



**GEORGIAN COURT UNIVERSITY**  
**THE MERCY UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY**

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### **American Rescue Plan, 2021 (HEERF III)**

#### **Fourth Quarter Report Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students October 1, 2021 – December 31, 2021**

#### **QUARTERLY REPORT**

1. Georgian Court University has agreed to the terms of the Department's Certification and Agreement. The University intends to use the applicable amount of funds received under the ARP to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants.
2. Georgian Court University received **\$2,516,127** from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under the ARP as of December 31, 2021: **\$2,333,971**
4. The estimated total number of students at Georgian Court University eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and thus eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under the ARP: **1,796 students**
5. The total number of students (duplicated) who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under the ARP: **1,734 students**

6. The method(s) used by Georgian Court University to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under the ARP:

Block grants amounts were based on enrollment status, including full-time, part-time, three-quarter time, and less than full-time. Pell eligible income students received larger grant amounts per enrollment category than non-Pell eligible students. Funds were allocated for extreme hardship circumstances and required an application with substantiating documentation. Funds were prioritized for students who are Pell eligible and students who are low income, not Pell eligible.

7. Georgian Court University distributed the following instructions, directions, and guidance to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants:

Dear Student,

The enclosed check represents funds made available through the American Rescue Plan Act signed into law March of 2021 and included funds to assist students negatively impacted by the COVID-19 Pandemic. Emergency funding is intended to cover tuition, food, housing, health care, childcare, and other educational related expenses. Additional information can be found by going to: <https://georgian.edu/higher-education-emergency-relief-fund/>

If you have not already done so, please sign up for eRefunds for future refunds by logging into Self Service. This is a faster more secure way of receiving refunds directly into the bank account of your choice. To do so, please follow the instructions below:

1. Log Into Self Service
2. Click on Finances
3. Click on Statement/Payment
4. Click on My Account and follow the directions.

#### 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCE REVIEW

If you or your family have sustained financial losses due to COVID 19, we would encourage you to apply for a Special Circumstance Review for the 2020-2021 and or the 2021-2022 academic year. The Special Circumstance form can be downloaded, completed, and the required supporting documentation submitted to the Financial Aid Office at [financialaid@georgian.edu](mailto:financialaid@georgian.edu). If you will be submitting documentation with personal information such as Social Security numbers, please black out the information before scanning or uploading.