

Institutional Perspective

USG Accessibility Symposium

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CREATING THE NEXT®

Understanding The Scope



- All Electronic and Information Technology
- Expectation of accessibility and usability vs. individual accommodations
- Shared Responsibility
- LMS and Course Materials
- Procurement-Contractual Accountability
- Investment in Education, Training, Resources and Knowledge Base

Institutional Support

- President's Committee on Disability and Access
- Office of Compliance Programs
- ADA Assessment and Transition Plan
- GT Accessibility Group
- Information Technology Accessibility Committee
- Extensive VPAT Process
- Collaboration on USER 1st Project
- Education and Training
- IT Accessibility Policy

It Accessibility Policy

Policy Owners:

Lori Sundal, DCIO

J. Denise Johnson Marshall,
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- ✓ Defines GT's standards
- ✓ Requirements
- ✓ Procurement
- ✓ Video Captioning and Audio Description
- ✓ Defines Legacy Products
- ✓ Provides definitions

Investment Of Time And Dollars



- Purchased and deployed tool to perform assistive device testing on web sites and web applications.
- Purchased and deployed tool to validate the response design of mobile web applications.
- Tested for accessibility and remediated 47,069+ pages with Cryptzone Compliance Sheriff® and Compliance Deputy® and other supporting accessibility tools.

Documents, Statements And Policies



- Developed and disseminated a working paper for Improving management of Section 508: *A Framework to Increase the Accessibility of Electronic and Information Technology at Georgia Tech.*
- Published Georgia Tech Bi-Annual Compliance Activity Report
- Created Template for Accessible VPAT
- Developed statement requiring accessibility-Computer Technology Request (CTR) website.
- GT Accessibility Statement
- IT Accessibility Policy

On-going Education And Training



- Annual sponsor/host of "Accessing Higher Ground Virtual Conference" for GT community members.
- Contracted with AMAC to provide accessibility training to staff.
- Provided training to 75 campus constituents on the use of Cryptzone Compliance Sheriff® and Compliance Deputy® and other accessibility tools.
- Phase 2 of training will focus on faculty and staff.