

# SIUE SCHOOL OF NURSING EXPLORE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE DAY

Saturday, October 10, 2015

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

## PROGRAM AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m.           **Check In Begins in the Morris University Center (MUC)**  
*Advisors will be available for general questions until 8:20 a.m. in the Goshen Lounge.*
- 8:30 a.m.           **Welcome Session (MUC – Meridian Ballroom)**  
*This session will be a brief overview of the School of Nursing.*
- 8:45 – 9:15 a.m.   **Traditional Option Session MUC Meridian Ballroom (following Welcome Session)**  
*This session will review admission requirements and curriculum information. The Traditional Option is for high school and transfer students.*
- 9:15 – 9:45 a.m.   **Student Panel – MUC Meridian Ballroom (following Traditional Session)**  
*Current students will be available to answer questions.*
- 10:00 – 12:00      **Nursing Advisors – Available for General Program Questions – 1st floor**  
*Available for General Program Questions Only- Individual Advisement or transcript evaluation will not be available at this event.*
- 10:00 – 12:00      **Accelerated Option and RN to BS Option (for registered nurses) – 3<sup>rd</sup> floor hallway**  
*The Accelerated Option is for students with a prior bachelor's degree in another field that wish to pursue a second bachelor's degree in Nursing.*  
  
*The RN to BS option is 100% on-line for students that are currently working as registered nurses or are enrolled in an Associate Degree Nursing or diploma program.*
- 10:00 – 12:00      **Exhibits Open – Alumni Hall (AH) 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> floors**
- 10:00 – 10:30 &  
11:00 – 11:30      **Sessions A-D: Nursing Programs -- Financial Aid -- Student Panel**  
*(Sessions will be repeated at 11:00)*
- Session A: Direct Entry Program – 10:00 session only – AH 0206**  
*This session is for high school seniors with an ACT score of 27 or higher. Explore the opportunity of being offered a direct admission into the School of Nursing as a college freshman.*
- Session B: Master's Degree Programs & the DNP (Doctor of Nursing Practice) Programs – AH 3402**  
*This session will review admission requirements and program information for the Nurse Anesthesia DNP, Family Nurse Practitioner DNP, Nurse Educator, and Health Care & Nursing Administration Master's degree options. Post-Master's and Post-Master's DNP options will also be discussed.*
- Session C: What's It Like to Be a Nursing Student? (For Students Only) – AH 3403**  
*In this session, prospective students will be able to meet with our current Nursing students who will share their own experiences and answer questions.*
- Session D: Financial Aid Opportunities – AH 2401**  
*This session will review information on how to finance your education.*
- 10:00 – 12:00      **School of Nursing Simulated Learning Center – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
*Walk in and visit our simulated lab which uses 7 mannequins to simulate life experiences for students in an interactive health care environment. Listen to a heart beat or lung sounds, see pupils dilate, and much more!*
- 12:00                **Campus Tours (Sign up at University Admissions table in the MUC at check-in time)**