

## Academic Master Plan Forecast (Fall 2025 Update)

### New Academic Programs and Expansions

**AY 2025–2026**

**Launch: Fall 2025**

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (BIS)	All	Face-to-Face & Online	Consolidation of BA/BS Interdisciplinary Studies; new CIP; aligns with USG peers.
ASN Cohort Expansion	Warner Robins	Face-to-Face	Adds new cohort to meet regional workforce demand.
Bachelor of Science in Applied Artificial Intelligence	Warner Robins	Face-to-Face	Industry-aligned AI degree with concentrations in Data Science, Advanced AI, and Project Leadership.

**Launch: Spring 2026**

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Accelerated BSN Cohort	Multi-campus rotation	Face-to-Face	17-month accelerated pathway; responds to nursing shortage.
Air Traffic Control Tower Operator (CTO) Certificate	Eastman	Face-to-Face	FAA-aligned certification program.

**AY 2026–2027**

**Launch: Fall 2026**

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Associate of Science in Physical Therapist Assistant	Dublin	Face-to-Face	CAPTE-accredited; Fall 2026 start with 15-student cohort.
Embedded Certificate in Supply Chain Management	Within BSBA	Face-to-Face/Online	Embedded certificate; no additional credit hours.

**AY 2028–2029**

**Launch: Fall 2028**

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) (BSN–MSN)	Online	Online	Requires ACEN Substantive Change; on hold pending faculty examination.

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Master of Social Work (MSW)	Macon	Face-to-Face	Integrative practice focus; CSWE accreditation planned.

### AY 2029–2030

#### Launch: Fall 2029

Program	Campus	Delivery	Notes
Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)	Dublin	Face-to-Face	Builds on PTA; CAPTE approval required.
Post-BSN to Doctor of Nursing Practice (BSN–DNP)	Online	Online	Focuses on AGACNP; aligns with AACN competencies.
Master of Public Health (MPH)	Online	Online	Public health and community impact emphasis.

#### Policy Development (AY 2025–2026) Under Review:

- Right of Refusal
- Deferral Policy
- Student Code of Conduct (Graduate)
- Admissions Appeal Requests
- Advising and Registration
- Time Limits for Completion of Graduate Degrees
- K Credit for Language Courses
- Program Change and Application Change Requests
- Provisional Admission
- Dual Major, Double Major, Second Bachelor's Degree

#### Planned Program Deactivations

- BS in Political Science
- AA in Modern (Foreign) Language
- EU Studies Certificate
- Unmanned Aerial Systems Certificate
- Certificate in Logistics Management

#### Collaborative Academic Arrangements

- Existing: eCampus, eCore, eMajor, USG Goes Global, Georgia FinTech Academy, Georgia Film Consortium, RN-BSN Collaborative.
- Proposed: USG BS Mathematics Collaborative (2026–2027 Catalog inclusion)

#### USG Initiatives

- USG Career-Focused Micro-credentials

#### MGA Examinations

- Certificate in Foreign Language
- MS in Psychology
- BS in Aerospace Safety (Data Analytics Focus)