SALUKI FAMILY ASSOCIATION

2021-2022 CALENDAR

Southern Illinois University
Welcome to the Saluki family! I hope you are as excited to start the fall as I am.

At Southern Illinois University Carbondale, we’re proud of the distinctive education we offer. Students receive hands-on learning and personal attention. Undergraduates can conduct research often reserved for graduate students, and they have other opportunities as early as their freshman year.

As a community dedicated to student success, we are committed to diversity, equity and inclusion, and strive for everyone to feel welcome. We offer many programs and services that assist students as they make the transition to college life. On our beautiful campus and in the region, students can take advantage of a wide variety of cultural, recreational and athletic programs.

In addition to reminding you of important dates, this calendar provides valuable insights into what you and your student may experience during the first year at SIU Carbondale.

On behalf of our faculty, staff and students, welcome to your university.

Go Dawgs!
Austin Lane
Chancellor

Dear Families of our Saluki Community:

Webster Dictionary defines community as “a group of people who share something in common.” As your student enters Southern Illinois University Carbondale, we welcome you ALL to the Saluki Community.

The Saluki Community is a collective spirit that defines our culture in Carbondale and in the hearts of our proud alumni. Being part of the Saluki Community is that we are proud to work here, we are proud to learn here, we are proud to achieve here and we are proud to wear maroon on any given day.

As the Dean of Students, I am committed to working in partnership with students, campus and the local community to provide a transformational experience for all students. In the Saluki Community we value:

Accountability: We hold our students and each other accountable to be active representatives of the institution while responsibly managing resources.

Collaboration: We create productive partnerships throughout our University, and in the community, thereby better serving our students.

Compassion: We care by providing intentional services, which value the individual and provide equitable support for our students and staff.

Engagement: We cultivate transformative relationships with our students and community by providing opportunities for growth and learning in a safe and healthy environment.

Inclusivity: We celebrate the unique and creative potential of every individual while providing positive spaces and conversations where everyone belongs.

On behalf of the Dean of Students Office, please remember we are here for your student and you as a family if you encounter an unexpected obstacle along the way. Never hesitate to reach out via email at deanofstudents@siu.edu or via phone at 618-453-2461.

Welcome to the Saluki Community!
Jennifer Jones-Hall
Dean of Students
CAMPUS CONTACTS

SIU Departments

SIU (University Switchboard) ......................... 453-2121
Achieve Program ........................................ 453-6155
Air Force ROTC .......................................... 453-2481
Army ROTC .................................................. 453-5786
Athletics, Intercollegiate ............................... 877-Salukis
Black Resource Center ................................. 453-3740
Bookstore, University ................................. 536-3321
Bursar ....................................................... 453-2221
Career Development Center ........................ 453-2391
Chancellor, Office of the ............................ 453-2341
Conference and Scheduling Services ............ 536-7751
Dean of Students, Office of the ..................... 453-2461
Disability Support Services ......................... 453-5738
Exploratory Student Advisement .................. 453-4351
Financial Aid .............................................. 453-4334
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Hispanic/Latino Resource Center ................. 453-3740
Honors Program, University ....................... 453-2824
Housing, University .................................... 453-2301
Information Technology Customer Service .... 453-5155
Computer Learning Centers Hours
and Information ........................................... 453-6213
Telecommunication Services ....................... 453-2484
Intramural-Recreational Sports .................... 453-1273
Learning Support Services, Center for .......... 453-1369
LGBTQ Resource Center .............................. 453-3740
Library, Morris .......................................... 453-2522
Circulation Desk ........................................ 453-1455
Information Desk ........................................ 453-2818
McLeod Theater ......................................... 453-6000
McNair Scholars ......................................... 453-4682
Museum, University .................................... 453-5388
New Student Programs ............................... 453-1000
Non-Traditional Student Services ................. 453-7521
Parking Division ......................................... 453-5369
Public Safety, Department of
(SIU Carbondale Police)
Non-emergency line) ................................. 453-3771

Public Policy Institute ................................. 453-4009
Rainbow's End Child Development Center ... 453-6358
Recreational Sports & Services ................... 453-1277
Registrar, Office of the .............................. 453-2963
Saluki Cares .............................................. 453-2461
Saluki Family Association (SFA) ................. 453-1000
Service Learning and Volunteerism, Center for
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Student Affairs, Division of ......................... 453-2461
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Student Rights and Responsibilities .......... 536-2338
Students’ Legal Assistance ......................... 536-6677
Student Recreation Center ......................... 453-1277
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Sustainability .......................................... 453-2846
Testing Services ........................................ 453-6003
Touch of Nature Environmental Center ....... 453-1121
Tutoring Center ........................................ 453-1369
Transitional Programs .............................. 453-7041
TRIO Student Support Services ................. 453-6873
Undergraduate Admissions ....................... 536-4405
Veterans Services ..................................... 453-1335
Women’s Resource Center ......................... 453-3740
Writing Center .......................................... 453-1231

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Carbondale Chamber of Commerce ............... 549-2146
carbondalechamber.com
Carbondale Mainstreet ............................... 529-8040
carbondalemainstreet.com
City of Carbondale ..................................... 549-5302
explorecarbondale.com

Health Care
Ambulance, Jackson County ........................ 549-5158
Memorial Hospital, Emergency Room ........... 549-0721, ext. 65626
Center for Medical Arts .............................. 549-5361
Student Health Services ............................ 453-3311

STAY CONNECTED.

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER 2021
Semester Classes Begin ............. Monday, August 16
Labor Day Holiday .................. Monday, September 6
Veterans Day Holiday ............... Thursday, November 11
Thanksgiving Break ................. Saturday, November 20 -
Sunday, November 28
Final Examinations ................. Monday, December 6 -
Friday, December 10
Commencement ..................... Saturday, December 11

WINTER INTERSESSION
2021-2022
Winter Intercession begins ......Monday, December 13
Winter Intercession ends ......... Sunday, January 9

SPRING SEMESTER 2022
Semester Classes Begin .......... Monday, January 10
Martin Luther King Jr. Day ....... Monday, January 17
Spring Break ......................... Saturday, March 5, noon -
Sunday, March 13
Final Examinations ................. Monday, May 2 -
Friday, May 6
Commencement ..................... Saturday, May 7

All breaks begin officially at 10 p.m. the night
before and end at 7:30 a.m. the morning after
the respective beginning and ending dates listed,
Guide to being in the Dawg Pound

**Wear your Dawg Pound shirt to games**
So we know that you’re a member of the The Pound

**Stand up and cheer for the Dawgs**
The Salukis need to see you supporting them from the stands

**Download the Saluki Superfan App**
Use this to add games to your calendar
Check into games for points towards prizes

**Show up early and stay until the end**
True Salukis support their team in the highs and lows

**Take advantage of road trips and your discount**
We try to go to a couple road games every year depending on the schedule

**“Go Southern! Go!”**

**Check the theme and do your best to participate**
We will typically provide themed items to the Dawg Pound

**Use your member card for these discounts**
Discounts available at: getinvolved.siu.edu/dawgpound

**SOU**RTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY
CARBONDALE

**OFFICE OF** STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

GETINVOLVED.SIU.EDU
CAMPUS POSITIONS

OLS/SLS

OL Description
Orientation Leaders (OLs) provide programs and services for first-year students, transfer students and family members/guests throughout the first year experience and beyond. Programs include New Student Orientation, Saluki Startup, Weeks of Welcome, Saluki Sprint, the Saluki Family Association and more.

SL Description
Startup Leaders (SLs) are volunteer student leaders who support Saluki Startup, Weeks of Welcome and Saluki Family Association events in the fall semester. The Startup Leader position is a great way to give back to SIU and help welcome new students, family members and guests to the Saluki Family.

Hiring
Orientation Leader applications are available in the spring, and the term is from April to September. Startup Leader applications are available in the spring, and the term of the position is from August to September.

Benefits
Both OLs and SLs receive leadership training, professional development, networking opportunities and Saluki swag. OLs are paid an hourly rate.

Contact
nsp.siu.edu/employment • 618/453-1000
orientation@siu.edu

RAS/APAS

RA Description
Resident Assistants (RAs) have many responsibilities, including assisting residents, programming, enforcing policies, and working duty shifts. Successful RAs are organized, flexible, good communicators, and able to balance their own schedules and priorities with the needs of their residents.

APA Description
Academic Peer Advocates (APAs) live in the residence halls, and their efforts are focused on helping residents succeed academically. APAs are responsible for initiating individual academic interventions and providing resources to residents to help them be successful students.

Hiring
The application is typically open late fall and closes early in the spring semester. More information, including the application and hiring processes, is provided online at housing.siu.edu/employment.

Benefits of the RA Position
Benefits include a single room, a meal plan, internet access, all utilities, a monthly stipend, and the opportunity to develop professional skills while positively impacting residents.

Benefits of the APA Position
Benefits include a single room, internet access, all utilities, a monthly stipend, and the opportunity to develop professional skills while positively impacting residents.

Contact
housing.siu.edu/employment
housing@siu.edu

SALUKI AMBASSADORS

Description
At SIU, our students lead the way. Saluki Ambassadors are students dedicated to sharing experiences and perspectives about the university they call home. They lead campus tours, sit on student panels and attend on- and off-campus events. Saluki Ambassadors are here to answer questions about student life at SIU. Within our organization of more than 50 members, we elect an executive board of students each year to take charge of elements such as training, communications and engagement, professional development, service, and membership requirements. Each year, we also choose a select team of Senior Ambassadors to assist in training and other leadership opportunities as they arise.

Hiring
We recruit and interview for new Saluki Ambassadors during Weeks of Welcome or the first few weeks of the fall semester. Executive board elections are held each November for the following calendar year. Every January we take applications for Senior Ambassadors who have served at least one semester post-training.

Benefits
A majority of our Saluki Ambassadors are members of SIU’s competitive scholarship programs, University Honors program and fraternity/sorority life, where they can receive campus service hours for their time assisting the office of Undergraduate Admissions. Often these students are the first that we look to for student employment opportunities, and these opportunities have been known to lead to full-time positions after graduation working in higher education.

Contact
ambassadors.siu.edu

STUDENT PROGRAMMING COUNCIL

Description
Student Programming Council Director - The SPC directors are responsible and accountable to the Student Programming Council Board of Directors for developing well-balanced and successful programs and other related events suited to the needs and interests of the entire SIU Carbondale student body. These events should be delivered at an affordable cost to the students and include performances by national, regional, local and student talent.

Hiring
New SPC directors are hired in November, and their term is from January to December.

Benefits
There is a stipend awarded at the end of the semester in varying amounts based on position.

Contact
spc.rso.siu.edu • 618/536-3393
studentprogramming@siu.edu

LOOKING FOR A JOB ON CAMPUS?
SIU Carbondale is known nationwide for its extensive student employment program and employs students in a variety of roles. On campus positions are listed at studentjobs.siu.edu.
SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY:
SALUKI STARTUP

Saluki Startup is SIU's official welcome to campus for Fall 2021! The days leading up to the first day of classes are filled with events to help welcome new students and their families to campus. This year’s Saluki Startup will be held August 12-15.

CONTACT INFO
Saluki Startup & Weeks of Welcome
wow.siu.edu

SIU Housing Move-in
housing.siu.edu/move-in
YOUR SALUKI FAMILY: WEEKS OF WELCOME

Weeks of Welcome includes events and activities that encourage all students to get involved and feel a part of the Saluki Family. WOW is from August 16 through September 25 and includes events such as the Involvement Fair, Saluki Sprint, outdoor movies, and more!

CONTACT INFO
Weeks of Welcome
wow.siu.edu

Saluki Family Association
salukifamily.siu.edu
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SIU Homecoming is a time to celebrate the past, present, and future of Southern Illinois University! Homecoming week is October 10-16 and includes a wide variety of events culminating with the football game on October 16. Go Dawgs!

CONTACT INFO
SIU Homecoming
homecoming.siu.edu

Saluki Athletics
siusalukis.com
LOOKING AHEAD: SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are not just for new students. Students can and are encouraged to apply for new scholarships each year. SIU’s general scholarship application allows students to complete one application for different college and departmental opportunities.

CONTACT INFO
Scholarships
scholarships.siu.edu

Financial Aid Office
fao.siu.edu
NOVEMBER 2021

SUNDAY  MONDAY  TUESDAY  WEDNESDAY  THURSDAY  FRIDAY  SATURDAY

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- Bursar's Bill Due
- Veterans Day (Campus Closure)
- Thanksgiving Break Begins
- Thanksgiving Day (Campus Closure)
- Thanksgiving Friday (Campus Closure)
BEING PREPARED: FINALS WEEK

Finals week can be a stressful time for students, but SIU has many resources that can help students be prepared for that final stretch. Academic coaching, tutoring, and study sessions are offered by the Center for Learning Support Services. The Writing Center provides free writing assistance to help students develop their writing skills, and the Math department offers help sessions for specific math courses.

CONTACT INFO
Center for Learning Support Services
ciss.siu.edu

Writing Center
write.siu.edu

Morris Library
lib.siu.edu

Math Department
math.siu.edu
SIU General Scholarship Application Closes for the 2022-2023 Academic Year

Bursar’s Bill Due

Winter Break Begins

Winter Intersession Begins

(Campus Closure)

Christmas Day

(Campus Closure)
SIU has many health and wellness resources available to students. Recreational Sports and Services has many opportunities for Salukis to keep active. The Rec Center provides fitness classes, aquatics, Intramural sports, outdoor pursuits, sports clubs, and access inclusive recreation. The Student Health Center offers a medical clinic, wellness center, counseling center, pharmacy and optical services. Saluki Cares is a university-wide program of care and support for students in distress.

**CONTACT INFO**

Student Recreation Center  
rec.siu.edu

Student Health Center  
shc.siu.edu

Saluki Cares  
salukicares.siu.edu
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- **DECEMBER**
  - 25: Winter Intersession Ends
  - 26: Winter Break Ends
- **JANUARY 2022**
  - 1: New Year’s Day
  - 2: Winter Intersession Ends
  - 3: Winter Break Ends
  - 4: Spring Semester Begins
  - 5: Bursar’s Bill Due
  - 16: Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Campus Closure)
STAY ENGAGED:
STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Getting involved on campus not only helps students make friends but also creates a sense of belonging. SIU has over 300 registered student organizations as well as many leadership and volunteer opportunities.

CONTACT INFO
Office of Student Engagement
getinvolved.siu.edu

Fraternity and Sorority Life
fsl.siu.edu

Student Multicultural Resource Center
smrc.siu.edu

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studentcenter.siu.edu
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Bursar's Bill Due

FEBRUARY 2022

JANUARY

MARCH
GIVING BACK: THE BIG EVENT AND SIU DAY OF GIVING

The Big Event: A Saluki Day of Service is the largest one-day, student-run service project at SIU. Hundreds of students give back to their community to show appreciation for the community partner’s support of SIU. SIU Day of Giving is a university-wide effort to inspire alumni, students, parents, friends, and the larger community to make a financial gift to any area on campus.

CONTACT INFO
The Big Event
thebigevent.siu.edu

SIU Day of Giving
siuday.siu.edu

Center for Service-Learning and Volunteerism
cslv.siu.edu
SALUKI
PRIDE:
CHEERING
ON YOUR
SALUKIS!

SIU has a proud tradition of success in the Missouri Valley Conference. From cheering on the Dawgs at the Homecoming football game, to being a Davies Crazy at volleyball matches, to grilling on The Hill during a baseball game, supporting Salukis athletics is year-round fun! Be sure to join the Dawg Pound for the ultimate Saluki fan experience!

CONTACT INFO
Saluki Athletics
siusalukis.com

Dawg Pound
getinvolved.siu.edu
Bursar's Bill Due
PREPARING FOR YOUR FUTURE: CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

The Career Development Center strives to educate and empower all students and recent alumni with the knowledge to successfully discover and achieve their career goals. This is accomplished through career interest and personality assessments and counseling, comprehensive job search preparedness programs, and creating connections with employers. By providing comprehensive career development guidance, resources, and events, the Career Development Center strives to assist all students and alumni with achieving optimal career success.

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Career Development Center
careerdevelopment.siu.edu
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**Events:**
- **Summer Intersession Begins:**
- **Bursar’s Bill Due:**
- **Memorial Day (Campus Closure):**
- **Spring Commencement:**
- **FINAL EXAMS:**
SUMMER AT SOUTHERN: SUNSET CONCERTS

The 44th annual Sunset Concert series will take place on the SIU campus and in the Community. These weekly summer evening concerts highlight musicians from a variety of musical genres. The concerts are a time to take in the warm summer evenings in Southern Illinois and enjoy the laid-back feel of summer in Carbondale.

CONTACT INFO
SIU Student Center
studentcenter.siu.edu

Summer at SIU
summer.siu.edu

City of Carbondale
explorecarbondale.com
Summer doesn’t mean that classes stop. If you are looking to get ahead and maybe even finish a degree early, summer session courses are an option. They provide many options for students to take select classes over the summer break ranging from core curriculum classes to major specific.

CONTACT INFO
Summer Courses
summer.siu.edu

Registrar’s Office
registrar.siu.edu
Bursar’s Bill Due

Independence Day
(Campus Closure)

SIU General Application
Opens for the 2023-2024 Academic Year
Being a Saluki means much more than just getting a job after graduation. Over 150 years of history has led to traditions that generations of Salukis have taken part in. During your time at SIU, we hope you will take part in these longtime events that have defined what it means to be a part of the Saluki family.
Campus Resources

Academic Advising
Academic advising is a teaching and learning process dedicated to student success. Our function is to teach, guide and support students and other stakeholders in the university community. Academic advisors help students understand curricular requirements, teach students how to make effective decisions and serve as a resource as students develop their individual education plans. Academic advisors encourage students to be proactive in the pursuit of education, and to take personal responsibility for their decisions regarding their college career. Advising is a partnership designed to help students move from where they are to where they want to be.

Saluki Success Program
The Saluki Success Program supports the first-year seminar required of all freshman, UNIV 101. The course is designed to guide student development of academic and personal skills essential for student success. In addition to UNIV 101, Saluki Success offers a set of additional courses designed to support student learning and success.

SalukiTech
SalukiTech is the division of the Office of Information Technology that provides technology support and services to students, faculty and staff. SalukiTech, located in Morris Library on the 1st floor, provides in-person help, technology purchase assistance, and answers basic technology questions. SalukiTech also provides assistance, by phone, live chat or email, with your SIU accounts and technology. In addition, we have your printing needs covered and assist with refund requests and general print questions. We also offer selected software titles to meet your academic needs. If you need help call, chat, email, or visit us. We are ready to help!

Center for Learning Support Services
Center for Learning Support Services provides individual tutoring primarily for 100- and 200-level Core Curriculum courses and select upper level courses. We also provide Academic Coaching to help students become active and independent learners. Academic Coaching can assist students with a variety of academic topics and techniques focused on practical study skills, learning and test-taking strategies, time management and problem solving.

Morris Library
The main university library, Morris Library, offers a full range of library services, resources and facilities in the eight-story building and online. Reference librarians help with research and provide information literacy instruction and research through Ask-a-Librarian as well as some embedded librarians in MyCourses. The collection includes more than 3.5 million volumes, 43,000 currently received periodicals and serials, and more than 3.5 million microform units. The library also houses government information, maps and geospatial resources, instructional materials, DVDs and videos, eBooks, and dissertations and theses. Students can check out materials from academic libraries across the state through their access to I-Share via the library's online catalog. The Special Collections Research Center is home to rare and unique materials from the region, the campus and specific collecting areas (Irish literature; political papers; philosophy; etc.). Flexible seating and collaboration areas equipped with the latest technologies are located throughout the building, along with group study rooms and classrooms.

Delyte’s Café is a popular spot on campus to relax, and Guyon Auditorium, the two rotundas, and the Hall of Presidents and Chancellors feature art, exhibits and events throughout the year. Academic support services such as the Writing Center, SalukiTech, Math Central, Tutoring Services, Testing Center, Center for Teaching Excellence and Honors Program make the library the heart of campus.

Liberal Arts Core Curriculum Courses
The core curriculum is designed to guide student development of academic and personal skills essential for student success. In addition to UNIV 101, Saluki Success offers a set of additional courses designed to support student learning and success.

University Honors Program
The University Honors Program is a university-wide undergraduate program that is designed to reward SIU’s best students for their high academic achievements. It models the intellectual excitement and individualized attention of a small liberal arts and sciences college within a comprehensive research university. Students carve academic paths that combine academic majors and minors, are mentored on scholarships, research, co-curricular, service, and career opportunities, take courses specially created by faculty for Honors, and live in designated Honors Living Learning Community.

University Core Curriculum
The University Core Curriculum is the backbone of the university experience. Core courses offer an introduction to the traditional riches of a university education overlaid with contemporary perspectives and multicultural studies. Core courses include foundation skills, disciplinary studies and integrative studies for 39 required credit hours. Students have a broad array of choices in core courses. Far from being “additional” coursework, core courses reinforce major and minor studies, help undeclared students select their major, and build the “soft” and “transferrable” skills that surveys show employers value most.

Study Abroad Programs
Study Abroad opportunities include short-term, semester or yearlong programs and exchanges. Many departments offer major-specific study abroad opportunities. Financial aid may be applied to these opportunities, making study abroad affordable as well as enriching.

Testing Services
Testing Services provides a wide range of academic and professional exams to students and the public. Our testing staff is committed to providing professional support to help meet the educational goals of students and clients who test with us. We constantly strive to maintain compliance with institutional, state, and federal regulations regarding testing protocol, while protecting client confidentiality and test integrity. Proficiency, CLEP and DSST exams are available for students who wish to test out and gain credit for several core curriculum courses. Testing Services also acts as a connection between the instructors and proctors off-campus. We carefully screen off-campus proctors to ensure they administer SIU exams in compliance with instructor guidelines and do not have a conflict of interest in upholding SIU's Academic Dishonesty Policy.

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McNair Scholars Program
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REACH Awards (Research Enriched Academic Challenge) – REACH Awards give full-time undergraduate students at SIU the opportunity to gain real-world experience in their research/creative field of interest. The awards are granted based on the evaluation of the applications by a panel composed of experts from a broad range of academic backgrounds. REACH applications will be available on Monday, December 6, 2021 and end on Tuesday, February 1, 2022.

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Achieve Program
The Achieve Program is a supplemental fee-based academic consultation and support service, specializing in individualized case management services for students with learning disabilities, attention disorders, autism spectrum disorders, and other related learning differences and academic difficulties. We can help with tracking academic progress, organizing deadlines, structuring time, staying accountable, and finding solutions for your academic success. Book a free online consultation to learn more about our services.
achieve.siu.edu • 453-6155

Disability Support Services (DSS)
The Office of Disability Support Services (DSS) is committed to assuring that students with disabilities receive equal, effective, and meaningful access to all campus programs, resources and services. We recognize that diversity of abilities is a source of excellence, enrichment, and strength for all members of the university community. Our staff coordinates and provides support services to students with disabilities and works closely with faculty and staff in an advisory capacity providing disability education awareness around ensuring equal access within courses, physical structures, and in the online environment.
disabilityservices.siu.edu • 453-5738

First Saluki Center
The First Saluki Center is a supportive community of peer mentors and faculty and staff. Our mission is to support and encourage first generation undergraduate students to successfully navigate their college experience, succeed academically, persist in their education and graduate from SIU Carbondale. What does it mean to be First Gen? The brave and committed students who will be among the first in their family to graduate with a four-year degree face unique internal and external pressures and benefit from resources and support tailored to their situation. We provide peer mentoring, scholarship opportunities, connection to resources on and off campus and assist first generation students towards a successful transition to college level academics.
salukicenter.siu.edu • 453-6870

Non-Traditional Student Services
The office of Non-Traditional Student Services serves returning adults, students with children, and transfer students from the point of entry to degree completion. Our staff offers guidance, support and resource referral while also seeking to foster a higher sense of belonging among non-traditional students through connecting students to peers and providing family-friendly programs.
nontrad.siu.edu • 453-7521 • nontrad@siu.edu

Student Multicultural Resource Center
The Student Multicultural Resource Center serves as a catalyst for inclusion, diversity and innovation. We look to foster an environment where all campus members are respected and welcomed. As the center continues its work, we are here to inspire students to think, grow and succeed.
smrc.siu.edu • 453-3740

Student Recreation Center
Recreational Sports & Services (RSS) and the Student Recreation Center (SRC) enhance the educational experience for the SIU community with recreational opportunities, services and facilities for all individuals. The Student Recreation Center (SRC) is a 214,000-square-foot facility located on Grand Avenue. It houses a wide array of facilities, fitness equipment and meeting spaces for student groups. Other amenities include 4 basketball/volleyball courts, a 10 Lane 50m Olympic pool and diving well, two indoor walking/jogging tracks, racquetball and squash courts, several fitness and cardio equipment areas, five weight rooms, and 8 Fitness studios, multipurpose rooms and an Indoor Climbing and Bouldering Wall for student use. Students already pay for the use of the SRC through their student fees. Non-student membership to the facility is easy and very inexpensive for families of students.
rec.siu.edu • 453-1277

Students' Legal Assistance Office
In the Students' Legal Assistance Office, currently enrolled students (who pay the General Student Fee on campus) may receive legal advice, counsel and/or representation at no additional charge. The legal staff members assist students with civil, criminal, traffic and municipal ordinance violation issues. In addition to legal services, staff members conduct preventive legal education presentations, informing students of laws, pertinent legal issues, and their legal rights and responsibilities. Internships are available to students in the SIU Paralegal Studies Program and the SIU School of Law. Notary Public services are provided by appointment.
studentlegal.siu.edu • 538-6677 • sladask@siu.edu

Sustainability
At SIU, we believe the daily actions of every individual can drive a more sustainable community. The Sustainability Office catalyzes sustainable decision-making on campus through a diverse range of programs, activities and events. Get started by becoming a Saluki Green Action Team member at salukigreenactionteam.siu.edu. You can also get involved by becoming a Sustainability Fellow, joining a sustainability-minded RSO, applying for a Green Fund grant, and more! Stop by the Sustainability Hub, located near the north entrance to the Student Center, to learn more about how you can get involved!
sustainability.siu.edu • 453-2846 sustainability@siu.edu

Touch of Nature Environmental Center
Touch of Nature Environmental Center is Southern Illinois University’s outdoor education center serving SIU, the region and the nation as an outdoor laboratory for experiential learning, a field site for research, and a provider of recreation therapy, adventure education, personal and interpersonal growth experiences and hospitality services. Touch of Nature has over 3,100 acres of rolling hills and forest on the shores of Little Grassy Lake, and is approximately eight miles southeast of the main SIU campus on Giant City Road. Touch of Nature offers guests, students and groups several opportunities for outdoor recreation, assisted by our trained staff.
ton.siu.edu • 453-1121
TRiO Student Support Services
TRiO Student Support Services (SSS) at SIU assists a select group of students in adjusting to college life and successfully pursuing an undergraduate degree. SSS utilizes a holistic approach in providing support services for students by focusing on academic, social, and cultural aspects of the college experience. Through academic counseling, advice with course selection, individualized tutoring, workshops, career exploration, and social and cultural activities, SSS helps students build a solid foundation for success. SSS also connects students to other university programs and support services that expose students to educational opportunities, as well as cultural involvement, to promote a well-rounded college experience.

Veterans Services
The Veterans Center in Woody Hall is a one-stop shop for veterans. We coordinate veteran educational benefits through the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) for GI Bill and Illinois Student Assistance Commission for Illinois Veterans/National Guard grants. Our office staff coordinates with internal and external organizations such as the VA, IDVA, IDES and others to provide benefit programs resolution, social activities and peer-to-peer support. veterans.siu.edu • 453-1335 • vets@siu.edu

Center for Service-Learning and Volunteerism
The Center for Service-Learning and Volunteerism prepares students to be engaged, aware, and involved in civic and community involvement through meaningful involvement opportunities and enable students to gain leadership experience while serving the campus community. OSE consists of the following functional areas:

Student Center
The Student Center offers students a central gathering place to relax, eat, study, hold events or participate in diverse programs. We have something for everyone, and the SIU community is welcome! Services include:
- ATMs
- Bowling & Billiards
- Conference and Scheduling Services
- Craft Shop
- Debit Dawg
- Dining Options
- eSports Arena
- Graphics Services

Student ID Card/Debit Dawg
The SIU student ID is like a key to campus, allowing access to the residence halls, Student Recreation Center, dining halls, university events, and much more. For more information visit studentcenter.siu.edu/ID. Your ID is also Debit Dawg, the campus debit card program. Students enjoy the convenient purchasing power at many locations on and off campus. Visit our website for more information on how to add money to the account and for a complete listing of locations where Debit Dawg is accepted. studentcenter.siu.edu/debitdawg • 536-3351

Saluki Food Pantry
The Saluki Food Pantry provides food assistance to students, helping them to stay in school and meet their educational goals. Located in the basement of the Student Center, all students can come monthly and receive enough food for each family member residing in their household to eat for approximately three days. studentcenter.siu.edu/services/saluki-food-pantry.php

Office of Student Engagement (OSE)
The Office of Student Engagement is committed to enhancing the Saluki Experience. Our purpose is to engage our students on campus through meaningful involvement opportunities and enable students to gain leadership experience while serving the campus community. OSE consists of the following functional areas:

- Student Programs and Events – Planned by the students for the students, the Student Programming Council (SPC) plans over 50 cultural, educational, and entertaining programs and events annually. Homecoming, Family Weekend, late night events, concerts, and Saluki Con are just some of the exciting traditions that SPC plans and supports.
- Leadership Programs – We offer various leadership development opportunities for students at SIU. Programs like Emerging Salukis and Leadership Talks provide students space to explore what leadership means, and the actual experience of practicing their own leadership.
- Student Organizations – SIU has over 300 Registered Student Organizations (RSOs) that range in scope and focus from cultural, educational, recreational, religious, and social categories. Students can gain practical leadership experience and soft skills by getting involved in RSOs.

Fraternity and Sorority Life (FSL)
Fraternity and Sorority Life (FSL) Since 1923, the SIU Fraternity and Sorority community has upheld the foundational values of academic excellence, leadership, service, and community. Their educational programs, social activities, service projects, and leadership development opportunities contribute immensely to the SIU community. There are currently over 25 active chapters, governed by the College Panhellenic Association (CPA), Interfraternity Council (IFC), Multicultural Greek Council (MGC), and the National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC).

New Student Programs
Saluki Startup
Saluki Startup is an interactive and fun extended orientation for all new students during move-in weekend. Saluki Startup events include social activities, academic preparation, service learning and much more.

Career Development Center
The Career Development Center provides students and alumni with career development resources throughout their academic and professional careers. The department offers an abundance of resources to assist with choosing a major and preparing for a career. Services include career/major explorations; the administration and interpretation of career assessments; resume and cover letter critiques; a state-of-the-art mock interview program; professional development events; Hire-a-Saluki, our online job and internship recruiting system; networking opportunities; and much more!

Internships
Internships are practical, real-world experiences that prepare students for the workforce. Most departments/majors at SIU allow students to intern for academic credit. Each department sets the specific guidelines and policies for its students. Students can also do internships without academic credit. To complement our career advising services, the Career Development Center offers resources to assist students and alumni with the internships and job search process, including Hire-a-Saluki (powered by Handshake), job and internship fairs, employer information sessions, and on-campus interviews.
**Externships**
The Career Development Center partners with the Alumni Association to offer students the opportunity to network with professionals in their field via the Extern Program. Taking place during spring break, the Extern Program matches students with professionals in their field and allows them to put skills they have learned in the classroom to practice in a professional environment with friendly supervision. Extern experiences often help students clarify their career goals. Check out the Career Development Center’s website for more information.

careerdevelopment.siu.edu • 453-2391

**Student Health Services**
The Student Health Center is a state-of-the-art ambulatory healthcare facility that has been continuously accredited by AAAHC since 1996 and recently certified as a Patient-Centered Medical Home. We provide an integrated and holistic approach to cost-effective healthcare, serving as the student’s medical home away from home. Our dedicated staff is committed to providing our students with the highest quality of medical and mental health care possible; not only by treating physical health problems but also by preventing disease and promoting wellness. The staff at the Student Health Center is committed to meeting the needs of individuals from diverse backgrounds including differences of culture, race, gender, sexual orientation, ability, and religion/spirituality.

*Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.*

shc.siu.edu • shcinfo@siu.edu
453-3311 • Fax: 453-4449

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**Our Services Include:**

**Health Insurance Benefits**
SIUC offers a student health insurance plan to provide off campus healthcare coverage such as emergency care, hospitalization, surgery and other specialty healthcare services. This ACA compliant plan is designed specifically for SIU students and features a national provider network, low deductibles, low copays and low out of pocket costs to students. Students with comparable health coverage may waive the fee by the posted deadline. Domestic students must complete the online waiver form and international students must call or visit the Student Health Services insurance department. Students still have access to the Student Health Center even if they waive the Student Health Insurance Plan because students pay the Student Health Fee as part of their tuition.

**Immunization Compliance**
All students enrolled in more than 5 credit hours on campus are required by Illinois Law (Public Act 85-1315) to provide proof of vaccinations for tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis, measles, mumps, rubella, and meningitis. All International students are required to complete a mandatory Tuberculosis (TB) screening. This (TB) screening MUST be done at the Student Health Center. Records must be in English. Elective Immunizations such as Hepatitis, Flu and travel vaccinations are recommended and available but not required. You may obtain your immunization records from your physician, local health department, high school, or previous university. You may email records to immunizations@siu.edu, fax 453-4452, or mail to Student Health Center. For specific immunization requirements visit the Immunizations website at shc.siu.edu/immunizations or call 453-4326. Immunization records must be on file at SHC before the tenth day of class to avoid a registration hold.

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**Saluki Health Portal**
From the Student Health Services’ website, students can access their patient with their SIU Network ID and password. In the secure portal, students have many options including:
- Schedule/cancel on-line appointments
- Sign up to receive text message appointment reminders
- Send a secure message to the E-nurse
- Receive secure messages including test results
- Request a prescription to refill
- Add Preferred Name, Preferred Pronouns, Gender Identity & Emergency Contact(s).

**Medical Clinic**
Medical problems may interfere with your ability to succeed academically. The clinic offers medical evaluation and treatment of acute and chronic medical problems and includes in-house diagnostic lab and X-ray services. The Medical Clinic is known for delivering exceptional and responsive care. In most instances, students with an urgent medical need may be seen the same day they call for an appointment. Students may schedule appointments by phone or electronically by accessing the MySIU Patient Portal from their personal device or computer 24/7.

**Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)**
College is a time of change, transition and growth. At times, students find it useful to seek the assistance of a caring professional. Each year 1 out of 10 SIUC Carbondale students seek services at CAPS. Counseling and Psychological Services provides crisis walk-in counseling, group, individual, and couples counseling to SIU Carbondale students. Our staff of mental health professionals are trained to help you discover ways to cope more effectively with problems. CAPS main office is located in the Student Health Center on the second floor, Room 253. We have multiple locations and hours available, all of which can be accessed by calling 453-5371.
1. Student Health Center, 2nd floor: Monday through Friday 8:00am-4:30pm
2. CAPS at University Housing, Baldwin Hall/Thompson Point: 7-days per week (Sunday-Sunday), 12:30pm-9:00pm
3. CAPS at Multicultural Resource Center: Student Services Building, 4th floor

shc.siu.edu/counseling • 453-5371

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**Psychiatry**
Students can experience psychiatric difficulties which interfere with their academic and personal lives. The Psychiatric Clinic is staffed with a psychiatrist that works closely with the psychologists and mental health professionals at Counseling and Psychological Services. Services include psychiatric evaluation and medication management.

453-4346

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**Wellness and Health Promotion Services (WHPS)**
WHPS provides current and accurate health information about important lifestyle decisions. Our professional staff provides resources and programs in sexual health, stress management, suicide prevention, alcohol and other drug use, peer education and other areas of wellness that impact student success.

536-4441

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**Pharmacy**
We have a full service pharmacy. You may fill prescriptions at our pharmacy from any licensed provider. In addition to prescriptions, the pharmacy has a selection of over-the-counter items available for purchase. You may purchase all pharmacy items with normal payment methods or by charging it to your Bursar account or Debit Dawg. Private insurance and Medicaid cards are not accepted.

453-4417

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**Optical**
Marion Eye Centers and Optical has a satellite office located on the first floor of the Student Health Center building. This is a private business not affiliated with Student Health Services.

549-0615

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**Physical Therapy**
The Orthopedic Institute of Southern Illinois has a therapy center located on the first floor of the Student Health Center building. This is a private business not affiliated with Student Health Services.

453-1292
Sports Medicine
The Saluki Team physician is a member of the medical staff and sees all students and athletes with sports-related medical problems in conjunction with the primary care staff.

After Hours Emergency
For after-hours emergencies, call 911 or go to the emergency room. Your Student Medical Insurance will not cover non-emergency ER visits.

After Hours Non-Emergency
Non-emergency after hours care is available at SIH Medical Group Prompt Care 549-5361 or Shawnee Health Services, Same Day at 519-9200.

Wellness and Safety
Saluki Cares
Saluki Cares is a university-wide program of care and support for students in distress. The program coordinates care to help students deal with such trauma as: death of loved ones; extended illnesses; financial stress; adjustment issues; class attendance problems; homesickness; and other stressors. Families can reach out to their students through Saluki Cares if they see warning signs, such as a drop in GPA or a change in behavior, or if they experience a known problem such as a death in the family. Faculty and staff may also use Saluki Cares if they are concerned about a student’s well-being. Saluki Cares will coordinate the appropriate resources to get students the help they need.

SalukiCares.siu.edu • 453-2461

Campus Ministries
Campus Ministries is an association for faith communities active at SIU. Membership is open to all religious groups recognized by the university. Each faith community organizes its own activities. The overall goal of Campus Ministries is to connect students to their particular faith community, to promote spiritual growth and to support the relevance of religious expression on our campus.

siucmin.siu.edu • 457-2065

University Housing
Most first-year students live on campus in traditional all-inclusive residence halls. University Housing offers designated junior/senior residence halls as well as apartment housing for undergraduates, graduates, married students and students with children. Once admitted to the university, students may contract for a residence hall or apply for an apartment online, provided the online contract is available. Housing tours are offered on most weekdays, occasional weekends, Open Houses and during New Student Orientation events. Additional information is available online.

housing.siu.edu • 453-2301

Living Learning Communities
Living Learning Communities (LLCs) are residence hall communities where students with similar interests or majors live together in the same area. Students who participate in an LLC often have higher GPAs.

housing.siu.edu/LLC • 453-7535

Housing Contracts
Students must first be admitted to SIU to contract for a residence hall or apply for an apartment.

Residence Halls
• Once admitted, students may complete a University Housing contract online with $150 prepayment. A Housing contract is for one academic year (9 months). Contract dates can be found online at housing.siu.edu/residence-halls/contracts. Additional information about Summer & Break housing can also be found online at housing.siu.edu/residence-halls/summer-break.
• Students will select, or be assigned a room, depending on when they complete their contract.
• Currently, all SIU residence hall rooms are private rooms, at the double room rate.

Apartments
• Once admitted, eligible students may apply online for an on-campus apartment.
• Pending space availability and student eligibility, a contract will be offered to the student to complete and return with a prepayment.

Dining Halls
On-campus dining offers a wide variety of delicious and nutritious options, including homestyle cooking, vegan and vegetarian entrées, soup and salad bars, cooked-to-order items and more. Our dining program can accommodate most special dietary needs. Menus are posted online.

Dining Plans
• The Saluki Anytime Dining Plan is included with the traditional residence halls contract. This plan allows students to eat any time the dining halls are open. There is no limit to the number of meals.
• The Block-20 Plan is available to students not living in traditional residence hall housing. This plan provides the equivalent of 20 meals for students to use during the academic year. Additional blocks can be purchased.

SalukiNet.

Student Records
The Office of the Registrar provides students with student records, including official transcripts, enrollment verification, tuition adjustments and refund deadlines. The office also monitors student academic progress, including identifying those whose achievements merit inclusion in such honors as the dean's list.

Registrar.siu.edu • 453-2963

Degree Works
Degree Works is the university’s official tool for degree clearance. Students should discuss their progress toward degree completion with their academic advisor after reviewing their degree audit.
Tuition
- Use our online financial aid cost calculator at fao.siu.edu/cost to determine estimated costs. Note that tuition costs are set by the SIU Board of Trustees in late spring.
- Truth-in-tuition locks in the tuition rate for a student for the four years traditionally required to earn a bachelor’s degree. That means our students’ tuition will not go up from freshman year through their fourth year.

Financial Aid
The primary goal of our Financial Aid Office is to help students achieve their educational potential by providing appropriate financial resources. We are here to guide families and students through the financial aid process and to provide assistance along the way. Financial aid advisors are available during office hours and at New Student Orientation programs.

- July 1, 2021: SIU General Scholarship Application opens for the 2022-2023 Academic Year
- October 1, 2021: File the 2022-2023 FAFSA
- December 1, 2021: SIU General Scholarship Application closes for the 2022-2023 Academic Year

Financial Aid Office: fao.siu.edu • 453-4334
Scholarships: scholarships.siu.edu • 453-4628
Student Employment: studentjobs.siu.edu • 453-4529

Bursar’s Office
The Office of the Bursar is committed to excellence in providing financial services to students and to the university community. The Office of the Bursar is where:
- You can pay university bills in person, over the phone or online via SalukiNet.
- Bills are available on SalukiNet the 15th of each month and are due in full by the 10th of the next month.

bursar.siu.edu • 453-2221

Installment Payment Plan
SIU and Nelnet Business Solutions (NBS) provide an installment payment program for students. Because it is not a loan program, there is no debt incurred and no credit search. There are no interest or finance charges assessed by SIU or NBS on the unpaid balance while enrolled in the plan. SIU has contracted with Nelnet Business Solutions to provide various payment options.

Additional Resources

Army ROTC/Air Force ROTC
Army ROTC and Air Force ROTC (Reserve Officers’ Training Corps) are elective curriculums that blend with the SIU curriculum. As a leadership program, ROTC is available to freshmen and sophomores with no obligation to join the Army or the Air Force. Those who go on through ROTC and graduate may become commissioned officers in the Army or Air Force.

armyrotc.siu.edu • 453-5786
airrotc.siu.edu • 453-2481

On-Campus Venues
- Shryock Auditorium – Home to events, concerts and productions from the School of Music. 453-7035
- McLeod Theater – Home to the Department of Theater and the McLeod Summer Playhouse full-theater productions. theater.siu.edu • 453-5741
- Kleinau Theatre – Performance art from the Department of Communication Studies. cola.siu.edu/communicationstudies/kleinau 453-2291

Transportation and Parking

Parking
Students, faculty and staff need parking decals to park on campus. Parking maps and regulations are available online. Please call the Parking Division if you have questions.
parking.siu.edu • 453-5369

Saluki Express
SIU has partnered with Rides Mass Transit District (RIDES) to offer bus service on campus and around the area. Bus service is offered at low or no cost, and allows students to easily access their classes, on or off-campus job, shopping, and other local resources. Students can utilize extended services provided by RIDES at no additional cost with access to several metropolitan areas including St. Louis, Springfield and Evansville.
studentcenter.siu.edu/services/saluki-express

Night Safety Transit
Night Safety Transit provides a safe late night weekday and weekend point to point transit during the academic year. Transportation is provided to help students get safely to and from campus. By downloading the Transloc App or calling 618-715-0770, students can obtain a ride.
studentcenter.siu.edu/services/saluki-express/night-safety-transit.php

Paratransit
In addition to ADA accessible Saluki Express fixed routes, Rides Mass Transit District also provides accessible complementary paratransit transportation for Southern Illinois University. Students need to establish eligibility through Disability Support Services for this service by calling 618-453-5738. studentcenter.siu.edu/services/saluki-express/paratransit.php

Other Transportation
- Amtrak – Carbondale is home to an Amtrak station. One of the three trains that regularly travels between Carbondale and Chicago bears the name “Saluki Express.”
- Greyhound – Carbondale also hosts a Greyhound Bus Line stop.
- Taxis – Several companies do business in Carbondale.
- Bus Dog – Weekend bus service to and from Chicago.


Student Rights and Responsibilities (SRR)
SRR serves as a resource for students and staff in understanding and applying the Student Conduct Code. SRR also addresses situations where the code may have been violated. SIU uses a number of avenues, including administrative conferences, to address potential violations. In situations where it is determined that there has been a violation of the code, SRR will assign appropriate sanctions designed to address the violation in an individualized and educational manner that focuses on learning and personal growth wherever possible.
srr.siu.edu • 536-2338

The Conduct Resolution Process
The Student Conduct Code exists to ensure all students are able to study, learn and grow in the best possible environment. To that end, academic dishonesty, unsafe activities and behaviors, inactivity and activities that limit the rights of others are addressed in the code. Because we recognize that the student experience doesn’t end at the edge of campus, the university may address violations of the student code wherever they occur, on or off campus. Possible violations are handled in a number of ways, depending on type and severity.
Academic Dishonesty
At SIU, allegations of academic dishonesty, such as cheating and plagiarism, are handled within the individual departments and colleges in most cases. Often these situations are resolved between the student and instructor at an individual level, with the outcome being communicated to the student and department. In some cases, the student and instructor may meet with the Academic Dean to discuss the situation before determining an appropriate sanction. If a student disputes the allegation of academic dishonesty, he or she may request an administrative conference. At this conference, the instructor and student will each have an opportunity to share their side of the situation before a decision is made. Once the conference is complete, the student will be notified of the outcome and any sanctions that are being applied. If the conference determines the student did violate the code, the student has the option to appeal the decision in some cases.

Behavioral Misconduct
When a report of misconduct is reported to SRR from a faculty or staff member, a student, a member of the community or law enforcement, it is first reviewed to see if there is a possible violation of the code. If there is the possibility a violation occurred, the student in question is notified that a report has been received and is told of the possible violations that are alleged and a conference has been scheduled. Conferences are scheduled to avoid conflicts with classes and academic requirements. At the conference, students have the opportunity to discuss the situation with an administrator, have witnesses speak on their behalf and ask questions of witnesses the university may ask to be present. The administrator will also ask questions to ensure as much information as possible is available before any decision is made. Once the conference is complete, the administrator will review all the available information and make a determination as to whether a violation occurred. The student will be notified of this decision and, if there was a violation, the student will also be notified of any sanctions that are being applied or further actions the student must take. Students who are found responsible for a violation of the code may have the right to appeal the decision or sanctions, depending on the situation.

Incidents that occur in facilities operated by University Housing may be addressed by University Housing staff members who have been trained as administrators, or they may be referred to SRR.

The Code and the Law
The Student Conduct Code is separate from the criminal justice process. While law enforcement may notify SRR of possible violations of the code, this does not affect a student’s legal obligations. In many situations, the police may choose to notify SRR of an incident but not arrest or cite a student. In these cases, the university may still hold a conference to determine if the code was violated. In other cases, the student may be required to address the situation through both the university and the criminal justice system. When investigating possible violations of the code, a “preponderance of the evidence” standard is used, meaning SRR is looking to determine if it is more likely than not a violation of the code occurred. As in the criminal justice system, however, a student is always presumed not to have violated the code until it is proven otherwise.

Student Conduct Records
Student conduct records contain all the information collected throughout the conference process. This information may include letters, forms, reports, emails and audio recordings, to name a few. Students may review their files at any time by visiting the SRR office. Information created by other entities, such as police departments, can be viewed by students, but copies must be obtained through the person or department who created it. All student conduct records are protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, and we take our students’ privacy seriously. As such, we must have a written waiver on file before we can release any information to friends, family or anyone else.

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HOW TO REFER  To notify Saluki Cares of a concern, please contact:
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For emergencies, please call 911 and/or contact the SIU Department of Public Safety at 618/453-3771.
WHAT’S A SALUKI?
The royal dog of Egypt, the Saluki is an ancient breed of sighthound, recognizable by its tall, graceful build and silky coat. The Saluki is, from ancient times, bred for speed and endurance, and was a favorite among ancient nobility. Today, the dogs are lure-coursers, show dogs and pets. SIU Carbondale adopted the Saluki as its mascot in 1951 and remains the only university with this unique mascot.

The first Saluki mascot on campus was Tut, a 10-year-old dog owned by John and Linda Saunders of Chester, Illinois. Tut attended select Saluki athletic events and other special events, including Homecoming. The tradition continues with several beloved Saluki mascots representing the Tut legacy.

FIGHT SONG
“GO SOUTHERN GO!”
Words and music by Grover Clarke Morgan

Go! Southern Go!
Fight on to victory!
Go! Southern Go!
March on triumphantly!
Come on and show,
Southern, show,
For all the world to know.
Nothing’s gonna stop you now!
Hit that line and show
Them how to go!
Southern Go!

“SOUTHERN ALMA MATER”
Words and music by Grover Clarke Morgan

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How much does it cost?
The cost is $195. This covers your stay at Touch of Nature, food, and transportation.

How do I get there?
We will pick up participants from SIU Arena Parking Lot 56. Students arriving via Amtrak will be picked up from the train station. From there, students are driven to Touch of Nature.

Camp Description
Incoming freshmen and transfer students stay in air-conditioned cabins. During the day, students can take part in several camp-related activities like duct tape dodgeball, broomball, and full-sized canoe-battleship! With other optional activities like gaga ball, volleyball, and hiking, new Salukis will spend time with their group of 8-10 others and learn what it means to them to be a student at SIUC.

Are Scholarships available?
Yes! You can cover the cost with our scholarship. Find applications on our website at dawgdays.siu.edu.

Early Move-In?
You get to move in Wednesday, August 11, the day before general move-in begins. Dawg Days makes sure they have everything they need - and staff helps bring in their luggage on the 11th!

What about Social distancing?
Dawg Days is safely conducted following SIU policy and IDPH guidelines.

How do I get there?
No problem! Students will be staying in air-conditioned cabins and eating in a cafeteria-style dining hall.

I’m not really the outdoorsy type?
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