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Special feature

Season's greetings from Syracuse!

At this special time of year, Orange spirit glows brightest. **Watch our holiday greeting** for Syracuse family and friends in Atlanta and around the world!



Event gallery

SUACOA celebrates the holidays

On December 1, the Syracuse University Alumni Club of Atlanta (SUACOA) gathered at Davio's in Buckhead to kick off the holiday season with SU alumni and friends. [See photos.](#)



In the News



Babers named head coach of SU football

During his accomplished 30-year football coaching career, Dino Babers' name has been synonymous with winning. Known for his teams' offensive prowess, respected for his keen sense for recruiting and mentoring top-tier student-athletes, and lauded by many for his ability to turn around football programs, Babers was officially introduced as Syracuse University's 30th head football coach on December 7. [Read more.](#)



Where's Otto? You decide!

Otto the Orange has been making his way around Atlanta lately, much to the enjoyment of area alumni and friends. From Ponce City Market, to the Glenn Hotel for an ACC Alumni Club event, to the Capital Grille in Dunwoody, and even making an appearance for Gary Radke's recent lecture at the High Museum of Art. Who knows where Syracuse's favorite mascot will show up next? [Read more.](#)



Meet Kenneth Buckner '19

Atlanta Word Works, a nonprofit bringing writing and spoken word poetry to young people in Atlanta, recently named Syracuse University student **Kenneth Buckner '19** as the city's first Youth Poet Laureate. Read a special interview with Buckner in this **Scholar Spotlight**.



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