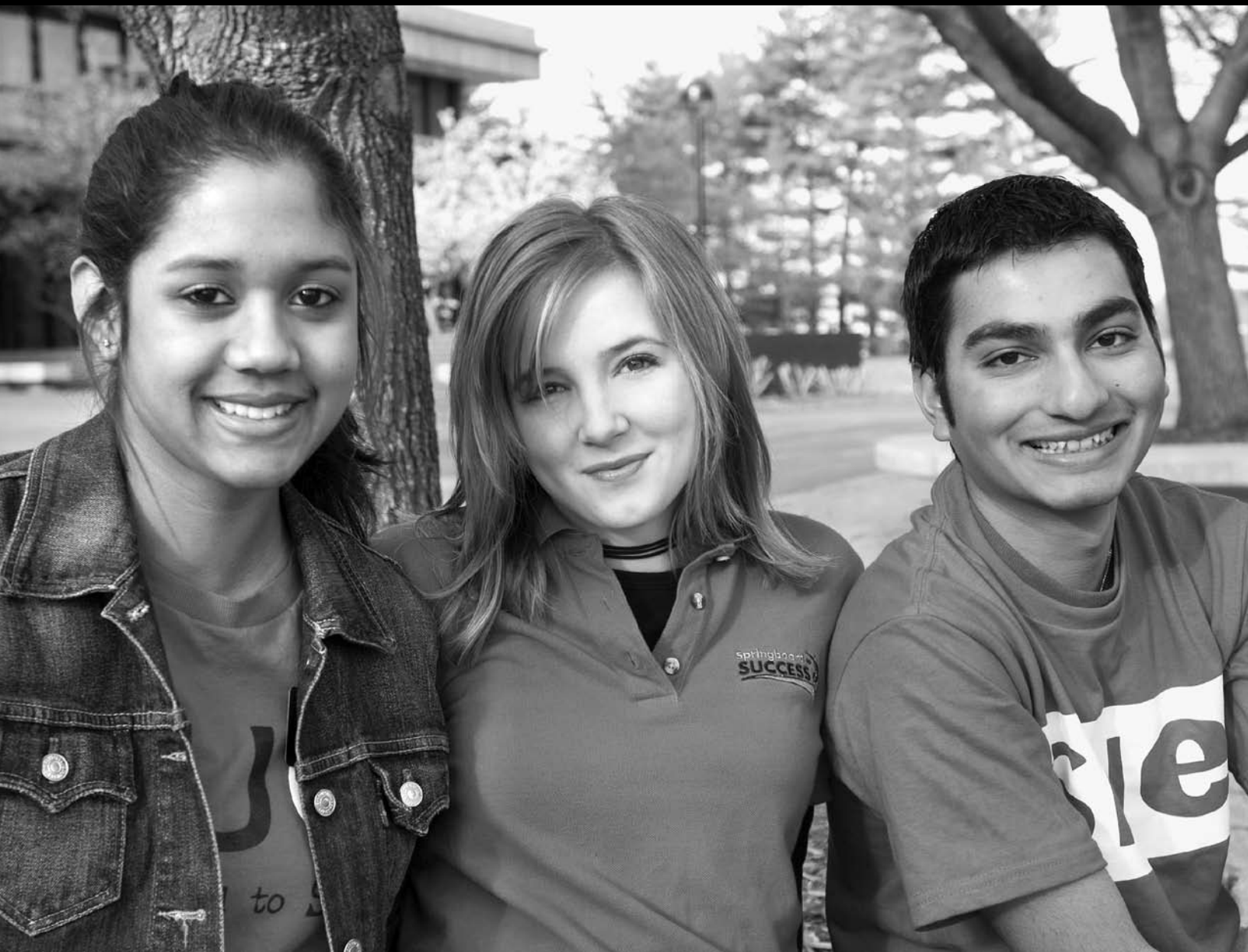


SIUE

2008-2009

Undergraduate Admission and Scholarship Application



Welcome to SIUE!

We are pleased that you are interested in SIUE. Please carefully review this information before completing the application. **Failure to complete all items on the application will delay the admission review process.**

This form serves as application for admission to SIUE as well as scholarships.

Admission Application Deadlines:

Term	Priority Filing Date	Final Application Deadline	
	Freshmen Only	Freshmen	All others
Spring 2008	10/01/07	11/01/07	12/14/07
Summer 2008	03/01/08	04/01/08	04/25/08
Fall 2008	12/01/07	05/01/08	07/25/08

How do I apply?

The quickest and easiest way to apply and pay the application fee is online at www.siu.edu/prospectivestudents.

If you plan to mail your application, you must attach a check or money order and send to:

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Office of Admissions, Box 1047
Edwardsville, IL 62026-1047

Applications and all supporting documents must be postmarked by the appropriate deadline. For more information e-mail admissions@siue.edu or phone 800-447-SIUE (toll-free IL and local MO) or 618-650-3705.

If you do not enroll in the semester for which you applied but wish to enroll in a later term, you may need to submit a new application. Additional documentation is due by the deadline for the semester in which you plan to enter. Please refer to the online undergraduate catalog at www.siu.edu/registrar, or contact an admission counselor for academic eligibility requirements.

Application Fee:

A **non-refundable** application fee of \$30 must accompany this application. Payment should be made in U.S. dollars by check or money order payable to SIUE. **To pay by credit card, you are encouraged to apply online.** Applications received without the fee will not be processed. Applicants who change their term of entry may update their file by submitting a new application for the next two terms without another application fee. Undergraduate students currently enrolled at SIUE are not assessed an additional fee to apply for a **change in degree status**. Requests for a fee waiver are available online at www.siu.edu/apply/ and should be sent to the Director of Admissions.

College or University Credit

Students who have earned college credit from other regionally accredited institutions must have official transcripts sent from the granting institution directly to:

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Office of Admissions, Box 1047
Edwardsville, IL 62026-1047

Please note, any college credits obtained while attending high school also must be reported on an official transcript from the college or university at which credit was earned.

Intentional nondisclosure of transfer credit may result in dismissal from the University.

When will I be notified of acceptance?

Your application will be reviewed within 2-4 weeks after we have received all required documents.

International Students

If you hold or require a non-immigrant visa or if you have international academic credentials, **do not complete this application.** Obtain an application on the Web at www.siu.edu/apply or International Admissions, Box 1047, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Edwardsville, IL 62026-1047.

Degree-seeking Applicants

If you plan to pursue an undergraduate degree, you should apply for degree-seeking status (see question 16). This is required to make you eligible for most financial aid and veterans' education benefits. The documents required are listed by applicant category. To be considered official, your documents must be mailed directly to the Office of Admissions by the institution that issues them. Faxed documents are considered unofficial.

FRESHMAN APPLICANTS

This category includes high school seniors, anyone who has graduated from high school, or anyone who has completed the General Educational Development (G.E.D.) examination and who has not subsequently attempted college work.

- A. If you're a high school senior or have graduated from high school within the last five years,** submit an official high school transcript and ACT/SAT to SIUE. The transcript for high school seniors must show 6th, 7th or 8th semester class rank. A final high school transcript verifying graduation must be submitted as soon as it is available. The transcript for applicants who have graduated from high school must verify graduation and display final semester rank. ACT/SAT scores are acceptable if they appear on your high school transcript.
- B. If you graduated from high school five or more years ago,** you must have an official high school transcript sent to us, verifying your graduation and showing your final semester class rank. ACT/SAT scores are optional for this category. If you've taken the ACT/SAT test, you are encouraged to submit the scores to SIUE.
- C. If you've passed the G.E.D. examination,** ask the County Superintendent of Schools to send an official copy of your G.E.D. scores to SIUE. Also submit an official copy of your high school transcript if your high school class graduated within the past five years. ACT/SAT scores are not required. However, if you have taken the ACT/SAT test, we encourage you to have the scores sent to us.

TRANSFER APPLICANTS

This category includes anyone who has attempted college work since high school graduation, and has not previously attended SIUE.

- A. If you've completed 30 or more semester hours** of transfer-level credit, you should ask each college you attended to send an official transcript to SIUE Office of Admissions.
- B. If you've completed fewer than 30 semester hours** of transfer-level credit, you should have sent to SIUE the credentials described in the Freshman Applicant category as well as official college transcripts.

RETURNING APPLICANTS

This includes anyone who has previously attended SIUE but has not attended the University within the last 12 months.

Left SIUE as:	Wish to return to SIUE as:	Apply as:
Degree-seeking undergraduate or graduate	Degree-seeking undergraduate	Returning degree-seeking
Non-degree or Visiting undergraduate	Degree-seeking undergraduate	Freshman (if no transfer credit) or Transfer (if transfer credit)
Degree-seeking, Non-degree, or Visiting undergraduate or graduate student	Non-degree seeking undergraduate	Returning Visiting Student

VISITING STUDENT APPLICANTS

This category includes anyone who has at least a high school diploma or equivalent and wishes to enroll in undergraduate courses for credit, but is not interested in pursuing a baccalaureate degree at SIUE.

The only document required is the completed application. However, you may be required to present evidence of prerequisite completion at the time of registration.

Visiting students are not eligible to receive financial aid. However if a visiting student is currently pursuing a degree at another post-secondary institution, the student may be eligible for VA benefits or student employment. Students wishing to apply for student employment or receive VA benefits need to submit appropriate documentation confirming their degree-seeking status at a parent institution.

Students in visiting status may not accumulate more than 30 semester hours at the University. If a student has accumulated 30 semester hours of credit and wishes to continue enrollment at SIUE, he/she must apply to the University as a degree-seeking student and satisfy appropriate criteria. Continued enrollment will not be permitted until the student satisfies admission criteria or appeals to the Director of Admissions.

Applicants previously denied admission in degree-seeking categories are not admissible as visiting students.

Applicants still in high school may be considered for admission as visiting students by the Director of Admissions.

Disability Support Services

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville offers a range of resources to support students with disabilities. For more information about programs and resources for students with disabilities, please contact:

Office of Disability Support Services
Campus Box 1611 / Rendleman 1218
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Edwardsville, IL 62026-1611
Telephone: (618) 650-3726
(VIT):(618)-650-3782
FAX: (618) 650-5691
E-Mail: disabilitysupport@siue.edu

Listed below are the undergraduate majors leading to the bachelor's degrees available at SIUE. Also the pre-professional programs are listed. Use this code list to answer questions #13 & 14 on the application.

College of Arts and Sciences

Code	Major	Degree Code
Anthropology		
B5	Anthropology	BS or BA
Art		
B9	Art Education	BS
BA	Art History	BA
EN	Studio Art	BS or BA
Art and Design		
B8	Art & Design	BFA
Biological Sciences		
BD	General Biology	BS or BA
BZ	Ecology, Evolution, Environment	BS or BA
CH	Genetic Engineering	BS or BA
DA	Medical Science	BS or BA
EV	Medical Technology	BS or BA
Chemistry		
BH	General Chemistry	BS or BA
Criminal Justice Studies		
BT	Criminal Justice	BS or BA
Economics		
C1	Economics	BS or BA
English		
C8	English	BS or BA
Foreign Languages and Literature		
CF	French	BS or BA
CK	German	BS or BA
EF	Spanish	BS or BA
Geography		
CJ	Geography	BS or BA
History		
CN	History	BS or BA
Liberal Studies		
CV	Liberal Studies	BLS
Mass Communications		
D4	Mass Communications	BS or BA
Mathematical Studies		
D6	General Mathematics	BS or BA
B2	Actuarial Science	BS or BA
B6	Applied Mathematics	BS or BA
D5	Mathematical Studies	BS or BA
EM	Statistics	BS or BA
Music		
DG	General Music	BA
CT	Jazz Performance	BM
DH	Music Education	BM
DI	Music History/Literature	BA
DJ	Music Merchandising	BA
DK	Music Performance	BM
DL	Music Theory and Composition	BM
Philosophy		
DV	Philosophy	BS or BA

Physics		
DW	Physics	BS or BA
Political Science		
DX	Political Science	BS or BA
Social Work		
ED	Social Work	BS or BA
Sociology		
EE	Sociology	BS or BA
Speech Communication		
EH	Speech Communication	BS or BA
Theater & Dance		
BU	Dance	BS or BA
BW	Design/Technical	BS or BA
CW	Liberal Theater Studies	BS or BA
DT	Performance	BS or BA
ES	Theater & Dance	BS or BA
SA	Still Deciding in Arts and Sciences	

School of Business

Code	Major	Degree Code
Accountancy		
B1	Accountancy	BSA
Business Administration		
C1	Economics	BS
C9	Entrepreneurship	BS
CD	Finance	BS
CG	General Business Administration	BS
CO	Human Resource Mgmt	BS
CS	International Business	BS
CY	Management	BS
CZ	Management Information Systems	BS
D2	Marketing	BS
Business Economics and Finance		
BG	Business Economics and Finance	BS
Computer Management & Information Systems		
BO	Computer Management and Information Systems	BS

SB Still Deciding in Business

School of Education

Code	Major	Degree Code
Early Childhood Education		
BX	Early Childhood Education	BS
Earth and Space Science Education		
BY	Earth & Space Science Education	BS
Elementary Education		
C7	Elementary Education	BS
Health Education		
CM	Health Education	BS
Kinesiology		
CU	Kinesiology	BS

Psychology		
E5	Psychology	BS or BA

Secondary Education nine teaching fields available
 EB Secondary Education BS

Special Education
 EG Special Education BS

Speech Language Pathology and Audiology
 EK Speech Language Pathology and Audiology BS or BA

SE Still Deciding in Education

School of Engineering

Code	Major	Degree Code
Civil Engineering		
B1	Civil Engineering	BS
Computer Engineering		
BN	Computer Engineering	BS
Computer Science		
BP	Computer Science	BS or BA
Construction Management		
BQ	Construction Management	BS
Electrical Engineering		
C6	Electrical Engineering	BS
Industrial Engineering		
CP	Industrial Engineering	BS
Manufacturing Engineering		
D1	Manufacturing Engineering	BS
Mechanical Engineering		
D8	Mechanical Engineering	BS
SG	Still Deciding in Engineering	

School of Nursing

Code	Major	Degree Code
Still Deciding in Nursing		
SN	Still Deciding in Nursing	

Undecided

Code	Major	Degree Code
Still Deciding		
UN	Still Deciding	UNDE

Pre-Professional Interests

E1	Pre-Med	EY	Pre-Veterinary
EX	Pre-Pharm	DZ	Pre-Law
DY	Pre-Dental		

Special Information

If you're considering a specific major, contact the appropriate department to ask about additional requirements for admission to its program. Transfer students wishing to enter one of the Engineering majors must contact the School of Engineering for a transfer credit evaluation at least 10 days before the start of the semester for which they have applied. If you plan to enter Pharmacy or Dental Medicine, please indicate the appropriate code on question 14 as well as select an undergraduate major you intend to pursue. (Example: Students planning to enter pharmacy list General Biology as their intended major).

17. HIGH SCHOOL/GED INFORMATION (Required of all applicants)

High School from which you graduated or will graduate (no abbreviations)											
High School Graduation Date				Dates of Attendance				OFFICE USE			
MO		YR		From-MO/YR		To-MO/YR					
School Address (include City, State and Zip Code)											
List all other high schools attended with address and attendance dates										OFFICE USE	
Did you complete the General Educational Development (GED) examination? If, so indicate yes and the date of the examination. Please also complete the section above on high school(s) attended.											
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes				(MO/YR)		<input type="checkbox"/> No					

18. **Scholarships - Freshman only:** In order to receive preferential consideration for the Meridian Scholars program (see Scholarship Information), please submit this application along with the Meridian Supplemental Profile available online at www.siue.edu/financialaid/scholarships/meridian.shtml. As part of the profile, you will need to provide a resume listing your activities, honors, awards, etc. along with a two paged typed essay relating to the following:

- A. What has been the most important event in your life, and how has it changed you?
- B. You have been asked to write the lead editorial for a major newspaper. Choose any topic you wish.
- C. Write an essay on a topic you think could help us know you better.

This application for admission, all supporting documents, and the information asked for in the Meridian Supplemental Profile should be submitted by December 1st, our priority filing date.

19. **POSTSECONDARY INFORMATION:** Required of applicants who have attended any college or university, **including SIUE**. List all institutions (no abbreviations) attended and **include all requested information** (use an additional sheet if necessary).

School Name (Chronological) MUST include City and State	Dates				External degree(s) earned or planned and dates	Semester Hours Completed	Currently Enrolled Hours	OFFICE USE
	From		To					
	MO.	YR.	MO.	YR.				
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2.								
3.								
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5.								

20. **CERTIFICATION** This certification must be signed and dated by the applicant before action can be taken on this admission and scholarship application. I understand that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make me ineligible for admission to the University or subject to dismissal. I certify that the statements I have made on this application are correct and complete. In addition, if I meet the qualifications to be considered for the Meridian Scholars program, Johnetta Haley scholarship or the Elite scholarship and apply by December 1, this application may serve as an application for this award.

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is committed to maintaining a safe environment for all members of the University community. The University requires applicants who are under current indictment or have been convicted of a crime (other than a routine traffic offense or in a juvenile proceeding) to disclose this information as a mandatory step in the application process. A previous conviction or current indictment does not automatically bar admission to the University, but does require review. Complete information must be sent by Certified Mail at the time of application for admission to: Southern Illinois University Edwardsville; Office of Admissions Review Committee; Campus Box 1600; Edwardsville, IL 62026. Applicants are responsible for verifying receipt by the University and for maintaining a copy of the receipt certifying submission. Information to be submitted includes: a brief explanation, a location (city, state, country) of conviction or current indictment, dates and court disposition. This statement must also include a grant of permission to the University for complete access to criminal records, if any. For further information on this requirement, call 618-650-3705.

Print Name _____ Social Security Number _____
 Signature _____ Date _____

Tuition and Fees (per semester)*

Newly enrolled undergraduate students will pay a guaranteed tuition rate for four continuous academic years.

Undergraduate Students with Illinois Residency

One class (3 semester hours)	\$888.90
Two classes (6 semester hours)	1636.45
Three classes (9 semester hours)	2267.65
Four classes (12 semester hours)	2898.85
Five classes (15 semester hours)	3516.25

Undergraduate Students, Out-of-State Residency

One class (3 semester hours)	\$1673.10
Two classes (6 semester hours)	3204.85
Three classes (9 semester hours)	4620.25
Four classes (12 semester hours)	6035.65
Five classes (15 semester hours)	7437.25

*Undergraduate fees include the cost of renting all basic textbooks

University Housing Plans

Woodland, Prairie and Bluff

Residence Halls (Per Semester)

Shared Bedroom	\$2085.00
Deluxe Private	4170.00

Evergreen Hall (Per Semester)

Private Apartment	\$3100.00
Shared Apartment	2325.00
Private Suite	2630.00
Studio	4350.00

Cougar Village Apartments (Per Semester)

Shared Bedroom (room only)	\$1730.00
Private Bedroom (room only)	2570.00
Deluxe Private	3460.00
Campus Housing Activity Fee	\$15.00
Single Family Campus Housing Activity Fee	40.00

Meal Plans (Per Semester)

Residence Halls (Bluff, Prairie and Woodland – required)	
Meal Plan A	\$1290.00
Meal Plan B	1780.00

Apartments and Evergreen Hall (optional)

Meal Plan A	\$1290.00
Meal Plan B	1780.00
Meal Plan D	100.00
Meal Plan E	500.00
Meal Plan F	250.00

Scholarship Information

Scholarship Opportunities at SIUE

Meridian Scholars Program

Newly entering freshmen students with outstanding academic credentials and leadership qualities may qualify for the SIUE Meridian Scholars Program. This premier scholarship program includes full tuition, room/board and mandatory fees. **To be considered, you must earn at least a 27 ACT or 1200 SAT and at least a 3.75/4.00 GPA or rank in the top 10% of your high school graduating class.** The undergraduate admission application serves as application for the Meridian Scholars Program.

If you would like to be considered for the Meridian Scholars Program *be sure to complete the Meridian Supplemental Profile* which includes a resume listing activities, honors, awards, etc, and an essay (please see question 18 on the application). The Meridian Supplemental Profile is available at www.siu.edu/financialaid/scholarships/meridian.shtml. Preferential consideration will be given to students who apply to the university and submit the Meridian Supplemental Profile by December 1.

Other Scholarship Opportunities

In addition to the Meridian Scholars Program, SIUE offers a variety of other scholarship opportunities which range in value and selection criteria.

Elite Scholarship (admission application serves as application) – For students who live outside Illinois, this scholarship covers the cost differential between in-state and out-of-state tuition for one year. The scholarship may be used during the fall and spring semesters of your first year of undergraduate study. Eligibility and number of scholarships vary.

Johnetta Haley Scholarships (admission application serves as application) – For new freshman and transfer minority undergraduates planning careers in underrepresented fields such as nursing, engineering, sciences and teacher education.

Phi Theta Kappa Transfer Scholarships (separate application required) – The Phi Theta Kappa Transfer Scholarship is available for new transfer students who are members of PTK and have earned an associate's degree from an Illinois Community College.

University/Foundation Scholarships (separate application required) – A variety of scholarships are made possible by gracious gifts from alumni, staff and community supporters.

Departmental Scholarships – SIUE offers several academic scholarships in specific areas of study.

For more information about SIUE scholarship opportunities visit www.siu.edu/financialaid.

SIUE is committed to student privacy and confidentiality of information. Although submitting your Social Security number is voluntary, it is recommended because the Social Security number expedites matching of credentials for admission review and processing. It is also required of those students applying for financial aid. SIUE also needs your Social Security number in order to furnish Form 1098T, Tuition Payments Statement, used to claim an income tax credit for the Hope and Lifetime Learning Education Credits.

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is committed to equal educational and employment opportunity and affirmative action. SIUE administers its academic programs without regard to race, ethnicity, color, sex, creed or religion, national origin, age, handicap, veterans' status or other proscribed categories. Affirmative action is taken as appropriate. In addition, it is the policy of SIUE to make every reasonable effort to accommodate individuals with special needs.

The University complies in letter and spirit with federal and state legislation, which includes, but is not limited to, Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Executive Order 11246, the Equal Pay Act of 1963, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, Titles VII and VIII of the Public Health Service Act, and the Illinois Human Rights Act and related state laws. Inquiries regarding equal opportunity and affirmative action in admission and administration should be directed to the office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs.

In accordance with Illinois State law, the SIUE Police Department shall disclose the name, address, date of birth, place of employment, school attended, and offense or adjudication of all sex offenders required to register under Section 3 of the Sex Offender Registration Act [730 ILCS 150/3] upon request. Please contact the SIUE Police Department for all questions and/or inquiries.

The SIUE ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT is available online at admin.siue.edu/studentrightto/. The report contains campus safety and security information and crime statistics for the past three calendar years. This report is published in compliance with federal law, titled the "Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act." You also may access this report through the SIUE Home Page: www.siue.edu. For those without computer access, a paper copy of the report may be obtained from: Office of the Vice Chancellor for Administration, Rendleman Hall, Room 2228, 618-650-2536.

NOTICE

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is an equal opportunity employer and will not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, religion, national origin or sex in violation of Title VII.

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville prohibits discrimination against employees, applicants for employment and students on the basis of age, color, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran's status.