UPDATE

Thanks to the combined efforts of the Dekalb Police Department, Atlanta Police Department and the Georgia Tech Police Department, the driver (22 year old female) and the suspect (13 year old male) were located, questioned and charged with the armed robbery described below. The pair were also charged by the Atlanta Police Department with a separate armed robbery that occurred off campus earlier in the day. They are not affiliated with the Institute.

Clery Act Safety Alert Armed Robbery

Incident Date/Time: February 28, 2020 at approximately 2:45 p.m.

Incident Location: Fourth Street between Williams Street and Spring Street, near the Tech Square Parking Deck

Incident Description: The victim was walking on Fourth Street towards Williams Street when the suspect approached her and displayed a handgun. The suspect demanded the victim's property and ran to a vehicle parked on Fourth Street. The vehicle was last seen headed east on Fifth Street towards Peachtree Street. The victim is a Georgia Tech student. There were no injuries reported.

Description of Suspect

Black male or female 18-25 years old Black hooded sweatshirt Black pants Armed with a handgun

Suspect Vehicle (see photo below)

1998 Black Honda Civic Georgia tag: RND4881 Vehicle has extensive damage to the driver's side



Status of Investigation: This incident is being investigated by the Georgia Tech Police Department. Report any information regarding this and other criminal incidents to Crime Stoppers Atlanta at 404-577-TIPS (8477).

See Something, Say Something

Report any information regarding this and other criminal incidents to the Georgia Tech Police Department (GTPD) by calling <u>404-894-2500</u> or by emailing <u>crimetips@police.gatech.edu</u>. In addition, you can help GTPD and the community fight crime. Don't look the other way or ignore suspicious activity. If you see something that prompts concern, say something and notify GTPD immediately.

Additional Safety Information for Georgia Tech

- Walk in well lit areas. To report inoperative exterior campus lighting, visit: <u>http://www.facilities.gatech.edu/om/requests/lighting.php</u>.
- Walk with a friend or in a group.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Immediately report suspicious activity to the Georgia Tech Police by calling <u>404-894-</u> <u>2500</u>. Program GTPD's number into your cell phone.
- For on campus transportation from 7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m., please request a ride at <u>Stingerette.com</u> or call 404-385-7433.
- Safety escorts are available through the Georgia Tech Police Department by calling <u>404-</u><u>894-2500</u> or 4-GTPD.
- Download the <u>LiveSafe</u> safety app for quick access to the Georgia Tech Police Department and other safety resources.

Clery Act Requirements

Federal law, the Clery Act, requires colleges and universities to report certain crime statistics as well as to make timely notifications about crimes that pose a threat to the community. The purpose of this alert is to help make you aware of crime so that you are able to take appropriate precautions. For more information, please visit <u>www.police.gatech.edu</u>.