

**SCIE Meeting**  
**Friday, September 30**

**Call to Order:** 10:00 a.m.

**Attendees:**

Ashwani Monga (USG), Chris Green (USG), Tammy Rosner (USG), Sheila Schulte (UNG), Farrah Bernardino (GSU), Christy Flatt (Gordon State College), Eric Kendrick (GSU), Eric Spears (Columbus State Univ), Kristin R. Kasting Karam

**Address by Dr. Monga, Chief Academic Officer, USG**

Shared his first-hand knowledge of international education, which includes enrolling in U.S.

Chris Green, Director of Economic Development, USG provided an overview of what economic development is, an overview of the Georgia Department of Economic Development (GDEC), and the role it plays in the state. Of the 7 GDEC divisions, the International Trade and Global Commerce divisions were highlighted to show the connection between the work of international educators and that of state economic development.

Economic development state highlights were shared, such as that

