

Cougar Connection Spring 2007

SIUE

Calendar

- ▶ **May 1** – Admission application deadline for freshmen
- ▶ **May 15** – Springboard to Success \$100 fee deadline
- ▶ **July 20** – Final admission application deadline for non-freshmen
- ▶ **September 13** – State Articulation Day
- ▶ **October 8** – PREVIEW SIUE open house
- ▶ **October 11** – Community College Conference at SIUE
- ▶ **October 23** – SIUE ICE Fair
- ▶ **November 12** – PREVIEW SIUE open house

Campus, Group Tours

Campus tours: M-Sat. throughout the year. Visit www.siu.edu, or call 800-447-SIUE or 618-650-3705. **Group tours:** M-F, January through July. For details, visit www.siu.edu/prospectivestudents/guidancecounselors/.

Comments

Send your CougarConnection comments or suggestions to Pam French, pfrench@siue.edu, or phone (618) 650-2726

Summer's Here!

Students encouraged to take classes

SIUE is encouraging students to sign up for summer courses this year — whether it be to get into a course that typically is full in the fall, or to stay on track to graduate in four years to keep college costs down. To help students do this, SIUE will have a residence hall open in the summer for the first time. For details, visit www.siu.edu/summer.



Cougars Moving to NCAA Div. I

The SIUE Cougars have been given approval to apply for reclassification to NCAA Division I for all sports. SIUE now competes in NCAA Division II. SIUE Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift said he formulated his recommendation for reclassification to Division I after considering the findings of the Intercollegiate Athletics Task Force (IATF) — a group of SIUE students, faculty, staff, alumni, and residents of the surrounding communities charged to study the future of the SIUE athletics program. The Cougars will apply to the NCAA for reclassification to Division I by June 1.

Still Room for Springboard to Success

Dates are still available in June for Springboard to Success, SIUE's advisement and registration program for new students. Encourage your students to make an appointment as soon as possible for optimal course selection. For details, visit www.siu.edu/prospectivestudents.

And for Transfer Students ...

... a similar program — **TRANSFERmation** — is optional, and provides an excellent opportunity for students to learn about programs, services, and activities at SIUE. Once students have registered for classes, they may sign up for TRANSFERmation. Course registration is not part of this program. For details, visit www.siu.edu/prospectivestudents. The dates are Aug. 9 and 16.

Thanks for A Great Admissions Year!

The Office of Admissions would like to thank you for letting Southern Illinois University Edwardsville visit your students in fall and spring. For another year, SIUE is projecting high enrollment for the fall semester. Please advise interested students to apply early for consideration.

University Vision: Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, as a premier Metropolitan University, will be recognized nationally for the excellence of its programs and development of professional and community leaders.

