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### **A Strong Start for Georgia's Teachers**

**Strategic Focus:** This was a collaborative project between the National Commission on Teaching and America's Future, Georgia State University, Georgia Systemic Teacher Education Project, Atlanta Public Schools, DeKalb County Schools, Fulton County Schools, and Gwinnett County Schools.

**Strategies:**

- This initiative developed and piloted a systemic program designed to help new teachers during their transition from pre-service learning through the early years of teaching.
- The model was based on the integrative Georgia Framework for Teaching and supports the creation of strong cross-career professional learning communities within and across schools to attract and retain new teachers to high need schools and encourage their professional growth across the career continuum.