

## Senate Resolution 330

By: Senators Jones of the 25th, Walker III of the 20th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Tippins of the 37th and Brass of the 28th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Kevin Morris on the occasion of being selected as a Marshall  
2 Scholar; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Marshall Scholarship is an esteemed award created for young Americans  
4 of high ability to study at a university in the United Kingdom, thus strengthening  
5 British-American understanding; and

6 WHEREAS, only 48 Marshall Scholars were selected nationwide in 2019 from over 1,000  
7 university sponsored applications and these competitive selections are based on academic  
8 merit, leadership ability, and ambassadorial potential; and

9 WHEREAS, Kevin Morris of Savannah, Georgia, excelled academically at Georgia College  
10 & State University earning, in 2017, a dual degree in economics and history while spending  
11 one summer during college interning with the U.S. Department of Commerce in Zagreb,  
12 Croatia, and another summer interning at the U.S. Embassy in Skopje, Macedonia; and

13 WHEREAS, Kevin Morris was active in extracurricular campus activities, including serving  
14 as an officer in Collegiate 4-H, leading tours of campus with the Ambassador team,  
15 facilitating public forums with the American Democracy project, performing in plays, and  
16 participating in the Georgia Education Mentorship program; and

17 WHEREAS, in 2017, he was the recipient of a Fulbright grant which enabled him to serve  
18 for a year as an English teaching assistant in Stip, Macedonia, where he also instructed young  
19 Macedonians about the foundations of democracy; and

20 WHEREAS, Kevin Morris is the first alumnus of Georgia College & State University to  
21 receive the prestigious Marshall Scholarship and the only public university recipient from  
22 the State of Georgia for this highly competitive award in 2019; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
24 remarkable young Georgian be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
26 recognize and commend Kevin Morris on the occasion of being selected as a Marshall  
27 Scholar and express their most sincere best wishes for continued success.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Kevin Morris.