Milton Overton has been the Director of Athletics at Kennesaw State University since December 2017. He is the fourth individual to hold the position at Kennesaw State.

A 25-year veteran of college athletics administration, Overton previously spent two years as director of athletics at Florida A&M University. Overton guided a remarkable transformation at FAMU. For the first time in more than decade, the athletics department boasted a balanced budget in 2016-17, while achieving three consecutive years of record-breaking fundraising and ticket-sales growth. Florida A&M’s revenue increased by $2 million under Overton’s watch, and fan participation soared with the football team finishing among the top five in FCS attendance in 2015 and top three in 2016. One of his benchmark initiatives was his establishment of FAMU’s giving program, “Investing in Champions,” that was a key component of the increased revenue.

He also had a six-year stint as senior associate athletics director at the University of Alabama, and six years prior as associate athletics director at Texas A&M University. Overton is a graduate of the National Collegiate Athletic Association’s Pathway Program, which provides senior-level Athletics administrators with a rigorous curriculum and mentorship for preparation on becoming a director of athletics. A four-year starter as an offensive lineman at the University of Oklahoma, Overton earned a bachelor’s degree in Sociology in 1995. He went on to earn two master’s degrees from OU in 1998, one in higher education and administration and the other in human relations.

Overton was the founder and CEO of Enki System Inc., from 2000-2011, which provided software solutions for athletic and academic support programs across the country, generating over $1 million in gross sales. A native of Fort Worth, Texas, Overton has two sons — Micaiah and Lebbeus.