

Georgia Bankers Association
2015 Southern Operations and Technology School
May 3-8, 2015
The UGA Hotel and Conference Center at the Georgia Center, Athens

Application for Admission

Application Instructions

Applications may be submitted online at www.gabankers.com or by mail using this form to Georgia Bankers Association, 50 Hurt Plaza, SE, Suite 1050, Atlanta, GA 30303. You may email completed application to Angie Barber, GBA Registrar, at abarber@gabankers.com. Payment may be made by check (payable to the Georgia Bankers Association) or you may request for your bank to be invoiced. **Applications must be submitted by March 25, 2015 to guarantee a hotel room. Applications submitted between March 26 and the application deadline of April 17 are welcome, but we cannot guarantee a hotel room.** Contact Kathy Friestad at GBA with questions at kfriestad@gabankers.com or 404.420.2024.

Tuition Inclusions and Schedule

Tuition is \$1,875. Applicants may register and pay by Jan. 31, 2015, and receive the early bird tuition of \$1,750. Tuition includes: All instruction; supplemental materials; double occupancy accommodations for Sunday-Thursday nights at the UGA Hotel; daily breakfast and lunch; Welcome party on Sunday, May 3; daily refreshment breaks. Overnight parking in the UGA Conference Center Hotel deck is included with your hotel room. Students may request a private (single) room for a \$375 flat surcharge.

Applicant Information and Banking Experience

I have previously attended the GBA Southern Operations and Technology School. What year(s)? _____

Please enroll me as a: _____ First -Year Student _____ Second-Year Student (optional - returning for Bank Sim/Third Year Georgia Banking School)

Association Status: _____ GBA Member/Associate Member _____ Non-Member Institution*

**Applicants from member banks of other state associations may attend the school at the GBA member rate.*

Applicant's Name: _____ Nickname (for badge): _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

Current Position: _____

Bank: _____

Business Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

Email: _____

Total Years in Banking

____ Less than 5 years
____ 5 - 10 years
____ 11+ Years

Total Assets of Bank

____ \$1 - \$150 M
____ \$151 M - \$1.5 B
____ Over \$1.5 B

Educational Background

____ High School/GED _____ PhD
____ Bachelor's Degree
____ Master's Degree

Primary Banking Experience

____ Accounting
____ Auditing
____ Branch Banking Lending
____ Branch Banking Sales
____ Commercial Lending

____ Compliance
____ Consumer Lending
____ Credit Analysis
____ Data Processing
____ Information Technology

____ Marketing
____ Operations
____ Personnel/HR
____ Regulatory Agency
____ Security

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Please indicate below how you acquired a basic knowledge and understanding in the following areas:

Accounting (Basic concepts including the accounting cycle, special journals and subsidiary ledgers, payroll records and procedures, reporting operations results, the accrual basis of accounting; partnership and corporate accounting)

Principles of Banking (Basic concepts on history, economic and community environment of banking, documents and the language of banking, bank services, deposit function, check processing and collection, bank bookkeeping, bank loans and investments, trust department services, specialized services, bank regulations and examinations.

Check one or both: College Courses AIB
(classroom or online)
Specify Courses or Educational Activities: _____

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(classroom or online) _____
Specify Courses or Educational Activities: _____

Other Relevant Educational or Training Experience (Specify): _____

Housing Information

Please indicate housing preferences and requests below. Two students will be assigned per room. You may note a roommate request below or GBA will assign a roommate to you. You may request a single room for a flat \$375 surcharge. **The UGA Conference Hotel is a non-smoking hotel.**

I would like to share a room with: _____

Assign a roommate to me (double beds) Reserve a single room for me for an additional \$375.

Check all dietary restrictions or allergies. Kosher meals are not available.

Vegetarian Nuts Dairy Pork Shellfish Gluten/Wheat

Special hotel requests: _____

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Georgia Bankers Association will make all reasonable efforts to accommodate persons with disabilities at its programs. Contact Kathy Friestad at kfriestad@gabankers.com or 404.420.2024, with your request.

Nominating Officer Information (required for admission)

Nominating Officer Name: _____ Title: _____

Business Phone: _____ Email: _____

Tuition Payment Information

Circle the appropriate tuition amount, note single room surcharge (if applicable) and total the amount due. Check payment method and submit completed application to GBA, 50 Hurt Plaza, Suite 1050, Atlanta, GA 30303. You may email completed application to Angie Barber, GBA Registrar, at abarber@gabankers.com. Applicants who apply and pay in full by Jan.31, 2015 will receive early bird tuition. **Application deadline is April 17, 2015.**

Registration Category	Tuition (thru 1.31.15)	Tuition (2.1.15 thru 4.17.15)
Student	\$1,750	\$1,875
Single Room Surcharge	\$ 375	\$ 375
Total Amount Due:		

Payment Method: Check enclosed (payable to Georgia Bankers Association) Invoice my bank

I understand that, to qualify for graduation, I will be expected to attend all scheduled classes, prepare all assigned work, participate in classroom sessions, and satisfactorily complete the home study project. I hereby authorize the release of my grade to the GBA and my bank's CEO and/or nominating officer. This information is to be treated as part of my confidential personnel file.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nominating Officer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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