



MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.  
CELEBRATION

JANUARY 8-18, 2024

It Starts with Me:

Shifting the Cultural Climate  
Towards Kingian Nonviolence

EVENTS CALENDAR AND MORE AT  
[diversity.gatech.edu/mlk-celebration](https://diversity.gatech.edu/mlk-celebration)



JANUARY 8 – 9

Nonviolence365: Be Love Training

The King Center  
Virtual & In-Person

Visit [thekingcenter.org](https://thekingcenter.org)

JANUARY 8 – 12

MLK Bulletin Board Contest Display  
and Judging

GT Residence Halls

This residence hall-wide competition will be designed to give students an opportunity to research and then display information related to MLK through his life and his legacy. Winners will be displayed at the "Sunday" Supper and the Student Celebration.

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JANUARY 10

King Holiday Observance Kick-off  
Reception

5:30 p.m.  
The King Center

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JANUARY 10 – 11

Beloved Community Global Summit

10 a.m.  
The King Center  
Virtual & In-Person

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JANUARY 11 – 14

Georgia Tech Focus Program

Georgia Tech Hotel and Conference Center

Focus is one of the nation's premier programs for raising awareness of graduate education among the brightest, traditionally underrepresented minority students.

Visit [focus.gatech.edu](https://focus.gatech.edu)

JANUARY 12

Beloved Community Global Youth  
Summit

10 a.m.  
Virtual & In-Person

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JANUARY 12

Beloved Community Teach-in

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JANUARY 13

Beloved Community Awards

Pre-Reception: 6:00 p.m.  
Awards Show: 7:30 p.m.  
Afterglow: 9:45 p.m.  
The Hyatt Regency Atlanta  
Virtual & In-Person

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JANUARY 15

Martin Luther King Jr. Beloved  
Community Commemorative Service

10 a.m.  
Ebenezer Baptist Church  
Virtual & In-Person

The culminating program for the week-long celebration of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s life and legacy is the 2024 Martin Luther King, Jr. Beloved Community Commemorative Service.

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JANUARY 15

MLK Day of Service

9 a.m.

During Georgia Tech's annual MLK Day of Service, which honors the life and legacy of Martin Luther King Jr., participants will serve in teams and participate in service projects with metro Atlanta community partners.

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JANUARY 15

MLK "Sunday" Supper: A Community  
Meal and Conversation

5:30 p.m.  
John Lewis Student Center - Cypress Theater

The Georgia Tech community is invited to come together over a meal to discuss the 2024 MLK celebration events, King's legacy, and more.

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JANUARY 17

MLK Lecture featuring Maya Wiley

3 p.m.  
John Lewis Student Center - Atlantic Theater

The 13th Annual MLK Lecture will feature Maya Wiley, president and CEO of the Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, and former senior vice president for Social Justice at the New School University.

Register at [diversity.gatech.edu/2024mlklecture](https://diversity.gatech.edu/2024mlklecture)

JANUARY 17

John Lewis: Good Trouble Movie  
Night and Discussion

6 p.m.  
John Lewis Student Center - Atlantic Theater

The John Lewis Student Leadership Pathway students and the Georgia Tech community are invited to engage in a discussion and the viewing of John Lewis's Movie Good Trouble.

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JANUARY 18

14th Annual MLK Student Celebration

7 p.m.  
Ferst Center for the Arts

This celebration will feature student speeches, cultural performances, and special tributes by student organizations. Reception to follow.

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