

Online Services and Educational Outreach

FALL 2021 CATALOG

Enriching • Empowering • Engaging • Education for all



A MESSAGE FROM **THE DIRECTOR**

Greetings!

The SIUE Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach works to provide community members opportunities for personal and professional enrichment. This fall, we are excited to offer in-person and virtual learning opportunities to suit your needs.

Gardening and photography are new this fall, as well as fully online graduate programs in accounting, special education, and public administration and policy analysis. If you are seeking a flexible online degree program, check out all of the online offerings at siue.edu/online. We are continually expanding and would love to hear your new ideas.

We are accepting applicants to train for careers as laboratory technicians, chemical technicians and food science technicians in self-paced courses that can be completed in as little as six weeks.

Join us this fall or connect on social media to learn more.

Mary Ettling
<u>Director of Online Services and Educational Outreach</u>



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COMMITMENT TO ANTI-RACISM AND DIVERSITY OFFERINGS

All offerings are free for participants and will be hosted via Zoom.

Blacktivism in the Academy

A podcast by scholar-activists for scholar-activists

Circle Up: Black Student Athletes Justice or Just Us? Big Momma Knows. You Don't.

The Professionalism Trap

This podcast encourages and facilitates learning, activism and anti-racist action. Listeners will learn from a variety of scholars and will enjoy a blend of informative and engaging episodes on a range of topics, some serious like colorism within Black communities, and some lighthearted like Black joy.

"Blacktivism in the Academy" is a creation of the DREAM (Dismantling Racism through Education, Advocacy and Mobilization) Collective at SIUE. The DREAM Collective is committed to serving southern Illinois and the greater St. Louis metropolitan area by supporting community members, educational organizations and professionals in the process of naming, addressing and dismantling racism through education, advocacy and mobilization.

If you are seeking a community of like-minded scholar-activists, you're invited to join us. "Blacktivism in the Academy" is available on Spotify, Stitcher and Apple Podcast, as well as all major podcast platforms.

Slave Pen to Spectator Sport: Remembering St. Louis's Buried Past

Explore the history of the slave trade in downtown St. Louis and efforts to both erase and remember this past in a riveting discussion that travels through time.

Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., Sept. 23 Glen Carbon Centennial Library, Glen Carbon, Ill.

Certification for Small and Diverse Business

Learn about government contracting and obtaining the necessary certifications for your small and/or diverse business. This two-part session will feature speakers who are experts in the field of government contracting and provide all the information you need to successfully navigate government regulations in the State of Illinois. Sponsored by the Illinois SBDC for the Metro East and Business Enterprise Program at SIUE.

Thursday, 10-11 a.m., Oct. 14 Online via Zoom



SIUE OFFICE OF ONLINE SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH

COMMITMENT TO ADDRESSING AND COMBATING RACIAL INJUSTICE

- It is the **POSITION** of the faculty and staff in Online Services and Educational Outreach that we condemn racism, racial inequities and oppression of all persons and are committed to nurturing positive change and working toward a more equitable society.
- We believe that critical reflection, direct action and accountability are essential in promoting positive change. Therefore, we promise to **EDUCATE** ourselves, our students and our community to be better agents of change by offering educational programming that will serve the public and allow us to work steadily toward a more just society.
- We will **ACT**, conduct business, govern our practices and continually reflect on all efforts to operate in a space that supports the sharing of knowledge through educational resources and community engagement.

In doing so we will:

- Share University resources, educational tools and other relevant activities with the community
- Provide a free monthly reading or learning tool
- · Examine our departmental practices and encourage actions that increase equity and anti-racism
- · Support and enhance the efforts of community members, groups or partners working toward social justice and equity for all
- We are **COMMITTED** to providing accurate information and resource materials on racial justice issues, sustaining dialogue and ensuring equitable racial representation in the programs we offer. We will continuously work to inspire others to stand up and speak out against racial injustices.
- We will sustain our commitment to social justice by continuously **EVALUATING** our efforts to evolve and publicly sharing our contributions as an office to shape a changing world.



ONLINE BACHELOR'S DEGREE COMPLETION

siue.edu/academics/bachelors-degree-completion

It's never too late to finish your degree! SIUE offers flexible, accelerated, fully online degree completion programs to fit the needs of adult learners like you. Earning your bachelor's degree doesn't have to be stressful. Our degree completion programs were developed to help you pursue educational success while you juggle work and family. You'll learn in a supportive, online environment that is focused on preparing you to accomplish your career goals without sacrificing personal, family and professional responsibilities.

Online Degree Completion Programs:

- Applied Communication Studies, Public Relations
- Business Administration
- Criminal Justice Studies
- Integrative Studies, Leadership in Organizations

Completing a bachelor's degree can help you improve your quality of life and advance your career. Consider these facts:

- Increased Salary: Bachelor's degree holders earn an average of \$10,000 more each year than those with an associate degree. (Bureau of Labor Statistics)
- Career Success: Nearly 90% of bachelor's degree holders view their job as a career and/or a stepping stone to a career. (Pew Research Center)
- Job Security: On average, unemployment rates are higher for individuals with some college and no degree when compared to a bachelor's or advanced degree. (Bureau of Labor Statistics)
- Enhanced Skills: Regardless of your chosen major, college graduates possess valuable critical thinking and problem-solving skills, which more than 80% of employers

agree are important for success. (National Center for Higher Education Management Systems and the Association of American Colleges and Universities, How Liberal Arts and Sciences Majors Fare in Employment)

SIUE holds the same accreditations as many of the nation's most prestigious schools. Our online degree completion courses are held to the same high academic standards and are taught by the same highly qualified faculty who teach in SIUE classrooms.

Our academic programs are designed to meet professional demands in a variety of fields. You will expand your knowledge and gain the experience sought by employers throughout the region.

You can do this! Contact the Office of Online Student Services for more information.



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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

siue.edu/personal-development



LANGUAGES





Do you want to learn the Spanish language? This course is the perfect place to start, as you will be introduced to the language, even if you have little to no knowledge of it!

Course Fee: \$69 Mondays, 7-8 p.m., Sept. 13-Oct. 18 Online via Zoom



The instructor was excellent. She was enthusiastic about teaching us beginning Spanish and provided us excellent handouts and shared websites with us. We interacted with the websites' questions and provided our answers which we would compare with the correct answer. This was very helpful.

- SAUNDRA H.



Spanish for Healthcare Professionals I

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Health professionals work with many different people, and communication is key. This course will introduce you to the basic vocabulary, grammar and idiomatic expressions needed to communicate in Spanish in a health professional context. Focus is on the conversational skills needed to successfully communicate basic information with Spanish-speaking patients with limited English proficiency. Materials are included in the cost of the course. No textbook is required for the course. Basic Spanish language knowledge is needed.

Course Fee: \$89 Mondays, 6:30-8 p.m., Sept. 13-Oct. 18. Online via Zoom



RETURNING! Beginning Italian

Learn Italian in this beginning course that explores the fun and enjoyment of the language and culture. It provides a basic understanding of the Italian language through grammar, pronunciation, recognition of Italian words, formulation of questions for basic conversation and building simple vocabulary. A textbook is required for the course and a link to purchase will be sent to you prior to the course beginning.

Course Fee: \$99 Wednesdays, 4-6 p.m., Sept. 15-Nov. 17 Caseyville Public Library



Beginning Italian was organized, educational and well worth the time and effort. I would take another class with Barbara Klein!

—TERRY T.





RETURNING! Advanced Italian

If you already have knowledge of this beautiful language, this course is designed just for you. We will review grammar and syntax in conjunction with readings in Italian.

Course Fee: \$99

Wednesdays, 6:30-8 p.m., Sept. 15-Nov. 17

Caseyville Public Library





Learn basic Japanese for everyday situations in this returning offering. Explore the beauty of the Japanese culture as you immerse yourself in language and culture in every session.

Course Fee: \$99*

Thursdays, 7-8:30 p.m., Oct. 14-Nov. 11

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This course helped me understand more about Japanese language and culture in a very comfortable setting. My daughter and I took this course in preparation for a summer trip to Japan, and we both enjoyed it very much.

-CATHERINE W.





Introduction to American Sign Language and Deaf Culture

You will focus on mastering the basics of fingerspelling, numbers, colors, facial grammar and sentence structure. Learn conversational and cultural behaviors necessary to hold a beginning-level conversation in ASL with deaf or hearing-impaired users of the language. Introductory information about deaf culture will also be presented, along with deaf humor, to provide you with a broad picture of language and culture.

Course Fee: \$119*

Thursdays, 7-9 p.m., Sept. 9-Nov. 4 (No class Sept. 16)

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"This course was very informative because it has helped me understand my grandson (3 yrs. old) who is deaf. It has allowed me to communicate better with him. The instructor was awesome.

- KARLA C.

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Yoga for Beginners

Yoga for Beginners provides the fundamentals of practice for those getting started in yoga, as well as those with more experience who enjoy gentler movements. You will learn posture alignment, practice breath work through guided demonstration, and reap the benefits of yoga, including improved balance, physical strength, flexibility, relaxation, increased energy and better digestion.

Course Fee: \$99* for 10-week session Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session Wednesdays, 5-6 p.m., Sept. 8-Nov. 10 Group Fitness Room #1, Vadalabene Center, SIUE Main Campus

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Gentle yoga with beneficial stretches to improve flexibility and balance.

- SAUNDRA H.

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Yoga for Beginners/Intermediate

This class is for the experienced beginner who is ready for a gentle challenge. In this class, instructor Louise Hamlin-Laird will begin with a gentle warm-up, transitioning into a flow that syncs our movement with our breath, and ending with a restorative pose to relax and stretch. Zoom option will also be available for those wanting to attend remotely

Course Fee: \$99* for 10-week sessions Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session Thursdays, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Sept. 9-Nov. 11 Group Fitness Room #1, Vadalabene Center, SIUE Main Campus

Yoga and Breath Work

Breathing, like movement, is so fundamental to the human experience we rarely even think about it. However, mindful movements and breath work, or intentional practices of breathing and moving, can deeply increase our quality of life. This class unites the art of mindful movement and breath work, with practices in many diverse breath work techniques and movements inspired by gentle yoga, tai chi, qi gong and more.

Course Fee: \$90 for 10-week session Drop-ins welcome at \$10 per session Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Sept. 9-Nov. 11 Online via Zoom

Restorative Yoga

Restorative yoga is a powerfully gentle practice with exceptional benefits, such as the reduction of blood pressure and reduced risk of stroke or heart attack. Additionally, restorative yoga can help to reset the body and relax the mind. The skills learned in this class have many other potential mental and physical benefits.

Course Fee: \$90 for 10-week session Drop-ins welcome at \$10 per session Fridays, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Sept. 10-Nov. 12 Fuller Dome, SIUE Main Campus



Rise and Shine

Experience the benefits of early morning yoga as you stretch and strengthen your body, awaken and refresh your mind, and nourish your spirit. Our practice will focus on the synchronization of movement and breath. During this class, you will build endurance, flexibility, strength and mental focus. Louise will give options to make this class more accessible while keeping it challenging. You will leave feeling energized, refreshed and ready for anything the day has in store. This class may use optional light weights.

Course Fee: \$90 for 10-week session Drop-ins welcome at \$10 per session Saturdays, 8-9 a.m., Sept. 11-Nov. 13 Fuller Dome, SIUE Main Campus

CREATIVE ARTS

Create and Party: Abstract Spackle Painting

Miss Ruthie will teach you how to create this abstract painting with regular household spackle. This class is great for beginners. You will learn simple acrylic techniques and gain an understanding of abstract design. You will leave class with a lovely textured abstract painting. You are encouraged to bring snacks and drinks to the class and relax while making art.

Course Fee: \$25 Friday, 6-8 p.m., Sept. 24 Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.

Create and Party: Watercolor Christmas Tree Cards

Miss Ruthie will teach you simple watercolor and masking, and you will gain an understanding of watercolor and its properties. You will leave class with four watercolor Christmas cards. You are encouraged to bring snacks and drinks to the class and relax while making art.

Course Fee: \$25 Friday, 6-8 p.m., Dec. 10 Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.



Party and Make Art: Ceramic Pumpkins

Miss Ruthie will teach you simple hand-building/slab-building and glaze techniques, as well as how to use a variety of clay tools. You will also gain an understanding of clay and its properties. You will make a ceramic pumpkin and then decorate and glaze it for a once-fire. You are encouraged to bring snacks and drinks to the class and relax while making art.

Course Fee: \$35 Friday, 5:30-8:30 p.m., Oct. 8 Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.



Party and Make Art: Ceramic Serving Platter

Miss Ruthie will teach you how to make a ceramic platter using simple hand-building techniques. Learn how to use a variety of clay tools, how to apply slip to create a textured surface, and gain an understanding of clay and its properties. You will make one ceramic platter in class and glaze it that night for a once-fire. You are encouraged to bring snacks and drinks to the class and relax while making art.

Course Fee: \$35 Friday, 5:30-8:30 p.m., Nov. 5 Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.

Party and Make Art: Christmas Tree Luminaries

Miss Ruthie will teach you how to make ceramic Christmas tree luminaries using simple hand-building techniques. You will learn how to use a variety of clay tools and gain an understanding of clay and its properties. You will make two trees in class and glaze them that night for a once-fire. You are encouraged to bring snacks and drinks to the class and relax while making art.

Course Fee: \$35 Friday, 5:30-8:30 p.m., Dec. 3 Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.

Stained Glass Basics

Learn the basics of the Tiffany Style copper foil stained glass technique. Choose from a simple three-piece stained glass sun catcher pattern. (You are welcome to bring in your own, and we can try to use it!) Pieces will be 4"x6" or smaller. You will leave the class with a finished stained glass piece that is ready for hanging in your favorite window.

Course Fee: \$45
Four Sessions Available:
Saturday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Sept. 25
Saturday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Oct. 16
Saturday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Nov. 13
Saturday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Dec. 11
Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton, Ill.

CREATIVE ARTS



Beginning Drawing

Think drawing is a gift that must come naturally? Drawing is a skill that can be developed with practice. You will learn how to draw with proper techniques, discovering how to represent what you see through studies in contour drawing, perspective, positive/negative space and value.

Cost: \$79 Wednesdays, 5-6:30 p.m., Nov. 3-Dec. 8 Online via Zoom

Intermediate Drawing

For those with some drawing experience, you will refine and expand your drawing and observation skills.

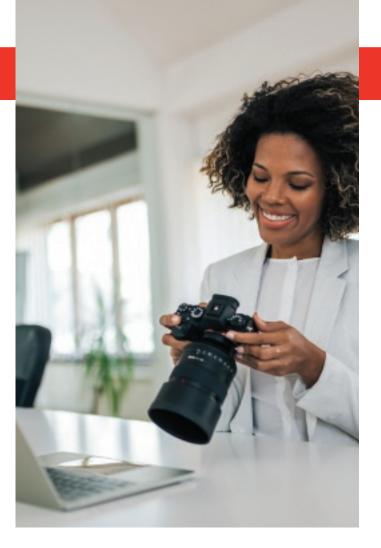
Cost: \$79 Wednesdays, 6:30-8 p.m., Nov. 3-Dec. 8 Online via Zoom



Great course, regardless of your skill level. I took it just after the beginning class and learned so much. Those who were more experienced improved as well because of the personalized instruction.

- LINDA R.

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Beginning Photography

Learn how to use your camera to its fullest potential and how to take successful photographs of nature, people, buildings and whatever else you can imagine. We will cover aperture, shutter speed, ISO, lighting, composition and texture, and learn about photographers past and present.

Course Fee: \$99 Wednesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Aug. 25-Oct. 13 Online via Zoom

Crash Course in Photography

Do you ever wish you could take beautiful photographs like your friends? Or like what you see on social media? This course will help you learn the basic functions of your camera to create high-quality images. No matter what you have—smartphone, DSLR, compact or mirrorless camera—you will learn the basic concepts and practices of digital photography to gain control of exposure and understand the fundamentals of composition. Improve your photography skills and develop a deeper understanding of any subject you try to capture as a photographer.

Course Fee: \$119* Thursdays, 5-7 p.m., Sept. 30-Nov. 4 Art and Design East 2218, SIUE Main Campus





NEW! Introduction to Metalsmithing and **Jewelry Making**

Learn the foundations of metalsmithing and jewelry making in SIUE's state-of-the-art dedicated metalsmithing studio. This six-week course will introduce you to manipulating metals like copper and brass through sawing, forming, surface design, and cold and hot connections. The course includes the use of tools and equipment in the studio, as well as a personal toolkit and materials to get you started. Students should complete 1-2 projects which might include a pendant, brooch, ring, earrings or small sculptural object.

Course Fee: \$219 (includes all materials, individual toolkit and parking) Wednesdays, 5-8 p.m., Aug. 11-Sept. 8 Metalsmithing Studio, SIUE Campus



Intermediate Metalsmithing and **Jewelry Making**

Expand your skills in metalsmithing and jewelry making in SIUE's state-of-the-art dedicated metalsmithing studio. This five-week course will allow you to further develop your skills in piercing, forming, fabrication and surface design, as well as introduce you to new techniques like enameling and etching. Students must have at least a basic understanding of the foundations of metalsmithing including piercing, and cold and hot connections. This is a level two course. Students will be responsible for bringing their own basic toolkit (list to be provided). Sampling materials will be included in course fees. Additional materials may be purchased through provided resources.

Course Fee: \$219 (includes all materials and parking) Thursdays, 5-8 p.m., Aug. 12-Sept. 9. Metalsmithing Studio, SIUE Campus

CULINARY ARTS

NEW! Holiday Brunch at Tiffany's

Everyone enjoys a beautiful brunch during the holidays. Whether you are entertaining at home or taking a dish to family and friends, delicious brunch recipe ideas during the holidays are the perfect holiday gift. In this class, you will learn how to make puff pastry mini quiches (an at-home version of your favorite bakery-cafe egg soufflés), eggnog French toast with Bananas Foster, oven roasted herb potatoes and a layered cheesecake fruit trifle. Also, learn how to make an easy croissant brittle for gift giving that is perfect with your favorite coffee drink. Recipes will be sent in advance so all groceries can be purchased and cooking can occur right along with Tiffany.

Course Fee: \$39 Saturday, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Nov. 13 Online via Zoom

NEW! Easy Holiday Cookies

What are the holidays without cookies? Learn new and easy cookie recipes that will become your new holiday favorites. In this class, we will bake soft Italian amaretti cookies (gluten-free), chocolate chip cheesecake cookie bars, shortbread and tea cookies (with a variety of mix in options), hot cocoa cookies, and a quick and easy chocolate sandwich cookie. While we bake, we will enjoy a recipe of white hot chocolate chai, which pairs perfectly with your cookies. Recipes will be sent in advance so all groceries can be purchased and baking can occur right along with Tiffany.

Course Fee: \$39 Thursday, 6-9 p.m., Dec. 9 Online via Zoom

CULINARY ARTS





Artisan Breads I

Learn the basics of bread-making, including the terminology, ingredient functionality, dough handling, fermentation steps, mixing and dough development, as well as the fermentation in the baking process. You will be able to take all recipes and finished products (20-30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

Course Fee: \$139 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Sept. 20-22 Artisan 222 Bakery, Edwardsville

Artisan Breads II This course will build on the knowledge learned in

Artisan Breads I. The focus will be on sourdough breads and the functions of bread making. You will be able to take all recipes and finished products (20-30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

Course Fee: \$139 Two sessions available: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Sept. 27-29 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Oct. 18-20 Artisan 222 Bakery, Edwardsville

Breads of the World

You will learn how to create and bake breads from around the world, including Brioche, Challah, Mediterranean and many more! You will be able to take all recipes and finished products (20-30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

Course Fee: \$139 Two sessions available: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Oct. 25-27 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Nov. 8-10 Artisan 222 Bakery, Edwardsville

NEW! Italian Breads

A simple look at classic Italian bread recipes, including focaccia, ciabatta, fougasse, and pizza dough. You will be able to take all recipes and finished products (20- 30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

Course Fee: \$139 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Nov. 15-17 Artisan 222 Bakery, Edwardsville

NEW! German Breads

It's a rye lover's dream. We'll hit on six vastly different German breads while also making rolls. You will be able to take all recipes and finished products (20-30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

Course Fee: \$139

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., Nov. 29-Dec. 1

Artisan 222 Bakery, Edwardsville

MUSIC



Beginning Guitar

Have you always wanted to learn to play guitar? Then we have the course for you! This class is designed to help you develop the basic skills and techniques needed to play the guitar. No previous playing experience needed. A guidebook will be provided, but you will need to bring your own guitar.

Course Fee: \$149*

Mondays, 6-8 p.m., Aug. 16-Dec. 13 (No class Oct. 25-Nov. 15)

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The instructor in our class was fantastic. Garrett is the rare instructor who can teach at all levels and keep all students interested, learning and motivated.

- SHAR J.

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Intermediate Guitar

Pick up where the beginner's course left off and expand on your basic techniques. Learn skills beyond the basic and techniques of playing guitar that will further enrich your basic guitar playing. Basic guitar playing experience needed.

Course Fee: \$149*

Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m., Aug. 18-Dec. 15 (No class Oct. 27-Nov. 17)

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Beginner Classical Guitar

Join us and develop your beginner skills and techniques of playing classical guitar for students with no previous classical guitar playing experience. You must have a basic knowledge of reading music and notes on the guitar.

Course Fee: \$139*

Thursdays, 6-7 p.m., Aug. 19-Dec. 16 (No class Oct. 28-Nov. 25)

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Beginner Jazz and Blues Guitar

Learn how to develop skills and techniques for playing jazz and blues guitar. No previous playing experience needed. You will need to have a basic knowledge of reading music and notes on the guitar.

Course Fee: \$139*

Thursdays, 7:15-8:15 p.m., Aug. 19-Dec. 16 (No class Oct. 28-Nov. 25)

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HISTORICAL STUDIES

PERSONAL ENRICHMENT

Genealogy Research

Tracing family history is a fascinating journey. Learn about the genealogy research process and the way to interpret information through hands-on examples that help you dig deeper into your family's past. Make your family history come alive!

Course Fee: \$59

Mondays, 6-8 p.m., Sept. 13-Oct. 18

Online via Zoom

Suzanne is a knowledgeable teacher who is willing to help her students at any time to better understand the subject of genealogy and taught us how to be better researchers.

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- PAMELA M.



PERSONAL FINANCE AND PLANNING



Where Does My Money Go?

You don't have to be a CPA to manage your finances and build wealth within the resources you have. Learn about budgeting, building an emergency savings, paying down debt and saving for retirement. Get a crash course in building wealth through investments to help you take control of your finances and build a better future for you and your family.

Course Fee: \$39 Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Sept. 18 Online via Zoom





Suddenly September: **Embracing Our Journey of Aging**

How is it that we are no longer young? It happened so suddenly. Now what? The focus of our sessions will be on the mental, spiritual and emotional sides of aging. Over four weeks, we will think, collaborate and interact for the sole purpose of gaining insight into the unique opportunities for growth, meaning and creativity inherent within the sudden arrival of the "September" of our lives. Join us!

Course Fee: \$59*

Tuesdays, 5:30-7 p.m., Sept. 7-28

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Together or Alone

Join us as we explore a critical and historical view of the religious, sociological, philosophical and scientific realities that both hold us together and tear us apart. We will explore how they relate to notions of group, self, higher-power thinking and third-party perception.

Course Fee: \$59

Tuesdays, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Sept. 7-Oct. 12

Online via Zoom



NEW! Self-Awareness: Growing Yourself into a New You

Join us for this five-week series where we will learn more about our self-perception and emotional intelligence. We will learn about our conscious and unconscious biases along with ways to reduce them. Garnered with this self-knowledge, we will tackle a chance goal that has been holding us back and focus on a new leadership skill set to help us make needed changes—in ourselves and our teams.

Course Fee: \$69

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., Sept. 21-Oct. 19

Online via Zoom

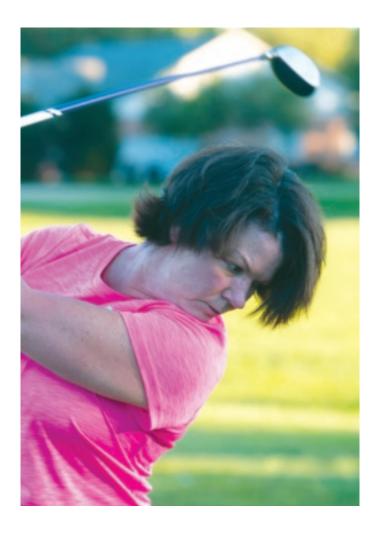


Gardening 101

Learn the basics of gardening, such as building healthy soil, water conservation, seed selection, starting seeds, composting, vermicomposting, sheet mulching, building beds, maintenance techniques, weed suppression, choosing the right plants, food forests and elements of design. Make the most of your yard through edible landscaping. The book *Your Edible Yard* is included with cost of the course.

Course Fee: \$169*

Wednesdays, 5-7 p.m., Sept. 8-Nov. 17 Hybrid (Online and SIUE Main Campus)



Open Introduction to Golf: Level II

Ever wanted to learn to golf? Want to take your love of golf to the next level? Level II introduces you to golf fitness, course management and the nuances of the game. This course is a great refresher for the recreational player and a must for new golfers. Join us to learn the game in a mixed group setting. Let our PGA Professionals and TPI Certified Fitness Trainers work with you on being better—physically and mentally—for the course. Training will take place at the practice facility, on the putting green and on the course. Open to anyone age 12 and up. Please bring your own set of golf clubs.

Course Fee: \$139

Thursdays, 5-7 p.m., Sept. 23-Oct. 21 Sunset Hills Country Club, Edwardsville

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I really enjoyed the course. It was very informative; however it was also like a social event. I would highly recommend the course to anyone wanting to learn golf or who is a beginner.

- LISA R.

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REAL ESTATE



Real Estate: Buying, Selling and Investing

A home is the largest asset most people will ever own. In this series of courses, you can learn how to buy, sell and invest like a professional! Attend as many sessions as you like or attend them all for a reduced rate of \$75. A portion of all proceeds from the course sessions will be donated to the Main Street Community Center on behalf of the Jen and Jean Team of Keller Williams Pinnacle.

Master the Home Buying Process

A home is the largest asset most people will ever purchase. Learn the steps, timelines and financial requirements it takes to navigate through this process with ease. Jen and Jean have a combined 36 years of experiences as realtors and have assisted clients in buying over 600 homes in the past 10 years. They personally have purchased 17 homes and are also real estate investors. Jen has also been a resident real estate expert on HGTV's House Hunters.

Course Fee: \$25*

Mondays, 6-7:30 p.m., Sept. 13-20

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Preparing to Sell Your Home

The objective of these two seminar sessions is to provide the tips and tools sellers can use to set an optimal timeline to get their home in show condition with a final result of getting it sold quickly and for the highest possible price. This real estate team has sold over 100 homes in each of the past three years and has some valuable information that will make a big difference in the seller's bottom line.

Course Fee: \$25* Tuesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Sept. 28-Oct. 5 SIUE Main Campus

Real Estate Investing for Beginners

Real estate investing is one of the greatest ways to build wealth in this country! In the three seminars, participants will learn the basic tools of residential real estate investing. They will also learn how to evaluate possible properties and will be introduced to the game CashFlow created by Robert Kiyosaki, author of *Rich Dad Poor Dad*. The game is a fun way to see how wealthy people use money to get out of the "rat race."

Course Fee: \$35* Tuesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Oct. 12-26

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The instructor was great! She is very knowledgeable and was very willing to answer questions. I would definitely take another class taught by her.

-AI FX W.

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LEARNING ON THE GO

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Come join us for a fabulous day at the Italian neighborhood in St. Louis we call "The Hill." You will be feted with a ravioli-making demonstration, a tour of an artisan salami factory, Yogi Berra's childhood home, beautiful St. Ambrose Church, specialty store shopping and many fascinating stories by our host Joe DeGregorio, Hill native and recent winner of the coveted Italian Heritage Award. Lunch will be at one of the popular ristorante's, Favazza's, and handouts will be provided. Transportation not provided and lunch will be an extra cost.

Saturday, 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Sept. 25 Cost: \$20

Madison County Breweries, Wineries and Distilleries: Guided Tour

Join us as explore Madison County's breweries and distilleries in this beautiful area. The adventure begins with a meeting at the first brewery at 10 a.m. and will continue caravan style for the remainder of the trip. Participants will visit a winery and multiple distilleries and breweries for behind-the-scenes tours, tastings and a little history from SIUE's resident beer, wine and spirits expert, Bob Dixon, PhD, professor of chemistry. Registration fees cover tours and a \$5 voucher to be used at any stop. Additional drinks and food are available for purchase at each location.

Saturday, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sept. 11 Cost: \$50

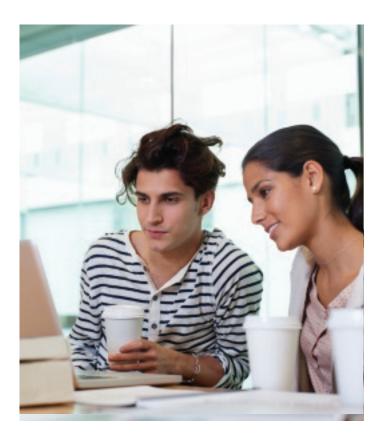
St. Louis Breweries, Wineries and Distilleries: Guided Tour

Join us as explore St. Louis' breweries and distilleries. The adventure begins with a meeting at the first brewery at 10 a.m. and will continue caravan style for the remainder of the trip. Participants will visit a winery and multiple distilleries and breweries for behind-the-scenes tours, tastings and a little history from SIUE's resident beer, wine and spirits expert, Bob Dixon, PhD, professor of chemistry. Registration fees cover tours and a \$5 voucher to be used at any stop. Additional drinks and food are available for purchase at each location.

Saturday, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Oct. 23

Cost: \$50





Facebook and Instagram Marketing for Business

Facebook and Instagram offer simple and effective ways to market your business and connect with new and existing customers. In this six-week course, we will begin with the basics on each platform, and you will learn to create professional Facebook and Instagram profiles for your business that are designed to effectively appeal to your target customer. Even if you have established business accounts, this course will dive deeper into strategies and tactics to highlight your brand and create a community of followers. Learn how to create quality content and market your business through these popular social media platforms.

Course Fee: \$49 Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Oct. 6-Nov. 10 Online via Zoom

The Four Fits of Dynamic Leadership

Today's workplace is more nuanced than ever, filled with diverse, dynamic employees. Empowering employees to achieve objectives is the basis of leadership, no matter the personality or strategies of each individual leader. Building a connection between the leader and the team is paramount, and to do so requires understanding of each of the four fits, or areas: mental, emotional, team and personal power. This comprehensive course explores each in detail and includes worksheets to clarify important lessons.

Course Fee: \$59 Tuesday and Wednesday, 6-7:30 p.m., Sept. 22 and Oct. 26 Online via Zoom

Introduction to Quickbooks® Online

This course is geared toward business owners, office personnel, bookkeepers or anyone who wants to use QuickBooks Online to build their skillset. The course covers key QuickBooks Online features and best practices, including basic accounting principles, accessing QuickBooks Online from a desktop or mobile device, linking the software to bank and credit card accounts, processing payments and payroll, running reports, fixing errors, and customizing the software to work for your business.

Course Fee: \$79

Alternative Digital Credential Fee: \$49 (additional to the course fee) Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Sept. 7-30

Online via Zoom

RETURNING! Introductory Microsoft Excel 2019

Designed for students with limited or no previous experience with Microsoft Excel, this beginner-level course will introduce new users to Excel 2019. The course will include an overview of basic functionality in Microsoft Excel, which will provide a foundation of the application. Topics covered in this course include creating and managing multiple worksheets, rearranging data, working with basic formulas and formatting, inserting charts and graphics, and organizing large amounts of data. A brief introduction to Windows is included. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills are required for this course. Textbook and online resource materials are provided.

Course Fee: \$149* Tuesdays, 6-8:45 p.m., Aug. 17-Sept. 28 Alumni Hall 1201, SIUE Main Campus.



"I enjoyed the course. The instructor was very knowledgeable of the subject matter."

- ALMETTA M.



RETURNING! Intermediate Microsoft

Designed for students with previous Microsoft Excel experience, this intermediate-level course will expand the users' Excel 2019 skill set with projects that demonstrate the application's higher capabilities. Topics covered in this course include creating formulas that use data in multiple worksheets, working with advanced formulas and formatting, inserting charts and graphics, and writing functions. Introductory Excel 2019 knowledge and skills are required for this course; however, a brief review of basic Excel 2019 formulas will be included. Online resource materials are provided.

Course Fee: \$149*

Tuesdays, 6-8:45 p.m., Oct. 5-Nov. 16

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CERTIFICATIONS

DATA ANALYTICS





FAA Remote Pilot Certification Course (Part 107)

This course will prepare participants for the FAA Remote Pilot Certificate Exam (14 CFR Part 107). Material covered includes airspace classifications, general rules and procedures, reading aviation maps, and other aeronautical knowledge. Once the course has been completed, an email will be sent explaining how to register for the exam. An additional fee will be required for exam participation.

Course Fee: \$99 Tuesdays, 5:30-8 p.m., Aug. 31-Sept. 14 Online via Zoom



RETURNING! National Food Safety Certification

This ServSafe® course, conducted by faculty from the nutrition degree program at SIUE, is for individuals preparing for the exam. After attending the ServSafe® course and passing the proctored, multiple-choice exam with a score of 75% or higher, you will receive a ServSafe® certificate. To receive and maintain certification, all individuals are required to pass a certification exam every five years. You will need to purchase the most recent edition of the ServSafe® Manager book with the online exam code. A link to purchase the book will be provided.

Course Fee: \$99* Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sept. 17 SIUE Main Campus



Introduction to Data Organization, **Preparation and Analysis**

The world is full of data. However, before that data can be analyzed and insights can be gleaned, it must first be organized, integrated, cleaned and prepared for analysis. This course introduces the tools and techniques that students can use to format their data, leading to hassle free analyses. Excel will be used for all lessons, and students will leave the course with a knowledge of the different functions and tools in Excel. No background in Excel is required, although a basic familiarity with computers is helpful.

Course Fee: \$79 Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m., Aug. 18-Sept. 8 Online via Zoom

Introduction to Data Analytics

Thanks to continuous improvements in technology, every industry is becoming progressively more data-driven. Data analytics is the science and art of analyzing data and using that information to make informed decisions. This course introduces the foundational principles underlying data analytics, as well as the tools that are often used by analysts to mine through and analyze "big data." No specific background is required, although familiarity with Excel is helpful.

Course Fee: \$79 Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m., Sept. 15-Oct. 6 Online via Zoom

Data Analytics and Its Applications

Every discipline is becoming progressively more data-driven. Although we now possess the ability to easily collect, store and analyze data, we are facing a shortage of data analysts in the workforce. This course is designed to be a crash course that will provide working professionals with intermediate and advanced skills in data analytics. Skills learned in this course include data querying and mining, advanced data summarization and visualization, the basics of machine learning, and statistical programming. This course builds off the skills learned in Introduction to Data Analytics.

Course Fee: \$109

Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m., Oct. 13-Dec. 8 (No class on Nov. 24)

Online via Zoom

GRANT WRITING



Grant writing can be a daunting task. Join us as we learn how to navigate through grant writing with our presenters who have spent multiple years in grant administration and successfully obtained a variety of local, state and federal grants.

You are welcome to attend all sessions for a reduced rate of \$129! That is more than one session free!

Grant Writing for Novices

Obtain an overview of the four types of grants and the common elements found in grant proposals. Funding sources for each type will be reviewed and various elements of proposals will be reviewed in detail.

Course Fee: \$49 Monday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Sept. 13 Online via Zoom

Grant Funding for Novices

Obtain an overview of funding opportunities for the four types of grant opportunities. You will have an opportunity to explore various sites and identify potential funding sources in your area of interest.

Course Fee: \$49 Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Oct. 11 Online via Zoom

Grant Funding Opportunity Interpretation for Novices

Join us for the opportunity to explore critical portions in funding opportunity announcements. You are welcome to bring specific questions related to funding opportunities you wish to pursue.

Course Fee: \$49 Wednesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Nov. 15 Online via Zoom

Grant Budget Preparation for Novices

Obtain an overview of the budget development process and have an opportunity to develop a mock budget from a case study that will be provided. You are welcome to bring specific questions related to the budgets of the funding opportunities you wish to pursue.

Course Fee: \$49 Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Dec. 13 Online via Zoom



The instructors were genuine, knowledgeable and extremely helpful.

The tools and templates provided made it easy to move forward on my own.

It was a very worthwhile investment of time! - CARLOS B.

NON-PROFIT ADMINISTRATION



Non-Profit Leadership Series: Advocacy

Effective advocacy on behalf of members/constituents is a key component of a non-profit organization's mission. While daunting, it is essential for non-profit industry leaders to embrace advocacy and government affairs work. Topics include defining advocacy, building strategic partnerships, effective coalition-building, political action committees (PACs), identifying issues, crafting a legislative agenda, public policy development procedures, political messaging, candidate identification and training, member and constituent engagement, conveying positions, working with elected officials, impact surveys, celebrating wins, learning from losses, and government affairs programming.

Course Fee: \$99 Mondays, 6-8 p.m, Sept. 13-Nov. 1 Online via Zoom



New! Non-Profit Leadership Series: **Operations**

Efficient and effective operations are key for a non-profit organization's success, and there are many scenarios unique to tax-exempt entities. Topics include non-profit industry best practices, human resources, volunteer management, organizational management, office and facilities, staffing, committee work, apparent authority, hiring and firing, and common operational challenges.

Course Fee: \$99 Mondays, 6-8 p.m., Nov. 8-Dec. 27 Online via Zoom

INDUSTRY-ALIGNED CREDENTIALS THAT CAN LEAD DIRECTLY TO JOBS

Digital badges leading to industry-aligned credentials are earned through a combination of online, in-person and augmented reality hands-on learning to train and assess key employment competencies. Financial support is available for eligible participants under the Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act. See page 23 for alternative digital credential information. This series of badges is offered by SIUE, Madison County Employment and Training Department, and St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants.

Contact Kemp Muniz (kmuniz@siue.edu) for more information.



Quality Assurance Technician

Quality assurance technicians, also known as quality control analysts, conduct quantitative and qualitative tests to analyze the quality of raw materials and intermediator finished products. Rated as a Bright Outlook occupation by the U.S. Department of Labor, quality assurance technicians are frequently employed in chemical, pharmaceutical, environmental, waste management and material manufacturing industries. Delivered in a hybrid format with online courses and in-person laboratory sessions, the curriculum covers key employment skills, including chemistry fundamentals, laboratory safety, general laboratory techniques, analytical chemistry techniques, chemistry lab manual, inventory/waste management, intermediate analytical techniques, quality assurance/control and quality management, and good manufacturing practices.

Course Fee: \$3,000 Digital Badge Fee: Included Rolling enrollment Hybrid (Online and SIUE Main Campus)



Chemical Technician

Chemical technicians support the research and development of new products and processes and work in a wide variety of industries, including food and beverage, biofuels, chemical, pharmaceutical, environmental, waste management, and material manufacturing. Delivered in a hybrid format with online courses and in-person laboratory sessions, the chemical technician curriculum covers key employment skills, including chemistry fundamentals, laboratory safety, general laboratory techniques, analytical chemistry techniques, chemistry lab manual, inventory/waste management, biochemistry/biotechnology, microbiology, and intermediate analytical techniques.

Course Fee: \$3,000 Digital Badge Fee: Included Rolling enrollment Hybrid (Online and SIUE Main Campus)





🛑 Food Science Technician

The food science technician digital badge series prepares learners for an entry- to mid-level career in food science industries such as food and beverage manufacturing and related laboratory and quality assurance occupations. Food science technicians employ quantitative and qualitative techniques to determine physical and chemical properties and ensure food safety. Delivered in a hybrid format with online courses and in-person laboratory sessions, the curriculum covers key employment skills, including chemistry fundamentals, laboratory safety, general laboratory techniques, analytical chemistry techniques, chemistry lab manual, inventory/waste management, quality assurance/control and quality management, good manufacturing practices, and fundamentals of food science.

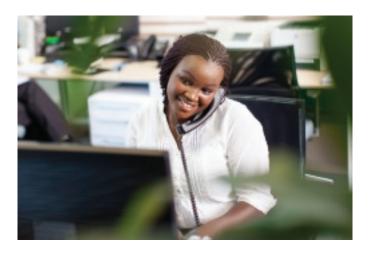
Course Fee: \$3,000 Digital Badge Fee: Included Rolling enrollment Hybrid (Online and SIUE Main Campus)

ONLINE CERTIFICATE OPPORTUNITIES

Podcasting

Businesses are turning to podcasting to grow their brand and connect with customers. People with a niche hobby are turning podcasts into a business. Learn how to take your business or hobby and turn it into a podcast. This step-by-step class will take you from start to finish and cover the required elements needed to get your show online. Come to class with your idea and end with your show online for all to hear.

Course Fee: \$245 Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1



Keys to Customer Service

Learning to build your customer service skills will have a powerful impact on your career success, as well as success in other areas of life. Through this course, you will discover the direct relationship between service skills and career achievement.

Course Fee: \$145 Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Extraordinary Customer Service

Transform your customer service into something extraordinary. As a result, more repeat business will improve your bottom line. Extraordinary customer service comes from focusing on the essential elements that yield big results.

Course Fee: \$145 Available Online Only: Oct. 4-29

CUSTOMER SERVICE CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive a discounted rate for both customer service courses. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$245

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.

Advanced Teaching Online

The opportunities are tremendous for teaching online. Discover how to plan, develop and teach an online course. Take home a 10-step model for developing your online course. See an animation, drop-and-drop exercise, and dynamite welcome pages. Engage in online discussion with other teachers. An instructor's book, *Advanced Teaching Online*, is included.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Designing Online Instruction

Learn about the online instructional environment, envisioning your online course, developing a web course, phases of design and development, design guidelines, and more. Then get tips for planning your online course, identifying resources and design guidelines. Get the latest information on copyright issues, assessment and evaluation.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Oct. 4-29

Fostering Online Discussion

Experience how to be engaged with your online learners from the creator of the concept and practice of 'continual engagement' in teaching. Discover how to build student success through your interaction, how to give online learners feedback, and how to communicate with them about everything from subject matter to delicate issues to grading.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Nov. 1-26

ONLINE TEACHING CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive a discounted rate for all three Online Teaching courses. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Course Fee: \$495

Registration and course deadlines same as

individual courses.



Google Analytics

Aimed at non-technical users, this course will explain the key techniques, including how to use the world-standard Google Analytics, a free online tool. You'll understand your visitor traffic better, learn how to calculate return on investment (ROI) for your online advertising, and find out how to get more conversions and sales from your website visitors.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Advanced Google Analytics

A project- and activity-based course, you will practice with Google Analytics for more advanced learning and skill development. Your instructor will work with you on implementing Google Analytics for your own website.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Oct. 4-29

GOOGLE ANALYTICS CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive a discounted rate for both Google Analytics courses. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$345

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.

Introduction to Game Design

Games are increasingly recognized as a tool that can serve many business purposes beyond entertainment. This course provides a general introduction to what goes into the design and development of both video and analog games, with a particular focus on the use of games outside of consumer entertainment.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Intermediate Video Game Design

Mobile games are the fastest-growing segment of the market as more and more people play casual games. In this intermediate course, you will learn the basics of video game design process, learn about the main video game genres, and use a game development application to begin your journey of making games.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only, Oct. 4-29

BASIC GAME DESIGN CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive both of the Game Design courses for a discounted rate. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$395

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.



Introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt

This challenging introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt course teaches critical skills required for Six Sigma practitioners. This first course in the certificate program explains the basic terms and proven Six Sigma problem-solving methods, team building tools, and descriptive statistics that are the basis for the statistical tools contributing to improvement of projects and the overall success of your organization.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Intermediate Six Sigma Green Belt

Organizations depend on the measurement and analysis of performance to make key decisions that affect the organization. This course builds on the ideas and skills learned in the introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt course that organizations use to improve. You will learn process analysis, data collection and analysis, probability and valid statistical conclusions, and hypothesis testing.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Oct. 4-29

Advanced Six Sigma Green Belt

This final course teaches participants to improve and control processes. Topics included in this course include hypothesis-testing, design of experiments and statistical process control. The instructor will share many handouts, spreadsheets and web links that have tools participants will use while completing Six Sigma projects.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only, Aug. Nov. 1-26

SIX SIGMA GREEN BELT CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive all three of the Six Sigma courses for a discounted rate. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$495

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.

Introduction to SQL

Learn how to write SQL code to create and populate database tables, as well as simple SQL queries that can retrieve vast amounts of information from a database. You will discover the power of the relational database, how to create and manage database tables, and how to use SQL SELECT statements to pinpoint and retrieve data from a database.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 1

Intermediate SQL

Discover how to write powerful SQL queries that enable you to retrieve data from one table or from multiple tables stored in the database simultaneously. You will learn how to merge data from multiple columns, create calculated fields, and order and group the results from a query. You will also learn how to create a single join query or subquery to obtain data from multiple tables simultaneously.

Course Fee: \$595

Available Online Only: Oct. 4-29

Advanced SQL

Take your SQL query skills to a new level. In this course, you will learn how to write advanced subqueries, advanced join queries and UNION queries that query more than one table. You will learn how to use transaction processing to ensure SQL statements execute completely or not at all and how to create stored procedures that enable you to store SQL statements for execution.

Course Fee: \$595

Available Online Only, Nov. 1-26

SQL CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive all of the SQL courses for a discounted rate. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$595

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.



Revenue Generation for Nonprofits

Build revenue streams for your nonprofit organization. Discover how to increase revenue from your current activities. Develop strategies for building new ones. After taking this course, you will have the knowledge to improve your revenue generation and generate a better surplus.

Course Fee: \$495

Available Online Only: Sept. 7-Oct. 29

Program Evaluation for Nonprofit Professionals

Enhance your understanding of program evaluation within the nonprofit context. Find out how to improve your evaluation planning, data collection, data analysis and data use. Special attention will be paid to the real-world challenges that organizations may face when conducting evaluations, including staff time, costs and reporting evaluation results to funders.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Nov. 1-26

NONPROFIT ADMINISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive both nonprofit courses for a discounted rate. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$595

Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.



Contract Training in HVAC

This course is designed for HVAC professionals, including engineers, designers, architects, contractors, energy auditors, technicians, facility managers, maintenance operators and other professionals interested in gaining a better understanding of some of the fundamental HVAC problems. These custom programs include, but are not limited to, the following topics and case studies:

- Understanding of Energy (energy issues, consumption, savings, efficiency)
- Energy and Psychrometric Analysis of Heating and Cooling Systems
- Basics of Heating and Cooling Load Calculations
- Heat and Moisture Transfer in Building Structures
- Understanding the Psychrometric Chart

Course Fee: Cost Varies



Alternative Digital Credential at SIUE

Certain professional development and educational offerings at SIUE may offer learners the opportunity to earn a corresponding alternative digital credential to demonstrate their competency in or mastery of a given topic. SIUE's alternative digital credentials can be shared via social media, LinkedIn, personal websites and other electronic formats. Alternative digital credentials enhance individual's employment competitiveness by highlighting and defining their abilities relative to in-demand skills in their field or related skills that contribute to an employee's overall ability to thrive and adapt in a changing workplace. Only learners who successfully demonstrate the required competencies as defined in the course rubric will earn the alternative digital credential. See opportunities on pages 21 and 25.

LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE

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LIFELONG LEARNING SPEAKER SERIES

SIUE offers programs designed for a lifetime of learning and personal growth. Expert presenters provide insight on a range of topics covering history, culture, art, current events, health and nutrition.

Lifelong Learning Speaker Series presentations require no advance registration, but guests are encouraged to sign up for a membership. Sessions are \$5 each for non-members and can be registered for individually. SIUE faculty, faculty emeriti, staff and students can attend Lifelong Learning presentations for free. Events during the fall 2021 Lifelong Learning Series are planned for an in-person format and will be held at the National Corn to Ethanol Resource Center located at 400 University Park Drive, Edwardsville, IL 62025. Parking will be free at this location. If members are not comfortable attending, a Zoom link will still be available. If there is a change in restrictions or guidelines, we will return to an online format, as needed.

Catching Up with the Lifelong Learners

Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach Wednesday, Sept. 8, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Hemingway's Saint Louis: How Saint Louisans Shaped His Life and Legacy

Andrew Theising, PhD, Author Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Great Decisions: The Future of Persian Gulf Security

Suranjan Weeraratne, PhD, Department of Political Science Wednesday, Sept. 15, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

MidAmerica St. Louis Airport - An Economic Engine

Bryan Johnson, Airport Director, MidAmerica St. Louis Airport Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Environmental Updates and Local Citizen Science

Christine Favilla, Three Rivers Project Co-Coordinator, Sierra Club Wednesday, Sept. 22, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Introduction to Cribbage

Phillip Jarosik

Wednesday, Sept. 22, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Re-Imagining Lawns: Transforming Toxic Turf to a Living Landscape

Virginia Woulfe-Beile, Piasa Palisades Group, The Sierra Club Wednesday, Sept. 29, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Great Decisions: What is the WHO's Role in Responding to International Pandemics?

Ellen Santos, PhD, Department of Applied Health Wednesday, Sept. 29, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

In the Walnut Grove: A Consideration of the People Enslaved in and around Florissant, Missouri

Andrew Theising, PhD, Author Wednesday, Oct. 6, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

The Russ Faria Story: Only One of Pam Hupp's Victims

Joel Schwartz, Attorney

Wednesday, Oct. 6, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Haiku as Reflective Practice

Neil E. Das, Librarian, Poet and Photographer Wednesday, Oct. 13, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Buckminster Fuller's Legacy in Southern Illinois

Benjamin Lowder, Director of Center for Spirituality & Sustainability Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Navigating the Big Data Sea

Carrie Butts-Wilsmeyer, PhD, Center for Predictive Analytics Wednesday, Oct. 27, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

History by Hollywood: Understanding Feature Films as History

Bryan Jack, PhD, Department of History Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Great Decisions: The End of Globalization?

Suranjan Weeraratne, PhD, Department of Political Science Wednesday, Nov. 3, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

NCERC at SIUE Tour

NCERC Staff

Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Great Decisions: Brexit - Taking Stock and Looking Ahead

Sophia Wilson, PhD, Department of Political Science Wednesday, Dec. 1, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

"It's not that kind of camp": One Japanese American Family's Journey during WWII

Julie Hansen, Emerita Associate Professor Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Foreign Policy Association's Great Decisions

The Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach is excited to announce the fall 2021 partnership with the Foreign Policy Association. Great Decisions is America's largest discussion program on world affairs. For more information or to obtain a copy of the fall 2021 topic resources, please visit siue.edu/lifelong-learning.

MEMBERSHIP

- \$40 per person, per semester
- Includes entry to all sessions and trips, unless otherwise stated

LIFELONG LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Please note: All trips are tentative for fall 2021 pending Covid-19 restrictions. In the event of a cancellation, refunds will be made.

Phillips 66 Wood River Refinery

Join us for a visit to the refinery history museum where we will hear from a special guest speaker. Pending restrictions and guidelines, a bus tour of the refinery may be available. We will then enjoy an independent lunch at Pump House Bar & Grill.

Wednesday, Oct. 20, 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. 900 S. Central Ave, Roxana, III.

Cost: \$10 for non-members. Included in membership for Lifelong Learning Institute members.

The MakerLab at Lovejoy Library

Join us for a tour and demonstrations of Lovejoy Library's MakerLab led by Bill Weidler. We will explore the many resources available, including 3D doodle pen, 3D printer, 3D scanner, Arduino kit, button maker, Dremel engraver, green screen, embroidery sewing machine, virtual reality and more!

Wednesday, Nov. 10, 10 a.m.-noon No cost to attend.

Discovering Stories with Cindy Reinhardt

Cindy Reinhardt has researched and written stories about more than 200 historic Edwardsville buildings. Her search for stories from the past began in the 1960s when she started researching her family tree and expanded to include other families approximately 30 years ago. Today, when researching a house or commercial building, she dives into the social history of the early owners to find out who they were, where they came from and what their lives were like. This program is about her favorite stories from Edwardsville's past.

Thursday, Nov. 18, 6 p.m. Edwardsville Public Library No cost to attend.



For more information and to register for any of the above exciting opportunities, please visit siue.edu/lifelong-learning.

SIUE SUCCESSFUL COMMUNITIES COLLABORATIVE

siue.edu/successful-communities

In April 2021, Jessica DeSpain, PhD, and Connie Frey-Spurlock, PhD, were awarded a National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) grant to implement CODES: Community-Oriented Digital Engagement Scholars, a general education pathway introducing underserved students to digital community engagement.

The SIUE Successful Communities Collaborative (SSCC) team will develop and support partnerships with community organizations in four municipalities that will form the basis for each student cohort's community engagement experience. Partnerships will be supported by NEH funding for three years, providing students and community members opportunities to tackle complex problems that require solutions rooted in transdisciplinary knowledge and skills.

DeSpain is co-director of SIUE's IRIS Center for the Digital Humanities and a professor in the Department of English Language and Literature. Frey-Spurlock is the director of SSCC and an associate professor of sociology.



CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONALS

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SIUE is an approved CEU provider by the State of Illinois for Social Work continuing education. If you are licensed/certified in any other state or province, please refer to the regulations in that state or province or the national board requirements to determine whether this will qualify for CEU credits.

Social Work Conference

This is a continuing education program designed for professionals to address issues and questions that social workers, counselors and human service professionals face in their day-to-day working environment. Three CEUs available.

Please check the website for date, time, location and conference fee details.

Immigrants in our Midst: Recovery, Resiliency and Revitalization

This conference is designed to assist professionals interested in working with immigrant population in the surrounding Metro-East area. CEUs available.

Conference fee: \$20, additional \$20 for CEU

Friday, Oct. 15 Online via Zoom

Basic Economic Development Course

Designed for early-career economic developers, planners, city managers and elected officials, this nationally accredited BASIC course provides a comprehensive accredited economic development education for professionals with LESS than 10 years of experience and individuals dedicated to expanding their economic development knowledge. Visit bedcillinois.org for more information.

Conference Fee: \$500 before August 1, \$595 after August 1

Thursdays, Sept. 30 and Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28

Online via Zoom

Impact Suicide: Making a Change. IMPACT Suicide 2021 Conference

Please join us for presentations that will speak to suicide prevention as it relates to diversity and inclusion. The topics highlighted will cover a wide array of information that will be helpful to professionals and the layperson alike. The conference will also host a panel that will share information on resources available in Madison and St. Clair counties, as well as general resources. It is the goal of the conference to not only provide insightful information, but also research and tangible resources that will IMPACT suicide. CEUs will be offered for counselors, social workers and nurses.

Conference Fee: \$20, Free for students

Friday, Sept. 10 Online via Zoom

Hospice Conference

A conference designed for professionals, para-professionals, volunteers, and others who work with chronically-ill, terminally-ill, or grieving persons of all ages in hospitals, hospice programs, long-term care facilities, home health, schools, churches, and other community agencies, as well as support groups, funeral service programs, and counseling services for the bereaved. Four CEUs available for social workers, nurses, psychologists and funeral home directors.

Conference fee: \$30 general public, additional \$20 for CEUs

Thursday, Nov. 4 Online via zoom

OFF-CAMPUS AND CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS

siue.edu/corporate

SIUE partners with organizations to offer educational and training opportunities for their employees. Through a unique contractual agreement, credit and non-credit opportunities are available to your staff so they can earn advanced credentials without ever receiving a bill from SIUE. Partnership students benefit from curriculum specifically designed for the working professional. If you do ployer on this list, we will be pleased to work with your human resources department to add your organization to our growing list of organizations who recognize the value of investing in their employees' professional development.

















For more information, please contact:

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PARTNER HIGHLIGHTS



The Latino Roundtable of Southwestern Illinois is a group of business professionals whose mission is to work together in developing and expanding available resources to improve delivery of social services to the Latino community through networking, advocating and providing services. The group sponsors or co-sponsors annual events, including Fairmont City Community Parade and Egg Hunt, Hispanic Health Fair, Mexican Consulate visit, Immigrants in our Midst conference, and a holiday coat and toy drive.

arts&issues

The SIUE Arts & Issues series brings artistic excellence to campus through an eclectic blend of speakers and performers. For over 35 years, Arts & Issues has showcased some of the world's finest artists. Each season, thought-provoking speakers inspire people of all ages and backgrounds. Arts & Issues offers an exceptional mix of entertainment that enriches the lives of our students, faculty and staff, and our friends in the community.

EDUCARD

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Do you want the opportunity to explore possibilities of professional growth or personal enrichment in an economical and flexible way? If you answered "Yes," we invite you to sit in on regular classes at SIUE through our Educard Program.

What is Educard?

Educard is a special community program which allows you to attend selected credit classes offered by Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. It provides an opportunity for you to sample the subjects that interest you most, from accounting to zoology.

What is the cost?

\$60 per class.

Who is eligible for Educard?

Anyone who is not currently enrolled for credit in the University is eligible. High School students are eligible and may take up to three classes.

Which classes are approved for Educard participation?

A wide variety of classes, on-campus ONLY, are approved for Educard participation. The classes not offered through Educard are classes with a full enrollment, non-credit classes, travel study, online, distance education, classes in which a danger may exist, classes requiring prerequisites, and classes where added direct expense may be incurred by the University. The following departments have approved classes for the fall 2021 semester:

- Academic Development
- Applied Comm. Studies
- Art and Design
- Chemistry
- Civil Engineering
- CMIS
- Computer Science
- Construction
- Criminal Justice Studies
- English

- Environmental Sciences
- Foreign Languages
- Earth Science
- Geography
- Historical Studies
- Kinesiology
- Mechanical Engineering
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Science

- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Special Education
- Speech Path and Audiology
- Women's Studies
- Nutrition
- Public Health
- International Studies

For a full list of classes offered by these departments, please visit the Online Services and Educational Outreach website at siue.edu/continuing-education/educard.

*Please note: Due to COVID-19 protocols, some courses may not be available and limited capacities may be observed.

What is not included?

- You will not receive a grade as an Educard participant.
- No official records of your classwork or attendance will be kept; therefore, no transcript is available.
- Since you do not pay normal student welfare and activity fees you may not participate in student services and activities supported by those fees.

What about textbooks?

As an Educard participant, you may borrow textbooks, as available, at no cost through Textbook Service, located at 200 University Park Drive, lower level. You may pick up your textbooks after the first week of classes, and you are required to return textbooks to Textbook Service at the end of the term.

Who can answer questions about Educard and Registration?

For more information about Educard, contact: Online Services and Educational Outreach Rendleman Hall, Room 1330

Phone: 618-650-3210 Email: outreach@siue.edu

You may also register in person Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Please do not send payment with your registration.

WORKFORCE INNOVATION OPPORTUNITY ACT PROGRAM

Unemployed? Underemployed?

SIUE serves students through the Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA) Program

SIUE works regularly with county and state employment and training agencies to help match eligible students with funding. Individuals who are unemployed, underemployed or experiencing financial hardship may be eligible for support to complete their educational programs. Students must be seeking a credential in a high-demand employment field, be within two years or less of completing their degree, and meet local workforce criteria to qualify.

If you are seeking employment in an in-demand field and are interested in learning more about funding opportunities that will help you complete an SIUE program, please contact us at outreach@siue.edu or reach out directly to your county provider:

- Madison County Employment and Training Department (includes Bond, Jersey and Calhoun Counties), 618-296-4301
- St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department Workforce Development Group (St. Clair, Monroe, Randolph, Clinton and Washington Counties), 618-825-3259
- siue.edu/financial-aid/wioa



ONLINE SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH POLICIES

Cancellation/Refund Policy:

All cancellation/refund requests must be made in writing and emailed to outreach@siue.edu. Cancellation/refund requests must be received at least five business days prior to the first day of any conference, course or event, unless otherwise specified. A refund, minus a \$15 administrative fee, will be processed as long as the above terms are met. If you have questions regarding this policy, please contact us at 618-650-3210 or outreach@siue.edu.

Parking on Campus: For courses on the SIUE main campus, parking is included in the cost of the course. A reduced price is available at checkout for participants who do not need parking or prefer to pay for parking on their own. Parking passes will be emailed to paid registered participants; please provide a valid license plate number to avoid paying additional parking fines. The printed pass must be displayed on the dashboard of the registered vehicle and is valid only during the times of the course (30-minute grace period is extended for travel to and from the meeting location).

Accommodations: The Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach is committed to providing universally accessible services and opportunities throughout our programming. If you need assistance or an accommodation please contact our office: 618-650-3210, outreach@siue.edu or by mail (Online Services and Educational Outreach, Box 1084, Edwardsville, IL 62026) upon registration and/or at least three days prior to the offering to allow us time to accommodate your needs.

Please contact us at 618-650-3210 or outreach@siue.edu with questions.



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Payments are accepted in the following ways:



Online:

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In Person: Visit us weekdays 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

in Rendleman Hall, Room 1330



Mail: Send this completed registration form and payment to:



Phone: Call 618-650-3210 and pay using a credit card

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