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EDWARDSVILLE**



Online Services and Educational Outreach

SPRING 2025 CATALOG

Enriching • Empowering • Engaging • Education for all



A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

As the new year begins, I feel a profound sense of excitement about the year ahead. We have recently welcomed many new staff, crafted new programs and begun work at our new campus in Belleville. Online Services and Educational Outreach has joined forces with our SIUE colleagues supporting Forensic Science, the Center for Crime Science and Violence Prevention, and the Institute for Community Justice and Racial Equity to offer programming for the community at our location on West Main Street. We join the City of Belleville Housing Department, Southwestern Illinois College and SIU Carbondale who also utilize the site. Take note of Belleville’s spring course offerings in the catalog.

Does the new year have you thinking about starting a new degree program or finishing your degree? Online programs and certificates provide flexibility and offer accelerated terms to help you attain your learning goals. Speaking of attaining your goals, SIUE is offering a new Resume Bootcamp for anyone looking to build or update their resume. If you are looking to reskill or advance in your career, consider SIUE’s numerous programs of study complemented by our professional development opportunities.

We have great opportunities for lectures, trips and personal growth courses this spring. New courses in composting, stormwater and pollution prevention will begin soon. Many participants have been anticipating the return of breadmaking courses in partnership with 222 Artisan Bakery, and we are pleased to feature them again. Parents and teens will be thrilled to know that new and returning Summer Camps registration will begin in early 2025, so save the date for those events.

Finally, we are pleased to announce new partnerships with the Illinois State Police, City of Collinsville, Springfield Clinic, Scott Credit Union, and the Illinois Public Health Association (IPHA). These partnerships are based on the needs of organizations and represent credit and non-credit learning opportunities. IPHA and SIUE offer a no-cost community healthcare credential which can assist with employment and provides stipends to SIUE students pursuing public health and other healthcare-related degree programs.

Happy New Year and warm wishes for 2025.

Mary Etting

Director, Online Services and Educational Outreach

Online Registration

HOW TO CREATE AN ACCOUNT AND REGISTER FOR ONLINE SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAMS

1. Create an account.

If this is your first time registering for a membership, trip or non-credit course online, you must create an account.

- Go to: <https://www.enrole.com/siue/>
- Click on “Sign In/Create Acct” in the left navigation menu.
- Select “Create Account” and proceed to enter your information.
- Be sure to select “Yes” to receive emails and mailings from us with information about upcoming programs.
- Also, you will want to select “Individuals” before clicking “Submit” at the bottom of the page.

2. Add items to your cart.

After you have created an account or logged in, use the navigation on the left to select which category/courses/memberships/trips you want to add to your cart. Once you find the item you want to add, click “Add to Cart.”

- If your course is hosted on the SIUE Edwardsville campus, there may be parking charges included. Select “Registration Fee – Without Parking,” if you either would not like to pay for a parking pass or are associated with the University and have a University hang tag. Select “Registration Fee – Parking Included” if you would like to obtain a parking pass for the duration of the offering.
- From here you may either continue shopping or check out. If you are registering for a course that requires a promo code, you may enter it on this screen. Follow the prompts on the subsequent screens.

3. Completing your registration.

In your shopping cart, you should see your name under “Attendee List” and under the item(s) for which you are registering.

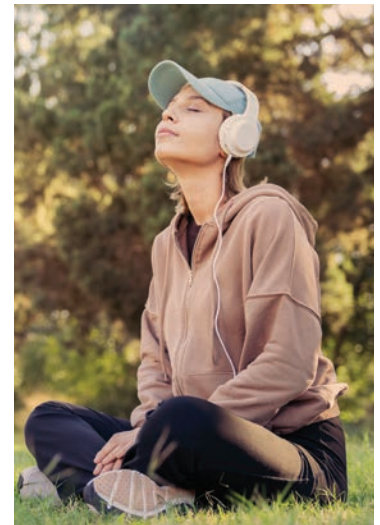
- If there is more than one member of your household attending, you may register both people for the event at the same time by clicking “Add Another Attendee” at the bottom of the page.
- You may also add additional programs and register for all the programs in which you are interested at once. Clicking “Submit Order,” you will be redirected to the CashNet payment portal.
- Please enter your credit card information to complete your registration and click “Continue Checkout” at the bottom of the page.
- You will be redirected to a review page where you can review your order before finally submitting your order.
- Your order is not placed until you finalize your registration and are taken to a page with “Thank you. Your order has been placed.” at the top of the page.

For any issues with registration or payment, please call 618-650-3213 to receive assistance.

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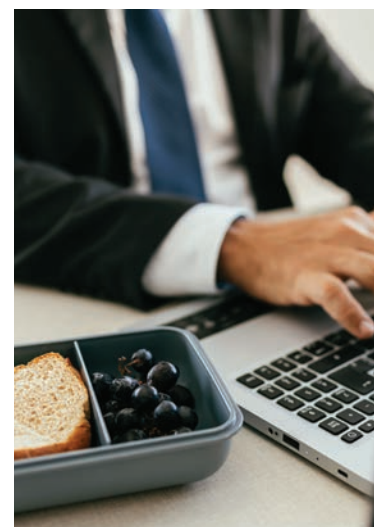
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SAVE THE DATE

2025 SUMMER CAMPS

Presented by the SIUE Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach

THEATER

(Grades K-12)

- **Cougar Theater Camp**
May 27-June 8
June 9-22
- **Musical Theater Camp**
July 21-25 *Early Registration!*

MUSIC

(Grades 6-12)

- **Percussion Institute**
June 2-5 *Early Registration!*
- **Flute Camp**
June 9-12
- **Summer Band Camp**
June 24-27
- **String Development Camp**
July 7-11
- **Music Technology and Composition Camp**
July 14-17
- **Summer Jazz Camp**
July 14-17
- **Vocal Arts Camp**
July 28-Aug. 1 *Early Registration!*

DANCE

(Grades 6-12)

- **Dance Camp**
June 23-27
- **Junior and Senior Dance Intensive**
Check website for dates

STEM

(Grades 9-12)

- **Engineering Camp**
June 2-6
June 9-13
- **Industrial Engineering Camp**
June 2-6 *Early Registration!*
- **IMAGINE Summer Success Academy**
Check website for dates
- **CHEF's Garden Camp**
July 21-25
- **Odyssey**
Check website for dates

VISUAL ARTS AND WRITING

(Grades K-8)

- **Art Camp 1**
June 2-6
- **Art Camp 2**
June 9-13
- **Art Camp 3**
June 23-27
- **Writing Camp (tentative)**
July 7-19
- **Script to Screen: Producing a Short Film**
June 23-27
- **Podcasting and Audio Storytelling: Audio Recording for Beginners**
July 7-11

Register online!

Full summer camp registration will open in February.

siue.edu/summer

Please note that all dates and offerings are being finalized, please check website for final information.

JUNIOR COUGARS AT COLLEGE!

Whether your junior Cougar is developing interests in new topics or has a career already picked out, we have a new set of offerings to give them the chance to explore their interests and hear about new career opportunities through a variety of offerings, as well as a couple of offerings for you as your junior Cougar grows up. Join our staff on campus and partners off-campus to learn about a variety of new topics, experiences and information as we explore and learn together!



College Cooking Hacks

Learn the basics of healthy eating in college with simple cooking strategies and food hacks you can do while living on or off campus!

Course Fee: \$45
Thursday, 4-6 p.m., Feb. 13
Nutrition Lab, Vadalabene Center
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Fueling Your Inner Athlete or Artist

Calling all middle schoolers. Are you an athlete or an artist? Come learn fun ways to cook simple, tasty meals to fuel your inner athlete and show off your creativity!

Course Fee: \$45
Thursday, 4-6 p.m., March 13
Nutrition Lab, Vadalabene Center
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

CAMP LAUNCH

An innovative camp for young D/deaf individuals aged 14.5-22 with an open case with the Department of Rehabilitation Services. Attendees will engage in various activities and skills development geared toward transitioning from high school to college and employment.

Camp Dates:

New Campers: July 11-13 for required DRS screening
Returning Campers: July 14-18 (arriving on the evening of July 13)

For more information and to register:
siue.edu/access/deaf-services/CampLaunch



OFF-CAMPUS AND CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS

siue.edu/corporate

Corporate Affiliates Pilot Program

SIUE is rolling out a new pilot program for corporations, non-profits and government entities that offer tuition reimbursement to employees. Through a simple contract between the employer and SIUE, employees receive a waived application fee, a tuition discount and concierge service such as registration help, a dedicated contact for questions that may arise, and assistance navigating a return to the classroom for busy working adults. If your company offers tuition reimbursement and you're not already receiving this benefit, contact our office today to discuss this exciting new opportunity because openings are limited!

Traditional Corporate Partnerships

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 not see your employer on this list, we will be pleased to work with your human resources department to add your organization to our growing list of partners who recognize the value of investing in their employees' professional development.



For more information, please contact:

Lacey Wieseman
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618-650-3985



Welcome to the SIUE Belleville Campus!

Beginning this spring semester, we will have a variety of offerings hosted on this campus. Please check our website at enrole.com/siue/jsp as new offerings will be added throughout the semester. Join us as we launch this new campus and be one of the first to take a course with us in Belleville!

NEW! Grant Writing and Management for Public Agencies and Non-Profits

From finding the right Notice Of Funding Opportunities through closing out awards, this course will familiarize you with the grant process. Writing grant proposals in the public and non-profit world can be a daunting task but is increasingly important to secure operational funds and ensure organizational continuity. While the course focuses primarily on federal grants we will also discuss other types of grants and how they may differ from federal programs. This course will provide insight and tips into the three main components of grants. Upon completion of the course students should have a better insight in how to target specific grant programs, develop a solid proposal and have better expectations about post-award grant management.

Course Fee: Free!
Tuesday, 5-8 p.m., March 18
SIUE Belleville Campus

NEW! Human Trafficking and the Impact

Through this interactive training attendees will learn the following dynamics of human trafficking: federal definition of labor and sex trafficking, risk factors and red flags, community trends and available resources. Participants will understand the definitions and dynamics of human trafficking, identify of risk factors and indicators of trafficking. learn about community resources, and discover how to support survivors.

Course Fee: \$15
Tuesday, 4:30-6 p.m., April 29
SIUE Belleville Campus

NEW! Pollution Prevention for Municipal Operations

This course will fulfill municipal operations workers' education and training requirements to support our region's stormwater municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) permit requirements. With 20 years of experience, the course leaders will provide an overview of applicable stormwater regulations. Participants will learn potential sources of stormwater contamination and ways to minimize the water quality impact of municipal activities, such as park and open space maintenance, fleet and building maintenance, construction and land disturbances, and storm drain system maintenance. Attending this course is also a great opportunity to network with other municipal employees.

Course Fee: \$25
Wednesday, 8-9 a.m., March 5
SIUE Belleville Campus

NEW! Introduction to Effective Stormwater Management

The necessity for awareness and proper management of stormwater runoff in our region is expanding. Stormwater runoff from rain and snowmelt harms our ecosystem by introducing pollutants like trash, chemicals and dirt into local creeks, streams, rivers and lakes. This course provides an overview of how environmental regulations have evolved to address stormwater pollution to protect water quality.

Course Fee: \$59
Thursdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Feb. 6-March 6
SIUE Belleville Campus

Understanding Film

You know the films you like and the ones you don't, but can you say why? Would you like to understand films from a variety of perspectives and appreciate them in new ways? Understanding Film will dive into the many fascinating ways we can interpret films and what they mean to us, our culture and our history. If you love movies and want to love them even more, join us as we delve into the fascinating world of cinema.

Course Fee: \$59
Fridays, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 7-28
SIUE Belleville Campus

Screenwriting Bootcamp

If you're a movie or TV lover and have always wanted to try your hand at writing a script, this is your chance to make it happen. We'll be looking at the three core elements of screenwriting, including formatting, craft and storytelling, and we'll investigate how to use today's software. Work on a script for a short film, a feature, or a television comedy or drama, and have fun in the process!

Course Fee: \$59
Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., March 27-April 17
SIUE Belleville Campus

Creative Writing

Do you have a story you'd like to tell, but you're not sure where to start? Join us in exploring the many ways you can make that story a reality. We'll look at fiction, creative non-fiction and non-fiction narrative. We'll look closely at the parts of a story and how to develop them most effectively. Whether this is your first time writing or you're an old pro, we'll all have a chance to hone our craft and have a lot of fun along the way.

Course Fee: \$59
Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., April 1-22
SIUE Belleville Campus



Writing Workshop

If you're familiar with the basics of narrative structure and have a story project that you're working on, or if you would like to start, our Writing Workshop may be perfect for you. Each week, every writer will have a chance to receive thoughtful, useful notes on their projects from other members of the group in a supportive, encouraging environment. We'll also discuss various facets of the storytelling process, so we'll continue to grow as storytellers.

Course Fee: \$59
Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., April 24-May 15
SIUE Belleville Campus

Heartsaver® CPR/AED Certification

Heartsaver® courses are designed for anyone with little or no medical training and cover first-aid basics for the most common first-aid emergencies. Hands-on training also prepares students to perform CPR and use an AED in a safe, timely and effective manner. A two-year certification card is issued upon course completion.

Course Fee: \$99
Four Sessions Available:
Wednesday, 1-4 p.m., March 12
Thursday, 5-8 p.m., March 13
Monday, 1-4 p.m., April 14
Tuesday, 5-8 p.m., April 15
SIUE Belleville Campus



Criminal Justice Program

The Center for Crime Science and Violence Prevention (CCSVP) is a service and research center that works closely with stakeholders in criminal justice on improving justice for all in the Greater St. Louis region. The CCSVP provides grant writing assistance, analysis and evaluation research, and is developing a regional approach to police data analysis and transparency. The CCSVP believes in ethical, data-driven criminal justice approaches that emphasize technological innovation and training. The Center can be contacted at or call the director directly at 618-650-5114.

Master of Science in Forensic Sciences

The Master of Science in forensic sciences integrates knowledge through instruction in anthropological, biological, chemical, environmental, statistical and legal content. The program is offered as a collaboration of the Illinois State Police with the Departments of Anthropology, Biological Sciences and Chemistry at SIUE.

Students will be educated and trained in nine primary areas of forensic sciences and will specialize in forensic biology and forensic chemistry. The curriculum is designed to meet the Forensic Science Education Programs Accreditation Commission (FEPAC) standards.

Forensic science is inherently an integrated discipline that requires its practitioners to draw from multiple technical areas. This is a problem-solving discipline that requires mastery of diverse technical areas to flexibly apply knowledge to solve new complex problems. Students learn how to communicate scientific information in a legal setting. Additional learning opportunities include laboratory research and internship experiences. This program is offered through the College of Arts and Sciences.



CAREERS IN WATER TREATMENT TECHNOLOGY

SIUE ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES TRAINING CENTER

Water Quality Control Operations Program

Program Cost: \$9,900

siue.edu/ertc

PROGRAM

The SIUE Environmental Resources Training Center (ERTC) Water Quality Control Operations Program is a one-year, full-time program of study leading to a certificate of completion. Classes meet Tuesday-Friday for nine months starting in mid-August each year. During the summer, students complete a 10-week internship program where they work five weeks at a drinking water treatment plant and five weeks at a wastewater treatment plant.

Upon completion of the full-year program, students are qualified to enter the water and wastewater industry as water operators, wastewater operators, distribution/collection workers, laboratory technicians or maintenance workers all for less than \$10,000.

FACILITIES

The ERTC facility provides students with two fully equipped wet chemistry teaching labs, classrooms, auditorium, library/computer center, 30,000 gallon/day training-scale drinking water and wastewater treatment plant, and the 0.5 million gallon/day SIUE University wastewater treatment plant.

CERTIFICATIONS

Students are eligible to take Illinois and Missouri certification exams to become certified as drinking water and wastewater operators-in-training. Upon completion of the ERTC program, graduates are eligible for full certification.

Contact the Environmental Resources Training Center for more information.

ertcinfo@siue.edu | 618-650-2030



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT



siue.edu/personal-development



LANGUAGES

Beginning Spanish

Do you want to learn the Spanish language? Beginning Spanish 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: \$59**

*Tuesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., March 25-April 15
SIUE Edwardsville Campus*

Beginning Italian

Explore the fun and enjoyment of the language and culture. This class 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: \$89

*Thursdays, 6:30-8 p.m., Jan. 23-March 27
Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Fairview Heights*

Intermediate Italian

If you already have knowledge of this beautiful language, this course is designed just for you. Join us as we continue our journey through learning the Italian language and delve deeper in grammar and syntax. In order to succeed in the course, a basic knowledge of the Italian language will be needed.

Course Fee: \$89

*Wednesdays 6:30-8 p.m., Jan. 22-March 26
Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Fairview Heights*



Everyday Japanese Elementary 1: Let's Speak in Japanese

Let's get started with Japanese! This course is designed for beginners who wish to develop basic Japanese language skills. No need to know the Japanese characters. A textbook is required and must be purchased prior to the course's start date. Purchase information will be sent to those who register.

*Course Fee: \$99**

*Mondays, 6-7:30 p.m., Feb. 3-May 12
SIUE Edwardsville Campus*

Everyday Japanese Elementary 2: Let's Speak in Japanese

Let's get started with Japanese! This course is designed for beginners who wish to continue learning Japanese language skills. No textbook is needed for the course as the instructor will provide handouts.

*Course Fee: \$99**

*Wednesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Feb. 5-May 14
(No class on March 5)
SIUE Edwardsville Campus*



Spanish Grammar in Depth: Intermediate Level

Grasp some of the most challenging topics in Spanish such as direct and indirect object pronouns, reflexive verbs, stem-changing verbs, and the uses of "ser" and "estar." All grammar topics will be studied in the present tense. However, once you understand the grammar rules, you can apply them to the other tenses.

Course Fee: \$109

*Mondays, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 3-March 17
Online via Zoom*



Conversational Spanish: Intermediate 1 Level

Continue to build your conversational skills by increasing your vocabulary and understanding of grammar. This course focuses on the preterite tense and is a deeper dive into the present tense. All grammar concepts are applied in live in-class conversations. Materials include written grammar explanations, practice exercises, audios and videos.

Course Fee: \$109
Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 6-March 27
Online via Zoom

Spanish Fluency: Advanced Level

Have you studied Spanish but need to improve your fluency? These sessions are designed for you! You will practice conversation using all the tenses of the indicative and imperative modes.

Course Fee: \$109
Mondays, 6-8 p.m., March 24-May 12
Online via Zoom

Conversational Spanish: Intermediate 2 Level

Take the next step to proficiency. We will focus on the past tenses, examine the difference between the preterite and imperfect tenses, study the future tense, and observe more uses of the imperative. All new grammar concepts are applied in conversations. Materials include written grammar explanations and practice using exercises, audios and videos.

Course Fee: \$109
Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., April 3-May 15
Online via Zoom

Spanish for Healthcare Professionals I

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. We will focus on the conversational skills needed to successfully communicate basic information with Spanish-speaking patients with limited English proficiency. Information to purchase the textbook will be provided at least one week prior so individuals can purchase on their own. No need for fluency in Spanish, however, basic knowledge is fundamental to obtain the utmost from the course.

*Course Fee: \$119**
Tuesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., Feb. 25-April 1
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Spanish for Healthcare Professionals II

This is a continuation of our Spanish for Healthcare Professionals I course. It is highly recommended that students take Spanish for Healthcare Professionals I and/or understand Spanish to be successful in this course. This is a continuation of the proper and best use of basic Spanish under the most common situations in the health field. Information to order textbooks will be provided. Fluency in Spanish is not required; however, basic knowledge is fundamental to obtain the utmost from the course.

*Course Fee: \$119**
Tuesdays, 6-7:30 p.m., April 8-May 20
(No class April 15)
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

HEALTH AND WELLNESS



Zen Moment 1: Meditation Beginner

Meditation allows us to deeply connect with the subconscious mind, but practicing alone can sometimes feel limiting. The instructor, having studied meditation in Japan as a Shingon sect monk, will guide you through simple meditation techniques. In this class, you'll first focus on the body, helping you to connect with physical sensations, which also touches on your inner self, and utilize breath counting techniques. You can take all levels at once.

Course Fee: \$39

Mondays, 6:30-7 p.m., Jan. 13-March 3

(No class on Jan. 20)

Online via Zoom

Zen Moment 2: Meditation Intermediate

This course incorporates Buddhist mindfulness meditation and breathing techniques and provides methods to clear stress and emotional clutter, reset your mind, and approach everyday life with greater focus and calm. The instructor, having studied meditation in Japan as a Singon sect monk, will guide you through this intermediate-level class using interesting voice exhalation techniques to detox your mind and your heart by yourself. You can take all levels at once.

Course Fee: \$39

Mondays, 7-7:30 p.m., Jan. 13-March 3

(No class Jan. 20)

Online via Zoom

Zen Moment 3: Meditation Advanced

This class places significant importance on the feeling of the heart and learning to engage with ourselves and universe through meditation. You will also learn how to foster self-love and spiritual growth. By connecting with ourselves, we naturally align with nature and the universe. This level three class will encourage focus on an image of a full moon. You can take all levels at once.

Course Fee: \$39

Mondays, 7:30-8 p.m., Jan. 13-March 3

(No class Jan. 20)

Online via Zoom





Yoga and Breath Work

Breathing, like movement, is so fundamental to human experience that we rarely even think about our breath. 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 diverse breath work techniques and movements inspired by gentle yoga, Tai Chi, qi gong and more. Instructor: Louise M. Hamlin-Laird, E-RYT 200, E-RYT 500, YACEP

*Course Fee: \$80 for 10-week sessions
Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session
Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Feb. 6-April 10*

Yoga for Beginners - Intermediate

This class is for the experienced beginner who is ready for a gentle challenge. Class 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. Instructor: Louise M. Hamlin-Laird, E-RYT 200, E-RYT 500, YACEP.

*Course Fee: \$80 for 10-week sessions
Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session
Two Sessions Available:*

- *Wednesdays, 10-11 a.m., Feb. 5-April 9
East Alton Public Library, East Alton*
- *Thursdays, 6-7 p.m., Feb. 6-April 10
Immanuel Methodist Church, Edwardsville*

Sit to Stand – Chair Yoga

Chair yoga is a gentle form of yoga in which poses are performed while seated and with the aid of a chair. This yoga is suitable for all levels of abilities, standing is optional. It is an excellent class for beginners, seniors, individuals with recent injuries, balance or coordination issues, limited mobility and disabilities, and those who have difficulty or do not want to get up and down on the floor. Chair yoga helps reduce stress while increasing flexibility, range of motion, circulation and strength, balance and coordination, and lung capacity. This class incorporates breathing exercises, simple visual meditation techniques, gentle stretching, easy yoga postures and a final relaxation.

*Course Fee: \$80 for all 10 sessions
Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session
Thursdays, 9-10 a.m., Feb. 6-April 10
Immanuel Methodist Church, Edwardsville*

Rise and Shine Yoga

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. You will build endurance, strength, flexibility and mental focus; and leave feeling energized, refreshed and ready for anything the day has in store. Options to make this class more accessible while keeping it challenging will be given. This class may use optional weights. Instructor: Louise M. Hamlin-Laird, E-RYT 200, E-RYT 500, YACEP.

*Course Fee: \$80 for 10-week sessions
Drop-ins welcome at \$15 per session
Saturdays, 9-10 a.m., Feb. 8-April 19 (No class Feb. 15)
Offered both in-person at Immanuel Methodist Church, Edwardsville and online via Zoom*

CREATIVE ARTS

NEW! Indigo Dyeing

Learn the fascinating art of indigo dyeing! In this workshop, we'll explore indigo from many angles. Indigo is an ancient dyeing technique that typically involves folding, twisting or bunching cloth, binding and dyeing it. Whatever is used to bind the fabric will resist the dye, resulting in areas of the cloth that take the distinctive blue dye. You will be provided with small cotton pieces to dye, and you are encouraged to bring in additional pre-washed cotton garments like shirts, towels or pillowcases to dye. Students must be 10 years or older.

Course Fee: \$45

Three Sessions Available:

Saturday, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

- Jan. 25
- Feb. 8
- March 22

Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton



RETURNING! Adult One-Shot Wheel Throwing

First time at the wheel? Ever wanted to try wheel throwing? Now's your chance! We'll walk you through the basics of wheel throwing. Lumpy pots and goofy bowls galore. No extended commitment necessary. Give it a shot and see if you like it! You'll throw three to four pieces on the wheel and pick them up two to three weeks later after they're dried, fired and glazed. We will dip your pieces into one of three glazes after they have dried. All work will be food safe, dishwasher safe and microwave safe. Students must be 14 years or older.

Course Fee: \$50

Four Sessions Available:

Saturday, 6-9 p.m.

- Jan. 25
- March 22
- April 12
- May 31

Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton



Beginning Drawing

Do you 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 and discover how to represent what you see through studies in contour drawing, perspective, positive/negative space and value.

Cost: \$59

Tuesdays, 5-6:30 p.m., Feb. 4-March 11

Online via Zoom

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

- LINDA R.

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Intermediate Drawing

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

Cost: \$59

Wednesdays, 5-6:30 p.m. Feb. 5-March 12

Online via Zoom



RETURNING! Paint with Bob Ross

Come and join Ms. Ruthie and paint-along with Mr. Bob! This is a fun class for all skill levels. You will be working with oil paints and brushes and turpenoid to clean your brushes. We will cue up an episode of "The Joy of Painting" and start and stop the episode while we paint along with Bob. All materials and instruction are included for this three-hour session

Course Fee: \$50

Two Sessions Available:

Friday, 6-9 p.m.

- Feb. 28

- May 16

Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton

Stained Glass Basics

Join us to learn how to make a stained glass sun catcher. You will learn how to cut glass and use the stained glass grinder, copper foil tape to wrap each piece and the soldering iron to combine all the pieces together. At the end of the class, you will leave with one sun catcher. Students must be 14 years or older.

Cost: \$60

Six Sessions Available:

Saturdays, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

- Feb. 1

- Feb. 8

- March 8

- March 22

- April 5

- April 12

Macoupin Art Collective, Staunton

NEW! Japanese Calligraphy

Even in the age of pens and digital gadgets, calligraphy remains a valued art form. In Japan, it's still taught to cultivate focus and penmanship, and for those seeking to go deeper, extracurricular clubs and shodo schools offer specialized instruction. Calligraphy is often seen as a Zen practice, so take some time to immerse yourself in this peaceful art! Using a traditional brush and ink, you can experience the quiet rhythm of calligraphy. This is an opportunity to write your Japanese name, your favorite words, quote, learning the basic strokes and creating your own Kanji character to take home as a keepsake.

*Cost: \$69**

Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Jan. 29-March 5

(No class Feb. 5 and 19)

SIUE Edwardsville Campus



Learning to Knit – Two Sticks and a String

Learn to knit in a relaxed environment. You will learn basic stitches, yarn and tool selection, and how to read a pattern while completing a simple project. Don't be scared! It's just string!

*Cost: \$89**

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., April 8-May 6

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Oil Painting – Beginning and Intermediate

If you have always wanted to learn to paint in oil or hone in on your oil painting skills, this is the course for you. The instructor will guide you through techniques used by some of your favorite master artists and new fun ways of working in oil. The goal in this class is to learn how to safely work in this medium, experiment with colors and techniques, and complete two works in oil. So, whether you are completely new to or experienced with oil painting, come and join this fun class and create some art!

*Cost: \$109**

Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Feb. 4-March 11

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

CREATIVE ARTS (CONT.)



Watercolor Painting – Beginning and Intermediate

Whether you are a beginner or have some experience with watercolor and want to learn more, this course will assist in learning important techniques in this painting medium. The instructor will lead you through a variety of projects as well as assist you in the creation of works from your own personal interests. From landscape to botanical, this course will help you understand how to depict through watercolor!

Cost: \$109*
Tuesdays, 4-6 p.m., Feb. 4-March 11
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

NEW! Watercolor Landscape Painting – Beginning and Intermediate

This visual arts course will focus on bringing landscapes to life through paint. You will be encouraged to use watercolors to create a variety of landscapes. We will facilitate explanations of fundamental painting elements as you work and give some examples of different styles used in history to paint the great outdoors. As you progress through this course, we will also facilitate projects of interest and give you helpful feedback to improve your painting skills.

Cost: \$109*
Tuesdays, 4-6 p.m. March 25-April 29
(No class March 3)
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Open Studio Painting

Whether you are a beginner or advanced painter, this class offers you the flexibility to undertake projects of your own interest with the guidance of an instructor. You will work at your own pace in your chosen painting medium of watercolor, oil or acrylic. The instructor will offer helpful tips to the class and individual instruction and guidance! Let us complete those projects you've always wanted to paint!

Cost: \$109*
Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m., March 25-April 29
SIUE Edwardsville Campus



Ceramics Advanced Open Studio

Designed for advanced skill levels only, you will engage in self-directed studio practice in ceramics with guidance and critical feedback from Matthew Carpenter. Building upon the essential technical skills of ceramics, you are encouraged to develop a unique voice as an artist working in ceramics. Matthew will help you establish creative goals and provide personalized prompts for research and growth.

Course Fee: \$229*
Thursdays, 6-9 p.m., Jan. 23-March 20
(No class March 13)
Ceramics Studio, SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Ceramic Wheel Throwing

In this course designed for all skill levels, you will be introduced to essential wheel throwing techniques including centering, throwing, altering, trimming, and functional attachments. You can craft functional pottery forms such as cups, bowls, plates, jars, teapots, and pitchers. You will engage in additional aspects of the ceramic process such as glazing, kiln loading and unloading, firing, and cold finishes. Visual presentations of historical and contemporary ceramic artwork will add context and inspiration toward ongoing projects and techniques. At the course's end, you will take home a variety of glazed, completed ceramics artworks.

Course Fee: \$219
Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Jan. 25-March 22
(No class March 15)
Ceramics Studio, SIUE Edwardsville Campus

CULINARY ARTS



NEW! Whisk Your Own Matcha

The Japanese tea ceremony “The Way of Tea” goes beyond simply drinking tea—it values tranquility, respect, purity and reverence. At the heart of this ancient ritual is the bamboo matcha whisk, a simple yet refined tool. The traditional whisking method involves precise, graceful and rapid movements, like a delicate dance. This process not only enhances the flavor but elevates matcha preparation into a meditative journey. As you whisk matcha, you immerse yourself in a calming Zen moment. A certified table tea master in Japan will teach this course. We will learn a simplified and modified version of matcha (green tea) preparation. This practice is originally rooted in the Omoteseuke tradition, one of the three primary schools of the Sen family tradition, alongside Urasenke and Mushakijisenke.

Course Fee: \$69*

Wednesday, 6-7 p.m., Jan. 15-Feb. 26

(No class on Jan. 22, Feb. 5 and Feb. 19)

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

NEW! Vegan Hacks for Everyday Cooking

There are many reasons to increase your plant-based eating. Swapping out vegan ingredients the right way can still deliver a delicious meal; you just have to know a few strategies and tricks. In this class, we’ll be looking at how substituting and preparing plant-based ingredients in recipes we love can keep them tasty while also helping animals, the planet and ourselves.

Course Fee: \$89*

Thursday, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 27-March 20

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

BREADS

Participants take all recipes and finished products (20-30 loaves of bread) home. All ingredients will be provided for the baking process.

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.

Course Fee: \$149

Three Sessions Available:

Monday-Wednesday, 5-8 p.m.

- Feb. 10-12
- Feb. 17-19
- April 28-30

222 St. Louis Street, 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.

Course Fee: \$149

Monday-Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., March 3-5

222 St. Louis Street, Edwardsville

Artisan I or II must be taken before participating in any of the following courses:

Breads of the World

You will learn how to create and bake breads from around the world, including brioche, challah, Mediterranean and many more!

Course Fee: \$149

Monday-Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., March 17-19

222 St. Louis Street, Edwardsville

Italian Breads

A simple look at classic Italian bread recipes including focaccia, ciabatta, fougasse and pizza dough recipes.

Course Fee: \$149

Two Sessions Available:

Monday-Wednesday, 5-8 p.m.

- March 24-26
- April 7-9

222 St. Louis Street, Edwardsville

German Breads

It’s a rye lover’s dream. We will hit on six vastly different German breads while also making rolls.

Course Fee: \$149

Monday-Wednesday, 5-8 p.m., April 21-23

222 St. Louis Street, Edwardsville

PERSONAL ENRICHMENT



NEW! Stamp Collecting for Fun or Fame

Get an introduction to the hobby of stamp collecting. You will explore tools, philatelic items and organizations that will help you start or enhance your collection for fun and be exposed to ways of exhibiting fame. This conversation can be applied to any stamp topic you are interested in: trains, butterflies, flowers, love, Black heritage, space and so much more.

Course Fee: \$19

Two Sessions Available:

Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., Feb. 6

Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., April 3

Online via Zoom

NEW! What is Composting? Why do it? How to do it?

Join us for an overview of backyard composting. Whether you are interested in composting, have never tried it or would like to learn more about it, we will show you all the things you need to know to get started. We will discuss what happens when we compost, the environmental impact composting has and various methods that suit different lifestyles.

*Course Fee: \$29**

Thursday, 7-8:30 p.m., Feb. 27

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Creative Writing

Do you have a story you would like to tell, but you're not sure where to start? Join us in exploring the many ways you can make that story a reality. We'll look at fiction, creative non-fiction and even non-fiction narrative, looking closely at the parts of a story and how to develop them most effectively. Whether this is your first time writing or you're an old pro, we'll all have a chance to hone our craft—and have a lot of fun along the way.

*Course Fee: \$79**

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., March 4-25

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RETURNING! Beekeeping 101

We will cover the basics of beekeeping in three weeks. Topics will include covering bee biology, hive management, equipment, bee products and more! The course will conclude with student-led inspection of a colony. Please wear shoes with good support, jeans, and a long-sleeved shirt made from denim or other thick material. Links to purchase a bee jacket, Alexander veil and gloves will be provided.

Course Fee: \$69

Mondays, 6-8 p.m., March 31-April 28

Bee Yard, Granite City



RETURNING! Introduction to Golf

Ever wanted to learn to golf or take your love of golf to the next level? This course is a great refresher for the recreational player or 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, putting green and on the course. Open to anyone 12 years and up. Please bring your own golf clubs.

Course Fee: \$129

Saturdays, 9-11 a.m., March 1-29

Sunset Hills Country Club



A home is the largest asset most people ever own. In this series of courses, you can learn how to maximize profits on your home sale, invest, add value through home improvements and master the home buying process! A portion of all proceeds from the course sessions will be donated on behalf of the Lewis Property Group.

Show Me the Money – How to Maximize Profits on Your Home Sale

Are you looking to sell your home and maximize your profits? This course will provide you with a comprehensive guide to what sellers need to do to get the most money from the sale of their home. Selling a property is a significant financial transaction, and making the right decisions can have a substantial impact on your bottom line. You will gain the knowledge and tools needed to strategically sell your home for the highest possible price. Whether you're a first-time seller or looking to refine your selling skills, this course will empower you to make informed decisions and achieve your financial goals in the real estate market.

Course Fee: \$35

*Tuesday and Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., March 11-13
110 N Kansas St., Edwardsville*

Invest for Success

Real estate investing is one of the greatest ways to build wealth in this country! 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

*Tuesday and Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., April 1-3
110 N Kansas St., Edwardsville*

Mastering the Home Buying Process

A home is the largest asset that most people will ever purchase. Learn the steps, timelines and financial requirements it takes to get through this process with ease. Now more than ever, it is important to have the proper preparation and guidance so that you can take advantage of available grants and down payment assistance programs to buy the house you will make your home. Instructor Jean Lewis has been a licensed real estate broker for 25 years and has assisted over 650 families and individuals successfully navigate this process.

Course Fee: \$35

*Tuesday and Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., April 22-24
110 N Kansas St., Edwardsville*

For Better or Worse: Value Added Home Improvements

Whether you live in a mansion or a bungalow, getting top value out of your home can be possible through home improvements and maintenance. Instructor Jean Lewis will walk through the home improvements and maintenance that will increase your home's value, including how to add space, what to update and what to replace to make a difference in your bottom line. Before you start sinking thousands of dollars into your home, attend this course to learn what you can do to increase the value of your home.

Course Fee: \$35

*Tuesday and Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m., May 6-8
110 N Kansas St., Edwardsville*

LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE

The SIUE Lifelong Learning Institute provides programs designed for a lifetime of learning and personal growth. Community members may join for a fee of \$40 for the semester. Benefits include admission to the Spring Speaker Series and free (or reduced-price) trips and experiences. Members also enjoy courtesy borrowing privileges at Lovejoy Library and discounts on non-credit courses. Members may also purchase a parking code for the discounted rate of \$20 per household for use on Wednesdays throughout the spring semester.

SPRING SPEAKER SERIES

Speaker Series talks are included in Lifelong Learning Institute memberships. Non-members are welcome to attend individual sessions for \$5 each and are encouraged to register ahead online to receive updates related to the talk. The Spring Speaker Series is planned for an in-person format with a virtual attendance option. The in-person talks are primarily scheduled to take place at the Morris University Center (MUC) on the SIUE Edwardsville campus unless otherwise noted. Parking for the semester is available for Lifelong Learning Institute members for an additional \$20 per household. Non-members and members who do not wish to pay for a parking permit may pay for the meters at the noted rate. **For a description of the scheduled talks, please visit siue.edu/educational-outreach.**

Catching Up with the Lifelong Learners

Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach
Wednesday, Jan. 29, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Emergency Preparedness

Michele Milton, MS, and Jacob Emmons,
Madison County Health Department
Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

One Network, Two Worlds

Mark A. Poepsel, PhD, Department of Mass Communications
Wednesday, Feb. 5, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Oak/Redbud Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

The War on Palestine in Historical Perspective

Steve Tamari, PhD, Department of History
Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Oak/Redbud Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

You Are Standing on Native Land: 10,000 Years of Native American Life at SIUE

Julie A. Zimmermann, PhD, and Susan Kooiman, PhD,
Department of Anthropology
Wednesday, Feb. 12, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

The Election of 1876 and the Myth of the Compromise of 1877

Erik B. Alexander, PhD, Department of History
Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

SIUE Athletic Facility Tour

Eric Crist, Department of Athletics
Wednesday, Feb. 19, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Vadalabene Center

Nutrition 101

Kathy Mora, PhD, RD, Department of Applied Health
Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

America's Greatest Maritime Disaster - The Sultana

Barb Kay, Living History Presentation
Wednesday, March 5, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Location TBD

New Friend Request: Making Friends in an Online World

Margaret Polk, PhD, Department of Psychology
Wednesday, March 5, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Location TBD

Culture & Food: Who Eats What, Where & Why?

Gillian Acheson, PhD, Department of Geography and
Geographic Information Sciences
Wednesday, March 19, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Einstein's Special Theory of Relativity

Jack Glassman, PhD, Department of Physics
Wednesday, March 19, 1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Pocket Photography: How to Enhance the Quality and Creativity of Your Smartphone Photos

Jerry Weinberg, PhD, Graduate School
Wednesday, April 2, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Location TBD



Community-Oriented Policing: Past, Present, and Future

David Goodwin, Chief of Police, SLUE Police Department
Wednesday, April 2, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Location TBD

Yes, You Can Grow Lavender in Illinois

Kimberly Hansen, Tenderloin Farms
Wednesday, April 9, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Be Prepared: How to Ask Questions and Think About Information When Making Medical Decisions

Alison Reiheld, PhD, Department of Philosophy
Wednesday, April 9, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

A Brief History of the Illinois Waterway Lock and Dam System

Anne W. Werner, PhD, PE, Department of Construction
Wednesday, April 23, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Legacy Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Knowing and Growing the Native Garden: Cultivating Beauty & Biodiversity in Backyards and Beyond

Tamar Montoya Albrecht, MS, OTR, Missouri Botanical Garden
Jennifer Ward-Fowler, Award-Winning Nature Author
Wednesday, April 23, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Legacy Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Meet Me in St. Louis: Exploring the Music of Early 20th-Century St. Louis

Magdalene Linck, Missouri History Museum
Wednesday, May 7, 10:30-11:45 a.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

Turn Your Yard into a Superhero with Rainscaping!

Roland Biehl, ShowMe Stormwater Solutions
Wednesday, May 7, 1:15-2:30 p.m.
Mississippi/Illinois Room, Morris University Center, 2nd Floor

LEARNING ON THE GO

LIFELONG LEARNING EXPERIENCES

1820 Col. Benjamin Stephenson House Tour

Join us for an engaging docent-led tour of the historic 1820 Col. Benjamin Stephenson House, a cherished gem listed on the National Register of Historic Places. As the oldest brick home in Madison County, this meticulously preserved four-room residence offers a fascinating glimpse into early 19th-century life. Over two hours, you will explore the home's unique architectural features and learn about its pivotal role in shaping Edwardsville, the third oldest city in Illinois. Discover how the Stephenson House stands as a testament to the region's development into a vital center of government and commerce.

Wednesday, Feb. 26, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
409 S Buchanan, Edwardsville
Cost: \$15 for non-members;
\$10 for Lifelong Learning members

Saint Louis Art Museum

Experience the rich cultural legacy of the Saint Louis Art Museum, founded in 1879 during a flourishing era of art museum establishments across the eastern United States. The one-hour guided tour will immerse you in one of the museum's special collections, showcasing its remarkable array of art and offering insights into its historical significance. Following the tour, you'll have the chance to explore the museum's other free exhibits at your own pace.

Wednesday, March 12, 10 a.m.-noon
1 Fine Arts Drive, St. Louis
Cost: \$10 for non-members;
FREE for Lifelong Learning members
Space is limited.

National Museum of Transportation

Explore the National Museum of Transportation, home to the world's largest collection of transportation vehicles, with over 190 major exhibits spanning rail and transit history. The one hour-long guided tour will highlight key pieces, including the charming Miniature Train, and provide a rich introduction to this extensive collection. Following the guided portion, you'll have the opportunity to embark on a longer self-guided tour to delve deeper into the museum's remarkable assortment of transportation history and technology.

Wednesday, March 26, 10 a.m.-noon
2933 Barrett Station Road, St. Louis
Cost: \$25 for non-members;
\$20 for Lifelong Learning members

National Building Arts Center

Discover the rich history of American architecture at the National Building Arts Center in Sauget, a unique facility spread across 12.7 acres of the former Sterling Steel Casting Company site. The 90-minute guided tour will take you through this expansive campus which features 13 historic buildings that house the largest collection of built environment artifacts in the United States. You will explore an impressive array of pieces from St. Louis, accumulated since 1973, along with significant contributions from the Anonymous Arts Recovery Society of New York City and artifacts from Chicago, Philadelphia and other major cities. The tour is mostly outdoors and in buildings that may lack roofs and/or walls. There is a fair amount of walking involved that includes about 1,000 steps and uneven surfaces. Closed-toe shoes are recommended.

Friday, April 11, 1:30-3 p.m.
2300 Falling Springs Road, Sauget
Cost: \$20 for non-members;
\$15 for Lifelong Learning members

Nine PBS Station Tour

Curious about the inner workings of a television station? Join us for a fascinating one-hour tour of Nine PBS in St. Louis. Discover the history and mission of this influential station as you explore key areas and get a behind-the-scenes look at how your favorite programs come to life. The knowledgeable guide will introduce you to the technology and equipment that drive broadcasting and production. Gain insight into the various departments and learn about the essential role Nine PBS plays in our region's media landscape. There is a fair amount of walking on this tour.

Wednesday, April 16, 10:30-11:30 a.m.
3655 Olive St, St. Louis
Cost: \$10 for non-members;
FREE for Lifelong Learning members
Space is limited.

Welcome to Alton Tour

Step back in time and immerse yourself in the rich history of Alton with an engaging walking tour along the picturesque riverfront. Over this one-hour tour, you'll traverse about one mile of scenic routes, navigating steps and uneven ground as you uncover the captivating stories that have shaped Alton's past. Discover the legacies of influential figures such as Abraham Lincoln and the courageous Elijah P. Lovejoy, whose lives and contributions have left a lasting imprint on this vibrant community. This journey through history offers a unique glimpse into the events and personalities that have defined Alton.

Wednesday, April 30, 1:30-2:30 p.m.
112 East Broadway, Alton
Cost: \$25 for non-members;
\$20 for Lifelong Learning members

TEST PREPARATION



Whether you are just starting college or looking to pursue an advanced degree, we have a test preparation course for you. These courses are offered in a variety of formats, from one-day to weekly, and are offered in a fully online format to better fit into your busy life! Choose from one of the sessions below to get started! All courses are hosted online via Adobe Connect, free to download!

ACT/SAT Strategy Workshop

Course Fee: FREE!

Five Sessions Available:

Wednesday, 8-9 p.m.

- Jan. 29
- Feb. 26
- March 26
- April 23
- May 21

ACT Live - Online Prep Course

Course Fee: \$399

Two Sessions Available:

Tuesday and Thursday, 6-8 p.m.

- March 4-27
- May 15-June 10

SAT Live - Online Prep Course

Course Fee: \$399

Four Sessions Available:

Monday and Wednesday, 6-8 p.m.

- Feb. 5-March 3
- March 5-31

Sunday, 12-4 p.m.

- March 30-April 27

(No class on April 20)

Tuesday and Thursday, 6-8 p.m.

- April 1-24

GRE Strategy Workshop

Course Fee: FREE!

Three Sessions Available:

Wednesday, 8-9 p.m.

- Feb. 19
- March 19
- April 16

GRE Live - Online Prep Course

Course Fee: \$799

Four Sessions Available:

Tuesday and Thursday, 7-10 p.m.

- Jan. 30-Feb. 25
- Feb. 27-March 25
- May 6-29

Monday and Wednesday, 6-9 p.m.

- March 26-April 21

GMAT Strategy Workshop

Course Fee: FREE!

Wednesday, 8-9 p.m., May 14

GMAT Focus Live - Online Course

Course Fee: \$899

Monday and Wednesday, 6-9 p.m., March 26-April 14

LSAT Strategy Workshop

Course Fee: FREE!

Two Sessions Available:

Wednesday, 8-9 p.m.

- Feb. 12
- April 9

LSAT Prep Course

Course Fee: \$899

Four Sessions Available:

- Wednesday, 6-9 p.m., Jan. 29-April 2
- Tuesday and Thursday, 7-10 p.m., Feb. 27-April 1
- Monday and Wednesday, 7-10 p.m., April 16-May 19
- Tuesday and Thursday, 6-9 p.m., April 29-May 29

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POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATES

SIUE offers seven post-baccalaureate certificates (PBCs) that range from three to five courses. These certificates are designed for working professionals who want to advance their career by learning additional skills in credit-bearing courses.



Athletics Leadership*

Ideal for individuals planning to or currently working in athletics at the college or high school levels

Data Science*

Ideal for mathematicians and statisticians

Digital Media Literacy*

Ideal for educators, librarians and media professionals

Emerging Technologies*

Ideal for P-12 school personnel

Instructional Design*

Ideal for organizational training personnel

Online Teaching and Learning*

Ideal for educators, corporate training personnel and college instructors

Professional Leadership Strategies*

Ideal for future leaders in public and nonprofit sectors

Taxation

Ideal for individuals interested in public accounting, tax positions and other tax-related careers

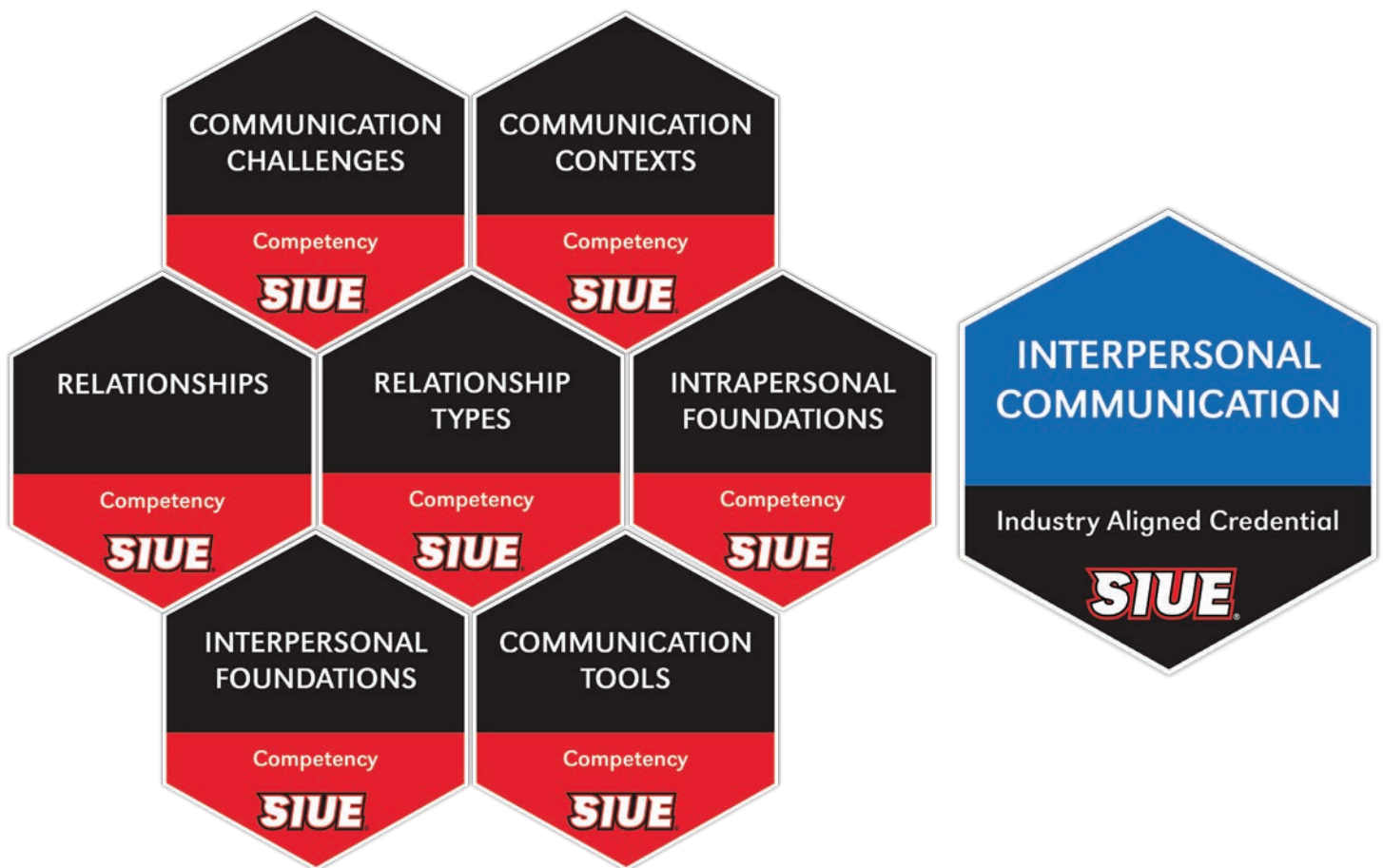
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INDUSTRY-ALIGNED CREDENTIALS THAT CAN LEAD DIRECTLY TO JOBS

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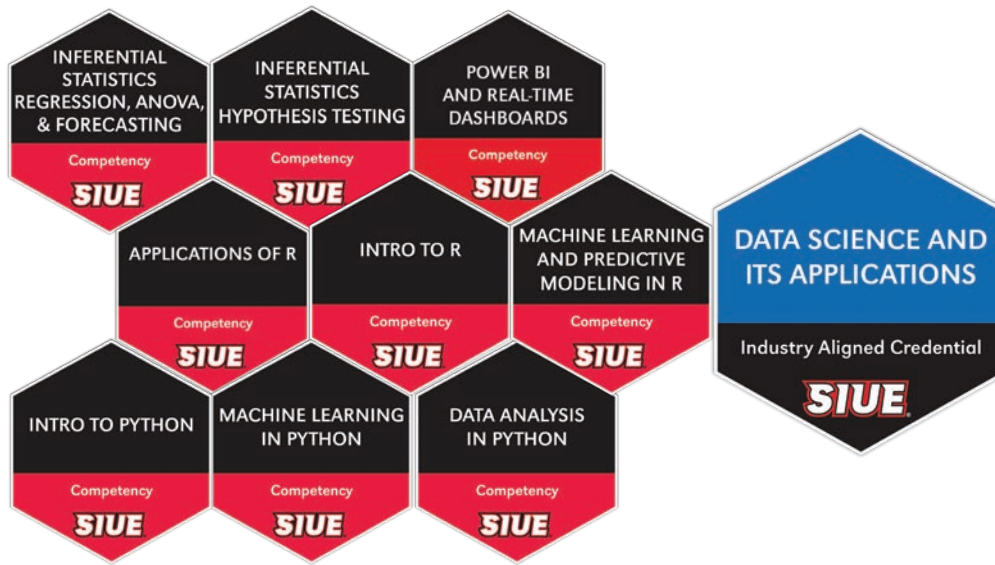
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Constellation for Interpersonal Communication

The Introduction to Interpersonal Communication alternative digital credential offers a credential that is vital for a variety of careers. Earners of this credential have demonstrated knowledge and familiarity with the principles and practices of oral communication. The curriculum provides training in message formation and delivery, listening, perception, awareness of verbal and nonverbal codes, and managing conflict. Competency is assessed via quizzes. This digital credential offers a pathway to three credit hours upon acceptance and enrollment at SIUE.

Course Fee: \$149
Rolling enrollment
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Data Science and Its Applications

The Data Science and Its Applications industry-aligned credential is awarded to earners who successfully complete Inferential Statistics-Hypothesis Testing; Inferential Statistics-Regression, ANOVA and Forecasting; Power BI and Real-time Dashboards; Intro to R; Applications of R; Machine Learning and Predictive Modeling in R; Intro to Python; Data Analysis in Python; and Machine Learning in Python.

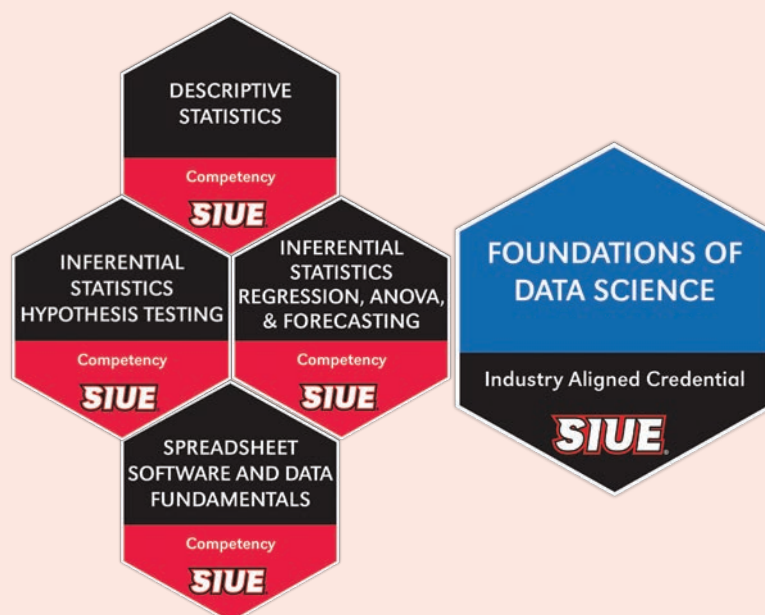
9 credentials for the Data Science and Its Applications collection: \$3,700

Course Fee for individual credentials:

- Power BI and Real-Time Dashboards: \$300
- Intro to R: \$300
- Applications of R: \$300
- Intro to Python: \$300
- Data Analysis in Python: \$300
- Machine Learning and Predictive Modeling in R: \$600
- Machine Learning in Python: \$600

Rolling enrollment

Online



Foundations of Data Science

The Foundations of Data Science industry-aligned credential is awarded to earners who successfully complete Spreadsheet Software and Data Fundamentals; Descriptive Statistics; Inferential Statistics-Hypothesis Testing; and Inferential Statistics-Regression, ANOVA and Forecasting.

Course Fee for all four credentials: \$1,500

Course Fee for individual credentials:

- Spreadsheet Software and Data Fundamentals \$200
- Descriptive Stats: \$300
- Probability Theory, Inferential Statistics and Hypothesis Testing: \$400
- Inferential Statistics-Regression, ANOVA and Forecasting: \$600

Rolling enrollment

Online

Employment of data scientists is projected to grow 35% from 2022 to 2032, much faster than the average for all occupations. (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)



Community Health Worker Credential

For new healthcare professionals or for those wishing to enter the field of public health or other related healthcare fields, the training, offered through IPHA, may be available through fall 2025 to train Community Health Workers. These online eight-week training sessions are designed to help cohorts of learners work in their communities, responding compassionately and equitably to health concerns of the population. To learn more about the program or to apply, interested individuals must contact CHW101support@ipha.com.

*Course Fee: FREE
Rolling enrollment
Online*

Public Speaking

The Public Speaking credential is awarded to earners who successfully demonstrate competency in audience analysis, ethics and public speaking, informative speeches, introductions and conclusions in public speaking, listening in public speaking, persuasive speeches, speaking with confidence, special occasion speeches, speech delivery, and supporting your ideas in public speaking. This credential offers a pathway to 3 credit hours upon acceptance and enrollment at SIUE.

*Course Fee: \$189
Rolling enrollment
Online*

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

NEW! Elevate your Career: Strategies for Growth and Networking

Whether you want to level up in your current field, pivot to a new career or re-enter the workforce, this course will provide you with actionable insights and practical skills to navigate your career path with confidence and clarity. You will learn to identify and seize opportunities for career advancement, develop a personalized plan for continuous learning and upskilling, and build a robust professional network that supports your long-term goals.

Course Fee: \$29
Tuesday, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 4
Online via Zoom

Introduction to QuickBooks® Online

Learn basic accounting principles and how they are applied in the online version of QuickBooks. We will introduce the software, set up business accounts, record transactions, produce reports and learn how QuickBooks Online can be customized to fit your business needs.

Course Fee: \$79
Digital Badge Fee: \$49 (additional to the course fee)
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-7:30 p.m., March 4-April 1
Online via Zoom

Communication Skills for Authentic Leaders: Leveraging Extended DISC®

Master the art of authentic leadership through effective communication strategies. Discover your unique communication style and learn how to leverage your Extended DISC® profile results to become a more impactful leader. Through a blend of engaging discussions, interactive activities and reflective practice, you will learn how to use this powerful tool to improve your communication skills, while building stronger relationships and increasing productivity, in alignment with your vision of success. Includes Extended DISC® assessments and workbooks.

Course Fee: \$109
Two Sessions Available:
Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Feb. 4-March 11
Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., April 1-May 6
Online via Zoom



NEW! Crafting an Effective Resume: Your Blueprint to Success

You'll discover the key elements of a standout resume, from crafting a powerful summary to highlighting your achievements in a way that resonates with employers and scores high with resume-vetting HR software. This course is perfect for professionals at any stage of their career. Leave this course equipped with the insights to transform your resume and confidently pursue your next career opportunity.

Course Fee: \$29
Tuesday, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 11
Online via Zoom

NEW! Resume Bootcamp: Transform Your Professional Profile

This step-by-step workshop ensures you leave with a polished, professional resume that will catch the eye of hiring managers or admissions officers. With expert guidance, you'll work towards effectively highlighting your experience, skills and accomplishments to stand out in today's competitive job market, as well as tips and tricks to ensure you score high with resume-vetting HR software every time. The course includes a private 30-minute final session providing tailored advice and actionable feedback to each student.

Course Fee: \$99
Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 18-March 11
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. Attend as many sessions as you would like or attend them all for a discounted rate of \$149!

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*

Wednesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Feb. 12

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

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*

Wednesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., March 5

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

Grant Funding Opportunity Interpretation for Novices

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., April 9

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

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*

Wednesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m., May 7

SIUE Edwardsville Campus

LEARNING THROUGH LUNCH

SOCIAL MEDIA STAPLES

Join us over the lunch hour as we explore various techniques and technologies available to market, promote, and expand your business through social media. We have something for every small business owner (or apply these small business techniques to your larger corporation).

Facebook Ads: Best Practices for Business

Learn how to understand and properly set up your account for success and run Facebook ads like a pro to garner more interest in your business!

Course Fee: \$20

Thursday, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Feb. 13

Online via Zoom

SEO for Small Businesses: Get Found Online!

Need help getting your website seen by potential customers? In this beginner-friendly course, you'll learn the basics of search engine optimization (SEO) and how to use it to attract more visitors to your small business website. No prior SEO knowledge is required! This course is designed for beginners who want to understand how search engines work and how to optimize their websites to rank higher in search results and be seen by potential clients.

Course Fee: \$20

Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., March 12

Online via Zoom

Instagram Business Best Practices

We will learn how to build a content strategy that will drive your business goals, tips for getting more organic reach and engagement on your posts, when to use a paid strategy on the platform, and how to use reporting to measure and improve your results. This course is for more experienced social media users!

Course Fee: \$20

Thursday, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., April 24

Online via Zoom



21ST CENTURY WORKPLACE SKILLS

Emotional Intelligence in the Workplace

We will explore the four-branch model of emotional intelligence abilities, with special application and emphasis on its role in the workplace. Prior to the in-person course, you will fill out a self-report measure of your own perceived emotional intelligence as a point for reflection. You will participate in a blend of presentation, discussion and application exercises. Throughout, specific tips for building skills will be offered and attempts made to incorporate examples from your current job.

Course Fee: \$29

Two Sessions Available:

- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., Jan. 8*
SIUE Edwardsville Campus
- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., Jan. 22*
Online via Zoom

Conflict and Conflict Resolution

You will learn basic strategies for conflict resolution, including personality differences and preferences in styles. Prior to the in-person course, you will fill out a few self-report measures regarding personality and conflict resolution style which will be used as a point for reflection. Examples and case studies will be utilized to showcase quality and poor execution of conflict resolution, and developing trust and respect will be integrated as foundations for preventing and addressing conflict.

Course Fee: \$29

Two Sessions Available:

- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 5*
SIUE Edwardsville Campus
- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., Feb. 19*
Online via Zoom

Stress and Coping in the Workplace

We will cover basics of the stress response, including an overview of what happens with our bodies, cognitions, emotions and behaviors, with a particular emphasis on its role in the workplace and workplace stressors. We will briefly cover several healthy coping strategies which can be easily implemented within work life, as well as general life, such as deep breathing, mindfulness, exercise/rest, humor, cognitive reappraisal, utilizing social support, spirituality and others. Prior to the in-person course, you will fill out a few self-report measures regarding personality and workplace stressors which will be used as a point for reflection.

Course Fee: \$29

Two Sessions Available:

- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., March 5*
SIUE Edwardsville Campus
- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., March 19*
Online via Zoom



Work Attitudes

We will cover the importance of workplace attitudes, including job satisfaction/morale, organizational commitment and work engagement. Antecedents or predictors of these attitudes including individual personality traits, as well as organizational culture and contextual factors will be explored. Work stress, job performance and other resulting outcomes will be discussed. An organizational case study will be utilized to examine these issues in more real-world depth. Prior to the in-person course, you will fill out a few self-report measures regarding work attitudes which will be used as a point for reflection.

Course Fee: \$29

Two Sessions Available:

- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., April 9*
SIUE Edwardsville Campus
- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., April 16*
Online via Zoom

Wellness for Wholeness! Integrating Pillars of Wellness Within and Outside of Your Workplace

Are you curious about wellness? Would you like to know how your social, mental, physical and emotional well-being are interconnected? Join us as we introduce the idea of overall wellness, including eight pillars of wellness which are independent but also overlap, interact and complement each other. A broad discussion of wellness followed by each pillar will be supplemented with audience participation and activities. These will support the implementation of the concepts generally and personally. Personal reflection will be encouraged and enhanced with handouts and worksheets.

Course Fee: \$29

Two Sessions Available:

- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., April 30*
Online via Zoom
- *Wednesday, 6-8 p.m., May 14*
SIUE Edwardsville Campus

****Package pricing available for all four courses or multiple employees. Please email for information.**

DATA ANALYTICS



RETURNING!

Introduction to Data Science - 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 and the tools often used by analysts to mine through and analyze “big data”. No specific background is required, although familiarity with Excel is helpful.

Course Fee: \$99

*Rolling enrollment available to begin at any time during spring semester
Online via Zoom*

RETURNING!

Introduction to Data Science - Data Organization and Preparation for Analysis

The world is full of data. However, before that data can be analyzed and insights can be gleaned from it, data 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: \$99

*Rolling enrollment available to begin at any time during spring semester
Online via Zoom*

RETURNING!

Data Visualization in Power BI

An introduction to data visualization, dashboarding and reporting techniques, data visualization is an important component of data science and data-driven decision making. As the world becomes more data-driven, the ability to create engaging and informational visuals is an increasingly vital skillset. Individuals in this course will learn data visualization techniques, as well as how to use tools such as Power BI to make real-time, interactive dashboards to display data. This course will be hosted in an asynchronous format, which means the instructor will provide recorded lectures that can be watched at any time and will be available for further instruction and assistance throughout the course open times.

Course Fee: \$99

*Rolling enrollment available to begin at any time during spring semester
Online via Zoom*

Introduction to Python

The ability to code in Python is one of the most highly sought skills in data scientists. This course is designed to provide students with a foundation in Python programming. Students will learn the fundamentals of Python syntax, how to identify, manipulate and work with different types of variables and arrays, how to build their own functions, how to perform basic data analyses, and how to create and modify graphics. No prior knowledge of Python or other programming languages is required, although basic knowledge of coding in any programming language would be helpful. This course is offered on-demand asynchronous, meaning that students can complete modules at their own pace.

Course Fee: \$99

*Rolling enrollment available to begin at any time during spring semester
Online via Zoom*

ONLINE CERTIFICATE OPPORTUNITIES

Boost your productivity and skill set with these convenient and engaging online non-credit courses from Learning Resources Network's UGotClass® program. Participate any time on any computer to learn from expert instructors. Register for the certificate option of any course grouping and attend all courses in the group for a discounted rate. Certificate administered by UGotClass®. Registration and course deadlines same as individual courses.



Video Marketing

Sight, sound and motion are much more compelling than static words on a page. Video is very hypnotic and it quickly speeds up the “know, like and trust” factor with your audience. You will discover how to use simple online video to quickly bond with your viewer, drive traffic to your website, boost business and build brand awareness. Find out how to shoot simple, effective videos without costly fancy equipment or savvy technical skills. Discover the secrets to creating content that commands attention. Learn how to dominate Google and YouTube with your video and to strategically use YouTube to market your business 24/7 — even while you sleep.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

YouTube for Business

Learn how to get your YouTube video on the first page of Google Search. Just like Facebook, YouTube is a social network that needs to be set up, optimized and used regularly to be effective. Your patterns of behavior on YouTube may be working against you. Learn how YouTube can complement your current marketing and social media strategy and how to maximize your YouTube Channel to get the greatest return.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: March 3-28

MASTERING VIDEO MARKETING CERTIFICATE

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

Certificate Fee: \$395

ONLINE CERTIFICATE OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)



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/Certificate Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28 or April 7-May 2

PODCASTING CERTIFICATE

Certificate administered by UGotClass® upon completion of Podcasting course.

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: Feb. 3-28

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: March 3-28

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

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: Feb. 3-28

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: March 3-28



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



Adobe Illustrator Essentials

Adobe Illustrator is the industry standard computer illustration software. Use Illustrator to draw shapes and design logos, flyers, posters, banners, business cards, or any other vector graphics for print or web. In this course, you will learn Adobe Illustrator fundamentals to set up a print document and use various tools to draw, type and color all kinds of shapes and illustrations. Learn how to efficiently manage layers and artboards, and create print-ready PDF documents. Access to Adobe Illustrator software required.

Course Fee: \$225

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

Adobe Photoshop Essentials

This fundamental course covers Adobe Photoshop CC most commonly used tools, menus and panels. You'll learn all the basics of Photoshop to effectively work with selection and editing tools, layers and masks to edit, retouch and enhance existing images or create your own composite digital art work. Impress your business organization, friends and family by enhancing their photos and create magazine cover quality enhanced images. Access to Adobe Photoshop software required.

Course Fee: \$225

Available Online Only: March 3-28

Adobe InDesign Essentials

Adobe InDesign is the industry standard page-layout program that works with Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop seamlessly. InDesign allows you to create simple to complex multi-page documents such as brochures, flyers, books and magazines. This course is a comprehensive exploration of InDesign tools and capabilities to create professional documents. You will learn how to manage the InDesign environment and create, setup, design, enhance and finalize multi-page documents. Access to Adobe InDesign software required.

Course Fee: \$225

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

GRAPHIC DESIGN SOFTWARE ESSENTIALS CERTIFICATE

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

Certificate Fee: \$545

ONLINE CERTIFICATE OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)

Mastering Microsoft Excel

A must-have skill to succeed in business, whether an entrepreneur or a valued employee, is the ability to create, edit and manage spreadsheets. Examine the life of an Excel worksheet and workbook, from creation to presentation. Learn how an Excel worksheet is constructed, populated with content and edited for delivery. Master the options that can take your Excel worksheet from plain, drab numbers to exciting and engaging multimedia.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

Intermediate Excel

Have you ever wondered why Excel is one of the most powerful applications used today by many businesses? This course will help you increase your efficiency by learning how to organize, display and calculate your data into useful information. Find out how you can consolidate your data proficiently into readable rows and columns using different table designs and styles. Create a unique style for yourself to improve your spreadsheet appearance to make the content easier to understand for your target audience. Discover how easily pivot tables can be created to quickly summarize large amounts of data.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: March 3-28

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: Feb. 3-28

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, specifically their Six Sigma teams, 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: March 3-28

Advanced Excel

We are faced with different types of business decisions each day that can change the data we work with along with our financial outcomes. Advanced Excel contains tools that can help you prepare your worksheets accurately, examine your data for authentication and find those answers to your most difficult questions. Save time for yourself by protecting your valuable data and know with assurance that the entered data is accurate without any errors. Discover how to attractively visualize your data into meaningful information with confidence.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

CERTIFICATE IN MASTERING EXCEL

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

Certificate Fee: \$495

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: April 7-May 2

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





Beginning Conversational Spanish

Designed for beginners, this course will have you speaking and reading Spanish in no time. You will practice the basic building blocks of the language and common idiomatic expressions. You will know enough vocabulary and grammar for simple conversations, and you will learn how to ask and answer questions. Whether you speak some Spanish and need a refresher, or no Spanish, you will complete the course with the skills to communicate in Spanish.

Course/Certificate Fee: \$290

*Available Online Only: Feb. 3-March 28
or April 7-May 30*

BEGINNING CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH CERTIFICATE

Certificate administered by UGotClass® upon completion of Beginning Conversational Spanish course.

Introduction to Power BI

Gain insights into your data! Power BI (business intelligence) is a widely-used business analytics service offered by Microsoft. Power BI Desktop is a complete data analysis and report creation tool that you install for free. In this course, you will discover how to quickly extract, transform and load data with just a few clicks. You will create interactive visualizations (charts, maps, KPIs) to provide you with insights into your company's data to make informed decisions.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

Intermediate Power BI

Delve further into Power Query to ETL (Extract, Transform and Load) your data. Build the Data Model using modeling features and relationships. Perform calculations using Data Analysis Expressions (DAX) functions. Utilize Time Intelligence functions to view YoY or YTD reports. Add user-friendly features to enhance your reports.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: March 3-28



Advanced Power BI

Expand your knowledge of Power BI Desktop to the highest level. This course focuses on the advanced capabilities of Power Query, Data Modeling and Reports. Check for data inconsistencies, design efficient queries, create proper relationships, and write DAX code to ensure reports update quickly and accurately. Add navigation and analytical features to your reports to enable consumers to analyze the results.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

POWER BI CERTIFICATE

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

Course Fee: \$495

ONLINE CERTIFICATE OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)



Introduction to Coding

You will be introduced to the basics of computer programming and various programming languages. New technologies allow people outside of the computer science field to be able to create their own web pages using code. Learn the basics of HTML, CSS and Java Script in this course, as well as the practical uses for each.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

HTML Fundamentals

This course covers all the basics of HTML coding language. You will learn to build simple web pages by hand coding, using HTML tags to create paragraphs, headings, lists and links, insert images and tables, and more. We also cover creating a simple multi-page website with images, text and a navigation bar.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: March 3-28

CSS Fundamentals

In this introductory course, you will learn how to style web pages using Cascading Style Sheets (CSS) coding language. Topics include using inline, internal and external CSS, web typography, formatting text, working with web colors, using Google fonts, working with id and class selectors, working with elements, creating page layouts using elements, and CSS box model.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

CODING CERTIFICATE

Register for the certificate option and receive all coding courses at a discount. Certificate administered by UGotClass®.

Certificate Fee: \$595

Understanding Debits and Credits

In this course, you will learn about the accounting equation and the five categories involved in every business: assets, liabilities, owner's equity, revenue and expenses. Every financial transaction falls into one or more of these categories. Learn how to create a chart of accounts that meet the needs of your business. You will learn how double entry bookkeeping works and the process of recording debits and credits. This course will show you how to identify, analyze and record transactions using journal entries under the cash basis accounting method.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

General Ledger and Month End Procedures

In this course, you will learn how to post journal entries to the correct general ledger accounts impacted by each transaction. This course will show you how to make sure your general ledger balances at the end of each month by preparing an unadjusted trial balance. You will learn how to look for errors when you don't balance and how to determine to correct entries. After posting correcting entries and/or adjusting entries, you will verify debits and credits equal with an adjusted trial balance. This course also goes through the steps of performing monthly bank reconciliations.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: March 3-28

Closing Procedures and Financial Statements

This course shows you how to create a worksheet used to adjust account balances and prepare financial statements. Use your financial statements to measure performance, make improvements and set goals. The final step covered in this course is closing your books and preparing them for the next accounting period; this is done by journalizing and posting closing entries.

Course Fee: \$195

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

BOOKKEEPING CERTIFICATE

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

Course Fee: \$495



Introduction to SQL

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

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: Feb. 3-28

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: \$245

Available Online Only: March 3-28

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. Learn how to use transaction processing to ensure SQL statements execute completely or not at all and how to create stored procedures to store SQL statements for execution.

Course Fee: \$245

Available Online Only: April 7-May 2

SQL CERTIFICATE

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

Certificate Fee: \$595

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/province or the national board requirements to determine whether this will qualify for CEU credits.

Practice Expertise in Art Therapy Counseling

This one-day conference will capitalize on the talent and expertise within the local art therapy community. Twelve local art therapists who have honed their therapy practice will facilitate 90-minute sessions centered on trending topics in art therapy practice: autism, LGBTQIA+, ethics, social justice, cognitive behavioral therapy, school-based therapy, chronic mental illness and more. SIUE students and faculty as well as members of the surrounding community are invited to attend. Participants can earn 4.5 CEUs

Conference Fee:

Community Members: \$80

Community Members with CEUs: \$100

SIUE Student: \$10

Non-SIUE Student: \$25

SIUE Faculty: \$50

SIUE Faculty with CEUs: \$70

Saturday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., April 5

Morris University Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center

Illinois School Psychology Internship Consortium Virtual Conference

Designed for Illinois School Psychologists to learn about internships for future practitioners.

Conference Fee: Check website for final conference registration fees.

Friday, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., April 11

Online via Zoom

Computer-Aided Design Courses

Courses are offered continuously in 10-week cycles. Please check the website for the most up-to-date information. Courses are offered online via Zoom. All are three credits and the cost is \$3,311 per course unless otherwise stated. Must have Introduction course to participate in Intermediate course.

CATIA V5 Intro:

Introduction to Solid and Assembly Modeling

Course Fee: \$3,611.25

CATIA V5 Intermediate:

Advanced Design and Assembly Management

Course Fee: 4,792.50

NX11 Intro:

Introduction to Solid and Assembly Modeling

Course Fee: \$3,611.25

NX11 Intermediate:

Advanced Design and Assembly Management

Course Fee: \$3,611.25



EDUCARD

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. Educard is a special community program that allows you to attend selected credit classes offered by SIUE. It provides an opportunity for you to sample the subjects that interest you most. Anyone who is not currently enrolled for credit in the University is eligible for Educard. High school students are eligible and may take up to three classes.

Which classes are approved for Educard participation?

To review a list of all SIUE courses, please visit banner.siu.edu/ssb and click Class Schedule. Select the Spring 2025 term and search any subject you would like. Classes not offered through Educard are classes with a full enrollment, non-credit classes, travel study, distance education, classes in which a danger may exist, classes requiring prerequisites, and classes where added direct expense may be incurred by the University.

Need help finding courses?

Contact Chuck at cweder@siue.edu for assistance.

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?

Educard participant may borrow textbooks, as available, at no cost through Textbook Service. 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.

What is the fee?

\$60 per class

Register for Educard

- Online: siue.edu/educard
- In person: Rendleman Hall, Room 1330, Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
- Please do not mail payment



RENTAL FACILITIES

By holding events in facilities on the SIUE campus, you gain the support and resources of the campus and our people. With a variety of space options, you can host professional seminars, workshops, team-building exercises, walks and events with confidence, knowing that SIUE will exceed your expectations.

SIUE's state-of-the-art facilities are attractive and available for rent. Both individuals and companies can take advantage of the great spaces and equipment we have to offer: classrooms, special event spaces, conference rooms, The Gardens at SIUE, Madison County Bike Trails, the Belleville campus and the Wyvetter H. Younge Higher Education Center in East St. Louis.

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WORKFORCE INNOVATION OPPORTUNITY ACT PROGRAM

Unemployed? Underemployed?

SIUE serves students through the Workforce Innovation and 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 (Bond, Jersey, Madison 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 weekdays 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.

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Payments are accepted in the following ways:



Online:
siue.edu/educational-outreach

See page 2 for detailed registration instructions.



Mail: Send this completed registration form and payment to:

SIUE Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach
Box 1084 | Edwardsville, IL 62026



In Person: Visit us weekdays 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. in Rendleman Hall, Room 1330



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

Date: _____

Name _____
Last First Middle

Email _____ **Phone** _____

Address _____
Street City State ZIP

License Plate Number *if parking pass is needed* _____

Non-credit Course: **Educard:** **Lifelong Learning:**

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Methods of Payment: **Cash** **Check** **Credit Card**    

Credit Card _____
Number Expiration Date CVC Signature

Other Information

I would like to teach a course on _____

I would be interested in taking a course on _____

I would like to be added to the email list (Please provide email) _____

I would like to make a donation to the Office of Online Services and Educational Outreach
(Please fill in method of payment above and return to the below address. Thank you for your generosity!)