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ATLANTA, GA....David S. Clifton, Jr., son of David and Ruth Clifton of 2651 N.E. 23rd Ct. in Pompano Beach, has been named head of the Georgia Tech Engineering Experiment Station's Economic Development Laboratory, one of 11 laboratories within the Experiment Station.

As director of the Economic Development Lab, Clifton is responsible for a staff of approximately 50 persons whose major responsibility is to develop programs for helping business and industry in the Southeast. This includes economic impact studies, training for local governments, product or market studies, and energy alternatives.

Clifton is a Ph. D. candidate in economics from Georgia State University. He holds a master's degree in Business Administration from Georgia State University and a bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering from Georgia Tech. In addition, he is currently serving on the Georgia Economic Development Task Force to investigate a state development policy, and on the Georgia Rural Development Committee to help coordinate rural development issues.

He is also an author of several research papers as well as a book on how to prepare new venture feasibility studies and investment proposals.

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