Georgia Southwestern State University has developed an Accelerated Graduate Program in Computer Science as a joint project with Shanghai Fisheries University (SFU) in China. Eleven students from SFU will begin taking classes at Georgia Southwestern State University Spring semester 2006. The College of Information Technology, SFU, has seen nearly a decade of development. In March 1996, SFU cooperated with Lenovo Group, a famous IT company in China, to establish the Lenovo Computer Science Institute. Considering the development of the IT industry, in June 1998, SFU decided to end the cooperation with Lenovo and establish the College of Computer Science. In January 2003, the University’s authorities integrated the Mathematics, Physics Department, and College of Computer Science into one, to optimize the teaching resources and to fine-tune the subject structure of SFU. Therefore, the present College of Information Technology came into being. The College is composed of three departments, two teaching and research groups and two labs; Computer Science and Technology Department, Information System and Information Management Department, Teaching and Research Group of Popular Computer Science (a common general knowledge course for all university students), Teaching and Research Group of Physics, Center Computer Lab and Physics lab.

**SPRING 2005 GRADUATES**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR GRADUATES!**

**Bachelor of Science Degree:**

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**Master of Science Degree:**


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**Outstanding Graduate:**

Marina Martin

**Outstanding Undergraduate:**

Jay Gilmore