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Dear GSU community:

I am pleased that Georgia State University is participating in the celebration of Open Access Week, celebrated October 24-28, 2011. This is in keeping with GSU's goal of developing, transmitting and utilizing knowledge to provide access to quality education for diverse groups of students, to educate leaders for the State of Georgia and the nation, and to prepare citizens for lifelong learning in a global society.

GSU has established the Digital Archive @ Georgia State University to collect and freely distribute the university's research. GSU makes theses and dissertations of graduate students freely available through the Digital Archive to benefit the public.

GSU collaborates with University System of Georgia schools to make available to the world the scholarship of Georgia researchers through the statewide GALILEO Knowledge Repository.

I encourage the GSU community to take part in Open Access related activities so as to become more informed about and engaged in open scholarly communication.

Sincerely,

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