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Dr. Ben Carson Speaks to Students at the University of Georgia in Joint Event with Turning Point USA

ATHENS, GA – Dr. Ben Carson, Founder and Chairman of the American Cornerstone Institute (ACI), addressed students at the University of Georgia (UGA) at a joint event with Turning Point USA on November 14, 2024.

Dr. Carson shared a message of hope for America’s future and encouraged active civic engagement through federal service as a potential career path. He also highlighted ACI’s free online resource, *Executive Branch for America*, which offers conservative-minded students and individuals the opportunity to learn more about the Executive Branch of government and federal service.

“I thoroughly enjoyed speaking and engaging with students at the University of Georgia. I consider it a great privilege to inspire young people to take an active role in shaping the future of America,” said Dr. Carson. “It’s time to pass the torch to the next generation of conservative leaders who will continue the good fight and defend the ideals that made America into a great nation,” he continued.

Following Dr. Carson’s remarks, a brief panel discussion was conducted by TPUSA’s UGA Chapter President, Emily Grace Kinsey, followed by a Q&A session with students and attendees.

“I am deeply appreciative for the opportunity to host Dr. Ben Carson, whose influence in both medicine and politics has profoundly inspired me. I feel incredibly fortunate that he took the time to speak to UGA’s TPUSA chapter and address our questions. It was inspirational to hear firsthand how he is fighting for conservative values and the American dream,” said Emily Grace.

In the fall of 2023, ACI teamed up with Turning Point USA to bring Dr. Carson’s message of civic participation and federal service to campuses across the country. In addition to University of Georgia, Dr. Carson has visited Clemson University, Auburn University, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, West Virginia University, Ohio State University, Florida State

University, Texas A&M University, Michigan State University, and Southern Methodist University.

To learn more about the Executive Branch for America Program, visit <https://eba.americancornerstone.org>.

The American Cornerstone Institute is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization founded by Dr. Ben Carson that focuses on advancing America's founding principles of faith, liberty, community, and life. Learn more by visiting AmericanCornerstone.org.

Turning Point USA empowers informed civic and cultural engagement grounded in American exceptionalism and a positive spirit of action. Turning Point USA guides citizens through development of knowledge, skills, values, and motivation, so they can meaningfully engage in their communities to restore traditional American values like patriotism, respect for life, liberty, family, and fiscal responsibility. Go to <https://www.tpusa.com> for more.