

# Testing

## Proctored Online Exams for eCore Courses

In an effort to heighten security and reduce costs, eCore has moved away from paper-based exams. Instead, eCore encourages instructors to use GeorgiaView Vista 8 for their exams. As of Summer 2009, eCore faculty generally uses proctored online tests for midterms and/or finals to assess a student's progress in the course. Proctored testing provides a method for instructors who want to test their online learning students in a secure environment. Students in online courses must fulfill their responsibilities in arranging and taking a proctored exam.

## Approved eCore Testing Sites and Proctors

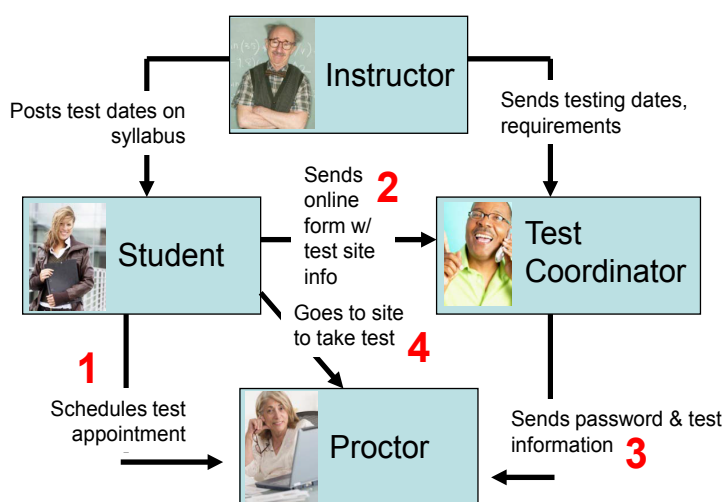
A student may request a testing center to be added to the list of approved eCore testing sites and proctors. Only public testing centers (at institutions of higher learning) with adequate access to Vista are able to proctor exams. The eCore Testing Coordinator carefully screens each requested testing center.

Each proctor from an approved testing site must have the ability to use the following:

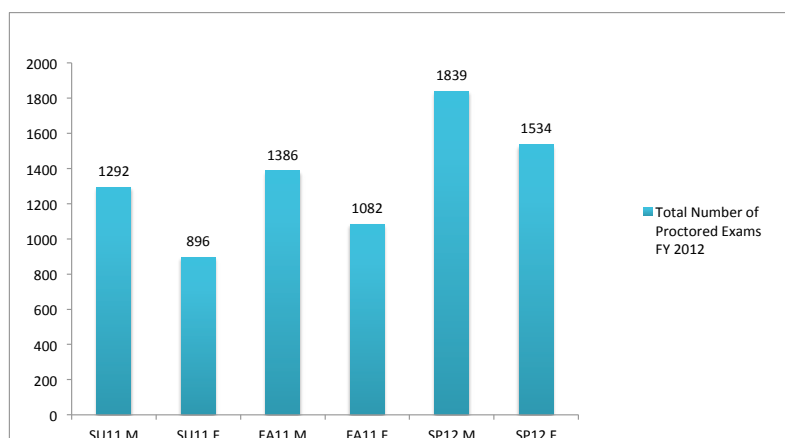
- A valid and working e-mail address
- Internet access for students taking online exams delivered via GeorgiaView Vista 8.

## eCore Affiliate Testing Centers:

- Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- Clayton State University
- Dalton State University (Dalton & Gilmer Campus)
- Fort Valley State University
- Macon State College (Macon & Warner Robins Campus)
- Southern Polytechnic State University
- University of West Georgia (Carrollton & Newnan Campus)
- Valdosta State University

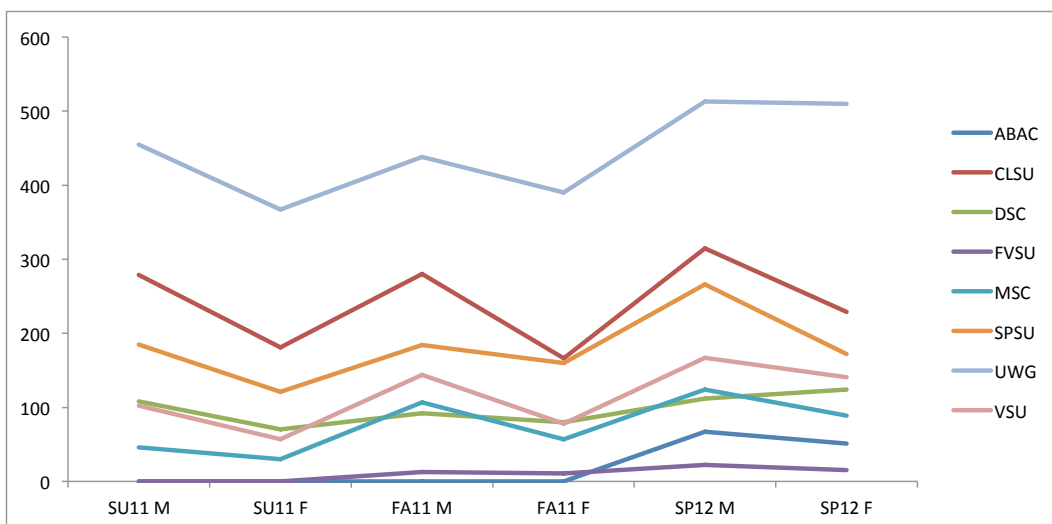


## Total Number of Proctored Tests FY 2012



## Affiliate, Other & Non-Affiliate Test Trend Analysis

These numbers were generated by the number of verified tests taken.



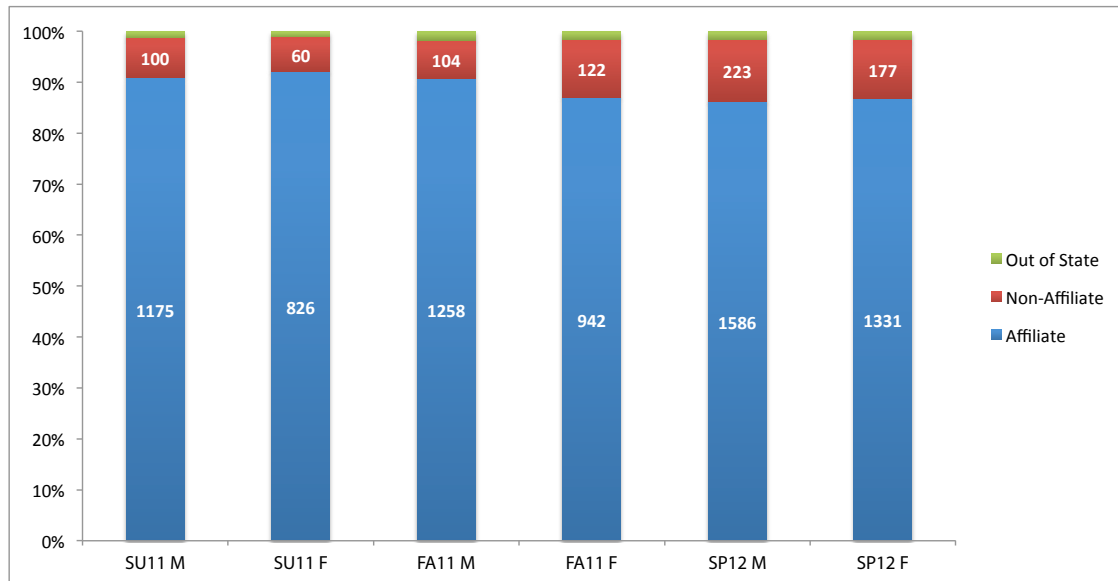
## Revenue Generated by Affiliate Testing Centers

These numbers were generated by multiplying the number of verified tests taken by the proctor fee per institution. eCore affiliate institutions retain all revenue generated through proctored exams at their institution.

Testing Site	Proctor Fee	SU11	FA11	SP12
ABAC	\$25	\$ -	\$ -	\$2,950.00
CLSU	\$20	\$9,200.00	\$8,920.00	\$10,880.00
DSC	\$25	\$4,450.00	\$4,300.00	\$5,900.00
FVSU	\$25	\$ -	\$600.00	\$925.00
MSC	\$15	\$1,125.00	\$2,460.00	\$3,195.00
SPSU	\$25	\$7,650.00	\$8,600.00	\$10,950.00
UWG	\$10	\$8,220.00	\$8,280.00	\$10,230.00
VSU	\$20	\$3,180.00	\$4,440.00	\$6,160.00
Other and NON Affiliate Universities	\$25	\$4,675.00	\$6,700.00	\$11,400.00

## Percentage of Proctored Exams at Affiliate, Non Affiliate & Out of State Facilities

These percentages were generated by the number of verified exams taken for each semester. (M = Proctored Midterm Exam and F = Proctored Final Exam)



## New Test Scheduling Process for Future?

The University of West Georgia's Carrollton campus is currently testing an automated registration system which in effect would allow students to schedule their exams without having to call the testing center. In essence, the students would be able to reserve a seat at the testing center at any time of the day.

### Did you Know?

- Proctored exams fees average \$21 per exam among affiliates.
- 89% of eCore students take their exam at an affiliate institution.
- In FY 12, there were 8,029 eCore proctored exam administered.
- Exams were taken in 27 states and different countries around the world.
- Serving military eCore students took exams in Afghanistan, Jordan, and Syria.