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Dear Friends,

In this 22nd year of GLOBES, we are very happy to present the 2016-2017 edition of **Friends & Family: An LGBTQ-Friendly Guide to the Classic City**. Not only does the Guide exist as a community resource, but on a basic level, the Guide serves as a reflection of the diversity of the Athens and University of Georgia communities. More importantly, the funds raised enable GLOBES to support its mission:

GLOBES is a diverse organization of faculty, staff, and administrators whose mission is to advocate for, develop, and nurture UGA's LGBTQ communities. In partnership with our allies, including students, alumni/ae, and local community members, we strive to educate, to improve the climate on all UGA campuses, and to foster progressive change as we visibly work for social justice, equity, and queer rights at UGA and beyond.

Like the work that we do, this Guide was a group effort and there are many people to thank for making it a continued success: the Executive Committee of GLOBES, a devoted group of volunteers who give their time and energy to further the GLOBES mission; our sponsors, both old and new, who advertised with us to make this year possible. Special thanks goes to Roy Felts of Pro Copies for his many years of printing the Guide for us. In addition, we are thankful for the support of Dr. Michelle Cook and the Office of Institutional Diversity as a co-sponsor of this year's Fall Reception to be held on Tuesday, August 30th of PRIDE Week at Ciné. We are also thankful for the letters of welcome from Mayor Nancy Denson, Athens Area Chamber of Commerce President & CEO Doc Eldridge, and UGA President Jere Morehead. Their letters represent community- and institutional-level support for the work that we do and the communities we want Athens and UGA to be.

As we go forward from this 22nd year, GLOBES will continue to advocate for benefits equality and fair employment practices. We will continue to collaborate with other campus and community groups working on social justice, equity, and queer rights.

I encourage you to become involved with GLOBES in any way that you are able. In effect, we are all members of GLOBES as we work towards making UGA and Athens more vibrant, diverse, and inclusive communities. Everyone's contribution strengthens the community here in Athens.

Best wishes,
DeeDee

Deirdre Kane
GLOBES, Executive Committee Chair

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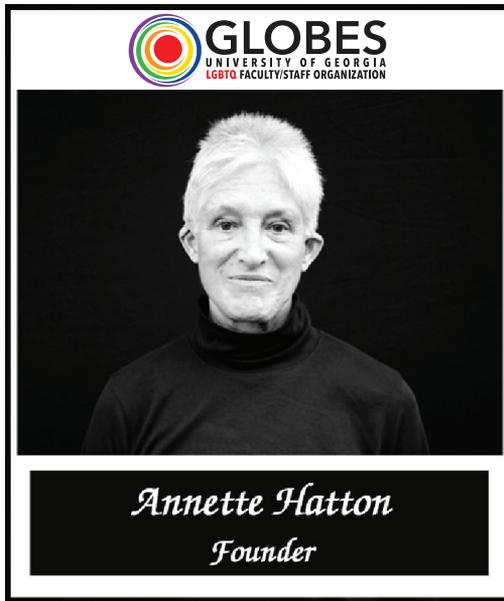
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Annette Hatton Scholarship Award



In 2012, the GLOBES Executive Committee, seeking to honor the GLOBES founder for her dedication and valuable service to the LGBT community, established a scholarship and named it the “Annette Hatton Outstanding Student Advocate Award.”

Annette Hatton, managing editor of **The Georgia Review** at the University of Georgia for over 22 years, founded GLOBES in 1994 and also helped to start Athens PRIDE in 1998. She served as the chair of GLOBES until 2008.

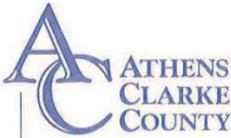
Any UGA undergraduate student who has made a long lasting, positive impact in the LGBT community may apply for the award, which is given annually at Lavender Graduation.

If you would like to make a donation to the scholarship, please make a check out to GLOBES and mark “scholarship fund” in the notes section. Donations can be mailed to GLOBES, P.O. Box 735, Athens, GA 30603. For more information, email ugaglobes@uga.edu.

Award Winners:

2012 – Joshua Trey Barnett | 2013 – Katie Bridges | 2014 – Kathryn Macias
2015 – Vyvyan Dickens | 2016 - Steven Anthony Edwards

Letters of Greeting



GREETINGS!

Thank you for publishing this great resource and welcome to Athens. Our lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community, their family and friends are great contributors to the richness and hospitality our community is known for.

Whether you are new to Athens or grew up here, I hope your years at the University of Georgia are full of fun and friends and that you reach out to our greater community both for your needs and the gifts you have to offer.

My door and my heart are open to you. Please call on me when I can be of help to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Nancy'.

Mayor Nancy B. Denson
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The University of Georgia

Office of the President

Greetings:

To the members, family, and friends of the LGBTQ community in Athens and at the University of Georgia, we are pleased that you have chosen Athens-Clarke County as your home. You are now part of a diverse community of students, faculty, professionals and alumni who enjoy the culture of this place and add to its lifeblood. We look forward to celebrating all of the joys and traditions that happen at a place as vibrant as this university community, which make it so special.

At the University of Georgia, many of our students enjoy the resources offered by our LGBT Resource Center as well as mentorship and support from GLOBES (composed of faculty and staff), the Women's Studies Department, and other units and organizations across campus. These university resources along with those offered within the community help many in the area enjoy a full, rich experience.

Whether you are here for just a short time as a student or whether Athens is your new permanent residence, you are a valued member of our community, and we welcome you. I hope you will take advantage of the many educational, cultural, athletic, business and social opportunities that Athens and the University of Georgia have to offer.

I wish you the best in your endeavors.

Sincerely,

Jere W. Morehead
President

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Dear Friends,

As a life-long resident of Athens, a former County Commissioner and Mayor, and now President of the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, it gives me great pleasure to offer my personal welcome in support of those who are new and long standing residents of the Classic City LGBTQ community. We, in the Athens area, are certainly a community with a number of vibrant cultural and economic resources.

The lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender members of our community have continually been active citizens, engaging in the full and rich life that is available in the Athens Area and GLOBES (the LGBTQ staff and faculty organization at UGA) strives to connect you to those who support you, through their yearly production of the LGBTQ resource guide.

Each of you is a treasured member of this community and I am glad that you have chosen to spend time in and/or live in the Athens area.

With Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Doc Eldridge", written over the "With Best Regards," text.

Doc Eldridge
President
Athens Area Chamber of Commerce

A Brief History of GLOBES

Founded in May 1994 by Annette Hatton, GLOBES was formed to focus on faculty and staff needs. GLOBES met monthly for book discussions, movie discussions, social gatherings, as well as education, outreach, and social and political displays on campus. The organization was the face of the gay community on campus, and in recent years, it has grown to represent the larger Athens community as well.

GLOBES held its first Welcome Reception in September 1994 upstairs at The GLOBE on Clayton Street. Annette was chair from 1994-2008 and during her tenure, the organization focused on four main efforts:

- 1) Provide a communication channel for LGBT faculty and staff via the email distribution list;
- 2) Promote the visibility of the community and the organization through social events;
- 3) Co-sponsor spring picnics with Athens PRIDE starting in 1998; and
- 4) Organize panel discussions and speakers for the campus and community once or twice a year.

In 2005, with the help of Adrian Childs, GLOBES worked to pass “soft benefits” for domestic partners. An effort to obtain full benefits was stymied by administrative inaction and passage of the 2004 SuperDOMA law in Georgia. In spring 2012, President Michael Adams approved voluntary benefits for domestic partners to begin July 1, 2013. In spring of 2014, “gender identity” was added to the University’s NDAH and EO policies thanks to the support of the Franklin College and the University Council Human Resources Committee. Work with our allies across the University system continues to secure privately-funded health benefits.

In 2007, Corey W. Johnson, a faculty member in the College of Education partnered with Chris Cuomo, then Director of the Institute for Women’s Studies, to facilitate community meetings to generate discussion and involvement in LGBTQ issues on- and off-campus. These meetings resulted in the writing of a mission statement and by-laws, and to the formation of an executive committee structure for GLOBES. In January 2008, assumed the role of Chair and led the organization for three and a half years.

Under his leadership, GLOBES focused on these goals:

- 1) Increase visibility of GLOBES as THE organization for LGBT issues on campus;
- 2) Improve relationship with faculty/staff of color, have them represented on the Committee;
- 3) Include transgender issues (and people) in the organization;
- 4) Improving the Welcome Reception;
- 5) Including graduate students in the organization (as employees of the University); and,
- 6) Improve inclusivity of GLOBES by branding it as a “queer organization,” rather than using the name as an acronym.

Janine Aronson, a Professor of Management Information Systems with the Terry College, joined GLOBES in 2010, and is the first out transgender faculty member at the University of Georgia, and the first transgender faculty member to serve on the GLOBES Executive Committee. During her time on the Committee she has served as Communications Officer and Treasurer.

Debra Haas served as GLOBES chair during the Fall of 2010. Corey resumed as interim Chair in the Spring of 2011 and Ricky Roberts assumed the position of Chair in July 2011. Deirdre Kane, a staff member at the Terry College of Business, assumed the Chair in May 2013.

In 2012, GLOBES instituted the Annette Hatton Outstanding Student Advocate Award. In 2012, Joshua Trey Barnett was the first awardee. Katie Bridges won the award in 2013, Kathryn Macias in 2014, Vyvyan Dickens in 2015, and Steven Anthony Edwards in 2016.

Campus and Community Resources

AIDS Athens, Inc.

aidsathens.org/ • info@aidsathens.org

AIDS Athens, Inc. serves to address the needs of individuals infected and affected by HIV/AIDS through supportive services and to prevent the spread of the disease through education and outreach. AIDS Athens serves the 10-county Northeast Georgia Health District. This service area includes: Walton, Barrow, Greene, Clarke, Jackson, Morgan, Oconee, Madison, Elbert and Oglethorpe counties.

Athens Casuals

Contact: Mike Chadwick • athens.casuals@gmail.com

A dinner group for gay men of Athens and the surrounding area. We have a weekly dinner, most often on Wednesday, at area restaurants or a potluck at someone's home. There are other social events such as pool parties and happy hours. There are no obligations for membership. Attend events that fit your schedule.

Athens Community Council on Aging

accaging.org/ • 135 Hoyt Street, Athens, GA 30601 • 706-549-4850

The mission of the Athens Community Council on Aging is to promote a lifetime of wellness through engagement, advocacy, education, and support.

Athens Immigrant Rights Coalition (AIRC)

dignidadinmigrante.wordpress.com/ • airc.inform@gmail.com

AIRC is a collection of Athens based groups with a collective goal of asserting justice for Athens area immigrants, regardless of legal status. AIRC stands for the rights of immigrants to work and to access quality public higher education. AIRC stands against "Juan Crow" Legislation like Georgia's HB 59 and HB 87. AIRC member groups include DIA (Dignidad Inmigrante en Athens), GSPHE (Georgia Students for Public Higher Education), Athens EJC (Economic Justice Coalition) and other groups.

Athens Pride

Contact: Justin Gillespie athenspride.com . athensgapride@gmail.com

Athens Pride is a collaborative effort of many non-profit efforts to celebrate the diversity of the LGBTQ community of Athens, GA. Athens Pride plans activities throughout the year, including Athens Pride Weekend.

Athens Resource Center for the Homeless

athensresourcecenter.org • [facebook.com/pages/ARCH-Athens](https://www.facebook.com/pages/ARCH-Athens)

AARCH provides accessible services to homeless individuals and their families in the Athens-Clarke County area. ARCH is made up of five distinct, yet collaborative components: ARCH Village – 24 units of transitional housing for homeless families with children; Lifespan Montessori Day School – will offer subsidized day care for homeless

families with children; Athens Resource Center – wrap around support services and housing assistance, a medical clinic, and HIV/AIDS specialty care.

Black Faculty & Staff Organization

facebook.com/BFSOUQA

The Black Faculty & Staff Organization (BFSO) at the University of Georgia (UGA) acts as a support network for Black faculty, staff, and students by playing a vital role in conceptualizing, advocating, and helping to implement programs and services focused on equity and diversity at UGA and in the Athens community.

Boybutante AIDS Foundation, Inc.

www.boybutante.org • missthing@boybutante.org

The Boybutante AIDS Foundation, Inc. is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, registered in the state of Georgia and based in Athens dedicated to raising money for AIDS support services.

College of Public Health

publichealth.uga.edu • cphadm@uga.edu

The College of Public Health at the University of Georgia promotes health in human populations, prevents disease and injury, and protects the environment through innovative research, exemplary education, and engaged service. The College maintains a learning and work environment that is diverse and inclusive, where individual differences are valued and serve as a source for collective empowerment. The College is composed of four departments (Health Promotion and Behavior, Environmental Health Science, Health Policy and Management, Epidemiology and Biostatistics), two institutes (Gerontology, Disaster Management), and one center (Center for Global Health). With a dedicated group of faculty, staff, and students, the College addresses a range of health issues to reduce disparity and inequity within populations and communities at local-, state-, national-, and international-levels.

The Cottage Sexual Assault Center & Children's Advocacy Center

www.northgeorgiacottage.org

24 Hour Crisis Hotline: 877-363-1912 • Office: 706-546-1133

The Cottage provides intervention, advocacy, referrals, and support for survivors and families impacted by child abuse and sexual assault. The Cottage also raises awareness and provides prevention education about these issues.

Economic Justice Coalition/Living Wage Campaign

economicjusticecoalition.org/ • 706-549-1142

The Economic Justice Coalition (EJC) promotes justice for all workers and builds avenues for workers to succeed! EJC believe in the economic development of our local community, self-empowerment and sustainable efforts. EJC believes in a future where workers are organized with political and economic power, receive a fair wage for a day's work, and have access to affordable health care and other necessities.

Free I.T. Athens

freeitathens.org • contact@freeitathens.org

Promoting technology re-use and free software since 2005, Free I.T. Athens is an all-volunteer operated organization which relies exclusively on the altruism and dedication of its volunteers and supporters. We believe that everyone deserves access to low-cost computer equipment and computer-related services. We provide access to information technology resources for Athens-Clarke County residents and organizations and intend to help create well-informed advocates of free software and open information technology.

Freedom University

freedomuniversitygeorgia.com • freedomuniversitygeorgia@gmail.com

Freedom University (FU) was founded in the summer of 2011 as a response to the University System of Georgia's ban on undocumented students at the state's top public colleges. FU is a volunteer-driven organization that provides rigorous, college-level instruction to all academically qualified students regardless of their immigration status.

FU faculty members are fully committed to providing our students with college courses equivalent to those taught at the state's most selective universities. FU believes that all Georgians have an equal right to a quality education.

Georgia Equality

georgiaequality.org • geinfo@georgiaequality.org • 404-523-3070

Georgia Equality is the political and advocacy voice of Georgia's lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender citizens and their allies. Our mission is the advancement of fairness, safety and opportunity for Georgia's LGBT and allied communities. Georgia Equality does this by (1) Educating the public, elected officials, and policymakers; (2) Building coalitions and mobilizing allies; (3) Increasing the participation of the LGBT and allied communities in policy decision; (4) Organizing and empowering the LGBT community and their allies in urban, suburban, and rural communities across Georgia; (5) working to elected fair minded officials on the state and local level.

Georgia Safe Schools Coalition

Contact: Annaliese Singh • *georgiasafeschoolscoalition.org • asingh@uga.edu*
706-542-4335

Georgia Safe Schools Coalition is a partnership of educators, community organizations, and safe school activists dedicated to raising awareness about issues affecting lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and questioning (LGBTQQ) youth and families. GSSC works with educators and community organizations to help Georgia's schools become safe and affirming environments for all students, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity/expression.

GLOBES

Contact: Deirdre Kane • *globes.uga.edu • ugaglobes@uga.edu*

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queer) communities. In partnership with our allies – including students, alumnae/i, and local community members – we strive to educate, to improve campus climate, and to foster progressive change as we visibly work for social justice, equity, and LGBTQ rights at UGA and beyond. Also, in case you're wondering what GLOBES stands for, it is "Gay, Lesbian, or Bisexual Employees and Supporters" BUT we know that name is not inclusive of our community so we'd like to make it clear that this organization encourages trans, queer, queer-questioning, and LGBTQ allies to participate, too. Our acronym is currently just a bit outdated!

GLOBES meets monthly to plan events and discuss issues pertinent to our community. GLOBES monthly meetings are open to the public. For a listing of all our upcoming meetings and events, please visit our website, subscribe to the GLOBES listserv at listserv.uga.edu/archives/globes.html or join GLOBES on Facebook at [facebook.com/ugaglobes](https://www.facebook.com/ugaglobes).

Graduate Pride

Contact: Nat Truszczynski • nat49154@uga.edu

Graduate Pride was formed to help foster community among LGBTQ graduate students and between queer grad students and the larger UGA and Athens community. Contact GLOBES directly to be connected with someone within your college or department (UGA is a big place!).

Human Resources

hr.uga.edu • hrweb@uga.edu • 706-542-2222

As of July 13, 2015, UGA began offering full benefits to same sex partners. More information can be found under HR News on the UGA Human Resources web site.

Lambda Alliance

uga.edu/lambda • lambda@uga.edu

Lambda Alliance is an official student organization at the University of Georgia. Our mission is to strengthen the gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer, and ally (LGBTQA) community at the University of Georgia. We strive to (1) Create a safe, secure, and supportive environment for the LGBTQA community by increasing social awareness of LGBTQA presence and concerns; (2) Promote acts of public service; (3) Monitor political issues relevant to the LGBTQA community and strive to create political change to serve the LGBTQA community; (4) Provide outlets for social interaction among Lambda Alliance members and the LGBTQA community.

Lesbian & Gay Veterinary Medicine Association (LGVMA)

vet.uga.edu/student_clubs/lgvma.home • asigmund@uga.edu

The UGA CVM student chapter of the Lesbian & Gay Veterinary Medical Association is a professional organization of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgendered veterinarians, veterinary students, technicians, and their supporters, whose mission is to provide support for individuals, education for the community, and a forum for information

exchange and social interaction in order to foster a professional climate in which its members can achieve their full potential.

NAACP, Clarke County Chapter

naacp.org • naacpclarke@gmail.com

Founded in 1909, the NAACP is the nation's oldest and largest civil rights organization. From the ballot box to the classroom, the thousands of dedicated workers, organizers, leaders and members who make up the NAACP continue to fight for social justice for all Americans.

Office of Institutional Diversity

diversity.uga.edu/ • diverse@uga.edu • 706-583-8195

The mission of the Office of Institutional Diversity is to lead a focused institutional effort to evaluate existing programs and develop new initiatives to support diversity and equity at the University of Georgia.

The Office of Institutional Diversity seeks to ensure a University of Georgia where people of many different backgrounds and perspectives join together to actively advance knowledge. As a community dedicated to scholarship, research, instruction, and public service and outreach, we recognize the importance of respecting, valuing and learning from each other's differences while seeking common goals. The Office of Institutional Diversity will provide the leadership to establish the University of Georgia as a national and international model in creative ways to address diversity and equity issues in an academic setting.

Project Safe

project-safe.org • Hotline: 706-543-3331

Project Safe is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization working to end domestic violence through prevention and educational programs, crisis intervention, ongoing supportive services for survivors of domestic violence and their children, and systems change advocacy in our community.

sapph.fire

Ms. Ricky Roberts • facebook.com/sapphfire.athens • sapph.fire@yahoo.com

sapph.fire: for lesbian & bisexual womyn when the rainbow isn't enuf! sapph.fire is a support, social and volunteer group for lesbian and bisexual womyn in Athens, Georgia and surrounding areas. Trans. womyn are welcome to join. Ages 18 and up.

Queer & Ally Athletics

uga.edu/qathletics • qathletics@gmail.com

The principal mission of Queer and Ally Athletics is to provide a welcoming environment for athletes of any gender identity and sexual orientation.

Under the Rainbow

*Contact: Ms. Ricky Roberts • facebook.com/undertherainbow706
undertherainbow706@yahoo.com*

Under the Rainbow produces and publicizes parties and other sources of entertainment for the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Ally community in Athens and

surrounding areas.

University of Georgia - Institute of Gerontology

publichealth.uga.edu • gerontology@uga.edu • 706-542-2539

UGA's Institute of Gerontology is dedicated to serving the needs of older adults in our state, as well as nationally and internationally, through excellence in research, instruction, and outreach. Our focus on the public health, social, psychological, and biological aspects of aging provides a stimulating environment for innovation in research, practice, and student and community engagement.

University of Georgia - LGBT Resource Center

Contact: Meg Evans • *lgbtcenter.uga.edu/ • lgbt@uga.edu • 706-542-4077*

The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Resource Center's mission is to create a safe and inclusive environment for the LGBT community within the University of Georgia community through educational experiences, both in and out of the classroom, advocacy, and support services that promote personal educational, intellectual, and academic growth of all students.

University Health Center

uhs.ugs.edu • contact@uhs.uga.edu • 706-542-1162

The University Health Center exists to advance the physical and mental health of students and other eligible members of the University community.

Women's Studies Department

iws.uga.edu • wspinfo@uga.edu

The University of Georgia Institute for Women's Studies provides a feminist interdisciplinary perspective on women and gender. Administratively a program in the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences, Women's Studies cooperates with departments of all schools and colleges of the University in developing its curriculum and programming. Traditional academic disciplines have devoted little systematic attention to issues of gender, race, class, and sexuality. In the past 30 years, feminist scholars have contributed to the reinterpretation of existing data and to the presentation of new knowledge about the diversity of women's experiences. Through course work and outreach, the Institute for Women's Studies offers students an opportunity to explore women's lives in global and multicultural contexts.

Women's Studies Student Organization

wssso.uga.edu • ugawssso@gmail.com • facebook.com/ugawssso

The Women's Studies Student Organization is dedicated to progressive activism and building feminist solidarity in the UGA and Athens communities. We aim to create change by partnering with other organizations to host educational and advocacy events, providing an inclusive atmosphere for dialogue on social issues, and mobilizing against sites of injustice in our community.

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Atlanta, GA 30307 (see ad, page 29)



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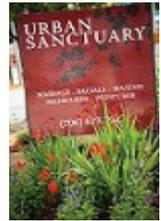


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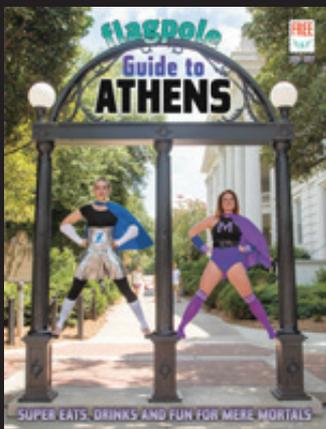
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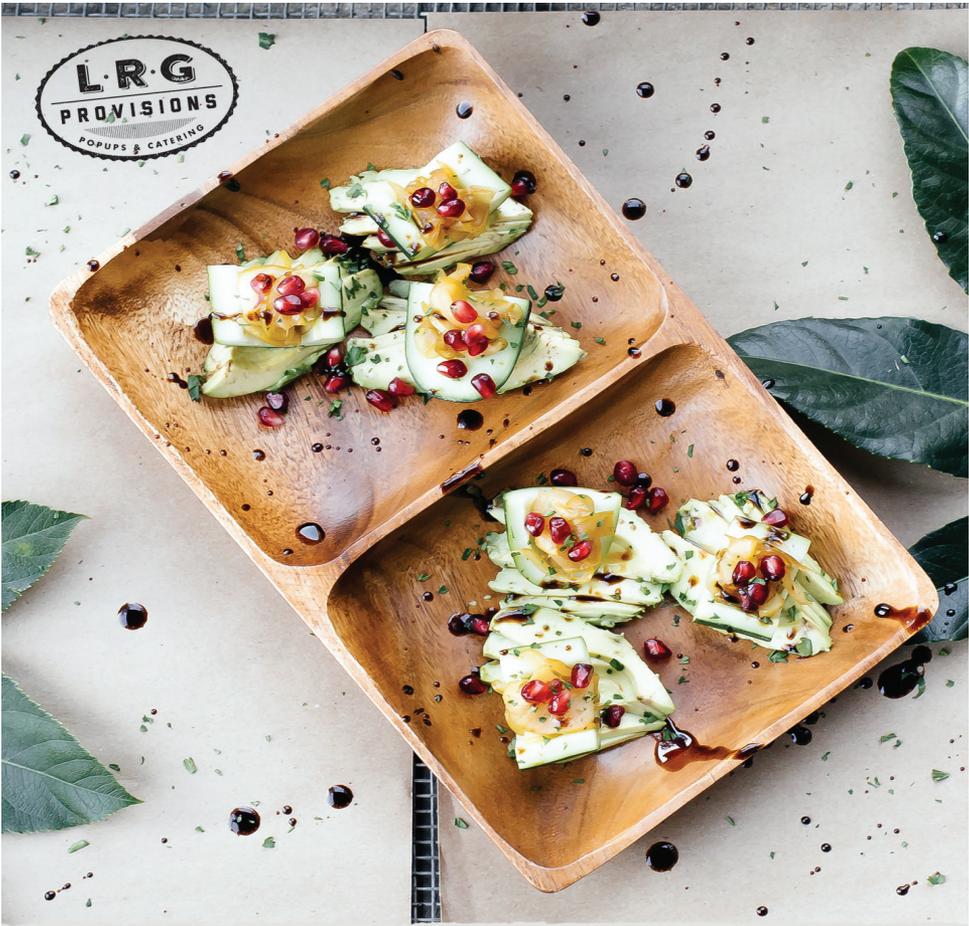


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