



FACULTY & STAFF CONVOCATION
Recreation & Wellness Center – Macon Campus
THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 2026

- 8:00 AM** **BUSES DEPART FROM COCHRAN**
- 9:00 AM** **COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (OPENS AT 8:45 AM)**
Location: Recreation & Wellness Center
Light breakfast and refreshments available upon arrival
- 9:20 AM** **SECURE YOUR SEAT**
- 9:30 AM** **CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTION OF CONVOCATION, WELCOME, INTRO TO PRES. BLAKE**
Location: Recreation & Wellness Center
- 9:35 AM** **PRESIDENT BLAKE TAKES THE STAGE**
- 9:40 AM** **PRESIDENT’S ADDRESS**
- 10:20 AM** **BREAK**
- 10:45 AM** **CHRO PAM BOOKER TAKES THE STAGE AND PRESENTS SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES**
- 11:00 AM** **PROVOST JENKS TAKES THE STAGE AND PRESENTS FACULTY AWARDS**
- 11:15 AM** **VICE PRESIDENT AMANDA FUNCHES TAKES THE STAGE AND PRESENTS STAFF AWARDS**
- 11:30 AM** **ADJOURNMENT**
- 11:35 AM** **PRESIDENT BLAKE TAKE PHOTOS WITH FACULTY & STAFF AWARD WINNERS.**
- 11:40 AM** **PRESIDENT BLAKE TAKE PHOTOS WITH SERVICE ANNIVERSARY RECIPIENTS.**
- 11:45 AM** **PICNIC LUNCH**
- 1:00-1:20 PM** **OPTIONAL INFORMATION SESSION – THE NEW AMERICAN HISTORY BOTANICAL GARDEN – Jones building 102**
- 1:30 PM** **DIVISION MEETINGS**
Academic Affairs – Recreation & Wellness Center – 1:30
Finance & Operations – Math Auditorium – 1:30
Enrollment – Arts Theatre – 2:00
Student Affairs – TEB 368 – 1:30
Foundation/Advancement – SLC 136 – 2:00
Office of the President (all staff)– Executive Conference Room – 1:30
Institutional Planning & Strategy – TEB 231 – 2:45
- 4:00 PM** **BUSES DEPART FOR COCHRAN**
Location: Charles H. Jones Center parking lot