coordinator 404-586-8464 fax
235 Andrew Young International Boulevard NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
www.metroatlantachamber.com

Atlanta Consular Corps
Mrs. Louise Suggs 404-659-7560
Honorary Member and Secretary 404-656-3567 fax
Cain Tower, Suite 617
229 Peachtree Street, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

The World Trade Center Atlanta
Elizabeth Riddle, Executive Director 404-880-1550
Suntrust Plaza, Suite 100 404-880-1555 fax
303 Peachtree Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30308-3252
wtcatl@mindspring.com
www.wtcatlanta.com

The purpose of the Center is to enable its members to meet and through their business and social relations to promote and foster the expansion of world trade. The Center is a part of a worldwide network. International speaker programs are sponsored, as well as other services that help members to exchange information and build better business relationships.

Australia

Australian American Chamber of Commerce
Carol Snellen, Executive Director 678-686-4747
6332 Roswell Rd. 770-565-3518 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
carolsnell@aol.com

Australian Consulate General & Australian Trade Commission
David Cook 404-760-3400
One Buckhead Plaza, Suite 970 404-760-3401 fax
3060 Peachtree Road, NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30305
www.austrade.gov.au
Australian New Zealand American Chamber of Commerce (ANZACC)
Anne Brown, Executive Director 770-591-6659
P.O. Box 18805
Atlanta, Georgia 31166
www.anzaccga.eboard.com

Austria
Austrian Consulate
Ferdinand C. Seefried 404-264-9858
Honorary Consul General 404-266-3864 fax
4200 Northside Parkway NW
Building 1, Suite 300
Atlanta, Georgia 30327
ferdinals@seefriedproperties.com

Austrian Trade Commission (Southern Region Office)
Bruno Freytag, Trade Commissioner 404-995-9347
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4200 Northside Parkway, NW
Building 1 Suite 300
Atlanta, Georgia 30327
atc_atl@bellsouth.net
www.austriantrade.org & www.austriantradeus.org

Barbados
Barbados National Association of Atlanta
Les Burnett, National Chairman 404-365-8377
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nabo_usa@hotmail.com
www.nabo.homepage.com
Passport information only, can not issue passports.

Belgium
Belgian American Chamber of Commerce
Werner Boel, Executive Director 404-870-8085
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wboel@bellsouth.net

Consulate General of Belgium
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Peachtree Center, North Tower, Suite 2710 404-659-8474 fax
230 Peachtree Street, NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30355
Atlanta@diplobel.org or consubelatlanat@mindspring.com
www.diplobel.us or www.belgium.com
Flanders Export Promotion Agency
Piet Morisse, Trade Commissioner 404-659-9611
Diane Muse, Trade Assistant 404-659-9461 fax
North Tower, Suite 810
235 Peachtree Street, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
vlev.atlanta@attglobal.net

Wallonia Trade Commission
c/o Consulate General of Belgium
Michel Bricteux, Trade Commissioner 404-584-2002
North Tower, Suite 820 404-584-2004 fax
235 Peachtree Street, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
awexatlanta@compuserve.com
awex.wallonie.be/awex/FR/

Bermuda
Government Department of Tourism
Garth Z. Peters, Regional Director 404-524-1541
245 Peachtree Center Ave., Suite 803 404-586-9933 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
broughton@bermudatourism.com
www.bermudatourism.com

Bolivia
Honorary Bolivian Consulate General
George Hendelsman 404-522-0777
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1401 Peachtree St., Suite 240
Atlanta, Georgia 30309
lawbolina@aol.com

Brazil
Brazilian American Chamber of Commerce
Lucia Jennins, President 404-880-1551
P.O. Box 93411 404-880-1555 fax
Atlanta, Georgia 30377
info@bacc-ga.com
www.bacc-ga.com
Canada

**Canadian American Society**

Donna Murley, Executive Director 404-261-7070  
1188 Dorby Park Drive 404-261-3600 fax  
Atlanta, Georgia 30319  
donna@imagekeepers.net  
www.canamsociety.org

The Canadian American Society is a nonprofit association of approximately 200 members who are involved with promoting trade, commerce and friendship between Canada and the US. The society members organize both business and social forums between Canadian and American business people whose work involves trade and investment between Southern US and Canada.

**Canadian Consulate General /Consulat General du Canada**

Astrid Pregel, Consul General 404-532-2000  
Greg Goldhawk, Deputy Consul General 404-532-2050 fax  
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1175 Peachtree Street, NE  
100 Colony Square, Suite 1700  
Atlanta, Georgia 30361-6205  
atnta@dfait-maeci.gc.ca  
www.dfait-maeci.gc.ca/atlanta

**Quebec Trade Office**

Louise Fortin & Virginia Rand Hill 404-815-4979  
International Marketing Managers 404-815-6664 fax  
1170 Peachtree St., NE Suite 250  
Atlanta, Georgia 30309  
louise.fortin@mri.gouv.qc.ca & virginia.rand-hill@mri.gouv.qc.ca  
qc.atlanta@mri.gouv.qc.ca  

Foreign Trade Office representing the Government of Quebec in the Southeast. Helps promote the exporting of Quebec products to the Southeast US.

Cayman Islands

**Cayman Islands Department of Tourism**

Joan Christopher 770-934-3959  
District Sales Manager 770-934-2990 fax  
PO Box 941455  
Atlanta, Georgia 31141

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